

Upcoming Events

Seminole Education, Restoration, and Volunteer (SERV) Program

Little Wekiva Event

Saturday, 9/12/15

9 am – noon

By 116 Red Bay Dr., Longwood FL 32779

Join us at the beautiful Little Wekiva River to remove invasive plants! We will be working in the water for the duration of the event. Please contact Elizabeth Stephens to sign-up, or to request more information about the event (serv@seminolecountyfl.gov; 407-665-2457). Or, click here to sign-up online: [Little Wekiva Invasive Removal](#)



Pond Restoration

Saturday, 9/19/15

9 am – noon

1309 Avalon Blvd., Casselberry, FL 32707

Join the City of Casselberry to restore Dew Drop Pond! This event has been rescheduled, so you have another chance to participate! Please contact Marissa Williams (mwilliams@casselberry.org, 407-262-7725 ext. 1229) if available to help.



Our Lakes Class

Wednesday, 9/16/15
6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

250 W. County Home Rd, Sanford FL 32773

We all have an impact on our lakes and ponds in Seminole County. Learn how lakes work and what each of us can do to improve them. Please contact Taryn Sudol to sign-up, or to request more information about the event (tsudol@seminolecountyfl.gov; 407-665-5575). Or, click here to sign-up online: <http://bit.ly/1PPUZTa>



Riverfront Festival

Saturday, 10/10/15
10 am – 10 pm

Ft Mellon Pk, Seminole Blvd., Sanford, FL 32771

Join us at the “Celebrate Sanford RiverFront Festival”! We will be hosting an educational table; this event will also feature an air show, a craft show, vintage Volkswagens, food, and music! For more information about the event, contact Kim House (CelebrateSanford2@gmail.com, 407-416-1779).



Ongoing Opportunities



Stormdrain Marking

With sixteen drainage basins in the county, and thousands of stormdrains to mark, we need your help! The goal of this county-wide project is to educate everyone that stormdrain systems carry not only water, but also anything else (excess nutrients, trash, and other waste) that runs off into the streets, and ends up in our lakes and rivers. This activity is great for groups or individuals.



Road & Waterway Clean-Ups

Help protect wildlife, water quality, and beautify the community by joining us for a roadway or waterway clean-up! These activities are great for a 1 day event; volunteers can spend a few hours collecting litter and immediately see the fruits of their labor!



Invasive Species Removal

Invasive species are a serious threat to our waterways and natural areas because they harm native plants and animals, and decrease water quality. We work to remove them in order to protect our precious natural resources. Invasive species removal activities, usually along shorelines or in the water, are great for group-tailored events!

Events scheduled upon request. Contact Elizabeth Stephens (407-665-2457; serv@seminolecountyfl.gov) for more information about these opportunities!

Adopt-A-Road/River



Help protect our water resources and reduce pollution by joining our Adopt-A-Road and River Programs. Adopt your own section of road or river in Seminole County and schedule clean-ups at your convenience (roads: minimum 4/year, river: 2/year). Contact Elizabeth Stephens (407-665-2457; serv@seminolecountyfl.gov) for more information.

Adopt-A-Park

The Adopt-A-Park Program facilitates the monitoring, clean-up and enhancement of parks, natural lands, trails, and trailheads maintained in Seminole County. For more information and to join this great program, contact Seminole County Leisure Services at 407-665-2001.



LAKEWATCH

Do you live on a lake? If so, consider joining LAKEWATCH! This citizen volunteer lake monitoring program facilitates "hands-on" participation in the management of FL lakes, rivers, & coastal sites through monthly monitoring activities. For more information, please visit: <http://lakewatch.ifas.ufl.edu/WHATFLW.HTM>, or contact Elizabeth Stephens (serv@seminolecountyfl.gov; 407-665-2457).



Wildlife & Bird Surveys



This is a great opportunity to enjoy the Wekiva Wild and Scenic River and tributaries! Enjoy a boat ride or canoe while you help protect this river and its wildlife with your data collection! Experienced birders and boat drivers needed, as well as data recorders (no experience necessary for data recorders). For more information, please contact Virginia Oros, FDEP River Ambassador (407-330-6727; Virginia.Oros@dep.state.fl.us).

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Backyard Habitats

9/10/2015 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Extension Auditorium; FREE!

<http://bit.ly/1UaQZNJ>

For the Birds

10/15/2015 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Extension Auditorium; FREE!

<http://bit.ly/1V79S6G>

Landscape Design

10/20/2015 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Extension Auditorium; FREE!

<http://bit.ly/1Nz2orN>

Turf Alternatives

11/5/2015 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Extension Auditorium; FREE!

<http://bit.ly/1ETkbSr>

Call Taryn Sudol, your Seminole County Florida Yards & Neighborhoods / Florida-Friendly Landscaping Coordinator, at 407-665-5575 or email fyn@seminolecountyfl.gov to register for any of the above classes! See also the above links for **online registration**.



We look forward to seeing you at our events!




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