Wedgefield Community News

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PUBLIC NOTICE of Two Important Upcoming Votes

Thursday, 11/9/23, 5-9PM, Wedgefield Golf Club (20550 Maxim, Orlando, FL 32833):

Member voting day for HOA Bylaw and Declaration Amendments (open vote time, no meeting)

Thursday, 12/14/23, 7PM Wedgefield Golf Club (20550 Maxim, Orlando, FL 32833):

HOA Annual Membership Meeting and Board Elections

See Page 11 of this Newsletter for more details about both votes

[Note: The 12/14/23 deviates from our normal "3rd Thursday", to not be too close to the Holidays]

Amendments are Posted for Preview/Limited Proxy Voting

Those who wish to preview the upcoming Bylaw and Declaration Amendments can do so at wedgefieldhomeowners.com/amendments. Questions or comments can be directed to vote@wedgefieldhomeowners.com or any current Board member as listed on Page 2. Only members can vote, but you can join up to the night of the vote. Your attendance at the vote on 11/9/23 or completing and returning a limited proxy vote is very important.

Approximately 120 yes votes (at press time) are needed to pass any item up for vote, and all items are independent (some could pass while others might not). If you are an elderly or disabled member and cannot make the vote, email vote@wedgefieldhomeowners.com to request a limited proxy vote with Board pickup at your home, starting October 2nd.

Any members with an address of record outside of 32833 will be mailed a limited proxy ballot on October 2. Members within 32833 have been getting repeated notice through multiple Newsletters mailed to all 32833 homes.

No-charge Animal Variances are Available

Animal variance forms are now available for those homeowners and renters who have outside animals other than dogs and cats (and a limited number of horses in the estates), which are already allowed in the deed restrictions. These variances will be processed initially with no payments due as requested at a recent meeting, and homeowners and renters are encouraged to get their forms filed by November 1. Forms can be found at wedgefieldhomeowners.com/animalvariances.

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NEXT HOA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

2023 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Preferred contact is by email as it is more easily documented and forwarded than phone calls. There are no HOA-handled "emergencies"; those should be directed to 911.

Kelly Hoffman, President

president@wedgefieldhomeowners.com

Lynette Jones, Vice President

vicepresident@wedgefieldhomeowners.com

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treasurer@wedgefieldhomeowners.com

Judy Miller, Secretary

secretary@wedgefieldhomeowners.com

Arthur Brown, Director

Helen Barger, Director

Mike Nolan, Director

Rob Werner, Director

Terry Hoffman, Director

Tom Walyus, Director

Additional Board Email Contacts:

ACC@wedgefieldhomeowners.com codeenf@wedgefieldhomeowners.com vote@wedgefieldhomeowners.com candidates@wedgefieldhomeowners.com newsletter@wedgefieldhomeowners.com

Emergencies: 911

Suspicious Activity: (407) 836-4357, then (407) 679-6644

Parking Complaints: 311 or (407) 836-0800 or Suggestion Box*

Other Code/Zoning Issues: 311 or Suggestion Box*

Other Items: Email Board Members (see above)

*Located in Clubhouse Lobby, Above Rack (20550 Maxim Pkwy)

Community Calendar: wedgefieldhomeowners.com/events
Official Website: wedgefieldhomeowners.com
Official FB Page: facebook.com/WedgefieldFLHOA
Official FB Group: facebook.com/groups/WedgefieldFLHOAMembers

2023 WEDGEFIELD HOA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING SCHEDULE

Located at the Wedgefield Clubhouse, 7 PM

October 19th, 2023 November 9th, 2023* November 16th, 2023 December 14th, 2023

*Special Vote Meeting, 5-9 PM

Wedgefield Homeowners Association 2023 Membership Application

\$50.00 per calendar year

Name of Voting Member	
Address	
City, State, Zip Code	
Phone Number	
Email Address	
Online at: wedgefieldhomeov	vners.com/membership
Completed form & check mai Wedgefield Homeow PO Box 905, Christm	led to: vners Association
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ADVERTISEMENT RATES

Effective October 1st, 2023

NEW! 2024 Ad Rotation - each quarter, ads will rotate from back to front, front to middle, and middle to back to balance exposure.

Ad Size	Quarterly*
Business Card (3 1/8" W x 1 3/4" H)	\$129.00
1/4 Page (3 5/8" W x 4 1/2" H)	\$273.00
1/2 Page (7 ½" W x 4 ½" H)	\$501.00
3/4 Page (7 ½" W x 6 ½" H)	\$663.00
Full Page (7 ½" W x 9 ½" H)	\$846.00

^{*}Ads run standard calendar quarters (Q1-Q4)

Advertisement Payment Methods

Online at: wedgefieldhomeowners.com/other-payments-or-fees
Mailed to: Wedgefield Homeowners Association
PO Box 905, Christmas, FL 32709

All ads must be received and paid for by the 10^{th} of the month before the quarter the ad will run (i.e. Q1 must be paid by December 10^{th} , as we send the January edition to the printer on December 15^{th}).

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Real Estate STATISTICS for Wedgefield (City/Reserve/Estates) as of 8/31/23

Compiled from Stellar MLS data by Kelly Hoffman, FL REALTOR®, EXIT Real Estate Results



HOMES, on 1 Acre +	# Sales	<u> Sold \$</u>	Sold \$/SF	Days to Contract	<u>Year Built</u>	<u>Heated SF</u>
High Sold \$: August 1-31, 2023	9	\$1,100,000	\$270	86	2007	4,079
Low Sold \$: August 1-31, 2023	9	\$510,000	\$298	25	2004	1,712
Column Avgs.: August 1-31, 2022	4	\$705,000	\$289	27	2007 (2000-2021)	2,444
HOMES, under 1 Acre	# Sales	<u> Sold \$</u>	Sold \$/SF	Days to Contract	Year Built	Heated SF
High Sold \$: August 1-31, 2023	8	\$640,000	\$203	26	2006	3,168
Low Sold \$: August 1-31, 2023	8	\$285,000	\$238	57	2004	1,202
Column Avgs.: August 1-31, 2022	7	\$393,978	\$215	29	2000 (1979-2022)	1,831
LAND ONLY	# Sales	<u> Sold \$</u>	Price/SF	Days to Contract	Dimensions	Lot Size SF
High Sold \$: August 1-31, 2023	7	\$200,000	\$1.77	485	180x630	113,400 (2.6A)
Low Sold \$: August 1-31, 2023	7	\$70,565	\$1.33	21	105x507	53,143 (1.22A)
Column Avgs.: August 1-31, 2022	9	\$101,422	\$1.89	93	NA	58,661 (1.35A)

The high & low property stats for the latest month & previous year averages are shown. If you have questions, need help buying, selling or investing in real estate, or have considered a REALTOR® career, I am happy to provide more information.

Kelly Hoffman, EXIT Real Estate Results, 260-450-6765 (8AM-10PM, text or call) -OR- kellyworksforyou@gmail.com





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WEDGE BAR & GRILLE INFORMATION

BAR & GRILLE HOURS: MO 4-9P, TU-WE 4-8P, TH-SU 11A-8P

[Close times vary between 8P to 11P, based on customer business levels]

Entertainment every Friday starting at 7 or 8PM*

*See wedgefieldhomeowners.com/events OR facebook.com/WedgefieldGolfClubandRestaurant for more specifics about the entertainment and events happening here all week long...

BINGO

Mondays @ 6:30pm



Bring your family and friends!

A sheet has 3 plays on it. 5 games, cash prizes. Sheet price by game: G1: \$1, G2&G4: 2 for \$3, G3: 3 for \$5, G5: 1 for \$5. Dauber for sale \$3.

FOOD TRUCKS EVERY TUESDAY at the CLUBHOUSE 4:30-7:30pm

Clubhouse Bar and Kitchen are open.







PUBLIC GOLF RATES

MO-FR until 1P MO-FR after 1P \$37 \$22 \$33 \$22 SA-SU until 1P SA-SU after 1P \$42 \$22 \$33 \$22

GOLF MEMBERSHIPS

Individual: \$305.00 per month incl. tax
Couple: \$445.00 per month incl. tax
Family: \$500.00 per month incl. tax

Includes: · Preferred Carts and Tee Times
· Green and Cart Fees · Range Balls
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Walker: \$165.00 per month incl. tax (\$10/round cart fee when walkers want one)

Wedgefield Golf Club and The Wedge Bar & Grille

20550 Maxim Parkway, Orlando, FL 32833 Phone: 407-568-2116 www.wedgefieldgolf.net



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meeting in Wedgefield

For more info visit: eobcfl.org

Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching. Hebrews 10:25











2023 Membership-Related Income Statement Cash basis, Aug YTD, 2023 Prepared by Bev Werner, Treasurer

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Membership Fees collected in 2023 (214)	\$10,702.69
2023 Memberships paid in 2022 (17)	\$850.00
August YTD Cash Outflows	\$11,552.69
Newsletter Expenses	\$32,080.25
Less Advertising Revenue Offset	(\$25,500.81)
Net Newsletter Expenses	\$6,579.44
Acctg Fees, Office Supplies, Licenses, Storage	\$6,475.37
Website	2,073.64
Front Entrance Maint, Repairs, Utilities	\$1,502.67
Less Median Fund donations	(1,060.00)
Net Front Entrance Expenses	\$442.67
Event Expense/(Income)	(\$151.05)
Total August YTD Cash Outflows	\$15,420.07
Membership Shortfall through August	(\$3,867.38)
Projected Sept-Dec Expenses	
Newsletter Expenses	\$13,580
Less Advertising Revenue Offset	(\$13,352)
Net Newsletter Expenses	\$228
Acctg, Fees, Office Supplies, Licenses	\$648
Website	\$600
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Net Front Entrance Maint, Repairs, Utilities	\$220
Events-self funding	\$0
Insurance (Mandatory)	\$9,000
Total Projected Expenses	\$10,696
Projected Year-End Shortfall	(\$14,563)
Goal: Memberships cover the above expenses	
\$50 memberships needed to cover shortfall	290
290 + 231 (Current)=521 521/2800 homes =	18.6%
Aug YTD Estoppel and ACC (Income less Expenses)	\$21,775.02
Projected (20/month less PP fees)	\$11,920.00
Projected Year-End Estoppel & ACC (Inc-Exp)	\$33,695.02
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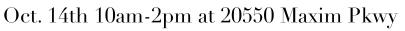


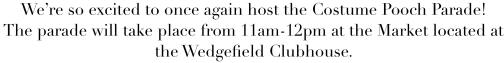
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Wedgefield Market





Check out the Wedgefield Market Facebook page for the **Sign Up** page, all upcoming info on the Pooch Parade and our awesome **Sponsors!**



We have amazing Farmer/Artisan vendors you don't want to miss! Kids can dress in costumes and visit vendor booths for special treats!









Special Meeting to Vote on Amendments to Bylaws and Declarations (Revised 9/15/23)

Thursday, 11/9/23, Wedgefield Golf Club, 5-9PM (open voting hours, no business meeting)

- Proposed amendments are posted at wedgefieldhomeowners.com/amendments.
- If members have feedback on amendments, please email vote@wedgefieldhomeowners.com.
- Only members of record before Thursday, 11/9/23, at 9PM can vote (can join that night).
- Homeowners AND Renters can become members; renters can vote only if owners do not.
- A lot can have a maximum of 2 memberships per lot, each paying \$50/calendar year dues.
- \$50 membership is for one voter. Current couple memberships need to specify the voter, or both join.
- Vote in person with photo ID on 11/9/23 at the Wedgefield Golf Club anytime during the hours of 5-9PM; if the address on your ID is not current, please bring a current utility bill showing your current address.
- If voting by limited proxy (voter fills out and returns ballot in advance), you will need to show your ID when submitting your proxy locally to any Board member. Elderly or disabled can request Board pickup.
- Proxies will be mailed on October 2 to members of record with addresses outside of the 32833 zip code.
- For members in the 32833 zip code, special meeting notice has been delivered in multiple Newsletters.
- Your voter ballot will be printed for the 11/9 vote night, unless a limited proxy is requested by 11/1/23.
- Proxy requests or questions can be emailed to vote@wedgefieldhomeowners.com. For proxy requests please provide your name and address, and if you need an elderly/disabled pickup by a Board member.

Annual Meeting to Elect Directors and Officers to open Board Positions and Approve the HOA Budget and Annual Dues (Revised 9/15/23)

Thursday, 12/14/23, Wedgefield Golf Club, 7PM

Board positions: The following open Board positions will be up for vote on 12/14/23. They will also be posted in October on the website and Facebook page, and have appeared in Newsletters. Each position is <u>a two-year term</u>.

Vice President – shall assume the duties of the President in his/her absence. Currently in charge of the weekly mail pickup in Christmas, running a committee, and will need to assist with Newsletter and Webpage.

Secretary – shall record minutes of meetings and such other functions as requested by the President or the Board. May also be asked to head or assist on a committee.

3 Directors – shall exercise corporate powers; biggest needs are in Web Design and Code Enforcement

- All Board positions require attending 2-3 meetings a month (1st and 3rd TH 7PM, and usually 1 other)
- Members can self-nominate anytime up to the time of the vote. In order to stand for an Office or Director, an individual must be a member in good standing. Directors and Officers shall serve as volunteers without compensation.
- Members can submit a personal statement to be posted in October on the HOA website and linked to the Facebook page.
- To nominate, send your name, position desired, and personal statement (optional) to candidates@wedgefieldhomeowners.com.

Budget and Dues: Proposed HOA budget and annual dues will be posted no later than 12/1/23 on the website and Facebook page.

Voting questions can be sent to vote@wedgefieldhomeowners.com

Budget questions can be sent to treasurer@wedgefieldhomeowners.com

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Wedgefield Yards of the Month

Top Pick of the Month:

19000 Peabody St - We found a nice use of bamboo lining the canal with mature trees surrounding the property. Topped off with Foxtail palms that showcase the entrance to the home.

Honorable Mentions:

19602 Peabody - Well maintained and put together.

19430 Sarnundham - Had a great pop of color with the burgundy shrubs against the Keywest vibe and Aqua paint.

19451 Peabody - Beautiful mature trees, very well maintained. Plantings that accent the front door set off the well-kept feel of this home.

19743 Quarterly - Front pond and swans are alway a pleasure to look at. Everything is outstanding at this home.

19200 Quinella - A vast estate that is perfectly maintained comes to mind as you look upon this property.

19800 Quinella - We find this home always beautifully maintained. It has it all, including a lovely pond.

19501 Quinlan - Simply well-maintained. Just perfect.

19020 Ralson - You will find a winding driveway that leads to a deep set home on a gorgeous wooded lot. There is a wide variety of well maintained trees. You can see the work that goes into this property.

19411 Ralston - You will find a stunning stone fence adorned by a rustic weathered gate. The gate leads you to a curved drive with a hidden gazebo as you peer through the gate. Most eye-appealing fence in the neighborhood.

19731 Ralston - This lovely New Home gets our #1 Hallmark house in the hood. It shows the love and decorating talent the owner has. We can't wait to see what they pick for the landscaping.

19301 Reynolds - Very nice curb appeal.

19206 Robertson - Nicely put together. The burgundy bushes add a nice pop of color and a cute low-lying fence sets it off.

19825 Robertson - A beautiful house of colors from the many flowers.

19202 Sable - Simply perfect curb appeal.

Submitted by the Wedgefield Garden Club

Join us for our next meeting: October 21st at 11 AM, Wedgefield Golf Club, 20550 Maxim Pkwy







Firewise.org "Saving Lives and Property from Wildfire"

Join us at the next Wedgefield Firewise Meeting:

October 10th, 2PM RDD office (19950 Nugent St)

Search Facebook for our "Wedgefield Firewise Information" Page or go to facebook.com/groups/wedgefieldfirewiseinformation

Contact Guide - Who Should I Contact?

Entity OC Sheriff
Contact1: 911 (emergencies)
Contact2: 407-836-4357 (non)
Contact 3:

Type: Suspected Crime
Noise 10P-7A
Speeding
Donuts/Drag Racing
ATVs
Large Trucks (In Motion)

Animal Control/Abuse
Non-street legal vehicles

Orange County
OC 311 App
Call "311"
407-836-0800

Rentals under 180 Days (AirBNB) RV or 24'+ boat without a permit RV not in back yard/not screened Semis and Large Truck Stored Junk or Unregistered Vehicles Weeds and High Grass Sea Containers and Debris Parking on medians/right of way Storing RV/Boat for others No use permit for activities No building permits Dual rear wheel vehicles Trash and Debris Unsafe structures/pools Signage/Speed Control Requests Curb/Road Repairs

HOA (enforcement increased in August) codeenf@wedgefieldhomeowners.com president@wedgefieldhomeowners.com

(There are no HOA-handled emergencies)

Architectural Violations
Cars on Lawns (more than a few hours)
Campers/Boats in Driveways
Fences in Disrepair
Rec. Eqt./Trailers > 72 hours in 30 days
Parking on medians/right of way
Trash cans out > 24 hours
Smell or noise nuisances (chronic)
Animal type/qty without a variance

PLURIS WATER PURCHASE UPDATE By Sheila Mayhew

At the Mayor and Board of Commissioners meeting on Tuesday, September 12th, 2023, the Board unanimously voted <u>in favor of</u> moving forward with Phase III of the Pluris Water project. What does this mean for the residents? This means that an <u>actual</u> <u>appraisal of the property will be done</u>, along with a draft agreement, and finding out what is tangible and intangible property. Once the appraisal is completed, the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners will revisit the project to determine if it should move forward.

The benefit of this phase of the project is that we, the customers, will have a more accurate figure to help us make a much better-informed decision with regards to moving forward.

If you were unable to attend any of the meetings at the school, please view the presentation at the YouTube link below:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v= bWruVuXnZs

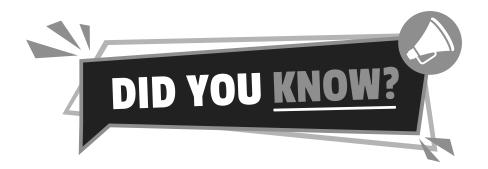
In the meantime, we can do the following to show the Board that we are supporting moving forward with the project:

- 1. Email or call the mayor's and commissioners' offices (that information was included in the last water bill, but if you need it, please email Sheila Mayhew at sheilamayhew@bellsouth.net and she can provide you with the information)
- 2. Talk to your neighbors and let them know what is going on and how they can help.
- 3. Post on Facebook, NextDoor and other social media, making residents aware.
- 4. Rally community support
- 5. Stay informed and updated on the current situation

I will be in contact with Commissioner Bonilla's office to find out what we are planning to do to rally the support of the community. Once I find out any information, it will be posted on Nextdoor and Facebook.

If anyone has any questions with regard to this topic, please call Mr. Joseph Stalcup at 407-254-9995 or me at (954) 839-5976. You can also email Mr. Stalcup at Joseph.Stalcup@ocfl.net or email me at sheilamayhew@bellsouth.net. If you email Mr. Stalcup, could you please cc: me on the email, as I am overseeing this for our community.

Thank you, Sheila Mayhew



Without the 2002 Deed Restrictions, the following are some of the land uses that would be allowed on Estate lots under Orange County A-1 or A-2 zoning:

Single family residences with living area as low as 800 square feet

Mobile homes for residential purposes on properties 2 acres or more; 38-79(4)(1)

<u>Group homes</u> for 6 or fewer residents which otherwise meets the definition of a community residential home shall be deemed a single-family unit and a noncommercial, residential use, and would be allowed in single-family or multifamily zoning; 38-79(12)

<u>Family foster homes</u> - A private residence licensed by the state department of health and rehabilitative services pursuant to F.S. § 409.175, in which children, who are unattended by a parent or legal guardian, are provided twenty-four-hour care.

<u>Borrow pits</u> (digging a hole and selling the dirt) would be allowed subject to meeting the requirements of Chapter 16 (Excavation and Fill) and Ranger Drainage District rules; 38-79(57)

<u>Dead storage yards</u> would be allowed where materials, vehicles and equipment could be stored provided outdoor storage of equipment or commodities is screened from public rights-of-way and single-family residences, and provided all materials, vehicles and equipment stored is removed from the site at least once every six months; 38-79(58)

<u>Building material storage and sales</u> would be a permitted use, provided that the material is new (it shall not be used material or junk); 38-79(99)

The following are some activities NOT currently covered by the Deed Restrictions nor enforced by the WHOA, but instead are subject to County Ordinances and Enforcement:

- Traffic violations (e.g., speeding, running traffic lights and stop signs, reckless operation)
- Operation of unlicensed vehicles, ATVs, golf carts on county roads and sidewalks
- Parking on public right-of-way
- Engaging in short-term rentals in residences or accessory dwelling units
- Use or keeping of temporary portable storage containers (TPSC)
- High grass and weeds



The Wedgefield NHW is strictly watch and report. No pursuit, No patrol, No confrontation JUST WATCH & REPORT.

During the month of AUGUST to the present date of SEPTEMBER 10, 2023, based on Orange County Sheriff's crime statistics and individual reports not yet reflected in the statistics, there were no listed property crimes. To be exact, the website has been down for almost a month.

I received 3 phone calls; 2 were referred to 311 and the last one to the box in the hallway because she was a neighbor and wanted to remain anonymous.

We are approaching the SAW Palmetto Berry picking season. If you observe anyone along the side of the road picking berries (dragging large canvas bags in the palmettos) do call OCSO. If you are unable to get a response, call FWC at (888) 404-3922. Berry pickers need to have FWC permits and, of course, permission to be on the property.

On a different note, this year's Neighborhood Watch Night Out will be celebrated in the grassy area of the Wedgefield Clubhouse from 5 to 8 PM on October 3, 2023. A signup table for those who are not getting monthly crime reports will have the added attraction of the Tuesday FOOD TRUCKS. This is an ideal opportunity to meet your neighbors on this special night. Turn on your lights and lock up. Hope to see you there on October 3, 2023.

AGAIN, SPECIAL THANKS to Denise Grage, our NEW NHW Coordinator, for assuming this responsibility and keeping our NHW Facebook page neighborly.

To report a crime in progress, fire or medical emergency: Dial 911. To report suspicious activity or a crime committed: Dial 407-836-HELP (4357). After dialing the appropriate OCSO Number, call PHIL UNSER at 407-679-6644 (24hrs).







Halloween Parade Info

This year's parade will be held on **October 28**, **at 7PM**. If you are participating in the parade, please line up starting at 6PM at the Wedgefield Golf & Country Club. There will be designated areas for different vehicles to line up. The Side by sides, UTV/ATV, on the left-hand side of the parking lot (Maxim side) are very tight. The golf carts very tight on the right-hand side of the parking lot (by the club house) and close out with decorated trailers down Melville & Ardon St. Please don't block people's driveways. Please look for people with the yellow safety vest & light sticks to get you in line. If you have a golf cart and want to be with friends with side by side/ UTV then you need to line up with the side by side.

We will leave promptly at 7PM. Keep in mind that the restaurant is open for business (maybe grab an early dinner and support them). Get there early.

Who can participate:

Decorated Golf Carts
Decorated side by sides;
Decorated UTV/ATVs

Trucks **ONLY **if pulling a decorated trailer

Who cannot participate:

Cars/Jeeps

Trucks not pulling a decorated trailer Motorcycles/Dirt bikes/2-wheeled anything Any UNDECORATED vehicle of any kind Animals

Don't have an eligible vehicle for the parade????? A great way to be in on the action is to volunteer to help direct traffic. Please contact me on Facebook. As always, participation is at your own risk, please keep everyone's safety in mind.



Candy: Please keep in mind that the tossing of candy is completely optional. We will be collecting candy donations to provide to the first responders. The following houses you can drop off any candy you have for the first responders: 20138 Sheldon, 20820 Maxim and 5253 Bancroft. If you choose to toss candy, please wait until the parade has left the clubhouse parking lot and you have completely crossed Maxim.

For residents traveling in and out of Wedgefield between 7PM and 9PM on the night of the parade, I encourage you to use Macon Parkway so you don't get held up during the parade.

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NEWS AND VIEWS ON HEALTH & LIFE INSURANCE 10/2023

1. UPDATE ON COVID-19

- a. The CDC recommends updated COVID-19 vaccine for the fall/winter virus season.
- b. The CDC recommends everyone 6 months and older get an updated COVID-19 vaccine to protect against the potentially serious outcomes of COVID-19 illness this fall.
- c. These vaccines are the updated formula 2023-2024 Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech and Novavax SCOVID-19.
- d. People who are moderately or severely immunocomprised include CHF, CAD, COOP, Diabetes, Cancer, etc. This population needs to seriously weigh the benefits of mRNA vaccination. Seniors over age 60 are at increased risk.
- e. Always consult with your PCP for guidance on vaccination.
- 2. The new formulation for the flu vaccination is now available.
- 3. There is a RSV vaccine. RSV produces cold like symptoms. This highly contagious virus is easily spread by young children in elementary school. This rapidly spreads through the family.

4. HEALTH INSURANCE OPEN ENROLLMENT

- a. October 1st through December 31, 2023, is the open enrollment period time for consumers with MAGI incomes over 400% of FPL. This is the Off-Marketplace health insurance.
- b. October 15th to December 7th, 2023, is the Medicare AEP or Annual Enrollment Period. Medicare beneficiaries can change health insurance plans and or insurance carriers during this time.
- c. November 1st through January 15th, 2024, is the open enrollment period, OEP, for consumers with MAGI incomes between 100% to 400% of the FPL.
- d. January 1st to March 31 is the Medicare Open Enrollment Period, OEP, where Medicare Advantage Plan changes can be made.
- e. CMS has created new rules for the ACA Marketplace plans. All the insurance carriers have to reduce the number of plans offered to four per metal level and network. All consumers will be notified by the insurers of new plans that they will be migrated to. The benefits in these new plans need to be equal or greater in benefits. As long as there is no change in networks there should be no problem with continuing with your doctors.
- f. CMS regulations also state that if providers change their contract networks this is not a special election for the consumer to change their insurance out of open enrollment.
- g. A new CMS regulation governing Medicare and Marketplace plans requires that the agent record the enrollment with the consumer. This is an approach to combat fraud and unethical practices by dishonest agents. During open enrollment some agents are licensed in all 50 states, and they use telemarketing tactics that may harm consumers. Requiring that calls be recorded should ensure that ethical agents are calling consumers. The best practice is only to talk with trusted agents that live in Florida.

A complementary consultation on matters of Medicare, Health and Life Insurance is available:

Thomas Walyus, licensed agent; 407-766-4780; twalyus@murrayins.net. Tommy Walyus, licensed agent; 407-716-9771; tjwalyus@murrayins.net.

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Wedgefield Partial Rules Brief (Revised 9/15/23)

This partial, simplified list of rules has been in effect since 2002 and is applicable to all of Wedgefield (except for the Reserve, which has its own HOA), even if not a member of the HOA. See wedgefieldhomeowners.com/codes-covenants-declarations/, library.municode.com/fl/orange_county/codes/code_of_ordinances, and wedgefieldhomeowners.com/architecturalreview for more information. OC= Orange County, where referenced.

* An asterisk means there is a proposed amendment modifying the rule coming up for vote.

CITY & ESTATES: These apply to all properties in the City (under 1 Acre lots) and Estates (~1 Acre+ lots)

- Lots can have only one single family residence except for those platted for duplexes*
- Most changes to lots/homes require HOA arch. review <u>prior to</u> any work commencing
- Accessory buildings, sheds, and other structures must complement the primary home
- All motorized vehicles on streets must be properly licensed/OC registered/street legal
- Motorized vehicles can only be driven on streets, not pathways or unpaved areas
- No junk, abandoned, or unlicensed/unregistered vehicles can be on any lot or street
- No short-term rentals under 180 days (i.e. AirBNBs, VRBO, tenant rentals OC Code)*
- No fences can be in disrepair, and fences require an OC permit and HOA arch. review
- Golf Course and Water Frontage lot fences: More restrictions than the rest of Wedgefield
- No large vehicles over 3T can be on a property except during delivery and construction
- Only Passenger cars/trucks can be in front of the front line of the house, on a driveway
- Recreational equipment can only be parked in a driveway 72 hours in a 30-day period
- No parking on and around medians at any time; parking is limited to driveways
- No parking of any vehicles on lawns (except for special gatherings lasting a few hours)
- Recreational equipment must be stored on concrete behind the home's front wall line*
- No bodywork/painting anywhere on lots or streets; no boat or trailer repairs/restoration
- No parking or storage of any vehicles or recreational equipment on vacant lots
- No junk/trash/debris/non-living plant material allowed on lots (HOA and OC Code)
- No burning of combustible materials without written approval of the HOA
- Stow garbage containers within 24 hours of collection out of sight-lines of streets
- There are restrictions on what signs you can display on your lots (see covenants)
- All homes must be site-built (no mobile, modular, manufactured, kit, tiny homes, etc.)
- No noise, odor, or other nuisance can be caused by a lot owner. OC Quiet hours 10P-7A
- No grass or weeds in excess of 18" high (OC Code)
- RVs and 24'+ boats require OC permit, must be in back yard (OC) on hard surface (HOA)
- OC requires that RVs and boats stored be registered to the property owner where stored
- OC requires permits for exterior and interior construction, to ensure meets Building Code
- OC requires use permits to ensure activities match zoning and do not cause a nuisance
- OC requires structures to be safe: i.e., swimming pools, homes, roofs, plumbing

CITY ONLY

- Fences must be behind the front line of the house, 6 feet or less high; no chain link
- No animals except for cats, dogs, and generally accepted household pets*
- All lots must have sidewalks and a concrete driveway constructed with the home*
 ESTATES ONLY
 - Detached garages (vs. accessory buildings) must match the home (colors & materials)
 - Fences can be on perimeter of the lot, 6 feet high or less; no chain link on street sides
 - No animals except for cats, dogs, horses (limited), and gen. accepted household pets*
 - Access gates must be at least 15' width and 14' height clearance for emergency vehicles

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				Cardinal Pool Services	(407) 493-1283		
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				Video Transfer/Duplication			
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Helen Barger	(407) 375-9790	Phil Unser	(407) 679-6644				
		Tracy Freeman	(352) 223-0712	Water Systems and Treatme			
Cake Baker				Frey Water Systems - Rico	(407) 947-5259		
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Computer Services				Renee' Cesarano	(407) 697-5417		
Lou's Technical Service	(239) 687-6741	Pet Grooming					
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