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Greetings!

This Edition: Inside PBC News: You could have unclaimed funds waiting for you. King tides are coming. If you are new to Florida, king tides are exceptionally high spring tides and typically happen in the fall. First-time homebuyers, listen up. The Palm Beach County Department of Housing and Economic Development reveals the availability of first-time homebuyer funds. *For all of this and more, visit PBCGOV.com.*

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Inside PBC News



Welcome to Inside PBC

Featured



¡Viva la herencia hispana!
We are celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month
at the Palm Beach County Library System
Check out our activities!

Waggin' at the Waterpark

October 7, 2023

Coconut Cove Waterpark
Boca Raton

Calypso Bay Waterpark
Royal Palm Beach





Mounts is Serene in October



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2023 HURRICANE SEASON



Legends on the Lawn

Canyon Amphitheater, Boynton Beach
7:00-9:00 pm | FREE admission!

October 21
Sour Mash Band

November 18
Planet Lulu

December 16
North 40



King Tides Expected Sept. 29 - Oct. 2, Oct. 27 - 31 and Nov. 26, 2023

Resilience

As fall approaches, so do the annual king tides, the highest tides of the year. They typically occur in South Florida from September to December ...



BCC Briefs

Board of County Commissioners

At the Sept. 19 Board of County Commissioners meeting, the board took the following action on the regular agenda.



Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month With Exciting Activities at the Library System

Library System

The PBC Library System is thrilled to announce a diverse lineup of events and activities to celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month.



Fall 2023 Adventure Awaits Schedule

Environmental Resources Management

Join PBC Department of Environmental Resources Management naturalists as they lead events that aim to inspire and help connect people with nature.



Purchase Assistance Funding Available for First-Time Homebuyers

Housing & Economic Development

The PBC Department of Housing and Economic Development announces the availability of HOME Investments Partnership First-Time Homebuyer Program funds.

Public Safety



New Foster Programs to Pioneer a Community-Supported Sheltering Approach

The PBC Public Safety Department’s Animal Care and Control Division is excited to introduce a series of fostering programs designed to empower the community to make a lifesaving impact on animals in need.



Updated Plea for Community To Save At-Risk Dogs

The PBC Public Safety Department’s Animal Care and Control Division thanks the community for helping to move out enough dogs to drop from a high of 232 dogs to the current 192, but additional help is still needed.



Prepare Your Pets This Hurricane Season

The PBC Public Safety Department's Animal Care and Control Division is calling upon the community to prioritize their preparedness plans by ensuring the inclusion of their cherished pets.

Parks & Recreation



Inaugural Blind Sports Day of PBC

Inaugural Blind Sports Day of PBC is a unique opportunity for all community members to experience sports for individuals with visual impairment and blindness.

Waggin’ at the Waterpark at Calypso Bay and Coconut Cove Waterparks



Bring your dogs and watch as they make a splash, get a good workout and meet new friends; you may meet new friends too!



Halloween Hoot & Howl at Daggerwing Nature Center

Bring the kids in costumes and enjoy family-friendly Halloween games and crafts while learning about nocturnal creatures such as owls, toads, snakes and spiders!



Fall is Fantastic at Riverbend Park

NIGHT HIKE

Friday, Oct. 6, 6:30 p.m.

Ages 8+, \$5/participant (Reservations required)



October Events at Daggerwing Nature Center

ANIMAL FEEDINGS

Daily, 3:15 p.m.

All ages, FREE (Reservations not required)



Fantastic Fall at Green Cay Nature Center

BIRD TALK & WALK: BIRDS OF PREY

Saturday, Oct. 7, 9:30 a.m.

All ages, \$5/participant (Reservations required, limit 20)



Awesome October at Okecheelee Nature Center

TRAILS & TRIVIA

Saturday, Oct. 7, 2-3:45 p.m.

Ages 15+, \$5/participant (Reservations required)

Cooperative Extension



Mounts is Serene in October

Friends of the Mounts Botanical Garden will host 24 fun and informative workshops, classes and special events throughout October.



Mounts Announces Next Major Exhibition ORIGAMI IN THE GARDEN

Friends of the Mounts Botanical Garden is proud to announce the next major exhibition in PBC's oldest and largest botanical garden, a beautiful 20-acre oasis just minutes from downtown West Palm Beach.

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