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11.2.18 LEON WORKS EXPO

Does your business want to reach hundreds of skilled job seekers? Sign up now to secure your space at the Leon Works Expo LeonWorksExpo.com/Exhibit. On **Nov. 2, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.** at the FSU Donald L. Tucker Civic Center, the Leon Works Expo will host high school students preparing for the workforce and job seekers interested in skilled opportunities for Leon, Gadsden, and Wakulla counties. To learn more, email LeonWorks@LeonCountyFL.gov or call **(850) 219-1060**.

Exhibitors, use code *LeonWorks10* by Aug. 31 to receive \$10 off registration!



LEROY COLLINS LEON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Inspiring a Love of Reading and a Life of Learning

Back to School

Your library offers information, resources and help from our Information Professionals for students of all ages.

- Find Accelerated Reader books to check out or download.
- Get valuable tips from Information Professionals for your research project or History Fair presentation.
- Find online magazine and newspaper articles, Opposing Viewpoints, information on writers and books and more.

Snag Some Seeds from the Library

While supplies last, seed packets are available to check out from any library branch location, three per card, per month. This special program provides patrons with free seeds to plant vegetable gardens. Each seed packet has planting/growing instructions on the back, making the process as easy as possible.

The Seed Library Program began as a way to promote noninvasive, heirloom vegetable seed planting in Leon County and to encourage residents to grow their own nutritious food.

Ready for Something Different?

Mobile printing: Try the Library's Mobile Printing — send print jobs from your device at home or school to any library and pick up the copy that day before the library closes.

Mobile hotspots: Got Wi-Fi-enabled devices such as tablets and laptops that you want to connect to the internet? The Kajeet SmartSpot provides that link. A WiFi hotspot is a device that allows you to connect your mobile enabled devices (e.g. laptop, smartphones, tablets, etc.) to the internet. The hotspot is portable so you can connect your device almost wherever you go.

Telescopes: You can check out telescopes from your library! These easy to use telescopes can be checked out for a week at a time and holds can be placed at any branch or on our website!

Visit www.LeonCountyLibrary.org or call any branch for more details.

MAKE TALLAHASSEE NEW DISCOVERIES



Join us on Saturday, August 25th from 10:00am – 4:00pm and receive free admission to Mission San Luis, where you'll experience history come to life like never before.



LEON COUNTY'S ANNUAL 9/11 DAY of SERVICE

IN RECOGNITION OF SEPT. 11, LEON COUNTY GOVERNMENT OFFERS MULTIPLE WAYS TO GET INVOLVED:

- Glenn J. Winuk Humanitarian Award - Leon County Government and the Holland & Knight law firm are now accepting applications for the Glenn J. Winuk Humanitarian Service Award. The award recognizes community members who exemplify extraordinary service and sacrifice for others. Nominations are now open and due by **Wednesday, August 29 at 5 p.m.**
- Leon County 9/11 Day of Service - Leon County will lead several community service housing restoration projects. Volunteers are needed for the Day of Service to assist with various outdoor projects on **Thursday, August 23 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

To nominate someone for the Glenn J. Winuk Humanitarian Award, visit: www.LeonCountyFL.gov/Winuk

To register to volunteer for the Leon County 9/11 Day of Service, visit: www.LeonCountyFL.gov/DayofService

For more information, please contact Community and Media Relations **(850) 606-5300** • CMR@LeonCountyFL.gov

To volunteer, please contact Leon County Volunteer Services **(850) 606-1970** • BushJ@LeonCountyFL.gov

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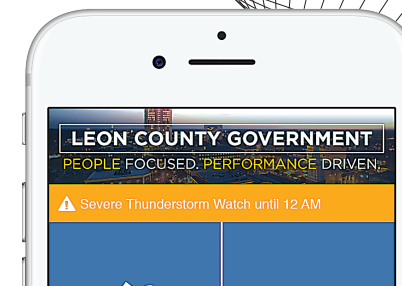
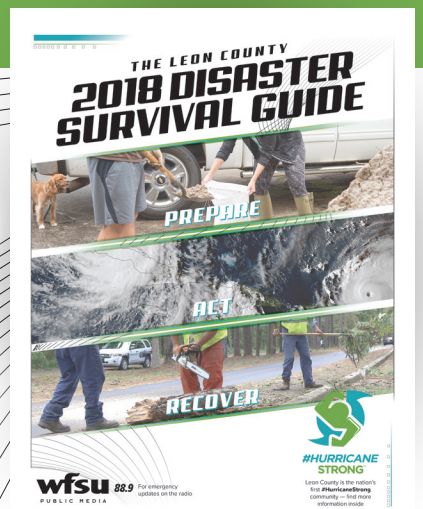
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Leon County Citizens Connect



MORE RAINY WEATHER, MORE MOSQUITOES

Drain & Cover!

Leon County and the Florida Department of Health in Leon County remind you to please drain and cover to help reduce mosquitoes.

With the increased amounts of rain, we encourage you to take the necessary precautions to reduce the amount of contact with mosquitoes. The best way to prevent mosquito-borne diseases is to stop mosquitoes from living and multiplying around your home or business.

Protect yourself and your family with these easy steps:

- Drain standing water to stop mosquitoes from multiplying.
- Cover your skin with clothing and use EPA approved mosquito repellent.
- Cover doors and windows with screens to keep mosquitoes out.

If you have further questions or want an informational handout, visit: www.FloridaHealth.gov or call Leon County Mosquito Control at **(850) 606-1400**