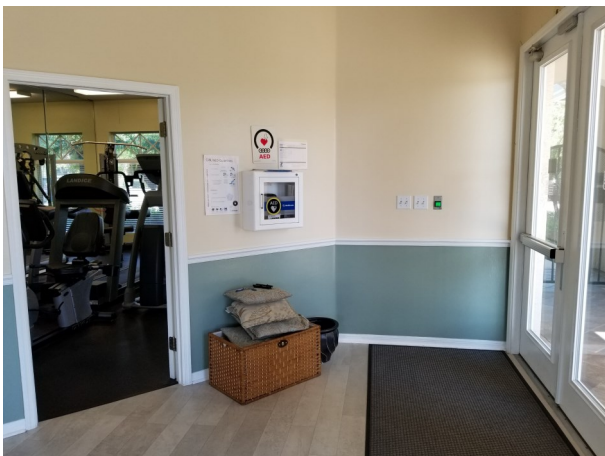


WESTMINSTER CRIER

Quick action and the Community Center defibrillator helped saved the life of a tennis player on Saturday April 27th. After playing a round of tennis one of the players collapsed. Dawn Baranek, a retired nurse, went into action doing CPR and used the defibrillator until EMS arrived on scene. The latest information we have received is the player is doing well. Special thanks to Dawn and Tim Baranek for their quick actions!!!

Please, learn CPR, save a life.

The Automated External Defibrillator (AED) is located in the Community Center just inside the door. It has been there for about 9 years and this is the first time it was used.



Some News and reminders

Board Meeting

May 21

7 pm

Community Center



Upcoming Fun

Family Fun Event for July 4th 2019 from 12 Noon to 3:00 PM. There will be hot dogs grilled with buns, chips, dixie cup ice cream, lemonade, ice tea, corn hole game and possibly other games.

Please keep your dogs on a leash attached to both you and your furry friend. Don't forget to pick up after them!

Ladies Westminster Bible Study

The Westminster Bible Study sessions will continue through the summer. This Study is open to all who are interested and we are always excited to have new members. We meet every Wednesday at 11:00 am in the Community Center. Bring your Bible if you have one. If you would like to join us please send an email to Sally Patasky at salpatasky@comcast.net

Important Information

When you leave for any extended period of time (over the summer or other long holidays) please be sure you bring in your flags (and garden flags) , extra décor in gardens, free standing pots, sidewalk lights that are not connected, or any other object in your yard or on your lanai that could become a potential missile during a hurricane or strong wind event.

Make sure the office and the Crier have your up to date contact information in case there is an event that has caused damage.

Place your yard waste in a bin or paper bag, rather than using plastic bags. Yard waste is shredded for mulch to be distributed around the county. When the yard waste is placed in a plastic bag, it then must be separated **BEFORE** it can be processed.



Pool aerobics class bids farewell to snowbirds

Class continues for year round residents at 9:30 am everyday.



Ron Read got his first hole on one on Wed. May 1. Hole#7.....he used a 7 iron! Congratulations to Ron!



Pump 1 - Low Pressure

We are experiencing low water pressure from Pump 1 due to a mechanical problem. We hope to have it fixed by the end of next week. You may have to water the areas of your lawn where the sprinklers don't reach until this is fixed

Safety and Security Tip from Lee County Sheriff's Office

These days, consumers are flooded with dozens of online options when it comes to finding the perfect place for a summer get-a-way, but renter beware; your dream vacation in paradise could become a nightmare if you aren't careful.

The online summer vacation rental scam goes something like this: Con artists cut and paste beautiful photos and property descriptions from legitimate ads and place that information on popular vacation rental sites. These ads generally draw attention to vacationers due to bargain basement rental prices. Below are a few suggested safety tips you should consider before parting with your hard-earned dollar.

Do research on prospective vacation rentals by searching the address online using a tool like Google Street View. Search for the property and owner with terms like "scam," "complaint" and "review." Consider checking the address on the county property appraiser's website in which the rental is located.

Talk to the owner on the phone and ask detailed questions about the property and the area. If the person will only correspond via e-mail or text, move on with your search.

Always pay by credit card. Never pay via wire or bank account transfer, check or debit card.

Security tip Continued

Make sure you get a written rental agreement with terms and protections for both parties.

If the deal seems too good to be true, especially when compared to similar properties in the area, you might be looking at a fraudulent ad.

Although you may pay a little extra, you might consider using a reputable travel agency or seek referrals from friends and family.

If you have questions regarding online rental scams, or want to report a fraud or scam, contact the Sheriff's Office fraud line at 258-3292.

Mother's Day is May 12!



The Crier- please read

The Crier is your newsletter. Submit items for publication at least 1 week ahead of time. The next regular Crier publication date is stated below.

IF you have a new neighbor, please have them e mail the crier so they can be added to our listing. IF you have moved out of the community you may still see the Crier online via the web site- westminstercommunity.com

This address (westminstercrier@gmail.com) is just for submitting items to the crier. Concerns about information appearing in the crier should be addressed at the office.

The next regular crier will be published the week of May 22

IF you know someone who is not getting the Crier, please invite them to sign up. We don't want them to miss important information in the community!!