

# PALENCIA COMMUNITY COMPASS

# **NOVEMBER EDITION**

### Dear Palencia Residents,

As we begin this month of Thanksgiving, I want to take a moment to express my heartfelt gratitude for each of you. It's a privilege to be part of such a wonderful community, where warmth, kindness, and support make Palencia a truly special place to call home. May this season bring you and your loved ones abundant joy, peace, and cherished memories.

#### **MCCDD Business Updates:**

The Heather Park enhancement is almost complete with new trees, planters, and a more pictureque layout we are excited for residents to begin enjoying this revitalized space.

An assessment of the Marshall Creek stormwater pond system was completed by Prosser Engineering and we expect to have the full report for the November Board meeting.

The hedge along the Promenade walkway has received a cutback and in the coming weeks the landscape team will be doing a second round to lower the shrubs to the level of the wall. This has been done in stages to allow the plant material to recover between cutbacks.

The fall/winter installation of pine straw will be taking place in the next couple of weeks and the winter flower rotation will be installed by the end of November with some beautiful red and white colors. The family pool is currently down due to a pump issue and we are working diligently to find a replacement part, as the specific part needed has been out of stock nationwide. Our team is also working on some alternative solutions to get things back up and running until the part can be secured.

## Lifestyles:

The Fall Festival was a huge hit with our community this year. Thank you to all of those who joined us for this funfilled evening. We look forward to seeing you at the upcoming <a href="Car Show on November 9th">Car</a> and <a href="Holiday Tree Lighting Event on December 6th">Holiday Tree Lighting Event on December 6th</a>.

We are excited to introduce Les Mills BodyCombat class with Heather S at the Amenity Center, beginning November 18th at 9am.

### **Palencia Holiday Lighting Contest:**

Calling all Palencia Residents from both Marshall Creek and Sweetwater to participate in our Holiday Lighting Contest! There will be 3 categories with prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place for each. A representative of each Board along with Management and a guest judge or two will be visiting the participating homes in December. Look for a sign-up to come soon along with additional details.

Best regards,

General Manager Marshall Creek CDD



# **AMENITY HOURS**

Click Here for the Palencia Online Calendar



## MC Amenity Center and Pools

Pools Sunday through Saturday 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

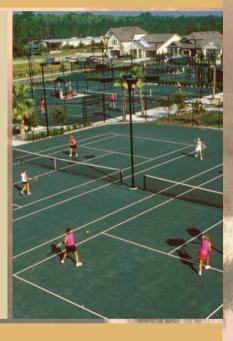
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> Center 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

# Palencia Tennis

Courts available 7:00am - 10:00 PM daily

Tennis Shop Hours of Operation Monday-Friday 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM Saturday & Sunday 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM





# <u>Sweetwater</u> <u>Swim & Fitness Center</u>

CLICK HERE for Current Hours and Information



# **AMENITY HOURS**







## MC Amenity Center and Pools

Wednesday:

9AM-1PM

**Thursday:** 

Closed

Friday:

**Normal Operations** 

## Palencia Tennis

#### **Courts:**

-Wednesday:

**Normal Operations** 

-Thursday:

First come first serve/ No lights for evening play

-Friday:

**Normal Operations** 

### Office:

-Wednesday:

8:00AM-12:00PM

-Thursday:

Closed

-Friday:

Normal Operations





# <u>Sweetwater</u> <u>Swim & Fitness Center</u>

Wednesday:

**Normal Operations** 

Thursday:

5AM-3PM

Friday:

8AM-8PM

# BEEP BEEP! NEXT SATURDAY!!



# LET THE HOLIDAY SEASON BEGIN!!



# SAVE THE DATE DECEMBER



# Palencia Food Drive

### Palencia Food Drive

Our Lady of Good Counsel (OLGC) Food Pantry
(Serves the food insecure in 32095 & 32092)

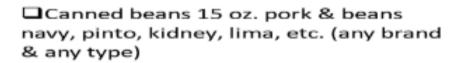
Collection Dates: Nov 1 thru 16, 2024



Collection Sites: The Palencia Fitness Center 1865 N. Loop Parkway, And Palencia Amenity Center 625 Palencia Club Drive



#### Items needed:





☐Peanut Butter 16 to 18 oz. plastic jars (any brand & any type)



□Canned vegetables 15 oz. (any brand & any type). We are in need of corn!

Please: NO GLASS and only unopened containers.

Monetary donations are welcome. Make check payable to OLGC. MEMO: Food Pantry. Mail to Molly Goins -Cox, 136 La Mesa Drive, St. Augustine FL, 32095. Questions call Molly at (860) 305-9411. Need donations picked up call Carrie Hulka (918) 510-6769.

## Thank you!

OLGC Food Pantry Partners: Feeding Northeast Florida, The Village Church, Cascades, San Juan Del Rio, King & Bear, and other smaller groups.

# TENNIS





The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Delores Barr
Weaver See the Girl Charity
Tennis Tournament was
another huge success! With
over 160 players the
tournament raised over
\$18,000 to help young women
thrive in their local
communities!
Congratulations to our
Palencia resident winners:

Womens 2.5: Megan Ward/Emily Enterline

Womens Red 3.0: Anne Raha/Kristie Gauntt

Mens 3.0: John Harman/David Gauntt

Mens 3.5: Tom Miller/Dan Garrison



## NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER



#### Youth Tennis News:

Regular classes in November through Thursday, November 21<sup>st</sup>, <u>including</u> Monday, 11/11.

# Youth Tennis Camp

Monday, 11/25 and Tuesday, 11/26

Tiny Tots 10:00-10:50am Tiny Tots Cost is \$36/2 days or \$25/day

Junior Varsity and Intermediate Classes 11:00 am-12:00pm Cost is \$36/2 days or \$25/day

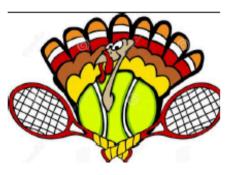
Tournament Development Group
12:00-1:30pm
\$54/2 days or \$35/day
Please sign up in advance in the
Tennis Center or email at
Palenciatennis@marshallcreekcdd.com



Parents, Adults and Kids:
Our lost and found bin gets full this
time of year as the weather cools
down. Be sure to stop in if you are
missing anything!

## Adult Tennis News:

No Ladies Clinics from Monday, 11/25-Wednesday, 11/27.



HAPPY THANKSGIVING FROM THE TENNIS STAFF!

Tennis Office will be closed:
Wed, 11/27 at Noon and
Thurs, 11/28 all day
Tennis courts will be on a first
come/first serve basis with no
lights available on Thursday

Palencia Tennis Center 904-825-4012

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# TENNIS



# YOUTH TENNIS CAMP

(no regular classes scheduled this week)

Monday and Tuesday, 11/25th and 26th Tiny Tots 10:00-10:50am Tiny Tots Cost is \$36/2 days or \$25/day

Junior Varsity and Intermediate Classes 11:00 am-12:00pm Cost is \$36/2 days or \$25/day

Tournament Development Group 12:00-1:30pm \$54/2 days or \$35/day

Please sign up in the tennis office or call at 825-4012 or email at palenciatennis@marshallcreekcdd.com

# FITNESS CENTER



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
6:00am HIIT H		6:00am HIIT H					
	8:30am Cardio X Training E/M	8:45am Spin M/H	8:30am Cardio X Training M/H				
9:00am Pilates E/M				9:00am Gentle Yoga <mark>E</mark>	9:00am Zumba/Zumba Toning		
10:15am Spin M/H	10:00am Cardio/Core E/M	10:00am Senior Strength E		8168	М		
11:10am Senior Stretch E	11:10am Senior Mat Pilates E	10:30am Meditation E	11:15am Senior Mat Pilates E			4:00pm Yoga E/M	
	12:30pm Tai Chi E	11:10am Yoga E/M	12:30pm Tai Chi E	12:00pm Senior Stretch	<u>Fitness Center:</u>		
		3:05pm Kids Fitness E			(904) 829 -8584 Amenity Center: (904) 810-0520		
	5:15pm Yogalates E/M	5:15pm Power Yoga M/H					
6:00pm Pilates Barre M/H	6:30pm Power Pump M/H		6:00pm Zumba M		E= Easy M= Medi um H= Hard 11/1/2024		
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# FITNESS CENTER

# eet Instructor : Tiffany



Tiffany's Class Schedule: Tuesday 8:30am Cardio X Training Thursday 8:30am Cardio X Training

I moved to St. Augustine from Ohio with my husband and three daughters about 5 years ago. Growing up, I was a competitive gymnast, cheerleader, and dancer, and I believe these skills have molded me into the fitness instructor I've become. I started teaching aerobics ten years ago and have since taught a wide range of classes, including Step, Pilates, Toning, Cardio X-Training, Bootcamp, and HIIT. My favorite classes combine strength training and cardio, offering a balanced yet challenging experience for participants. My mother, who worked as a fitness instructor for several years, inspired me to pursue a healthy lifestyle and share that passion with others, I've been teaching HIIT classes here at Palencia on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:30 AM for about 4 years. My classes incorporate various equipment for a challenging yet accessible workout that welcomes all fitness levels. I encourage my participants to adapt the class to their needs, whether they come late, leave early, or modify exercises. My goal is to create a FUN, supportive environment where everyone feels empowered to focus on themselves, amidst life's daily chaos. I must say that my participants here at Palencia inspire me. They are some of the kindest, most caring, supportive and hilarious individuals I've ever worked with. I'm so thankful for my time with them. I currently dabble in many things, but the common element is working with people. Today, I

balance my role as a Realtor with Florida Coastal Team and as a fitness instructor, always motivated by a love for helping people find their fit—whether it's their dream home or their personal fitness goals. In real estate, my own relocation experience has given me a firsthand understanding of the challenges and rewards of moving to a new area. I use this insight to guide customers, helping them find the right home and community that suits their lifestyle. Being part of both the fitness and real estate communities has brought me into contact with so

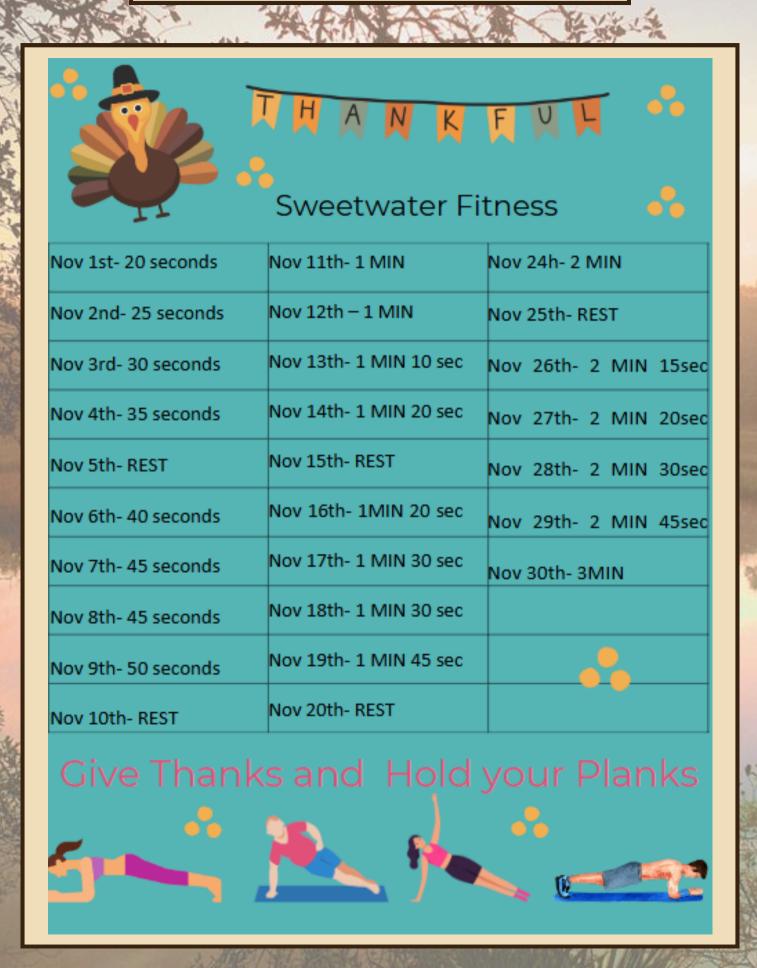
many amazing individuals, and I'm grateful to support people as they work toward goals that enrich their lives.







# FITNESS CENTER





\*FITNESS CENTER\*

For Pickleball Clinic info: Please Call or Text Darcy Miller: (904) 891-6573

Tuesday, November 5th, 6:00-8:00

#### Just Drop It!!- Intermediate/Advanced

 90% of points in pickleball, played by intermediate players and up, are won at the kitchen. It is your job to get there and win! This class will focus on getting you to the next level of pickleball so you can compete at a higher level. Learn to drop the ball in the kitchen in all situations. Saturday, November 9th, 9:00-11:00

#### Intro to Pickleball-Beginners/KIDS

 A beginner's adventure into learning the basics of Pickleball. We teach the basics and then PLAY to put those basics to use! This will include rules, scoring, appropriate footwear, equipment strategy, basic fitness, and, of course, the basic shots that go into Pickleball!

Tuesday, November 12th, 6:00-8:00

## Pickleball Fundamentals-Beginners to Low Intermediate

Ok, so you can get into the point with an effective serve and return. What next? We will introduce you to a strategic approach to the third shot, and dink so that you can begin playing pickleball at a competent level! This is a GREAT opportunity for folks new to the game to reinforce some of the skills they have already learned and applied.

Saturday, November 16th, 9:00-11:00

## Level Up Dinking-Intermediate/Advanced

Should I volley Dink or let it bounce? Decisions
decisions! Learn how to keep your opponent
guessing and off balance by keeping pressure
on them during a dink rally! We will work on
dinking out of the air as well as letting it bounce.
We will also be very strategic by learning
optimal placement of all dinks during a point.

Tuesday, November 19th, 6:00-8:00

#### Pickleball Agility- All Levels

• Ever get out of position? Lose your balance? Yeah, me too! Worry not! We have just the thing for you? Join us for a night of cardio, footwork and maybe a little dancing! Ok, no dancing, but you will improve your moves on the court! The right footwork makes ALL of your shots better!

Saturday, November 23rd, 9:00-11:00

## Specialty Shots-High Intermediate/Advanced

 Learn how to do an ERNE, ATP, and defend both during this specialized clinic for high intermediate and advanced players!

Tuesday, November 26th, 6:00-8:00

# Next Level Lob, Overhead, and Volley-Intermediate/Advanced

• Ever get frustrated because you hit a ball back and your opponent crushes it every time? Ever have to let a ball bounce because you do not trust hitting an overhead to stay on the offensive? Are you missing put aways or just not volleying where you need to? Well, you are in luck! This class is for you!



# Amenity Center

## Fitness Class Schedule

#### \*New Class!!! Starts 11/18\*

\*Les Mills BODYCOMBAT\*

Mondays at 9:00am with Heather S.

#### Les Mills BODYPUMP

Wednesdays at 8:45am with Crispin Fridays at 10:00am with Crispin

#### Les Mills BODYBALANCE

Saturdays at 10:00am with Steven R.

#### **CARDIO STEP**

Fridays at 8:45am with Crispin

#### **WATER AEROBICS**

\*\*\*Classes will resume in Spring 2025\*\*\*

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday				
	Fitness Classes										
			8:45am Cardio Step		8:45am Cardio Step						
	9:00am Body Combat										
			10:00am Body Pump		10:00am Body Pump	10:00am Body Balance					
Dance/Cheer											
	4:15-5pm 6-10 yr old Lyrical	4:15-5pm 3 yr old Ballet/Tumb	4:15-5pm 4 yr old Ballet/Tumb	4:30-5:15pm 2 yr old Ballet/Tumb	4:30-5:15pm 5+ yr old Cheer						
		5-6:15pm 10-12 yr old Ballet/Jazz	5-5:45pm 5-6 yr old Ballet/Jazz/Tumb								



# NOVEMBER AMENITY CENTER CLASSES



# EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES



# CARRABBA'S

#### Chick-Fil-A

Second Tuesday of the Month

November 12th

5:00 PM - 7:30 PM or until sell out

#### Carrabba's Take Out

Fourth Tuesday of the Month

#### **November 26th**

Pre-order Online
Pick-up at the Amenity Center
between 5-6pm







# COMMUNITY CLUBS

## Click Here for the Palencia Online Calendar



Palencia Game Club Monday's (Starting 10/14) 11am



Mah Jongg Monday's at 1pm Fridays at 10am



Men's Bible Study Monday's (Except last Monday) 7pm



Canasta & Bridge Card Club Tuesday's 10am



Bunco Club Fourth Tuesday 1:30pm



Palencia Ladies Book Club
Third Tuesday
4pm



Just Books Club Third Wednesday 12pm



Farkle Thursday's 12:30pm



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# OCT. HIGHLIGHTS











PALENCIA FALL FESTIVAL 2024

# Pink Out! CardioStep & Bodypump





# WILD FOR ZUMBA!!!





# FALL FESTIVAL FUN







# BREAKING NEWS

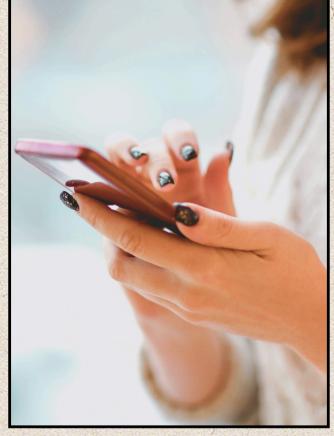
Introducing text/SMS message notifications for PalenciaOnline.

We're excited to announce a new way to stay connected with CDD news and updates! PalenciaOnline is introducing a text/SMS notification service to ensure you receive timely information straight to your mobile devices.

By subscribing to our text notifications, you'll get:

- <u>Instant Alerts:</u> Receive urgent updates and reminders directly.
- Community News: Stay informed about events, maintenance schedules, and more.
- Important Announcements: Meeting reminders, facility schedule information, etc.

To join, click here from your mobile phone or other device. Standard messaging rates apply.





Your privacy is important to us. You can unsubscribe at any time by responding to any Palencia text with the word "Stop". We value your participation and look forward to keeping you informed through this convenient new communication tool.

Thank you for being part of our Palencia community!



# **Onsite CDD Management Contacts**

#### General Manager

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#### **Assistant General Manager**

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#### Fitness Center Manager

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#### **Operations Manager**

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Please call (904) 810-0520 for a new resident appointment.

## **CDD Information**

Marshall Creek CDD Meeting November 20th, 2024 4:00PM Sweetwater CDD Meeting November 7th, 2024 4:00PM

The meetings are open to the public and will be conducted in accordance with the provisions of Florida law for Community Development Districts.

There may be occasions when one or more Supervisors will participate by telephone. The meetings may be continued in progress to a time, date, and location stated on the record without additional publication of notice.

Any person requiring special accommodations at these meetings because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the District Office for your CDD. For Marshall Creek call (954) 603-0033, for Sweetwater call (904) 940-5850, at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the Florida Relay Service at 7-1-1 for aid in contacting the District Office.

Each person who decides to appeal any action taken by the Board with respect to any matter considered at these meetings is advised that person will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, including the testimony and evidence upon which such appeal is to be based.