# It's...The Talk of the Town!







"A thoughtful mind, when it sees a nation's flag, sees not the flag, but the nation itself"
- Henry Ward Beecher



#### Patriot's Day

This year marks 22 years since the tragic events of September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2001. Even though the years continue to roll by, we will never forget those that were lost. Remember to keep those families who lost family and friends in your thoughts and prayers as they continue to navigate life without their loved ones.

Across the globe, there are people who choose to observe this holiday to show respect to those who lost their lives. Often, people will participate in several moments of silence at different times memorializing each instance that a plane crashed. The very first plane crashed at 8:46 am and there were three additional crashes at 9:03 am, 9:37 am,



On Sunday, August 27<sup>th</sup> the city had the **distinct pleasure** of naming **Pembroke Fire Station One** in honor of **Chief Jimmy T. Cook** for his **50 years** of service to our community.



We must say **Happy Retirement** for **Lieutenant Price**. Let's all give him a **huge Thank You** for keeping Pembroke safe for **10 years**!



Let's all give a warm welcome and a huge congratulations to our new officer, Officer Patterson!

## What's Happening at the Pembroke Library

**September 11**<sup>th</sup> – Adult craft at 11:00 pm

September 13th - Lego Club at 4:00 pm

**September 18<sup>th</sup>** – Senior Crafts @ the Senior Center at 11:00 am

September 20<sup>th</sup> – Bingo at 11:00 am

**September 25**<sup>th</sup> – Kids Story and Crafts at 11:00 am

**September 25<sup>th</sup>** – Bingo @ Senior Apts from 4:00 pm – 6:30 pm



The water department will complete smoke testing this month!



City Hall Hours Monday – Friday 8:30AM – 5:00PM 912-653-4413

### **2023 UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

Wednesday, Sept 6<sup>th</sup> at 12:00PM – DDA

Thursday, Sept 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM – Planning & Zoning

Monday, Sept 4<sup>th</sup> – All Government Offices Closed

Monday, Sept 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM – City Council

#### OCTOBER EVENTS

Wednesday, Oct 4<sup>th</sup> 12:00PM – DDA

Thursday, Oct 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM – Planning & Zoning

Monday, Oct 9<sup>th</sup> – All Government Offices Closed

Monday, Oct 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM – City Council

### **Hurricane Season**

The city is preparing. Are you? It is now the peak of hurricane season and the time to review your safety plan is now. Please keep a supply of things you will need in case of an emergency: bottled water, canned food, flashlights, and batteries, etc. Have a contact and a plan if you ever need to evacuate the area.

Check around your home for loose debris, hanging limbs and anything that could prevent stormwater from reaching a drainage point. Check the home itself for loose siding or shingles, cracked windows or anything that could break loose in severe weather and cause damage. Finally, contact your insurance company and make sure your flood insurance and homeowner's policy are up to date.

If you have any concerns or questions, please contact City Hall. We have brochures and checklists to keep in your emergency kit, as well as maps showing low lying and flood-prone areas. We'll also keep you up to date in the event of a storm.





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