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Created Equal: A conversation about race + founding ideals + our hometown

Wednesday, January 11, 6 to 8:30 pm @ The Moon To RSVP visit tlh.villagesquare.us

No charge, we treat for dinner. Cash bar. RSVP required. For more information call 850-570-3327

featuring special guest:

Keith Hamilton Cobb

preview of: American Moor

This program is a part of the project:









SOUTHERN SHAKESPEARE COMPANY

Full performances Thursday & Friday at FAMU's Lee Hall Auditorium. More info: southernshakespearefestival.org

> Tallahassee, 1965: NAACP demonstration to

protest the U.S. Senate filibuster over the civil rights bill. Photo: State Archives of Florida, Florida Memory





LEON COUNTY SUMMITSUSTAINABLE SUSTAINABLE SUSTAINABLE SUMMUNITIES

EXPLORING OUR BACKYARD

A fun day of outdoor skills-building and learning SATURDAY, about the importance of our local environment. FEBRUARY 18

Register Today: www.GrowingGreen.org/Summit



Turnbull Conference Center

County Supports 43rd Tallahassee Marathon and Half Marathon

Join us February 5 at 7:30 a.m. for the 43rd Tallahassee Marathon and Half Marathon

The race will take runners on an amazing tour of Tallahassee/Leon County starting in quaint downtown, moving into the

bustling midtown area, historic Myers park, newly built Cascades Bridge onto FAMU Way and the prestigious FSU Campus, and then finish at the permanent finish line downtown. The

Race benefits The Hang Tough Foundation and Gulf Winds Track Club. Come cheer on the runners and enjoy music and food at the finish line in

Don't forget about our Expo on Saturday, February 4, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Kleman Plaza with local and national vendors, and our 1.2 mile kids race at 2 p.m.

> For more information and to register, visit: www.TallahasseeMarathon.com

Adopt-A-Tree

Leon County is proud to offer the 2017 Adopt-A-Tree public tree planting program. If you live inside Leon County, but outside of Tallahassee city limits, you may qualify to have an Eastern Red-cedar planted on your property for free. The Eastern Redcedar is a large maturing evergreen tree, keeping its foliage year-round.



If you agree to water the tree three times a week for one year, Leon County Public Works will plant the tree anywhere between your house and any publicly-maintained road or any privately maintained road with public access. To have a tree planted on your property between February and March 2017, simply fill out an application online at www.LeonCountyFL.gov/AdoptATree and place a wooden stake at the desired location. Public Works will try to get as close to the designated area as possible.

The application deadline is **Tuesday**, **January 31**, **2017**.

ADOPT-A-TREE APPLICATION
Name:
Addres:
Zip:
E-mail:
Best Daytime Phone:
Other Phone:

Leon County Public Works

2280 Miccosukee Road, Tallahassee, FL 32308 Phone: (850) 606-1400 Fax: (850) 606-1401



2017 Spring Seed Library

The LeRoy Collins Leon County Public Library kicks off the 2017 Spring Seed Library with an event at the Northeast Branch, 5513 Thomasville Rd., on Saturday, February 4, from noon to 3 p.m. The Leon County Extension Office will have various stations set up to satisfy your every



gardening need. Ten different varieties of vegetable seeds will be available for check out from every branch beginning on the February 4. Patrons can check out three packs per library card. The seeds are limited in supply, so come by and get your spring vegetable garden started with help from YOUR county library!

The Leon County Main Library will participate in the annual international Harry Potter Book Night on Thursday, February 2, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the Main Library and all branches. This year's theme is, "The Professors of Hogwarts." There will be fun and games for the entire family as we help celebrate the upcoming 20th Anniversary of the First Harry Potter book, Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone. So get dressed up in your best Hogwarts outfit and come out for all the fun!

> For more information, call The Leon County Main Library at (850) 606-2665

January 2017

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SCHEDULE

- 16 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Offices Closed
- 24 **Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting** 3 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe Street 5th Floor Commission Chambers
- 24 **Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing** 6 p.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St., 5th Floor, Commission Chambers
- **Community Legislative Dialogue Meeting** 31 9 a.m., County Courthouse, 301 S. Monroe St., 5th Floor, Commission Chambers

*Live television broadcast available on channel 16 on Comcast and Century Link; webcast available anytime at www.LeonCountyFL.gov.