



# The Leon County

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## JUNIOR APPRENTICESHIP

Earn a paycheck while working with a Leon County staff member in a skilled career field. Applications are open now for the Spring 2024 semester for the following positions:

- Automotive Services
- Computer-Aided Design (CAD)
- Construction Contract Management
- Graphic Design
- Information Technology
- Emergency Medical Services (EMS)
- Medical Administration



**WANTED**

**High School Juniors & Seniors!**

Application Deadline  
**OCTOBER 31**



Visit [LeonCountyFL.gov/JuniorApprentice](https://LeonCountyFL.gov/JuniorApprentice) to learn more and apply by October 31.



**PREPARE ACT RECOVER**

## Hurricane Season Isn't Over Yet!

Leon County encourages residents to be Leon Ready this hurricane season. Check out these free resources to help keep yourself, your family, and your neighbors prepared:



- Visit [LeonReady.com](https://LeonReady.com), a hub of disaster resilience resources.
- Register for a **Neighborhood Readiness Training** led by Emergency Management experts for unincorporated County neighborhoods.
- Pick up a **2023 Leon County Disaster Survival Guide** containing critical information to know before, during, and after a disaster from your nearest Leon County Public Library location.
- Register for **Leon Alerts**, time-sensitive emergency messages to your email or phone related to incidents, such as severe weather and evacuations.
- Download the **Citizens Connect App**, Leon County's best source for emergency news and alerts.



To make a plan, build a disaster bucket, sign up to receive Leon County Emergency Alerts, and so much more, visit [LeonReady.com](https://LeonReady.com).



## LAWYERS IN THE LIBRARY

SECOND THURSDAY OF THE MONTH  
5-7 P.M.

LEON COUNTY MAIN LIBRARY

Legal Services of North Florida staff and attorneys can offer free legal information or help eligible clients apply for legal services. Citizens should bring documentation and paperwork related to their legal questions.

Learn more at [LeonCountyLibrary.org](https://LeonCountyLibrary.org).



## Help Those Experiencing Homelessness

Leon County is a community that cares. We're always eager to help those in need yet offering money or food to people in the middle of the road is neither safe for drivers nor pedestrians. A safer and more effective approach is to donate via [BigBendCoC.org](https://BigBendCoC.org). Your contributions will be used to provide food, clothing, and shelter to individuals and families experiencing homelessness.

FOR YOUR SAFETY AND THEIRS,  
**PLEASE DO NOT GIVE TO PERSONS IN THE ROADWAY.**

CONTRIBUTE TO SOLUTIONS

[BIGBENDCOC.ORG](https://BigBendCoC.org)

## PRACTICE YOGA AT THE LIBRARY

Improve your fitness, mobility, and relaxation with Yoga at the Library. Bring your own mat and enjoy a one-hour class.

**EASTSIDE BRANCH LIBRARY**  
Second Thursday of the Month  
5:30-6:30 p.m.

**LEON COUNTY MAIN LIBRARY**  
Last Thursday of the Month  
5:30-6:30 p.m.

Register at [LeonCountyLibrary.org](https://LeonCountyLibrary.org).

# YOGA at the Library



**LEON COUNTY VOLUNTEER FIRE TRUCK ROUND UP**  
26<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2023**  
10 A.M. – 1 P.M.

**TOM BROWN PARK**  
EASTERWOOD DRIVE  
(BY DOG PARK NEAR LAKE LEON)

★ ★ ★ FREE FOOD ★ GAMES ★ MUSIC & MORE

Visit [TallahasseeArts.org](https://TallahasseeArts.org) for COCA's Calendar of Events

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## BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SCHEDULE OCTOBER 2023

<b>TUESDAY 10</b>	3:00 p.m.	<b>Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting</b> County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers – 301 S. Monroe Street
<b>TUESDAY 10</b>	6:00 p.m.	<b>Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing</b> County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers – 301 S. Monroe Street
<b>TUESDAY 17</b>	1:30 p.m.	<b>Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency Regular Meeting</b> City Commission Chambers – 300 S. Adams Street
<b>TUESDAY 24</b>	1:00 p.m.	<b>Board of County Commissioners Legislative Priorities Workshop</b> County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers – 301 S. Monroe Street

Live television broadcasts of Board of County Commissioners meetings are available on Comcast channel 16, the Leon County Florida channel on Roku, the County's Facebook page, YouTube channel, X/Twitter and [LeonCountyFL.gov](https://LeonCountyFL.gov).

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