



# City Quarterly Newsletter



City Commission meetings are held, unless otherwise noted, the **1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month in the Commission Chambers** at Eustis City Hall, located at 10 N. Grove St. at 6 p.m. Meeting information is available on the City's website, [www.eustis.org](http://www.eustis.org). **Upcoming 2026** City Commission meetings: April 2 and 16, May 7 and 21, June 4 and 18. View <https://www.youtube.com/@EustisCom-Rel/streams> for live and recorded meetings.

Subscribe to meeting notices at [www.eustis.org/subscribemeetings](http://www.eustis.org/subscribemeetings).

## Interim City Manager

During the City Commission meeting on Thursday, March 5, 2026, the Eustis City Commission unanimously appointed Rick Gierok to serve as Interim City Manager. Gierok assumed the role of Acting City Manager at the conclusion of the meeting.

Gierok was selected for this role based on his fifteen years of experience with the City of Eustis as the previous Public Works Director and current Engineering and Capital Projects Director.

The City of Eustis is moving forward with a comprehensive search for a permanent City Manager, engaging a professional consulting firm to help identify and recruit highly qualified candidates.

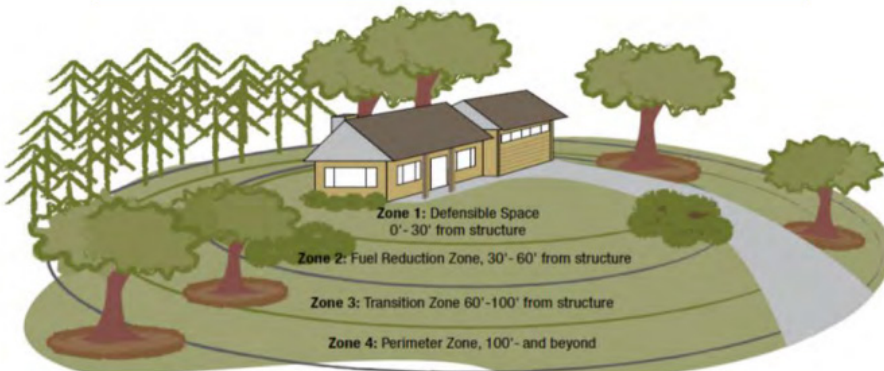


## Brush Fire Safety Tip From the Eustis Fire Department

### What is Defensible Space?

Defensible space is the required space between a structure and the wildland area that, under normal conditions, creates a sufficient buffer to slow or halt the spread of wildfire to a structure. It protects the home from igniting due to direct flame or radiant heat. Defensible space is essential for structure survivability during wildfire conditions.

#### FIREWISE LANDSCAPING TO REDUCE WILDFIRE



## Resources for Residents

Parks and Recreation  
Carver Park, 2214 E. Bates Avenue, Eustis  
(352) 357-7969

- Senior Breakfast Program
- Youth and Teen Afterschool
- Yoga, High Fit and Zumba Classes
- Dog Training Classes

Eustis Memorial Library  
120 N. Center Street, Eustis  
(352) 357-5686

- Step Back in Time at the Eustis Local History Room.
- Heart Health at Your Fingertips!  
» The Eustis Memorial Library now has **four blood pressure monitors** available for check out!

# What's Happening in Eustis

## City Events

### Easter Egg Hunt

April 3, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
Downtown Eustis

### First Friday

April 3, 6 - 9 p.m.  
Downtown Eustis

### Sparkle & Shine

April 11, 6 - 9 p.m.  
Community Center

### First Friday

May 1, 6 - 9 p.m.  
Downtown Eustis

### First Friday

June 5, 6 - 9 p.m.  
Downtown Eustis

### Second Saturday Sounds

June 13, 6 - 9 p.m.  
Ferran Park

### Father-Son Game Night

June 20, 6 - 9 p.m.  
Carver Park

### Key:

Events and  
Communication

Parks and Recreation

## Eustis Memorial Library

### Adult Programs

**The Art and Tradition of Henna**  
April 13, 10:30 a.m. - noon

### Watercolor Etegame Postcard

April 15, 2 - 3:30 p.m.

### Growing Caladiums in Florida

April 21, noon - 1 p.m.

### Oil Pastel Workshop

May 4, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

### Koinobori: Introduction to Children's Day

May 13, 2 - 3:30 p.m.

### Hurricane-Proof Your Plants

May 19, noon - 1 p.m.

### Tanabata: Japan's Star Festival

June 10, 2 - 3:30 p.m.

### Florida Panther

June 24, 2 - 3 p.m.

For more events, digital resources, and programs, visit the Eustis Memorial Library website at:

[www.eustismemoriallibrary.org](http://www.eustismemoriallibrary.org)



**EUSTIS POLICE CHARITIES**  
REGISTERED 501(C)(3)  
**CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT**

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**altumint**  
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**SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

**CORPORATE SPONSOR: \$1,000**  
1 Foursome, Company Logo On Sponsor Card, Tee Box Sponsorship, Four VIP Gifts, Reserved Seating At The Lunch Banquet.

**TEAM SPONSOR: \$500**  
1 Foursome & 4 seats at Banquet

**ON COURSE HOLE: \$250**  
A Company Sign on a Sponsored Hole and Set Up Your Own Table/Booth at Tee Box for Event Interaction and Brand Marketing with Golfers.

**TEE BOX: \$150**  
A Classic Tee Sponsorship with a Company Logo Displayed at a Tee Box

FRIDAY, MAY 15<sup>TH</sup>, 2026  
8:30 SHOTGUN START



COUNTRY CLUB OF MT. DORA  
1900 COUNTRY CLUB BLVD.  
MOUNT DORA, FL 32957

## Quarterly Cleanup

Eustis Quarterly Cleanup is May 4 - 8, 2026. During these Quarterly Cleanup periods, Waste Management will pick up all bulk items yard trash, and other properly prepared and bundled non-exempt items. All bulk collections will be performed on the customer's regular collection day. Normal restrictions for collection apply.

## Visit the Library This Season

### Prizes, Shows & Summer Reading for All Ages

June 1st - July 24th

Summer reading starts June 1 at the Eustis Memorial Library! Experience eight weeks of reading challenges, live shows and performances, free events, take-and-make crafts, and great prizes!



POV: YOU ACTUALLY LIKE CAMP

**SUMMER  
TEEN  
ZONE**

JUNE 1ST-JULY 31ST, 2026  
MONDAY THRU FRIDAY  
10AM-5PM

\$50/SUMMER

**EUSTIS**  
Parks & Rec.

REGISTRATION BEGINS MARCH 30<sup>TH</sup> ON EUSTIS.RECDESK.COM.  
CALL 352-357-8510 FOR MORE INFO OR EMAIL STANCLIR@EUSTIS.ORG



**Summer  
CAMP**

June 1st- July 31st

**Ages 5-12** Monday-Friday  
(closed July 3rd)

\$100/Week Eustis Residents  
\$135/Week Non-Eustis Residents

For more info call 352-357-8510. Register on [Eustis.Recdesk.com](http://Eustis.Recdesk.com)


**BASKETBALL  
LEAGUE**

EHS CURTRIGHT CAMPUS

WEDNESDAYS AT 6:30PM  
STARTING JUNE 10, 2026  
7 WEEKS

\$200 PER TEAM  
AGES 18+

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