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Future Council Meeting Dates:

- August 29, 2016 Special Session 5:30 p.m.
- August 29, 2016 Work Session 5:30 p.m.
- September 8, 2016 Budget Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- September 8, 2016 Regular CC Meeting 6:30 p.m.

All Oviedo City Council meetings are held in Council Chambers at Oviedo City Hall, 400 Alexandria Boulevard. As always, the public is invited and encouraged to attend the meetings.

Do you have a request for the City? You can go to the City Website at the address below and let us know your request.
<http://www.cityofoviedo.net/node/1223>

Sponsored By

Viva Oviedo!

A Celebration of Latin Music and Culture

Friday, **AUGUST 26th**
7 - 11 PM, DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM
OVIEDO AMPHITHEATRE & CULTURAL CENTER
 Food and Beverage available for purchase

CuBop!

Sol Caribe

FREQUENCY

Tickets

Purchase tickets online at eventbrite.com
 or at the Cultural Center

VIP tickets \$40 | 6 - 8 PM Food & Drinks

Only
\$15

407-971-5590 FOR INFORMATION

Early Voting is Underway!

Beat the line on election day and cast your ballot early at either of the two locations below. Early voting began August 20th and will continue through August 27th, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The Florida Primary Election is August 30th!

Oviedo Aquatic Center

148 Oviedo Boulevard

Oviedo, FL

Elections Office

1500 E. Airport Boulevard

Sanford, FL

If not voting early, remember to vote at your home precinct on Election Day, between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.



City offices will be closed on Monday, September 5th in observance of the Labor Day holiday

PROMOTIONS

Tracy Rodriguez has been promoted to the position of Communications Specialist. Ms. Rodriguez will be preparing the Oviedo in the News publication formerly produced by Ms. Gail Bigelow. Please feel free to contact Ms. Rodriguez at wmasters@cityofoviedo.net if you have any questions about the newsletter.

Patti Stevens - Senior Administrative Assistant (Fire)
Lawton Thompson - Lieutenant (Fire)
Dawn Wainright - Utility Billing Specialist (Finance)



Welcome some of the City's newest employees.

Jennifer Clark (Human Resources)
Edward Heim (Police)
Stephanie Roman (Public Works)
Jason Rosarius (Police)
Richard Scovel (Police)

Did You Know?

On August 15th, the Oviedo City Council approved Resolutions authorizing the City to apply for (3) Florida Recreation Development Assistance Program (FRDAP Unique Abilities Grants; one for Shane Kelly Park, Round Lake Park, and Center Lake Park.

The 2016 Florida Legislature created this new grant program to fund initiatives for recreation focusing on facilities for those citizens with disabilities. Eligible projects submitted for funding in Fiscal Year 2016-17 must “provide recreational enhancement and opportunities for individuals with unique abilities” which means “those projects that incorporate adaptations or modifications to the design and development of recreational resources or equipment to meet the needs of all potential participants including those with physical or developmental disabilities,” pursuant to Section 375.075(4) of the Florida Statutes.

The 2016 Oviedo Veterans Tribute Golf Tournament host, Marc Stockwell, and event sponsors were recognized at the August 15th City Council meeting. Funds raised from this tournament were donated to the Oviedo Veterans Tribute fund in the amount of \$3,505.

LIGHTNING: PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR HOME

Did you know you reside in the **Lightning Capital of North America**? With nearly **30 million** lightning strikes resulting in **400 people** injured and nearly **50 to 60 deaths** each year it pays to know how to protect yourself and your home. Your **Oviedo Fire Rescue Emergency Management Department** offers these safety tips to better protect your family, home, appliances, and electronics from lightning related damage.

Protect electronic equipment by using power surge protection - Surge protection devices provide protection to electronic equipment such as televisions, audio equipment, computers, appliances, etc. The higher the “joules” protection the better the device can absorb the lightning or power surge. It is suggested to provide better protection for your expensive electronic equipment, invest in the best high quality surge protection you can afford.

Protect yourself and your family during a storm - The safest place is inside a building. Carports, porches, pavilions, tents, bus stops, covered walkways, trees, etc. do not offer lightning protection. Vehicles are also considered a safe place of refuge if a building is not accessible. Avoid showering, swimming, washing dishes, laundry, using telephone, computer use, etc. during a lightning storm.

If your home is hit by lightning, Call 911 immediately! The Fire Rescue Department will carefully survey the attic, electrical system, etc. for damage and the presence of fire. Specialized thermal imaging and heat sensing equipment is utilized for this situation. The longer you delay in calling for Fire Rescue response the more likely it is a fire will develop and perhaps be beyond control.



RECREATION & PARKS DEPARTMENT

Gym & Athletics:

- * **Indoor Cycling** - Tuesday and Thursday, 6 - 7pm. Daily rates apply. Packages of 20 visits or an unlimited annual option are available for purchase.
- * **Adult Flag Football** - Registration begins August 1st through September 2nd or until filled. Season begins September 11th.
- * **Adult Basketball** - Registration begins August 8th, with games beginning September 18th.
- * **Youth Flag Football** - Registration is open and will continue through August 17th or until full. Games begin on September 17th.

Riverside Park:

My Tot and Me Class - **Tuesday, September 6th** at Riverside Park. Children 4 years and under will explore colors, textures, and sounds. They will also learn how to listen, share, and take turns. \$6 Residents, \$7 Non-Resident Members, \$8 Non-Residents.



Family Bingo - **Friday, September 9th** at Riverside Park. Games start at 7pm. Cards are \$3 each with a 5 card maximum. Space is limited and all players are admitted on a first come, first served basis. Concession stand will be open for snacks and such.



Sunshine Dance - **Friday, September 16th** at Riverside Park. This program is for special population teens and adults who are physically and/or mentally challenged. Dance the night away to family-friendly music. Snacks and drinks will be provided. Cost is \$2 per person.



Poolside Splash Zone Birthday Parties **2016**

Love visiting the Splash Zone? Why not celebrate your birthday poolside! Oviedo Aquatics is now taking reservations for Poolside Birthday Parties. Act soon as reservations fill up fast!! Check the city website for party availability:

www.cityofoviedo.net

Location: Oviedo Aquatic Facility

Reservations: Now Open!

Dates: August – September 2016

Times: Friday Nights 6-8:30pm
Saturday Mornings 9-11:30am
Saturday Nights 6-8:30pm
Sunday Mornings 9-11:30am

Fees: Packages range from \$130 - \$374

Contact: 407-971-5567 Head Guards

Splash Zone Fall Hours **Aug 10 — Sept 25**

Location: Oviedo Aquatic Facility

Times: M-F Closed
Saturday 12pm-5pm
Sunday 12pm-6pm

Swim Lesson registration **has begun!**

Class schedule can be seen online or at both the Riverside Park or the Oviedo Aquatic Facility. Please contact Pedro at 407-971-5582 for any questions!



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www.cityofoviedo.net Questions or comments?
 trodriguez@cityofoviedo.net

August 25th • 5-9 pm
 Center Lake Park at Oviedo on the Park • 357 Center Lake Lane



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For more information call 407-971-5590

Fishing with a Cop



September 10th
 9AM-12PM

Round Lake Park
 891 E Broadway Street
 Oviedo FL, 32765



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City of Oviedo Presents...

MOVIE IN THE PARK

FREE Movie!

September 23rd
 Zootopia

Shown at Center Lake Park, at Oviedo on the Park

- Movie Begins At Dusk
- Family Friendly Films
- Bring Blankets And Lawn Chairs
- Food Available For Purchase

For More Information call 407-971-5590



There's much more fun to come this fall and holiday season. Look for these events coming soon!



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