

DANIELS PRESERVE

"To inform and enlighten the community of Daniels Preserve of issues, events, situations and conditions good or bad that affects and is of interest to us all in the community"

Special Interest Articles

- **School Buses**
- **Gatehouse Project**
- **Gatehouse Repairs**
- **Comcast**
- **Lake Aerators & Fountains**
- **Baseball Park proposal**
- **Activity log**
- **Website Design**

➤ **School Buses**

On March 9th, a little girl was hit by a school bus making a u-turn at the gate entryway. Even before that unfortunate incident, board member, Harry Hansen had been working diligently to get the place for pick-up and drop-off moved to a safer location within the community away from the high congestion and traffic outside the front entry. With the accident, the bus companies have now been persuaded to recognize the area as an unsafe risk to the safety of the school children of the community. If you have not done so already, please contact your school bus company for details on new location and pick-up times.

➤ **Gatehouse Project**

The community owes a debt of gratitude to a group of neighborhood kids who under the guidance of Maria Ginsburg devoted their time and energy to painting the walls of the front entry gatehouse.

Here's the names of the kids who participated:

Michelle Ginsburg
Erica Ginsburg
Dominique Gaetjens
Jessica Gaetjens
Savannah Chrisenberry
Austin Hyder
Olivia
Astraf Nakleh
Wintrice Stewart

The following parents also helped the kids and provided food/support:

Louis Gaetjens
David Hyder
Susan & Jack Chrisenberry
Ron Chase – the use of his ladder/drop cloth

A special thanks to Maria & Mike Ginsburg who organized and oversaw the project. See attached Pics



➤ Gate House Repairs

Currently, the board is reviewing repair estimates obtained for us by Sterling Property Services.

➤ Comcast

Good news and some welcome relief from a major community expense.

Comcast has agreed to continue the current reduced contract for another twelve months.

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		Units		
Normal Fee Per Unit Per Month	\$56.95	215	\$12,244.25	Normal Cost Per Month
Reduced Fee Per Unit Per Month	\$12.99	215	\$2,792.85	Reduced Cost Per Month
			\$9,451.40	Monthly Savings
			\$113,416.80	Yearly Savings

➤ Lake Aerators and Fountains

Harry Hansen has contacted Gateway Services Community Development District and been successful in setting up a dialog with key people who we hope will help us to solve our lakes' plumbing issues.

➤ Base Ball Park Proposal

Attention Residents With Kids: Love Baseball?

Shocked that a community of Gateway's size with an estimated 4,000 kids has NO BASEBALL FIELDS? Show your support for proposed little league/softball fields at the sports complex!

Come out to the Next Board of Supervisors meeting on April 16, 2009 and let them know you don't want our kids riding bikes to Buckingham just to find a baseball field!

Can't make it? Email your support and comments to Kinley Engvalson at Kengvalson@hotmail.com, and he'll take it to the Gateway Park Committee, we want to hear your voice

We're on the Web!
See us at:
www.danielspreservehoa.org

HOA meeting is held 3rd
Monday every month

➤ Activity Log

The board of directors has approved implementation of a log to record and track issues, property violations and complaints against property owners

➤ WEBSITE Design

Currently, Sterling Property Services is seeking estimates for the cost and installation of a sign to be placed at the front gate to inform residents upon entry of the website address:
danielspreservehoa.org

Regretfully, we cannot continue to hand deliver printed copies of the community newsletter. Continued printing expense and demands on personal time make this impractical, especially when free access to Internet capable computers is so readily available. The Lee County Library System offers free use of computers to the public (you don't even have to have a library card.) Below are just a few of the library locations. If you wish to have the newsletter emailed to you, you may request it at webmaster@danielspreservehoa.org

Lee County Library Locations

East County Regional Library
881 Gunnery Road
Lehigh Acres, FL 33971
(239) 461-7300

Dunbar-Jupiter Hammon Public Library
3095 Blount Street
Fort Myers, FL 33916
(239) 334-3602

Fort Myers-Lee County Public Library
2050 Central Avenue
Fort Myers, FL 33901
(239) 479-4635

Lakes Regional Public Library
15290 Bass Road
Fort Myers, FL 33919
(239) 533-4000

<http://www.lee-county.com/library/>

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