City of Rockledge News & Safety Bulletin

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Motor Vehicle Safety!

Did you know that vehicle-related accidents are the number one cause of fatalities, both on the job and off?

In order to minimize your risk and ensure maximum safety, please always remember to do the following:

Seat Belts

o Buckle up as soon as you are in your vehicle. It's the law!

Mirrors

 Take a moment to make sure that your rear-view and sideview mirrors are adjusted properly.

Observe Good Driving Habits

- Obey speed limits and traffic signs.
- Be aware of your surroundings.
- o Don't tailgate.
- Adjust to hazardous weather conditions.

Proper Vehicle Maintenance

- Have all engine parts inspected regularly.
- o Check headlights often.
- o Be sure that all engine fluids are adequately filled.
- Maintain correct tire pressure.
- Ensure maximum visibility by keeping windows clean and windshield wipers in good condition.

By putting into practice the tips shown above you will be assured of conserving fuel and saving cost. The benefits will be very rewarding!

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Did You Know?

- March's birthstones are aquamarine and bloodstone
- March's birth flower is the Daffodil
- The zodiac signs for the month of March are Pisces (the fish) and Aries (the ram)



St. Patrick's Day is Monday, March 17!

Erin go bragh! (Ireland forever)

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COMING SOON!

2014 Relay For Life - Rockledge!

Relay For Life is a community-based, volunteer-driven activity designed to not only increase awareness of, but also to raise funds for, fighting cancer. The American Cancer Society's signature event, Relay For Life, represents the hope that those lost to cancer will never be forgotten, and that those who are currently fighting the disease will receive all of the support and comfort that they require.

Teams for 2014 Relay For Life began forming back in 2013. Once the fundraising period ends, a celebration will be held to commemorate all of the survivors, patients and those that have been lost. The celebration, which will start on April 12, 2014, at noon, takes place at Larry L. Schultz Park, Fiske Blvd. and Levitt Pkwy. There will be a number of activities, ceremonies, children's games, and contests.

To date, 15 teams and 50 participants have raised \$3,225.60. To learn more about Relay For Life-Rockledge, visit www.relayforlife.org/rockledgefl.

Save the Dates! Upcoming Spring Events!

The City of Rockledge has a number of exciting events planned over the next couple of months! Be sure to mark your calendars!

- Wednesday, March 5
 5:30-7:30 p.m., Rockledge City Hall
 Wednesday/Friendsday networking event in partnership with the Cocoa Beach
 Regional Chamber of Commerce
- Saturday, April 26
 8 a.m., Rockledge City Hall
 Trash Bash! in conjunction with Keep
 Brevard Beautiful
- Sunday, May 252 p.m., McLarty Stadium/McLarty Park

Memorial Day Parade in partnership with the Rockledge VFW Post 4534! Parade route starts at McLarty Stadium, proceeds north on Murrell Rd., then heads west on Barton Blvd. to McLarty Park. A brief ceremony will follow the parade at McLarty Park.

Happy March Birthday!		
Tom Snider	PD	March I
Thomas Delzell	PW	March 3
Jeff Hughey	FD	March 10
William Meyer	FD	March II
Austin Justus Pettry	PW	March 12
John Grgurich	PW	March 13
Pat Hartselle	PD	March 17
Wayne Siegel	STORM	March 17
Dennis Bennewitz	FD	March 21
Brett Leib	PD	March 29
William Akridge	FD	March 30
Todd Hewatt	PD	March 30

Happy March Anniversary!			
Al-Vernon Jones	WW	25 years	
Tina Ramos	SAN	24 years	
Kathleen Flanary	PD	19 years	
Preston Bussey	SAN	16 years	
Lisa Brady	PD	15 years	
Scott Clark	FD	II years	
Kenneth Lee	PW	II years	
Alice Deakins	PD	10 years	
Corey Casey	PD	l year	
Anthony Gricco	WW	l year	
Panagiotis Panagiopoulos	FD	l year	