



## ON THE RANCH NEWSLETTER – OCTOBER 9, 2015

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### News You Can Use

#### HOLIDAY HOURS FOR THE MASTER ASSOCIATION

The Master Association Office will be closed on **Monday, October 12** in observance of Columbus Day, reopening at 8am on **Tuesday, October 13**.

#### FRIENDS OF POTTER PARK

It's not by magic that the area of Potter Park has been transformed over the years! It's the hard work of your own friends and neighbors! Below are some samples of Potter Park before and after their handy work. Do you have a few hours to donate to a worthy cause? The team could use you!! The date of the next Potter Park work session will be **Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at 9am**. If you've any questions about the Friends of Potter Park or would like to volunteer, please contact Carol at [floridacarol6@comcast.net](mailto:floridacarol6@comcast.net).



Kiosk area – Before



Kiosk area – After



Pavilion – Before



Pavilion – After

#### YMCA FALL FEST – FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16 FROM 5PM TO 8PM

Free and open to the public! Evalyn Sadlier Jones YMCA, will be hosting a Fall Fest, **Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup> from 5pm-8pm**. Food for purchase, hayride, games, waterpark, trick-or-treat, crafts, etc. YMCA is located at 8301 Potter Park Drive, Sarasota. For more information, call (941)922-9622.

#### 2015 CAI FALL GOLF TOURNAMENT

**Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>** is the date for the CAI Fall Golf Tournament to be held at Heritage Oaks Golf & Country Club, 4800 Chase Oaks Drive, Sarasota. 7:00am – Registration & continental breakfast; 8:00am Shotgun Start – Scramble Format. Lunch and awards banquet to follow. Registration fee: \$100 for CAI members; \$110 for non-CAI members. Lunch for non-golfers is \$35. Register online at [www.caiwestflorida.org](http://www.caiwestflorida.org) or call (941) 927-1910.



#### FALL FESTIVAL AT COVENANT LIFE CHURCH

Mark your calendars now for **Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup> from 5pm - 7:30pm!** Covenant Life Church is hosting a Free Fall Festival. Covenant Life is located at 8490 McIntosh Road, Sarasota. There will be music, games, food and we will end the evening with a fun hoedown. Come on out and join the fun!!!

**PET LOVERS - PALMER RANCH PARKS COMMITTEE NEEDS YOUR FEEDBACK!**



As some may know, the Master Association Parks Committee has been working with County officials on a plan to build a ‘Paw Park’ at the Culverhouse Nature Park on McIntosh Road. Once constructed, the Paw Park would serve the needs of dog owners and friends on Palmer Ranch as well as central Sarasota County. The committee would like to share how much interest we have for the Paw Park project with county officials. We need to hear from you!!! Please take a moment to send an email, with your comments, to Carrie Augusto at the Master Association office: [prma.carrie@verizon.net](mailto:prma.carrie@verizon.net).

**Community Spotlight**

**ARIELLE ON PALMER RANCH**

Situated amongst 38 acres and featuring 2 lakes and 9 acres of nature preserves, you’ll find the gated condominium community of Arielle on Palmer Ranch. Built by DiVosta in 2003 and 2004, Arielle features 192 carriage homes, heated community pool / spa and a grill area for the grill masters.



**Grounds Corner**

**OCTOBERFEST – FALL MAINTENANCE ON PALMER RANCH**

The fall landscape maintenance is in full swing, albeit with a soggy start. Here is the anticipated schedule, subject to weather conditions and accessibility due to conditions.

- Cabbage Palm Pruning – in process, through to October 16
- Ryegrass Seed – October 12 to October 16
- Mulch Preparation & Installation – October 19 to October 28

**SARASOTA COUNTY TREE TRIMMING**

Over the next two months, county crews will be trimming street trees along the county-owned roadways of Palmer Ranch. Beginning the week of October 12, county crews will be working in the medians and roadsides on Honore Avenue. Expect interior lanes to be closed while trimming is done on the medians. Once work is completed on Honore, crews will move to Sawyer Loop and then to Northridge Road. Please use caution in work areas.