



THE ORACLE

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RECOVERED FROM LABOR DAY? TIME FOR A STEAK!!!!

A Steak Night meeting is set for **Monday, September 19, grill time 6:30 pm** at the Rec & Parks Department admin patio. It is an extremely important meeting as we need to cover a lot of ground for the Golf Tourney as well as Punt-Pass-Kick, Installation Banquet, Youth Appreciation and of course, Tree Lot preparations. Bring a new member candidate and a steak for both of you. We'll provide the baked potatoes, salad and drink.

GOLF TOURNEY SPONSOR PACKETS HAVE BEEN MAILED OUT

180 packets were mailed out to past and potential Golf Tourney sponsors and teams. **Now it's up to you to follow up and collect the sponsorships and teams!** Along with this Oracle is a flyer and the list of sponsors and teams that packets were mailed to. Please follow up with them and help make this a successful tournament. The tournament date is set: Saturday, October 22. The time is set: 1:00 pm shotgun start. The place is set: [Walden Lake Golf & Country Club](#) Lakes course. **Golf Chair Walt A** (walt34@gmail.com or **813-368-1190**) has gotten the ball rolling, it's our turn to help out! Start hitting those teams and sponsors!

ZONE 6 INSTALLATION BANQUET PLANS ANNOUNCED

Although the Winter Haven club is the host, we do not have to drive too far... The 2011 Installation banquet is set for Monday, October 3 at [Earhart's Runway Grill](#) at [Lakeland Linder Regional Airport](#), Drane Field Road, Lakeland. \$18 per person, doors open at 5:30 pm; we will eat at 6:30 pm. This is the same place we were at last year and there was a lot of good feedback on the food. If you have not given your RSVP to **Prez Jeff O** at **813-299-6498** or (jogden01@tampabay.rr.com), please plan to do so by the meeting this coming Monday. Payment should be made payable to the Plant City Optimist Club and will be collected by Sec/Treas Paul W. Let's plan for a large group to heckle, I mean welcome **Prez-Elect Pat S** into office!

45th YEAR OF PC REC & PARKS / OPTIMIST FLAG FOOTBALL STARTS SATURDAY

Cooler mornings meal fall is coming soon and that means flag football season is here. The [45th season](#) starts this Saturday at the [Otis M. Andrews Sports Complex](#) with 24 teams and 214 players ages 4-15 playing on six fields, games starting at 8:30 and 9:45 am. The seven week season will finish with the post-season tournament for ages 8-15 year olds the week of October 31–November 5. **League Director Jeff A** will be on hand to move things along each Saturday. Stop by and catch our support on the field!

PUNT-PASS-KICK COMPETITION DATE IS SET

We will need 6-8 volunteers to work the [NFL/Pepsi Punt, Pass & Kick Competition](#) at the [Otis M. Andrews Sports Complex](#) on Saturday, September 24. Set-up at 8:30 am, competition is 9:00 to 11:00 am, awards at 11:30 am. Always a fun event to work. Want to coordinate or volunteer to work? Contact **Prez Jeff O** at **813-299-6498** or (jogden01@tampabay.rr.com).

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

- ✓ **Monday, September 19:** Steak Night meeting, 6:30 pm grill time, Rec & Parks admin patio.
- ✓ **Saturday, September 24:** Punt-Pass-Kick, 8:30 am set-up, 9-11am competition, OMA Complex
- ✓ **Monday, October 3:** Installation Banquet, 6:30 pm, Earhart's Runway Grill at Lakeland Linder Airport.
- ✓ **Monday, October 17:** Steak Night meeting, 6:30 pm grill time, Rec & Parks admin patio.
- ✓ **Saturday, October 22:** Golf Tournament, Walden Lake G&CC, 10:00 am set-up, 1:00 start, dinner after.

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