



**Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce
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***Successful Golf
Tournament***



Dressed to the "Tee"...Steve Weeks dressed for the occasion to play in the 11th Annual Chamber of Commerce Golf Tournament on Saturday, May 16h.

Except for a short-lived rainstorm on Saturday, May 16th, the 11th Annual Chamber Golf Tournament was a great event.

Glades General Hospital's team took first place. The team consisted of Richard Young, Dr. Charles Azan, Daniel Veal and Brandon Allen. Second place was Bank of Belle Glade's team made up of Ken Kartrude, Mike Kartrude, Manuel Chancey and Mike Wheeler. Trelles Law took third place. Team members were Steve Yedinak, Larry Dugan, Jerry Long and Carlos Bustabad.



The team from Glades General Hospital took first place in the annual Chamber Golf Tournament. Shown, from left are Richard Young, Brian Allen, Dr. Charles Azan and Daniel Veal. Each received a check for \$100.

Now is the Time to Become a HERO!!!

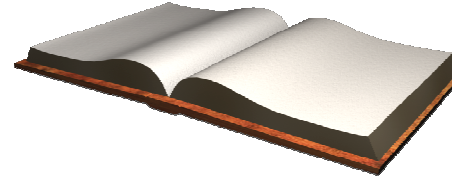
HEROES for American Red Cross is the 2nd Annual Campaign in the Lakeside Communities' Service Center and their goal is to reach \$50,000 in donations.

HEROES for American Red Cross is a fast-paced, community-based campaign to raise funds for *local* Red Cross services. For further information, please call Debbie McDuffie, Manager at 863-902-1220.

Thanks For Renewing

Bridge Investment and Realty, Glades Youth Baseball, Belle Glade Elks Lodge #1716, Families First of Palm Beach County, MCM Paint & Flooring, Glades Truck Ice, The Potter's Garden, Palm Tran, Shiver & Company, PA, Affordable Dry Cleaning, Lutz Builders.

Become a Library Literacy Tutor



Imagine going to the grocery store and not being able to read the boxes and cans. You're riding down the road and don't have a clue what the signs say.

You open the book, but you can't read that bedtime story to your children, or grandchildren. For many, this is a way of life because for one reason or another they never learned to read.

If you are reading this and are a compassionate person, willing to give a little bit of your time to help someone receive the gift of literacy, you are encouraged to call the Belle Glade Branch Library to volunteer to help someone learn to read.

Their number is 996-3453.

LG Leadership Glades

Leadership Glades is now accepting applications for the 2009-2010 Leadership Glades class. An application is enclosed with this newsletter.

For more information about the program, call the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce at 996-2745 or log on to the Leadership Glades web site at Leadershipglades.com.

Upcoming events? Let us know!

We are keeping a calendar of all events planned in the Glades throughout the year and we encourage clubs, organizations and businesses to call us when they are planning an event.

If you are not sure if the date you are considering for an event is an open weekend or weekday, why not call us and find out if there are other big events planned on the calendar?

We will be glad to let you know what's coming up in the next few weeks or months so your event can be as successful as possible! Call us at 996-2745.

A big “Thank you” to all our Golf Tournament Sponsors!

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Caladium Festival set for August in Lake Placid

Ninety-eight percent of the world’s caladiums are grown in Lake Placid and they will be celebrating their 19th Annual Caladium Festival August 28th through August 30th.

The festival is hosted by the Lake Placid Chamber of Commerce and will include exhibit booths displaying the many varieties of commercially grown caladiums.

Caladium bulbs will also be offered for sale during the three day festival. There will also be various arts, crafts and food booths, children’s activities such as pony rides and live entertainment. Bus tours of the colorful caladium fields will be available on Friday and Saturday during the festival.

For more information, contact the Lake Placid Chamber of Commerce at 863-465-4331 or go to www.visitlakeplacidflorida.com.

ATTENTION!



Employers of Palm Beach County:

Provide a Summer Job for a Youth (18-24)

And

All Wages will be paid by Workforce Alliance!

If you are interested in providing a work site for youth this summer please go to their web site www.pbcalliance.com and fill out the on line application.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Leadership Glades Board meeting 12 noon B.G. City Commission 7:00 p.m.	2 Lions Club meeting 12 Noon Belle Glade Rotary meeting 12 Noon SB City Commission 7:00pm	3 Community Prayer Lunch Gathering Community United Methodist Church Noon	4	5	6
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