

Week in Review Newsletter In the City of Temple Terrace

Good things going on in the City

May 9 – 16, 2022



LONGEVITY AWARDS

On Friday afternoon, City staff were treated to an employee luncheon at Omar K. Lightfoot Center. During the event, 42 employees were honored with longevity awards presented by Steve Spina, Interim City Manager. Combined, these workers have contributed 430 years of service to the City!

20 Years:

Arquimedes Jimenez; Karl Langefeld; Elbert Pirtle, and Shane Samon

15 Years:

Thomas Borrroni; Juan Fleitas; Teresa Fraser; Andrew Godfrey; Nathan Hale; Ian Kemp; Tandra Mehalopoulos; Richard Scilabro; Louis Shiver; Kyle Smith; Irma Torres Celleri, and Jose Velasco

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Longevity, cont.

10 Years:

Courtney Baldwin; Marlene Cardona; Anthony Hamby; Robert Harrington; Kenneth Marzo; Kevin McLafferty; Manuel Sherman, and Julie Vaccaro

5 Years:

Tiffany Beltran; Lynda Boswell; Pamela Cichon; Devin Faircloth; Joseph Ferris; Laurie Hayes; Tina Heacock; James Ingram; Nickolas Martinez; Willie Mason; Tatianna Morehouse; Sabrina Munson; Jose Silva; Keith Spiewak; Cletus Squires; Kory Sullivan; Kevin Templin, and Denise Walker

COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER OF THE YEAR

Also at the Employee luncheon, the Communications Officer of the Year award was presented to Leslie Huchla by Temple Terrace Police Chief Ken Albano and Communications Supervisor David Anderson. Congrats!



THANK YOU!



Many thanks to the Employees for Employees Committee members and others who worked so hard to make the Employee Luncheon a success. The decorations, food and desserts all contributed to an event that was (forgive me) Beachy-keen! (Pictured: Kelly Ahern – Parks & Rec; Tina Heacock – EFEC/Code Enforcement; Jennifer Robinson -EFEC /Library; Becky Zarella – EFEC/FD; Amy Huchla – EFEC/PD Comm; Michelle Wilkinson – Parks & Rec (in front) ; Brianne Holacik – EFEC/FD; Sabrina Munson – EFEC/Finance; Kenny Marzo – EFEC/Parks & Rec, and Ricky Munford – Parks & Rec (And special thanks to Leslie Huchla for the pic.)



EXCEEDING EXPECTATIONS

On May 12, Fire Chief Kemp and Division Chief Murley attended the graduation of Temple Terrace firefighters Alec Hassey and Kyle Ehrhart from HCC's Paramedic Program.

After completion of the National Registry paramedic exam, both will participate in the department's sign off process prior to performing on the streets as a state certified firefighter paramedics.

CELEBRATING NATIONAL EMS WEEK

National Emergency Medical Services week is an opportunity for local communities and medical personnel to honor the dedication of those who provide the day to day lifesaving services of medicine's frontline. We in Temple Terrace are so fortunate to have an amazing group of heroes amongst us in the Temple Terrace Fire Department who provide lifesaving and life changing medical care each day to our citizens and visitors. Please take this time to give our personnel a huge thank you for what they do each and every day, 24 hours a day, so that we know that no matter what medical emergency occurs we will receive the highest quality and timely care in the region and state.

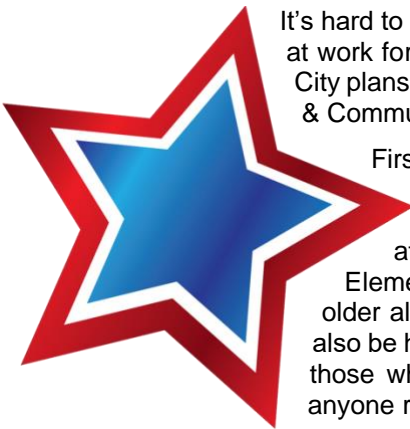
Temple Terrace Fire Department Fun Facts:

- One of four public Fire Departments in Hillsborough County
- 60 personnel
- Over 4000 calls for service in 2021
- Recognized as providing excellent patient care including by the American Heart Association with an annual award acknowledging that we provide the highest quality of care for heart attack patients

FLAG FOOTBALL FAN?

Note that there will be a Men's Flag Football Informational Meeting on May 19 at 7pm at the Family Recreation Complex, 6610 Whiteway Dr. Get a brief overview of league dates and discuss the rules and registration process. For more info, call 813.506.6600.

PREPARE TO CELEBRATE



It's hard to believe, but July 4 is less than 2 months away! The folks at Park & Rec have been hard at work for months ensuring that this year will be the best celebration ever. As in years past, the City plans to have a float in the parade, as well as sponsor a float to honor veterans. The Marketing & Communications peeps will be there – but to pull this off, we need your help.

First and foremost, we need at least five staff members to commit to walking / riding on the float and handing out give-aways to the crowd. Those involved would need to be at the Family Rec Complex no later than 9:30am on July 4. The parade kicks off promptly at 10am from the corner of Whiteway and Gillette and ends at Temple Terrace Elementary. Transportation back to the Rec Complex will be provided. Children 10 years and older also are welcome to assist along with their staff member / parent or caregiver. It would also be helpful if one person was available to coordinate the Veterans' float – making certain that those who needed assistance were shuttled to the float and accompanying the float should anyone require help.

The City Manager has authorized four hours of leave for those who participate, and commemorative tee-shirts will be provided. Please let me know by email – lhayes@templeterrace.com or at x6406 asap – by noon Friday, May 20 latest – if you are interested in representing the City on the 4th of July, and include your shirt size and your child's size if he/she will accompany you. Note that the parade is rain or shine (except for deluges or electrical storms).

We also need to help to decorate the floats! More info on this will be forthcoming, but the current plan is to gather at Public Works to festoon the floats beginning at 8am on Friday, July 1. Breakfast treats and coffee will be provided.

Thanks to all for helping to make the City shine on the 4th.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS....

- **Mayor for a Day** – Tuesday, May 17 from 3:15 - 6:15pm. Directors and elected officials are invited to a pizza party with the Mayor and his “mini me” at 4:45pm in the Council workroom. Directors – please be prepared to speak for 3-5 minutes about your role in the City after you finish your pizza (and note that any City swag appropriate for an 11 year-old girl is appreciated).

ATTACHMENTS:

- Employment Opportunities



City of Temple Terrace

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES May 3, 2022

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- 1.108 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR
 - 3.112 BUILDING INSPECTOR II
-

FIRE

- 6.166 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT III
-

HUMAN RESOURCES

- 6.166 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT III
-

LEISURE SERVICES • PARKS & RECREATION

- 5.221 LIFEGUARD • PART TIME
- 5.230 RECREATION LEADER I • GYMNASTICS • PART TIME • 2 POSITIONS

SEASONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- 5.221 LIFEGUARD • 3 POSITIONS
 - 5.230 RECREATION LEADER I • SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM • PART TIME • 3 POSITIONS
 - 5.230 RECREATION LEADER I • TENNIS • PART TIME
-

POLICE DEPARTMENT

- 4.226 POLICE OFFICER
 - 4.240 POLICE COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER
-

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT • OPERATIONS

- 7.120 MECHANIC II
 - 7.125 MECHANIC I
 - 7.178 MAINTENANCE ATTENDANT I • GROUNDS
 - 7.230 SANITATION DRIVER/COLLECTOR I
-

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT • UTILITIES

- 7.166 UTILITY MAINTENANCE I • WATER
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The City of Temple Terrace is a drug-free workplace.
A pre-employment drug screen, criminal history background
investigation, and a driver's license verification may be conducted.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER
VETERAN'S PREFERENCE EMPLOYER

Job Opportunities are located @ www.TempleTerrace.com/Jobs