



PEOPLE FOCUSED. PERFORMANCE DRIVEN.

Trailhassee.com

Leon County announces the launch of an innovative website, www.Trailhassee.com, to serve as the primary source of information on outdoor activities for visitors and residents of Tallahassee.

#TRAILHASSEE

What was once a casual nickname shared among active outdoor enthusiasts to describe biking, hiking, running, paddling and equestrian trails in the Tallahassee area, is now a one-of-a-kind website promoting nearly 600 miles of trails.

Boasting featured trails, interactive "Find a Trail" maps, a blog, social media features, as well as information on outfitters and associations, the site also offers travel tools to easily plan a visit to Florida's capital county.

For more information, call the Leon County Division of Tourism Development at **(850) 606-2305**.

Leon County Recycling

...now easier than ever!



Starting October 1, Leon County will switch to a single-stream recycling system. This means no more sorting paper items from plastic, metal and glass items. Now everything can be combined loosely into one single cart, which will be picked up, at the curb.

Acceptable recyclable materials are:

- Office paper
- Envelopes
- Cardboard
- Magazines/Catalogues
- Brochures/Books
- Bottles
- Cans
- Jugs
- Jars
- Buckets
- Planter Bins
- Pots and pans
- Empty aerosol cans
- Pie tins

New recycling carts will be issued to all curbside subscribers.

This new system will be easier for citizens and make recycling services more efficient.

If you are not currently subscribing to curbside service and would like to, please visit www.LeonCountyFL.gov/Curbside or call Leon County's new waste provider, Waste Pro, at **(850) 606-1899**.

Leon County Hosts 16th Annual Volunteer Firefighter Fire Truck Roundup

Saturday, October 19
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Bannerman Crossing
at the southwest corner of
Thomasville Rd. and Bannerman Rd.



Leon County invites the community to recognize and celebrate volunteer firefighters. The event highlights the service and dedication of the men and women who respond to emergencies throughout Leon County.

As part of the roundup, there will be fire truck equipment for children to explore, free hot dogs and drinks, face painting and giveaways for all attendees. Also, the Jack Harron Leon County Volunteer Firefighter of the Year will be awarded at 11 a.m. This award recognizes the exemplary service of one volunteer firefighter over the past year.

For more information, please contact VolunteerLEON, a division of Leon County Government, at **(850) 606-1970**.

#IHeartTally

**SHOW US
SOME LOVE.**
#IHeartTally

On September 26, 2013, Leon County debuted a new marketing campaign known as #IHeartTally. This campaign will actively seek the participation of county residents, business leaders, college students, and area visitors that are willing to express their love for our community. #IHeartTally aims to tell the world why Leon County/Tallahassee is such a special place to live, work, play and - most important to the campaign - visit. It is as easy as 1-2-3 to get involved, and early participants can win an 'I Heart Tally' T-shirt:

1. Take a photo or video of something you love about Tallahassee.
2. Tag it with #IHeartTally on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram or Vine.
3. Share it with your friends.

For more information, go to www.VisitTallahassee.com

Women and the Workplace Summit

*Presented by the Tallahassee/Leon County
Commission on the Status of Women and Girls*

Thursday, October 17, 2013
8:15 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**Augustus B. Turnbull III
Florida State Conference Center**
555 W. Pensacola St.

\$25 Registration Fee
Includes continental breakfast and lunch.



This summit's purpose is to create an investment strategy for our community so that every workplace promotes greater economic security for women. The summit will also recognize leaders in the community who have advanced the goal of creating and sustaining women-friendly workplaces.

Topics include:

- Women's Economic Security Across the Life Span
- Gender Diversity and the Workplace
- Women and Employment: Wages and Salaries, Rights and Benefits
- Women as Leaders and Entrepreneurs
- Domestic and Sexual Violence Workplace Policies
- Health and Wellness
- Technology, Women and the Workplace
- Women and Poverty

There are a limited number of free spaces available for students (with valid school ID) and community members who may not otherwise be able to attend.

For More Information:

Emily Ayers: (850) 222-2747 • emily.oasis@comcast.net
www.TheOasisCenter.net

Greenway Day 2013

Saturday, November 2, 2013
J.R. Alford Greenway, 2500 S. Pedrick Road
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Join us for a family fun day!
Open space available to hikers, cyclists, equestrians and general recreationists
Demonstrations • Children's Activities • Tours • Free Snacks

www.LeonCountyFL.gov/Greenways

For more information, call:
Leon County Parks & Recreation
at **(850) 606-1470**
Community & Media Relations
at **(850) 606-5300**



Fabulous Foods Cooking Classes

Presented by Leon County Cooperative Extension

Come cook with us! Learn together and leave with valuable information and tested recipes.

All Classes 6 - 8 p.m. • 615 Paul Russell Road

Cost: \$15/Person. Pre-registration required.

Contact Kendra Zamojski:
Hughson@UFL.edu
or **(850) 606-5200**



OCTOBER 9 *Cooking with Diabetes*
NOVEMBER 5 *Healthy Breads*

Leon County's Fall Home Expo

"Homeowners learning to do it themselves..."

Saturday, October 19, 2013
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Leon County Community Room
Historic Amtrak Railroad Station, 918 Railroad Avenue

Come out, learn and have fun:

- Property Maintenance & Repair: How To!
- Gain Access to Home Improvement Loans, Up to \$35K
- Gardening & Landscaping
- Foreclosure Prevention Assistance, Up to \$42K
- Down Payment Assistance & Closing Cost for First Time Homebuyers & Veterans, Up to \$10K
- Fair Housing Education



The Expo takes place twice a year with different topics.

Next Expo: **March 15, 2014!**

Refreshments will be served. Come win door prizes!

Call **(850) 606-1916** to register.

October 2013 BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SCHEDULE

- 8 Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting***
3 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.,
5th Floor, Commission Chambers
- Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing***
6 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.,
5th Floor, Commission Chambers
- 21 Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA)**
1:30 p.m., City Commission Chambers
- 29 Board of County Commissioners Workshop on the
Consideration of Tourism Funds Dedicated to the
Florida Center for the Performing Arts***
1 - 3 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.,
5th Floor, Commission Chambers
- Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting***
3 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St.,
5th Floor, Commission Chambers

*Live television broadcast available on Comcast Channel 16;
webcast available anytime at www.LeonCountyFL.gov.