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Palm of the Month

PICCABEEN PALM (ARCHONTOPHOENIX CUNNINGHAMIANA)

The considerably cold-hardy Piccabeen Palm features long, sweeping palm fronds atop a smooth, gray trunk and a parrot-green crown shaft. Although it's considered moderately drought-tolerant once established, a Piccabeen will also thrive with regular watering. The aging brown fronds of this East Australian native palm fall off without being trimmed which reduces the need for maintenance. You'll find Piccabeen Palms on McIntosh Road and Central Sarasota Parkway



News You Can Use

PORTRAIT OF A BRIDE

P.E.O (Philanthropic Education Organization) International's Chapter IZ, a nonprofit organization is hosting a "Portrait of a Bride", a social history of American Woman as told through their Wedding Finery. **Tomorrow, November 21st. Exhibit opens at 11am. – Luncheon at 12 noon** at the Stoneybrook Country Club, 8801 Stoneybrook Blvd. View an exquisite display of 40 wedding gowns from 1886 to present. For more information or to obtain tickets, please call (941) 484-8963 or email: <u>PEObridalshow@gmail.com</u>.

BINGO AT STONEYBROOK – EVERY TUESDAY!

Every Tuesday from 5:30pm to 9pm, Stoneybrook Golf & Country Club features BINGO!! Buffet - \$18.95++. Please call (941) 918-9595 for reservations.

Grounds Corner

SARASOTA COUNTY REPAIR WORK

As you may have noticed, Sarasota County workers are making repairs to a weir structure along the east side of McIntosh Road, to the south of Sarasota Square Boulevard. Anticipate sidewalk and lane closures as crews make the necessary repairs. County crews anticipate the work to be complete in time for the Thanksgiving holiday, weather permitting.

SARASOTA COUNTY TREE TRIMMING

County crews continue trimming street trees along the county-owned roadways of Palmer Ranch. Crews are currently trimming trees along the roadsides of Northridge Road. Once completed, crews will be trimming along McIntosh Road. Expect lanes to be closed while trimming is done in some areas. Please use caution in work areas.



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Save the Date

FLORIDA SCRUB JAY FESTIVAL -SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2016





LEGACY TRAIL RUN – SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2016 – SEE ATTACHED FLYER

Community Spotlight



THE GLENRIDGE ON PALMER RANCH

As the nation's first Life Fulfilling Community, located on Palmer Ranch, The Glenridge has created a unique and distinctive brand,

taking traditional retirement living to a whole new dimension. With all the grandeur of a resort hotel, The Glenridge rises magnificently

against the Sarasota sky on the beautiful west coast of Florida. In a pristine 90-acre setting the community bears with distinction its status as the flagship of retirement living for a new generation. Nothing here is about "yesterday", like a traditional retirement community. Everything is about tomorrow, with a focus on retirement planning,



lifelong learning, and long-term care. That's the essence of this Life Fulfilling Community and the reason why more than 400 members now call it home.

FLORIDA SCRUB-JAY FESTIVAL Saturday February 13, 2016 10:00 - 4:00 Oscar Scherer State Park

Children's Crafts & Games Face Painting Live Music & Presentations Vendors & Food Environmental Exhibits Guided Nature Walks Tram Tours



2016 Scrub-jay Festival information - friendsofoscarscherer.com/SJfestival 17th annual Scrub-jay 5&10K information and to register online - active.com

Oscar Scherer State Park, 1843 South Tamiami Trail, Osprey, FL 34229 For more information call 941.483.5956



Save the Date! Legacy Trail Run Sunday February 28, 2016

- Chip-timed 5K/12K runs
- One mile fun run/walk
- Kid's races

Runs start at 8 am - Potter Park in Palmer Ranch.

5K will go from Potter Park to The Legacy Trail and back.

12K will go from Potter Park to

The Legacy Trail, on the Trail to Osprey Junction Trailhead and back.

One mile fun run/walk will be on the Potter Park Trail.

Kid's races will be in Potter Park.

Friends of The Legacy Trail is partnering with Sarasota YMCA Evalyn Sadlier Jones Branch on this event.

Proceeds will be used for the Visitor Center Project at Osprey Junction Trailhead Park.

Early registration now available on Active.com

