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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

KIM GLAS-CASTRO ACTING MAYOR OF THE TOWN OF LAKE PARK, FLORIDA



Our 100th Anniversary year is already turning out to be a great one! Last week's Centennial Celebration Kickoff Concert was an amazing start to all of the wonderful festivities planned for this year...

The next Centennial Celebration event is the BATTLE OF THE BADGES on Saturday, March 4, featuring what I know will be an epic day-long showdown between the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office and Palm Beach Fire Rescue...

This year isn't all about celebrating Lake Park's rich history, it's also an election year for us, which means voters will have the opportunity to help shape the Town's future by electing a new Commissioner...

Kim Glas-Castro

ACTING MAYOR

MICHAEL O'ROURKE RECOGNIZED FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE TOWN OF LAKE PARK



Michael O'Rourke, who resigned his seat as Mayor of the Town of Lake Park effective December 31, 2022, was honored recently for his years of service to the Town.

Elected to the Town Commission in March of 2013, Mr. O'Rourke became Mayor in 2017, a position he held continuously until the date of his resignation. Throughout his tenure, Mr. O'Rourke served with distinction, providing effective leadership to the Town and the Commission...

The Town of Lake Park is grateful to Michael O'Rourke for his decade of dedication.

LAKE PARK MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS ARE COMING SOON



The Town of Lake Park's Municipal Elections will be held on March 14, 2023. Commissioner, and now Mayor Elect, Roger Michaud, ran unopposed for the Mayor's seat vacated by Michael O'Rourke, and will be sworn in on March 22.

If you are not already registered to vote, you must do so no later than February 13 in order to vote in the March 14 election. Vote by Mail requests must be submitted by 5:00 PM on Saturday, March 4...

For more information, including how to register to vote, your voting status, or your polling location (there are three in the Town of Lake Park), click here.

To view a copy of the March 14 ballot, please visit https://www.lakeparkflorida.gov/government/departments/town-clerk/elections

YOU CAN SERVE THE COMMUNITY YOU LOVE



Are you looking for ways to serve your community? Now is a great time to get involved, as several Town boards are currently seeking candidates to fill openings. These positions play important roles within the Town...

- The Community Redevelopment Agency Board (CRA) is searching for one regular member. This board oversees growth and development in the CRA. Interested individuals must live in or own a business in the Lake Park CRA.
The Library Advisory Board is in need of two regular and two alternate members. This board is non-administrative and ensures that the views and ideas of citizen taxpayers are represented...
The Planning & Zoning Board has openings for one regular member and two alternate positions. This board is responsible for making recommendations to the Town Commission regarding development plans within the Town, zoning issues, preservation guidelines, and more. Board membership is open to residents and non-resident business owners.
The Tree Board has one regular and two alternate positions available. This board works with staff to provide recommendations on the development of a tree survey of all park trees on public property in the Town...

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STAFF ANNIVERSARIES



Table listing Town of Lake Park Centennial Celebration Events 2023: Centennial Kickoff Concert (Jan 27), Centennial Battle of the Badges (Mar 4), Historical Home Tour & Harry Kelsey Birthday Celebration (Mar 26), Centennial Easter Egosts Avaganza (Apr 8), Centennial Arbor Day Ceremony (Apr 28), Centennial Exhibit Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony (Jun 3), Centennial Chili Cook-Off (Jul 29), Centennial Art & Music Festival (Sep 23), Centennial Celebration Gala (Oct 14), Centennial Celebration Time Capsule Ceremony (Nov 16), Centennial Celebration Festival (Nov 18).

SUNSET CELEBRATION FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM LAKE PARK HARBOR MARINA 105 LAKE SHORE DRIVE LAKE PARK, FL 33403 LIVE ENTERTAINMENT FOOD VENDORS ARTS & CRAFTS VENDORS HAPPY HOUR PRICES FREE ADMISSION & PARKING FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT AT 561-840-0160 OR SPECIALEVENTS@LAKEPARKFLORIDA.GOV

TOWN OF LAKE PARK CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION COMMUNITY BBQ AND GAMES BATTLE OF THE BADGES Saturday, March 4 Bert Bostrom Park (South of Park Ave between 6th and 7th Street) 311 7th Street, Lake Park, FL 33403 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Free Food / Music / Bounce House Community Outreach: Come Meet Your Area First Responders: Town-At-Track, Law Enforcement & Fire Rescue Specialty Vehicles, SWAT Bomb Squad, Mounted Unit, K9, Motorcycles, ATVs

Centennial Historical Homes Tour Sunday, March 26 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Join the Centennial Celebration Committee and the Lake Park Historical Society as we celebrate Lake Park's 100th anniversary by hosting a tour of historical homes in our amazing town. Participants will have the option to board one of two old-fashioned trolleys, bike, or walk along the route. Golf carts are also welcomed. The tour will leave Town Hall (535 Park Avenue) promptly at 1:00 pm. Tour guides from the Lake Park Historical Society will provide a brief history of each home as we travel throughout town. The event is free, however the old-fashioned trolleys have limited seating and will require pre-registration on a first-come, first-served basis. Please contact the Special Events Department at 561-840-0160 or specialevents@lakeparkflorida.gov to register and for more information.

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