

# Guide to Leisure Services

Summer 2013

# SUMMER TIME



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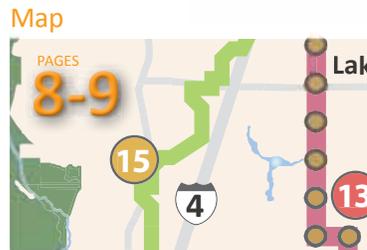
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## OUR MISSION

*"Enriching lives through outstanding cultural, educational, environmental, and recreational experiences."*

This *Guide to Leisure Services* covers activities and programs from May through August 2013.

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# Summer 2013

# Events and Activities for All Ages



## Visit Your Local Library

Stop by and check out our up-to-date collection of popular items for users of all ages. Enjoy free access to millions of titles including large print, audio, magazines, newspapers, and online databases. See map on pages 8 - 9 to locate a library close to you! Or visit our Virtual Library at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

- Download free ebooks to read on your Kindle, Nook or mobile device while summer vacationing
- Find some great BBQ recipes in our cookbooks for pool side grilling
- Text or Live Chat your question with a reference librarian
- Bring your laptop or iPad and take advantage of free WI-FI
- Enjoy being part of the community through a book club or craft class
- Learn a new language this summer with Rocket Languages™
- Lounge in the hammock and get lost in a good bestseller
- Register for Summer Reading and win prizes!

## 2013 Summer Reading for All Ages

The Library's 2013 Summer Reading program kicks off **June 1**. Adults, teens and children are invited to register, keep a reading log and win prizes. Attend special programs for every age. Stop by your favorite library branch and join the fun!

### Dig Into Reading (Children)

Calling all kids! Get your reading log, and dig in! Register for *Dig Into Reading* Summer Reading program, and keep a log of the days that you read. Read 30 days and win a prize! Sign-ups begin **June 1** at your local branch library. Call your local library branch for details or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

### Beneath the Surface (6th Grade & Up)

Dive in and read those books! Finish your assigned summer reading early or just read for fun. Join the *Beneath the Surface* Teen Summer Reading program. Keep a log for 30 days and earn prizes. Sign-ups begin **June 1** at your local library branch. Join the fun at *Beneath the Surface* t'ween/teen programs. Call your local library branch for details or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

### Groundbreaking Reads (Adults ages 18 and up)

Check out some *Groundbreaking Reads* this summer with the library's Adult Summer Reading program. Enjoy books, programs, and other special events. Registration begins June 1 and ends July 31. Grab a reading log, read five books and earn 5 Book Bucks. Submit a book review and enter a drawing for a prize basket. Call your local library branch for details or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free



## Summer Fun Youth Tennis Camps (Ages 3 - 18)

Seminole County is offering ten fun-filled theme weeks of summer tennis camps for all skill levels! Summer Fun Tennis Camp is designed to help kids get comfortable learning or expanding their tennis skills in a "camp" like setting. Participants will also enjoy arts and crafts, guest speakers and other fun activities as they learn the sport of tennis! Weekly morning programs for youth ages 3 - 18 of all ability levels! From QuickStart and Development lessons to the advanced junior training program; join our national award winning facilities and staff for weekly themes, special events, fun games and activities galore! Compete in the "4 Houses of Potter," "Olympics," "70s" and "Grand Slams" Around the World!

Youth tennis camp: \$52 per week for 2 hours a day;

\$80 per week 4 hours a day

Camps start the week of **June 3** and are held Monday through Thursdays. Contact the parks for specific dates and times.

## Summer Adventure Eco Camps (Ages 7 - 12)

At Summer Adventure Camp you'll have fun while learning about the natural world. If your child enjoys being outdoors, this is the camp for him or her. Our week long day camps offer hands-on creative programming including hiking, nature crafts, hands-on experience with plants and animals, projects, experiments, arts & crafts, plus lots of fun and games. Have fun getting to know the animals that live at the Nature Center and be prepared to see amazing wildlife on the trails. *Each week has a new and exciting theme!* Go to [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/parksrec/naturallands/index.aspx](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/parksrec/naturallands/index.aspx) for a list of individual weeks and themes or call 407.349.0959 for more information.

Dates/Times: **June 3** thru **August 2**. Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. (extended care available drop off as early as 7:30 a.m. and pick up as late as 5:30 p.m.)

Cost: \$132 per week, (\$15 per week additional for extended care)

## Seminole County Guided Hikes

Join Natural Lands staff and volunteers on some of our most beautiful wilderness areas. Advance registration required, space is limited. Children must be at least 7 years of age and accompanied by an adult. (\*please note: the Swamp Walk is a morning hike). You can register at any active park (Red Bug Lake Park, Sylvan Lake Park or Sanlando Park). For more information or registration call 407. 349.0959.

**May 4** Frog Hop Hike 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. @ Geneva Wilderness Area

**May 18** Nocturnal Animals 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. @ Lake Harney Wilderness Area

**June 1** Herp (Reptiles) Hike 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. @ Lake Proctor Wilderness Area

**June 15** Nocturnal Animals 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. @ Chuluota Wilderness Area

## Youth Enrichment

### All A-Board Game Days (K - 5th)

Cool off inside for a while! Stop in for our board game days. Pick a game and partner up for fun (and just maybe a little brain stimulation) Call your local library branch for details or visit [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages)

Cost: Free

### Altered Book Art Planter (6th Grade and Up)

Recycle a book. Turn it into cool room décor planter. Dig *Beneath the Surface* by planting succulents or a desert plant that won't need much water. For middle-schoolers and high-schoolers. Call your local library branch for details or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

### Chess Club (K - 9th Grade)

Join a summer chess club at the library. Learn to play from an expert. Improve your strategic moves. Play weekly chess matches with kids and teens of all skills, from beginner on up. Meets eight afternoons in a library near you. For details, call your local library branch or visit [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages)

Cost: Free

### Confetti Club (K - 5th Grade)

School-age kids! Enjoy games, wacky science experiments, stories, crafts, and movies. Parents are welcome but not required. Call your local library branch for details or visit [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages)

Cost: Free

### Dig Into Reading with Magic (K - 5th Grade)

Brent's Magic Show astounds and awes the school-age audience. Brent will perform amazing magic and illusions interwoven with stories. Exclusively for kids - Kindergarten and up! Call your local library branch or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

### Mad Science - Fire and Ice! (K - 5th Grade)

Mad Science rocks the house for school-age kids. Children will be dazzled by the impressive science demonstrations in this awesome show. Exclusively for kids - Kindergarten and up. Call your local library branch or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free



### Make'em & Take'em Craft Days (K - 5th Grade)

Need to get out of the house? Time your library book visit on a craft day for school - age kids. Make a friend while making a reading themed craft. Exclusively for kids - Kindergarten and up. Call your local library branch or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

### Mystery Theater (6th Grade and Up)

Delve *Beneath the Surface* and help solve the crime in real-time! Middle-schoolers and high-schoolers can ham it up or be in the audience. Uncover clues, interrogate suspects, and help find the criminal. Call your local library branch or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

### Native Florida Wildlife Show (K - 5th Grade)

School-age kids will meet Florida wildlife (raccoons, opossums and more). Learn about their habitats, needs, and what to do in an encounter from The C.A.R.E. Foundation educators. Exclusively for kids - Kindergarten and up. Call your local library branch or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

### Orisirisi- African Drums and Folklore (K - 5th Grade)

Spellbinding and pulsing with African rhythms, the Orisirisi show entertains and leads school-age kids in interactive drumming. Children will hear tales from an ancient continent! Exclusively for kids - Kindergarten and up. Call your local library branch or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

### Sand Art Bowls (6th Grade and Up)

Make a sand art bowl with sand (duh) and glue! Middle-schoolers and high-schoolers will create their own designer containers in this *Beneath the Surface* craft program. Call your local library branch or visit our Events Calendar at [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free



Our libraries are valuable centers of education, learning, and enrichment for people of all ages. In recent years, libraries have taken on an increasingly important role... today's libraries are about much more than books. - Jodi Rell

## Youth Enrichment continued



### Story Time at the Library (Babies, Toddlers & Preschoolers)

Bring your little ones and learn how to make reading to family priority. Create a language-rich environment at home from birth. Our librarians deliver age-appropriate emergent literacy programs that are fun and interactive. Help grow your child's brain with our story times! For details call your local library branch or visit [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages)

Cost: Free

### Special Story Times for Special Needs Kids (Infant to 7 yrs.)

Join us on the third Saturday of the month for a very special program just for special needs children. Packed with music, puppets and stories, these free story times alternate monthly between Oviedo and Casselberry. For details, call the Central or East Branch Library or visit [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/kidspages)

Cost: Free

### Seminole County 4-H Summer Camp

New for 2013, 4-H Summer Camp will also be open to non 4-H members ages 8 - 12 years and youth 13 - 18 years for counselor in training positions. This week long, overnight camp offers youth the opportunity to explore the great outdoors through swimming, kayaking, archery and nature crafts. Indoor activities include cooking, healthy lifestyles, team building, environmental education, arts and crafts and dramatic arts. All non 4-H members must attend a mandatory 4-H information session prior to attending camp. Youth counselors in training are required to complete a three day orientation and interview. For more details call: 407.665.5557.

Location: 4-H Camp Ocala, Altoona, FL

Date: **June 17 - 21**

Cost: \$210 Partial scholarships are available upon request; please note: 4-H members have first priority for scholarship assistance.

### Seminole County 4-H Teens in Action Club

The Seminole County 4-H Teen Club is comprised of youth 13 - 18 years who help facilitate educational and hands on activities for our Clover Kids Club participants 5 - 12 years of age. Teen Club is a great opportunity for teens to gain important leadership skills and earn community service hours for scholarships! For details call 407.665.5557.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service Auditorium

Date/Time: 2nd Monday of each Month, 5:30 p.m. - 8 p.m., Starts in August and runs until May

Cost: Free

### Kid's Archaeology Workshop

Learn to be a real archaeologist and dig up your own artifacts. Presentation, lunch and activities. \$5 lunch included. Limited to 15 children, for ages 8 - 13. Email [knelson@seminolecountyfl.gov](mailto:knelson@seminolecountyfl.gov) for details.

Date/Time: **May 22**, 9 a.m. - Noon

### Seminole County 4-H Clover Kids Club

Clover Kids Club is for youth 5 - 12 years of age. Youth are involved in projects focusing on animal science, environmental science, cooking/baking, etc. Youth create a record book to document their progress in their areas of interest. Youth are grouped with those with similar interests and guided by teen volunteers through their activities located at the Seminole County Extension Auditorium. The cost to join is \$20 per youth for the year, \$15 per additional child. This fee covers materials; club t-shirt and snacks for the year. For details call 407.665.5557.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service Auditorium

Date/Time: **2nd Monday** of each Month, 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m., Starts in **August** and runs until **May**

Cost: \$20 per child, \$15 per additional child from same family

### Wildlife Appreciation Day

Join us at the Ed Yarborough Nature Center for some fun, sun, and nature. Enjoy learning about Florida's animals and ecosystems.

Location: 3485 N. County Road 426, Geneva

Date/Time: **May 18** from 9 a.m. - Noon

Cost: Free and open to the public

### Nature Classes

You can register for classes at any active park (Red Bug Lake Park, Sylvan Lake Park, or Sanlando Park).

#### Snakes of Florida

Join a local snake expert as he gives an introduction and dispels some of the myths about Central Florida's cold blooded residents! Open to ages 7 and up. Pre-registration is required. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Location: Ed Yarborough Nature Center, Geneva

Date/Time: **May 11**, 9 a.m. - Noon

Cost: \$5 per person

#### Amphibian Class

Frogs, Salamanders, sirens, oh my!!! What is an Amphibian? Will I get warts if I touch a frog? Why do amphibians have slimy skin? What's the largest amphibian? Come learn the answers to these and other questions about these amazing creatures. Join the Seminole County Natural Land Program to learn about their double lives. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Pre-registration is required.

Location: Ed Yarborough Nature Center, Geneva

Date/Time: **June 22**, 9 a.m.- Noon

Cost: \$5 per person

# Youth Sports and Fitness

## Junior Development Program

Series of group lessons where FUN is a priority as participants “play to learn”, developing skills through a positive learning experience and with a sense of accomplishment. Certified professionals provide a great learning environment for the developmental learning stages. Players will focus on movement, balance, throwing and catching the ball, swing motions, making contact, grips and stroke development. As players continue to improve additional skill sets will focus on coordinating movement and balance, and hitting the ball with purpose and direction. Game concepts and scoring will be introduced. United States Tennis Association (USTA) 10 & Under QuickStart teaching methodology and concepts are used by trained QuickStart tennis professionals.

- Age Groups: 3 & 4 year olds (36’ court, foam balls, 19” & 21” rackets)  
5 - 7 year olds (36’ court, red compression ball, 21” & 23” rackets)  
8 - 10 year olds (60’ court, orange compression ball, 25” rackets)  
11+ middle school and high school

Locations: Red Bug Lake, Sanlando, Sylvan Lake and Greenwood Lake Parks

- Cost: \$52 (week, Mon through Thurs summer morning sessions)  
\$72 (Saturday group lessons held one hour per week for 8 weeks)  
\$72 (weekday held one hour twice per week for 4 weeks)

## Junior Tennis Training Program

Four exciting levels designed for the continued development of new junior team tennis and tournament players, to the high school team and elite tournament players. The Seminole County training programs are USTA approved “Local Excellence Training Centers” and incorporate the concepts and methods used by the USTA for elite junior players. Emphasis is on the Four (4) “F’s”: Fundamentals, Footwork, Fitness, and Fun. The daily format combines instruction with practice and match play and includes structured drills and on court games to improve player skills, tactics, and techniques. Participation is based on ability and experience and subject to the tennis pro’s approval.

- Locations: Red Bug Lake, Sanlando, and Sylvan Lake Parks  
Cost: \$84 week (4 hours per day, Mon through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.)  
\$104 month (two hours, two times per week for 4 weeks)

## 10 & Under Junior Team Tennis League

Emphasis is on fun, fitness and friends in an environment that stresses sportsmanship and socialization in a team atmosphere. Parent volunteers are encouraged to participate. For players who have successfully completed a minimum of one session of the Junior Development Program. For details contact the local league coordinator, John Sanders at: [SeminoleJTT@gmail.com](mailto:SeminoleJTT@gmail.com)

Location: Red Bug Lake, Sanlando, and Sylvan Lake Parks



## Central Florida Junior Team Tennis (11 to 18 yrs)

Get in the game, and have fun! All league matches take place on Sundays between 1 and 3 p.m. Intermediate and Advanced levels for 12, 14, 16 and 18 and under divisions. For information please contact the local league coordinator, Tina Waters at: [twaters\\_djtc@hotmail.com](mailto:twaters_djtc@hotmail.com)

## Tennis Play Days! Sanlando Park Summer Circuit

A way for kids to play tennis in a fun, non-threatening, non-elimination, competitive environment. Players participate at their level against opponents of similar skills. The emphasis is placed on participation, effort and sportsmanship. Players are grouped by ability and game modifications allow each child to experience success. Contact Sanlando Park for the Summer Circuit dates.

- Date/Time: **Fridays**, 5:30 to 7 p.m.  
Cost: \$5



## Junior Tennis Tournaments

- May 4 - 6** Sanlando Park Spring Spring Series USTA Tournament Boys & Girls 10 yrs. - 18 yrs; \$40  
**May 11 - 13** Red Bug Lake Park Spring Local USTA Tournament Boys & Girls 10 yrs - 18 yrs; \$35  
**June 8 - 13** USTA Florida “Bobby Curtis” Junior State Championship; Sanlando Park; Boys & Girls 10 yrs, 12 yrs  
**June 22 - 24** Sanlando Park Summer Super Series USTA Tournament Boys & Girls 10 yrs - 18 yrs; \$40  
**July 13 - 15** Red Bug Lake Park Summer Local USTA Tournament Boys & Girls 10 yrs - 18 yrs; \$35  
**August 17 - 19** Sanlando Park Back to School Local USTA Tournament Boys & Girls 10 yrs - 18 yrs; \$35



# Adult Sports and Fitness

## Tennis for the “Health of It”

Tennis is the sport of a lifetime and you are never too old to start. It provides aerobic fitness by burning fat and improving your cardiovascular fitness and maintaining high levels of energy. It provides anaerobic fitness by offering short, intense bursts of activity followed by short periods of rest which helps muscles use oxygen efficiently. It strengthens bones of younger players and helps prevent osteoporosis in older ones. Certified professionals help make this program fun and provides a great learning environment for the early stages of competition. Have fun and stay fit!

Levels:

### Beginner:

Grips, footwork, forehand and backhand groundstroke's, volleys and serve will be introduced.

### Intermediate:

Participants will focus on coordinating movement and balance, hitting the ball with purpose and direction, and improve skill level through strengthening of the fundamentals learned in the beginner level.

### Advanced:

Emphasis will be on incorporating skills into playing situations. Top spin and slice will be introduced. Drills and playing situations to include ball movement and control of varying ball speeds with shot anticipation.

### Strategy:

Singles and Doubles. Improve your match results and competitive tennis experience. Doubles to include serve and volley, poaching, moving as a team, return strategy and different formations. Learn the different styles of play and find out what type of game you want to perfect.

Locations: Red Bug Lake, Sanlando and Sylvan Lake Parks

Cost: \$72 for 8 weeks, one hour per week

## Cardio Tennis

Whether you are already in shape or ready to get back into shape, Cardio Tennis is for you. This fun and exciting high energy workout combines tennis drills and cardio put to music.

Locations: Red Bug Lake, Sanlando and Sylvan Lake Parks

Cost: \$6 per class

## Round Robin

Men's, Women's and Mixed Doubles are offered for adults 18+ who enjoy competing in a fun, relaxed atmosphere. Social mixers and themed weeks.

Locations: Red Bug Lake Park, Sanlando Park and Sylvan Lake Park

Cost: \$5 per evening session/\$4 per morning session



## Softball Leagues “Got Game?” Seminole County Softball Leagues Sizzle!

Seminole County offers the great game of softball for men, women, coed and seniors at various levels of play. Bring your own team or your glove and let us locate a team for you! Polar and Solar are 5 week seasons and Spring and Fall consist of 10 games played one night per week plus an end of season playoff. League champions receive individual shirts and playoff winners receive a team award. Need a team? Call one of the parks to sign up for our “DRAFT NIGHT” to play ball and meet other players.

Locations: Red Bug Lake Park and Seminole County Softball Complex

Costs: \$425 per team Spring and Fall (includes sanctioning fee and 1/2 dz softballs)

\$200 per team Polar and Solar

\$360 per team senior leagues plus \$12 sanctioning

### Solar Summer 2013 League

Pre-Registration **May 13** (Returning Spring Teams)

Open **May 20**

League play begins Monday, **June 24**

### Fall 2013 League

Pre-Registration **July 29** (Returning Summer Teams)

Open **August 5**

League play begins Tuesday, **September 3**



## DID YOU KNOW...

**Listen to your body. Hold off on exercise when you're sick or feeling very fatigued. Cut back if you cannot finish an exercise session, feel faint after exercise or fatigued during the day, or suffer persistent aches and pains in joints after exercising.**

\*Source: Harvard Health Publications at <http://www.health.harvard.edu/healthbeat/10-tips-for-exercising-safely>

# Facility List & Map:

- 1** **Big Tree Park and Trailhead**  
407.665.2001  
761 General Hutchinson Parkway,  
Longwood
- 2** **Black Bear Wilderness Area**  
407.349.0959 • Open daylight hours  
5298 Michigan Avenue, Sanford
- 3** **Black Hammock Wilderness Area**  
407.349.0959 • Open daylight hours  
3276 Howard Avenue, Geneva
- 4** **Black Hammock Trailhead**  
407.665.2001 • Open daylight hours  
1571 E. State Road 434, Winter Springs
- 5** **Bookertown Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset  
4640 Richard Allen Street, Sanford
- 6** **C. S. Lee Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open 24 hours  
4600 East State Road 46, Geneva
- 7** **Cameron Wight Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open 24 hours  
5502 Old Geneva Road, Sanford
- 8** **Chuluota Wilderness Area**  
407.349.0959 • Open daylight hours  
3895 Curryville Road, Chuluota
- 9** **East Branch Library**  
407.665.1560 • Open Sunday, 1 - 5 p.m.;  
Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.;  
Friday, Closed; Saturday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
310 Division Street, Oviedo, FL 32765
- 10** **Econ River Wilderness Area**  
407.349.0959 • Open daylight hours  
3795 Old Lockwood Road, Oviedo
- 11** **Ed Yarborough Nature Center**  
407.349.0959  
3485 North County Road 426, Geneva  
*Open by appointment only*
- 12** **Environmental Studies Center  
(Seminole County Public Schools Property)**  
407.665.2180 • Open by appointment only  
2985 Osprey Trail, Longwood
- 13** **Geneva Wilderness Area**  
407.349.0959 • Open daylight hours  
3501 County Road 426, Geneva
- 14** **Greenwood Lakes Park**  
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
660 Greenway Blvd, Lake Mary
- 15** **Jones Trailhead**  
407.665.2001 • Open daylight hours • North  
on Markham Woods at Long Pond Rd, Lk. Mary
- 16** **Jean Rhein  
Central Branch Library**  
407.665.1500 • Open Sunday, 1 - 5 p.m.;  
Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.;  
Friday, Closed; Saturday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
215 N. Oxford Road, Casselberry
- 17** **Jamestown Park**  
407.665.2001  
Open 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
2135 South Street, Oviedo
- 18** **Kewannee Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset  
1505 Kewannee Trail, Casselberry
- 19** **Lake Dot Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open daylight hours  
100 Lake Dot Drive, Sanford
- 20** **Lake Harney Wilderness Area &  
St. Johns River Trailhead**  
407.349.0959 • Open daylight hours  
East on Osceola Road to Osceola Fish  
Camp Road, near Lake Harney, Geneva
- 21** **Lake Jesup Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open 24 hours  
5951 South Sanford Avenue, Sanford
- 22** **Lake Jesup Wilderness Area**  
407.349.0959 • Open daylight hours  
5951 South Sanford Avenue, Sanford
- 23** **Lake Mills Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset  
1301 Tropical Avenue, Chuluota
- 24** **Lake Monroe Wayside Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open 24 hours  
4150 Northwest U. S. Hwy 17/92, Sanford
- 25** **Lake Proctor Wilderness Area**  
407.349.0959 • Open daylight hours  
920 State Road 46, Geneva
- 26** **Little Big Econ Canoe Launch**  
407.665.2001 • Open daylight hours  
County Road 419 at Econlockhatchee  
River Bridge, Oviedo
- 27** **Markham Trailhead**  
407.665.2001 • Open daylight hours  
8515 Longwood Markham Road, Sanford
- 28** **Mullet Lake Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset  
2368 Mullet Lake Park Road, Geneva
- 29** **Museum of Seminole  
County History**  
407.665.2489 • Open Tuesday to Friday,  
1 - 5 p.m. & Saturday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
300 Bush Boulevard, Sanford
- 30** **North Branch Library**  
407.665.1620 • Open Sunday, 1 - 5 p.m.;  
Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.;  
Friday, Closed; Saturday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
150 N. Palmetto Avenue, Sanford
- 31** **Northwest Branch Library**  
407.665.1640 • Open Sunday, 1 - 5 p.m.;  
Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.;  
Friday, Closed; Saturday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
580 Greenway Blvd, Lake Mary
- 32** **Overlook Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open daylight hours  
1998 Spring Avenue, Oviedo
- 33** **Red Bug Lake Park**  
407.665.2190 • 8 a.m. - 10 p.m. M - F, 8  
a.m. - 8 p.m. Sat & Sun  
3600 Red Bug Lake Road, Casselberry
- 34** **Roseland Park**  
407.665.2001  
Open 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
1898 Roseberry Lane, Sanford
- 35** **San Sebastian Trailhead**  
407.665.2001 • Open daylight hours  
Corner of Central Boulevard &  
Montgomery Road, Altamonte Springs
- 36** **Sanlando Park and Trailhead**  
407.665.2100 • 8 a.m. - 10 p.m. M-F, 8  
a.m. - 8 p.m. Sat/Sun  
401 W Highland St, Altamonte Springs
- 37** **Seminole County Extension Services &  
Teaching Gardens** 407.665.5551  
Open M - F 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
250 West County Home Road, Sanford
- 38** **Seminole County Extension Teaching  
Gardens at Seminole County Student  
Museum** 407.665.5551  
Open M - F 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
301 West 7th Street, Sanford

**39** **Seminole County Tourist Visitors Center** 407.665.2900  
Open M - F 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
1000 AAA Drive Suite 200, Heathrow

**40** **Seminole County Softball Complex & Seminole Wekiva Trail/Trailhead**  
407.665.1990 • Open 8 a.m. - 10 p.m. M - F,  
8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Sat/Sun  
2200 W North St, Altamonte Springs

**41** **Snow Hill Trailhead**  
407.665.2001 • Open daylight hours  
East of Oviedo on County Road 419 at Snow Hill Road & Jacobs Trail, Chuluota

**42** **Soldier's Creek Park and Trailhead**  
407.665.2199 • 8 a.m. - 10 p.m. M - F, 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Sat/Sun  
2400 State Road 419, Longwood

**43** **Spring Hammock Preserve**  
407.349.0959 • Open 8 a.m. to sunset •  
State Road 419, Longwood

**44** **Sunland Park**  
407.665.2001  
Open 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
180 Collins Drive, Sanford

**45** **Sylvan Lake Park & Sports Training Center**  
407.665.2180 • Open 8 a.m. - 10 p.m. M - F,  
8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Sat/Sun  
845 Lake Markham Road, Sanford

**46** **West Branch Library**  
407.665.1670 • Open Sunday,  
1-5 p.m.; M - Thursday,  
9 a.m. - 8 p.m.; Friday, Closed; Saturday, 9  
a.m. - 5 p.m.  
245 N. Hunt Club Blvd, Longwood

**47** **Wilson's Landing Park**  
407.665.2001 • Open daylight hours  
379 Malekean Trail, Sanford

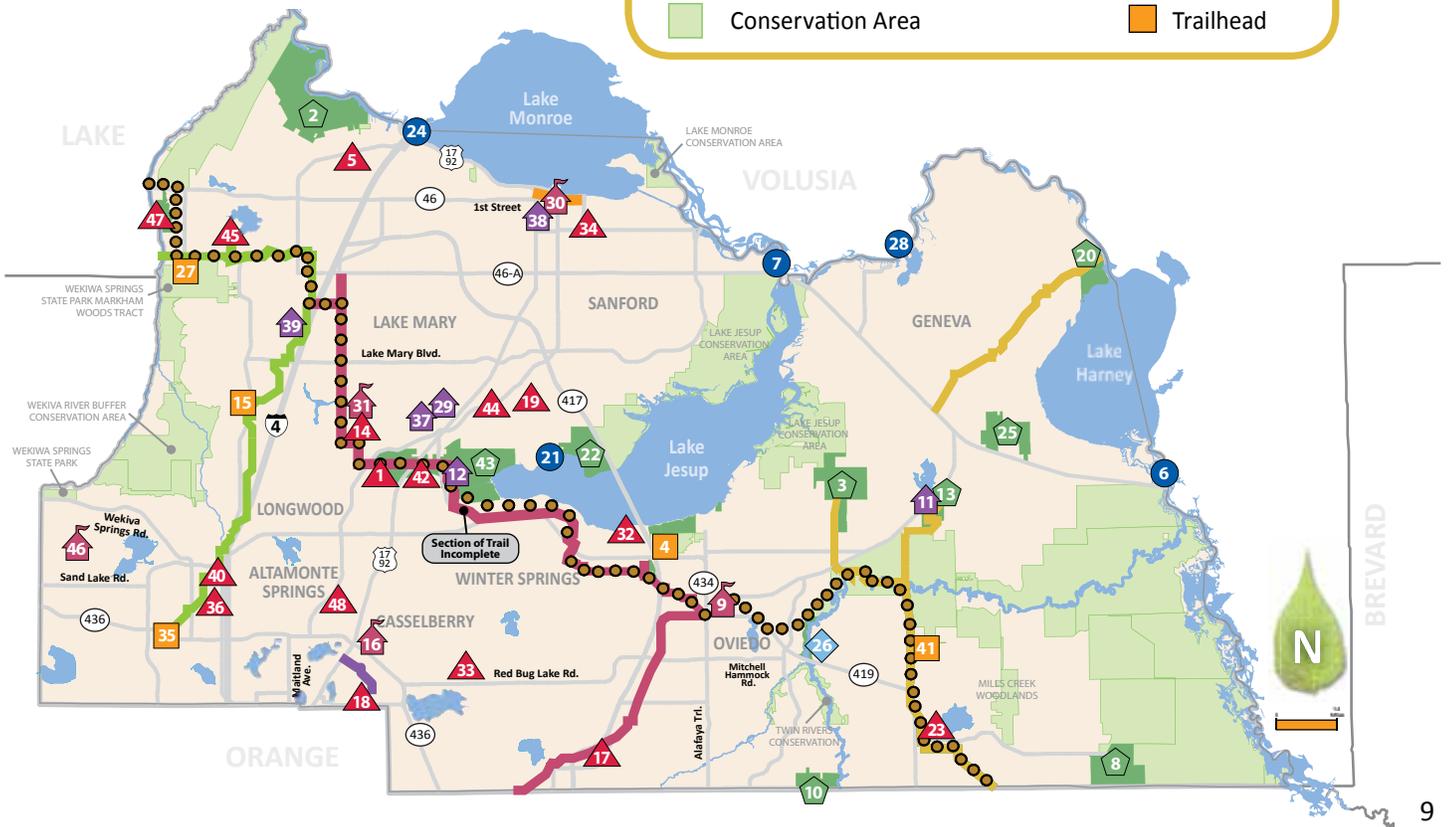
**48** **Winwood Park**  
407.665.2001  
Open 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.  
931 Morse Street, Altamonte Springs



Seminole County waterways bring nature right to your fingertips.

## FACILITIES

-  City of Sanford's RiverWalk
-  Cross Seminole "Purple Heart" Trail
-  Flagler Trail
-  Florida National Scenic Trail
-  Kwannee Trail
-  Seminole Wekiva Trail
-  Conservation Area
-  Boat Ramp
-  Canoe Launch
-  Library
-  Natural Area
-  Park
-  Specialty
-  Trailhead



# Adult Resources & Enrichment

## Fiber Craft Circle

Do you quilt, crochet, needlework, hand loom, knit or even macramé? Bring your current project to this open fiber lovers group. Check our Library Events Calendar for dates & location, [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

## Got Library Card?

Don't miss out on all that a library card can do for you! Download an ebook. Check out books and magazines or research online from home. Use the library internet PCs, or book a community meeting room for your support group or Brownie troop. All Seminole County residents are eligible for a free library card. For more information, ask at your local library or check [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

## Groundbreaking Reads

Dig into something new! Come to one of our summer-themed, *Groundbreaking Reads* programs at a library branch near you. Make an altered book art planter, learn how to plan your fall vegetable garden, or discover how "libraries rock" at a program for mineral and gem hunters. Check our Library Events Calendar for dates & locations, [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

## Love to Read? Want to Talk About It?

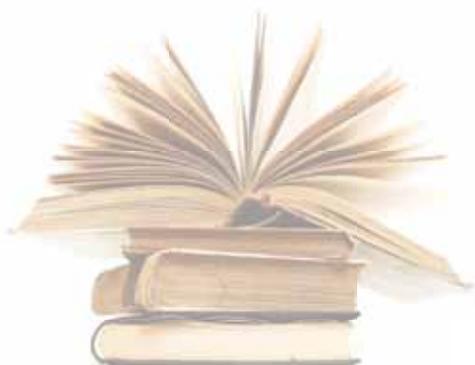
Join one of our monthly Library Book Clubs at a library near you. Facilitated by library staff, the monthly reading groups include fascinating background information about the author, book reviews and well-honed discussion prompts. Check our Library Events Calendar for dates & locations, [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free

## Paper Craft Club

Calling all adult crafters! Drop in for our monthly gathering to work on scrapbooks or any other type of paper crafting project you may be into. Share tips, techniques, supplies and ideas. Check our Library Events Calendar for dates & location, [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free



## Wekiva Knitters

Meet, mingle and trade tips. Bring your yarns & projects, from sweaters to socks! Share tips and techniques. Discover knitting "how-to" and design books, new knitting fiction novels, and knitting websites. Check our Library Events Calendar for dates & location

[www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

Cost: Free



### DID YOU KNOW...

It's a relief how libraries are still going strong among those who love good old books. Love for reading doesn't die so easily, even if you are a follower of technology. Let's look at why libraries are important to us in this day and age.

#### Authenticity

Unlike the Internet, real-life books are much more reliable a source than any. Anyone who is anyone, can write about any topic under the sun without the information being legit in any way. Rarely will you find a list of references mentioned at the end of the article section on the web. Professionals who write their expert advice online, or those who have a huge bank of knowledge to dispel, do so under a license that permits them to distribute their information under copyright thus showing readers that what they are browsing through is genuine information. Books too when written about a subject, are under great scrutiny before they are published, to ensure that the facts mentioned in non-fiction reads are true and concise. Reference pages at the end of these books are also mentioned in some works that require such a section.

#### Shelf Life

Unlike gadgets that can have problems and clear saved data, or get damaged at some point resulting in the same, books have a way of lasting for years to come if stored with care. They can be collected as prized reads that you'd like to have in its physical form, as well as be passed on to others who'd like to read it as well. It's great when you have something like a book to hold on to and read, where an online book lacks that human-book companionship, which is distant and temporary. Love for reading begins with books, and ends with it.

\*Source: Article on Buzzle at <http://www.buzzle.com/articles/importance-of-a-library.html>

# Adult Resources & Enrichment continued



## Museum of Seminole County History

Now available! *Seminole County's Centennial Celebrating a Century of Success*. A handsome, four-color, 128-page hardbound Collector's Edition Souvenir Book celebrating 100 years of pride and progress in Seminole County. Written by historian Jim Robison formerly of the *Orlando Sentinel*. Cost is \$35 plus tax and shipping. Call 407.665.2489 to order or buy through Paypal at: [www.seminolecountyhistoricalsociety.org](http://www.seminolecountyhistoricalsociety.org)

**Now - August 30** *100 Years of Agriculture in Seminole County: Our Stories* Special exhibit at the Museum of Seminole County History through **August 30**. Stories of agriculture workers and owners in the citrus, celery, commercial fishing, fernery, lumber, turpentine and cattle industries. Sponsored by a grant from the Florida Humanities Council. Free with museum admission.

**Thurs., August 29** Quarterly meeting of the Seminole County Historical Society. Featured speaker Dr. Dan Gilmartin, History Professor of Seminole State College speaking on "The Forrest Lake Affair." Light refreshments served.

## Florida-Friendly Landscape™ Free Summer Classes

Most classes are free and require pre-registration. For more information call 407.665.5558.

### Florida-Friendly Landscape Design

Are you interested in creating a landscape design that is Florida-Friendly? This class will help you with the tools you need to get it done.  
Location: Senior Center at Secret Lake Park, 200 N. Triplet Drive, Casselberry  
Date/Time: Saturday, **May 11**, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.  
Cost: Free

### Rainwater Harvesting

Come learn about the ways to collect rainwater that can be used in your yard and reduce your water bill and reduce runoff.  
Location: Extension Auditorium, 250 W. County Home Road, Sanford  
Date/Time: Thursday, **June 13**, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.  
Cost: Free

### Rain Barrel Construction

Rain barrels are great ways to capture a portion of a rain storm and save it for another day. If you would like to learn to build a rain barrel, its maintenance and set up this is a great workshop. Pre-registration and payment in advance required

Location: Extension Auditorium, 250 W. County Home Rd., Sanford

Date/Time: Saturday, **June 15**, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Cost: Pre-paid fee for materials

## Plant Clinic

We can identify the mystery plant, bug, weed or disease in your garden or lawn. Bring your samples to our office. For information call 407.665.5550.

- Bring in a branch, leaves, flower, or fruits for plant identification or diagnosis of the problem.
- Bugs should be in sealed containers.
- Lawn samples should be about one square foot, 1.0 - 1.5 inches deep and should contain mostly living grass showing the observed symptoms. Do not bring dead grass.

Cost: This is a free service.

## Soil pH Test

Bring in a soil sample from your yard (about one cup full) to our office, anytime Monday through Friday between 8 a.m.- 4 p.m. Take samples from 5-10 areas of the yard, mix them up and scoop one cup for your sample. Soil testing is done on Monday and Thursday mornings, however, soil must be brought in before the test day so it will be completely dry for the test. pH values (acidity/alkalinity) will let you know if you need to apply any soil amendment for best plant growth. For details call 407.665.5550.

Costs: \$2 per sample

## Master Gardener Help Desk

A UF/IFAS trained Master Gardener Volunteer is on duty each weekday from 9 a.m. to Noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. to answer your questions and solve your gardening or landscape problems. You can call or come in person to our office and we will give you one-on-one help and consultation. For details call 407.665.5550.

Cost: Free service.

# Adult Resources & Enrichment continued



## Food Preparation Classes

Pre-registration/payment required for these classes \$10

### Healthy Slow Cooking

Have a healthy dinner ready when you get home from work.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service Kitchen

250 West County Home Road, Sanford

Date/Time: Tuesday, **May 14**, from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

### Dorm Room, Solo or Apartment Meals

Bring or send your high school or college student to learn simple, healthy meal preparation.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service Kitchen

250 West County Home Road, Sanford

Date/Time: Tuesday, **June 11**, from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

### Gourmet Meals after the Storm

Learn to plan and prepare healthy, gourmet meals that don't require power.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service Auditorium

250 West County Home Road, Sanford

Date/Time: Tuesday, **July 9**, from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

### Cooking Seafood for Your Health

Learn to prepare healthy, safe seafood meals

Location: Seminole County Extension Service Kitchen

250 West County Home Road, Sanford

Date/Time: Tuesday, **August 20**, from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

## Food Preservation Classes

Pre-registration/payment required for these classes \$10

### Basic Pressure Canning

This is a hands-on class for first timers or those who are afraid of using the pressure canner.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service Kitchen

250 West County Home Road, Sanford

Dates/Times: Thursday, **May 9**, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

& Saturday, **May 11**, from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

### Boiling Water Bath Canning

This is a hands-on class for people who want an update or have never used canning equipment in the past. Learn how to can tomatoes and other high acid foods.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service Kitchen

250 West County Home Road, Sanford

Dates/Times: Thursday, **May 23**, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.

& Saturday, **May 25**, from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

### Freezing Foods

Learn how to freeze fresh foods, combination dishes and gain freezing hints. Proper freezing techniques can save you money.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service

Kitchen, 250 West County Home Road, Sanford

Dates/Times: Thursday, **June 6**, from 6 p.m. -

8 p.m. & Saturday, **June 8**, from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

### Drying Foods

Learn how to save money by dehydrating your own herbs and making your kids' snacks.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service

Kitchen, 250 West County Home Road, Sanford

Dates/Times: Thursday, June 20, from 6 p.m. -

8 p.m. & Saturday, June 22, from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.



**We live in an age where processed foods have become American staples in both production and consumption; an age where hybrid cuisines have evolved into our mainstream. However, there is comfort to be derived knowing that chefs, cooks, butchers, farmers, enologists, hop brewers and historians have been practicing, documenting and preserving historic recipes, cuisines, customs and techniques for thousands of years.**

\*Source: Good Food Preservation at <http://www.goodfoodpreservation.com/why/>

## Adult Resources & Enrichment continued

### Green Industries Best Management Practices

Offers 6-hour training and testing to become a landscape certified GI-BMP Specialist. The certification is great for marketing your company and allows individuals to apply for the Limited Certification for Urban Landscape Commercial Fertilizer License. Topics covered include fertilization, pest control methods, cultural practices, and irrigation. 4 Continuing Education Units (CEUs) offered. Pre-registration required 2 days prior to class date. Call 407.665.5560 for details.

Locations: Seminole County Extension Auditorium

Date/Time: Friday, **May 17**, 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Cost: Free

### Limited Pesticide Certification

Six hour class is mandatory to apply for Landscape Maintenance License. 6 Continuing Education Units (CEUs) offered. Limited Commercial Landscape Maintenance license is necessary for each commercial landscape maintenance person who applies pesticides to customers' properties. Applications are limited to plant beds and shrubs, not turf. Pre-registration required 5 days prior to class date. Call 407.665.5560 for details.

Location: Seminole County Extension Auditorium

Date/Time: **July 17**, 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Cost: \$20

## Community Partnerships

### Business Partner Opportunities

Seminole County Leisure Services provides opportunities for business sponsorships that provide enhanced programs and services to the citizens and visitors as well as great visibility for the local business. For details call 407.665.2172. We appreciate our community business partners!

- FAIRWINDS
- Lincoln Tech
- Primrose School of Longwood
- Preschool Sportz
- eTennis
- Roach Chiropractic
- Chick-fil-A

### Adopt-a-Park Program

The Adopt-a-Park Program facilitates the monitoring, clean up and enhancement of parks, natural lands, trails, and trailheads maintained by Seminole County. Interested in demonstrating community pride and making a positive statement for clean, attractive leisure areas? Call 407.665.2171 for details or visit: [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/leisureservices/AdoptaParkProgram.aspx](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/leisureservices/AdoptaParkProgram.aspx)



### Ornamental/Turf and Private Applicators Review and Exams

A license is necessary for persons who apply or supervise the application of Restricted Use Pesticides for agricultural productions such as a nursery, greenhouse, farm, or grove including golf courses, parks, athletic fields, and cemeteries. 4 Continuing Education Units (CEUs) offered. Pre-registration required 5 days prior to class date. Call 407.665.5560 for details.

Location: Seminole County Extension Auditorium.

Date/Time: **August 14**, 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Cost: \$20



### Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteering can be the most rewarding and enjoyable experience for people of all ages and walks of life. We invite individuals and community groups to transform their passions into action. Volunteer opportunities include: library support, clerical support, committees, "experts" to lead workshops, trail clearing, invasive species management, tour docents, and internships. For more information or to get started as a volunteer, call 407.665.2171.

### Scholarship Program

We are committed to providing quality leisure opportunities to residents of Seminole County who otherwise can't afford to pay. Scholarships are subject to available scholarship funds. Call 407.665.2171 for details.

# Facility Rentals



## Court and Field Rentals

**Athletic Fields** (located at Red Bug Lake Park, Sylvan Lake Park, Seminole County Softball Complex and Soldiers Creek Park)

Field Rental	8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	\$16 per hour + tax
Field Rental	5 p.m. - 10 p.m.	\$23 per hour + tax

**Basketball** (located at Red Bug Lake and Sanlando Parks)

Court Fee	\$6 per hour per court + tax
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Walk-on play is free of charge. Priority use is given to reserved users. Fees for basketball court usage are only charged for reservations made in advance. Fees are due in advance of rental.

**Racquetball** (located at Red Bug Lake, Sanlando, and Sylvan Lake Parks)

Court Fee	\$6 per hour per court + tax
Balls	\$3 per can + tax

**Roller Hockey** (located at Greenwood Lakes Park)

8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	\$16 per hour + tax
5 p.m. - 10 p.m.	\$23 per hour + tax

Open-skate is free of charge. Priority use is given to reserved users. Fees for rink usage are charged for reservations made in advance. Fees are due at time of reservation. Reservations and payment can be made at Sylvan Lake Park.

**Tennis**

Court Fee (per hour per court + tax)

8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	\$4
5 p.m. - 10 p.m.	\$6

Ball Machine Court

(Sanlando, Red Bug)	\$11 per hour + tax
Ball Machine (Sylvan)	\$5 per hour + court fee + tax
Ball Hopper	\$3 + tax
Balls	\$3 per can + tax

Courts can be reserved in advance for Greenwood Lakes, Red Bug Lake, Sanlando, and Sylvan Lake Park locations. Court reservations for Greenwood Lakes Park must be made and paid for at Sylvan Lake Park. Ball machines are located at Red Bug Lake, Sanlando and Sylvan Lake Park locations. For details about facility rentals call: 407.665.2180 for Sylvan Lake Park; 407.665.2100 for Sanlando Park; 407.665.2190 for Red Bug Lake Park; 407.665.2199 for Soldiers Creek Park.

## Pavilion Rentals

Great venue for birthday parties, family reunions or corporate events. Pavilion reservations and payment must be made in advance. Priority use is given to reserved users. Pavilions are first come first served if reservations have not been confirmed. For details call 407.665.2180 for Sylvan Lake Park; 407.665.2100 for Sanlando Park; 407.665.2190 for Red Bug Park; 407.665.2199 for Soldiers Creek Park.

Locations: Red Bug Lake Park, Sanlando Park, Sylvan Lake Park, Greenwood Lakes, Lake Mills & Wilson's Landing.

Cost:	Large Half Day.....\$60 + tax (8 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 2 p.m. to dusk)
	Full Day.....\$100 + tax
	Small Half Day.....\$40 + tax (8 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 2 p.m. to dusk)
	Full Day.....\$60 + tax

## Meeting Rooms at the Park

Consider one of Seminole County's unique meeting rooms for your next organization, homeowners association, or community meeting. Call 407.665.2180 for details.

Locations: Sylvan Lake Park and Seminole County Softball Complex

Cost: Ranges from \$16 to \$32/hour + tax.

## Midway Community Center

Looking for a large meeting or gathering space for your next party? Check out Midway Community Center. Space can accommodate large groups. For more information please call 407.655.2180.

Location: 2253 Jitway Avenue, Sanford

Cost: \$50/day + tax

## Ed Yarborough Nature Center

Are you looking for a unique place to hold a meeting or event? The Ed Yarborough Nature Center at the Geneva Wilderness Area was established with the mission to learn about nature by experiencing it. It features exhibits and displays that highlight the diverse ecology of Central Florida. This is a facility that hosts environmental education and outreach for schools, private and public programs, themed birthday parties and is available by reservation for meetings & events. Amenities include a nature center/meeting room with exhibits and live displays, A/V equipment and screen, kitchen facilities (without stove), restrooms and 180 acres of natural beauty. For information on availability and fees, please contact 407.349.0959.

## Nature Adventure Birthday Parties

Create a birthday party experience your child will never forget! A trained staff member will welcome your party guests, present an exciting program with live animals, and take the group for a hike on our 180 acre property. You will have time in the center for exploration and to enjoy your refreshments. Parties are held in the Ed Yarborough Nature Center in the Geneva Wilderness Area just minutes from Sanford, Lake Mary and Oviedo. Call 407.349.0959 for more information.



# Facility Rentals



## Library Meeting Rooms

Need a place for your business sales force meetings? Do you have a Scout group looking for meeting space? Consider one of our library meeting rooms for your next gathering. Locations: Casselberry, Oviedo, Lake Mary, Longwood and Sanford libraries. Smaller conference rooms are available at Casselberry. Cost \$16 - \$32 per hour for For-Profit or FREE for Not-for-Profit organizations. For more information, call 407.665.1500 or [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/libraries)

## Camping

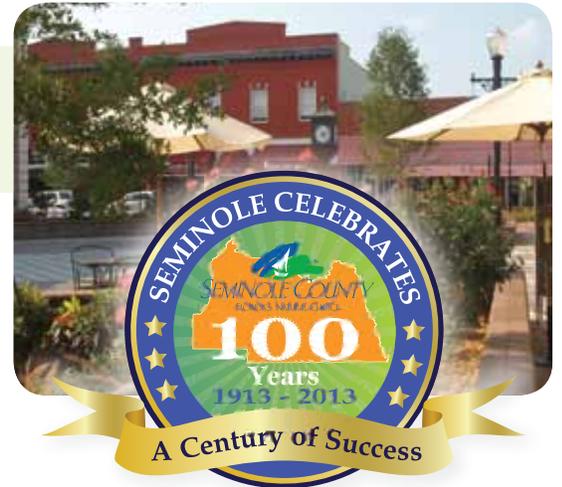
Seminole County offers primitive camping at Lake Mills, Mullet Lake Park and the Geneva Wilderness area. Mullet Lake Park and Geneva Wilderness Area offer no vehicle access to the campsites (hike-in only). Lake Mills Park has vehicular access, one vehicle per site and campsites with overflow parking available. Individual sites are at Mullet Lake Park and Lake Mills Park. Group camping is available at the Geneva Wilderness Area, Mullet Lake Park and Lake Mills Park. Call 407.665.2180 for details.

- \$15 per site per day + tax
- \$30 Group camping up to 40 campers per day.

No more than seven days allowed. Additional not-for-profit discount. Does not apply to group camping.

# Centennial Celebration Message to Sponsors

*Seminole County wishes to thank the following sponsors for their tremendous support of our centennial celebration. "Seminole Celebrates - A Century of Success" was our 100th Anniversary theme from January 16th - April 25th, 2013.*



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# Calendar Highlights

## Code of Conduct

To ensure safety and a pleasant experience for all, please take care to abide by the established code of conduct posted at your location. If you witness activities that violate the code of conduct, please notify staff person on duty or contact our department administrative offices at 407.665.2001. Remember, for emergencies always call 911.

## Video & Photo Policy

Occasionally, video and photos may be taken of participants in programs, classes or activities at our facilities. Please be aware that these photos may be used in future program promotional materials.

## Coming This Fall!

The St. Lucia Festival is an annual event that celebrates Swedish Christmas with food, music, a Swedish exhibit and historical traditions like the St. Lucia girl promenade. It is held in recognition of the group of Swedish immigrant families who came to Sanford in 1874 to work in General Sanford's orange groves. Descendants of that group volunteer their services to provide dessert and a Swedish food truck serves up tasty dishes. Admission is free on a donation basis. This year the festival is being held on Dec. 14, 2013.



Are you a resident?

Visit [www.seminolecountyfl.gov/leisure](http://www.seminolecountyfl.gov/leisure).

Visiting the area? Visit [www.visitseminole.com](http://www.visitseminole.com).

# Summer 2013

## May

**May 11**

**Snakes of Florida @ Ed Yarborough Nature Center, Geneva:** Join a local snake expert as he gives an introduction to and dispels some of the myths about these often misunderstood cold blooded residents. Open to ages 7 and up. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Pre-registration required. \$5 per person.

**May 23 & 25**

**Boiling Water Bath Canning:** This is a hands-on class for people who want an update or have never used canning equipment in the past. Learn how to can tomatoes and other high acid foods.

Location: Seminole County Extension Service Kitchen 250 West County Home Road, Sanford

Dates/Times: Thursday, May 23, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. & Saturday, May 25, from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.

**May 27**

**National Holiday - Park Offices Closed**

## June

**June 1 - July 31**

**Groundbreaking Reads – Adults Register, Summer Reading**

**Dig Into Reading - Children Summer Reading**

**Beneath the Surface -Teen Summer Reading**

**June 8 - 13**

**USTA Bobby Curtis State Championship Boys and Girls 10s & 12s at Sanlando Park**

**June 14 - 16**

**ASA State Championship Fast Pitch Tournament. Soldiers Creek Park & Seminole County Softball Complex**

**June 22**

**Amphibian Class @ the Ed Yarborough Nature Center, Geneva.** Frogs, Salamanders, sirens, oh my!! What is an amphibian? Will I get warts if I touch a frog? Why do amphibians have slimy skin? Come learn the answers to these and other questions about these amazing creatures. \$5 per person. Pre-registration is required. Pre-registration is required. Register at any active park. Call 407.349.0959 for more information.

## July

**July 1 - 31**

**Get out and Play During Park & Recreation Month!**

Get out and enjoy your trails, recreations programs and events in July along with all of the fun that summer brings! Check out our website for details.

**July 4**

**National Holiday - Park Offices Closed**

## August

**August 29**

**Quarterly meeting of the Seminole County Historical Society.**

Featured speaker Dr. Dan Gilmartin, History Professor of Seminole State College speaking on "The Forrest Lake Affair."

Light refreshments served.