

# Week in Review Newsletter In the City of Temple Terrace

Good things going on in the City

June 14 – June 20, 2021



## RIP K-9 ARAMIS

Last Friday, the Temple Terrace Police Department announced the passing of retired K-9 Aramis, who served the agency from October 1, 2010 to February 19, 2018.

K-9 Aramis was the agency's longest serving and most decorated K-9, having served the citizens of our city with honor, courage and commitment to duty. He was instrumental in the catch and / or apprehension of over 200 suspects, the recovery of stolen items, and the seizure of vast amounts of illegal narcotics and firearms.

K-9 Aramis served tirelessly alongside K-9 Officer Scilabro and as such, became a valued member of the Scilabro family. Please join us in thoughts and prayers for the Scilabro family and in honoring a valued and loyal member of the Temple Terrace Family!



## A NEW LITTLE FREE LIBRARY

The Temple Terrace Public Library rocks. But these Little Free Libraries are very cool too. The newest one lives near the Woodmont Clubhouse thanks to the Temple Terrace Garden Club, who installed the library to honor Judy McConville, a former garden club member. Take a Book. Share a Book.

## NEW HOURS AT THE REC COMPLEX, GUESTS NOW WELCOME

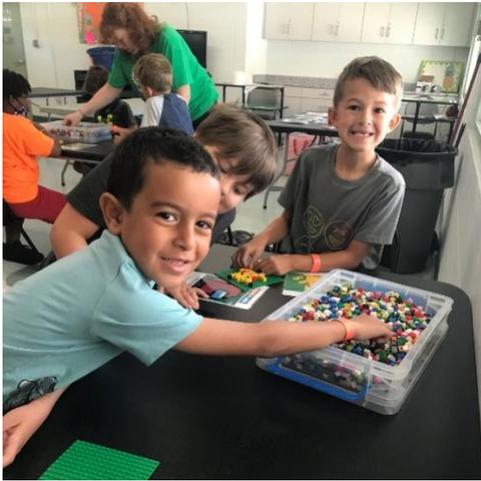
Beginning today, the Family Recreation Complex will be open M-F from 5:30am - 8pm and Sat - Sun from 8am - 4pm. Pools are open M-F from 9am - 7:30pm and Sat - Sun from 10am - 3:30pm. Don't forget - the Focus Café is open to all, M-F from 8am - 3pm.

All minors 13 years of age and younger must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver. Guests now are welcome at the facility. Guests must be accompanied by an adult member at all times. Maximum of 5 guests per family membership and 2 per individual member per day. Fee applies. Adult guests must have valid ID.

## TEMPLE TERRACE LIBRARY CELEBRATES PRIDE MONTH

If you haven't done so already, be sure to check out the fantastic Pride Month display and learn something new about LGBTQ+ history





## THE SOUNDS OF SUMMER

Summer Camp is in full swing at the Temple Terrace Family Recreation Complex. We are thankful to be able to welcome back the sounds of summer and to see all of our families back on site. Campers are enjoying pool time with friends, learning about reptiles, and building blocks and playing games all day!

## SUMMER READING



School is out, but reading is always in – and instead of grades, kids can read for prizes this summer! Bring your children to the Temple Terrace Public Library and pick up a Summer reading log M-F from 10am-6pm or Saturday from 10am to 4pm. Have them read and rate the books with 1 to 5 stars, then return their logs to the Library for prizes!

The Library also has reading logs for teens and 'tweens. They can turn them in and be entered in a raffle to win a basket full of goodies like books, plushies or water bottles and Amazon gift cards! Teens can get raffle entries by returning their log to the front desk, emailing photos of finished Take & Make kits to Natalia at [nshellhaas@templeterrace.com](mailto:nshellhaas@templeterrace.com), or attending Virtual Comic Book Club meetings on

Zoom. Follow the Library on Facebook for more info.

Summer readers of all ages, including adults (because why should kids have all the fun?), can register, log reading hours, and win prizes online with Beanstack. Go to [hcplc.org/Summer](http://hcplc.org/Summer), where there are reading challenges with digital badges and prize drawings for things like cameras, fancy headphones, Kindles and a karaoke machine.

Reading with the Tampa Bay Rays (pre-K to 12th grade) is now virtual also. Kids can win two tickets to a Rays game! More info on that program also is available on the County's summer reading page.

## LET'S HAVE A PARADE!



The City is moving forward with our 46th Annual [Independence Day Celebration](#). What better way to celebrate the strength and resiliency of our City – and our nation than with our traditional parade and fireworks display. We are excited to announce that Temple Terrace Medical Director Dr. Brooke Shepard will serve as the Grand Marshall on behalf of all area health care professionals.

We currently are inviting Temple Terrace veterans to ride on a special city-sponsored float in the parade. If you know any local vets who might be interested, have them call Laurie Hayes at 813.506.6406.

Speaking of floats... We also are looking for volunteers to help in decorating the City and Veteran float. If you can help, come to Public Works beginning at 11:30am on Wednesday, June 30. Wanna ride? Let us know and then meet up at the Rec Complex on July 3 by 9:30am.

Many thanks to MOSI, Advent Health, Pilot Bank, the Temple Terrace Golf & Country Club, Stepp's Towing and Ramada for their sponsorship of the Independence celebration.

## KEEP THE PARTY GOING...



The Independence festivities resume at 6pm on July 3 on the 1st fairway of Temple Terrace Golf & Country Club, 600 Inverness Ave., with live music by Charlie Imes & the Sundogs, featuring Roger Bartlett, Jimmy Buffett's original lead guitarist. The band will offer tunes for nearly every taste, including some originals and covers from bands ranging from Jackson Browne, Tom Petty and James Taylor to Nat King Cole, Keb Mo and the Beatles – and, of course, Jimmy Buffett.

There will be a variety of food trucks and entertainment for the kids, including Magician Cory Van Valin, Best of the Bay winner for 2020, who will be providing his strolling close-up magic from 6-8pm. Expect to feel amazement, shock and a sense of wonder all in a rollercoaster of entertainment Van Valin provides. From his personable approach to his red jacket with reflective mirror tie, Cory Van Valin will be hard to miss at this year's event.

FIREWORKS kick off at 9:15pm (weather permitting). Note that there will be no golf carts permitted on the fairway. Limited golf cart parking will be available nearby. Vehicular parking is available at the Ridgedale Sports Complex, 204 Ridgedale Rd., and on side streets not marked with "No Parking" signs.

## SCHOOL SUPPORT COMMITTEE MEMBERS SOUGHT

Spread the word - The Mayor and City Council are accepting applications from citizens interested in being considered for three regular member appointments to the Temple Terrace School Support Committee. The School Support Committee was established to utilize the knowledge, interest and insight of citizens to work with the Mayor and City Council, the Hillsborough County District schools, parents and school-based interest groups, to enhance the educational environment for Temple Terrace children and the schools they attend. The School Support Committee meetings are held in the Conference Room behind the Council Chambers in City Hall at 4pm on the fourth Monday of each month. Members MUST be residents of the City of Temple Terrace and serve without remuneration. Financial disclosure is not required.

The closing date for receiving applications for two of the three positions is 5pm June 29, the Tuesday prior to the City Council meeting in which the appointment is to be decided. The second closing date is 5pm on August 10, with the remaining appointment being decided at the City Council meeting the following Tuesday. Equal consideration will be given to persons submitting applications and persons recommended by City Council members.

## ATTACHMENTS:

- Employment Opportunities



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## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- 3.112 BUILDING INSPECTOR II
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### FIRE DEPARTMENT

- 4.127 FIREFIGHTER/PARAMEDIC • TWO POSITIONS
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### HUMAN RESOURCES

- 6.166 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT III
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### LEISURE SERVICES • PARKS & RECREATION

- 5.221 LIFEGUARD • PART TIME
- 5.230 RECREATION LEADER I • FACILITY USE • PART TIME
- 5.230 RECREATION LEADER I • GYMNASTICS • PART TIME • TWO POSITIONS
- 7.207 CUSTODIAN • PART TIME

### SEASONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- 5.221 LIFEGUARD
  - 5.230 RECREATION LEADER I • SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM (SYP)
    - THREE POSITIONS
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### POLICE DEPARTMENT

- 4.226 POLICE OFFICER
  - 4.240 POLICE COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER • TWO POSITIONS
  - 4.255 DIGITAL EVIDENCE TECHNICIAN
  - 6.166 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT III
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### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT • OPERATIONS

- 7.120 MECHANIC II
  - 7.125 MECHANIC I
  - 7.178 MAINTENANCE ATTENDANT I • GROUNDS
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### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT • UTILITIES

- 7.167 MAINTENANCE ATTENDANT III • STREETS
  - 7.160-LTE UTILITY MAINTENANCE II • SEWER
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A pre-employment drug screen, criminal history background  
investigation, and a driver's license verification may be conducted.

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VETERAN'S PREFERENCE EMPLOYER

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Job Opportunities are located @ [www.TempleTerrace.com/Jobs](http://www.TempleTerrace.com/Jobs)