

# NEWS YOU CAN USE

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## Summer Safety

*Did you know a child's body heats up 3 - 5 times faster than an adult's?*

It only takes a few minutes before a child can become dangerously overheated. Every year, more than 30 children die because they are alone in a car. In just 10 minutes a car's temperature can increase by 19 degrees, and it continues to rise. There is no evidence that cracking the windows helps prevent the temperature in vehicle interiors from reaching dangerous levels. Sunlight coming through car windows makes the car work like an oven.

Visit [safekids.org](http://safekids.org) for more information and safety tips

**What Florida Law says about leaving children unattended in a motor vehicle:**

**FSS 316.6135** - Leaving children unattended or unsupervised in motor vehicle; penalty; authority of law enforcement officer.

No parent, legal guardian, or other person responsible for a child younger than 6 years of age shall leave such child unattended or unsupervised in a motor vehicle for a period in excess of 15 minutes; however, no such person shall leave a child unattended for any period of time if the motor vehicle is running or the health of the child is in danger.

*Follow these tips to help prevent child injuries:*

- Dial 911 immediately if you see an unattended child in a car.
- Place a purse, briefcase, gym bag on the floor in front of a child in a backseat. This triggers adults to see children when they open the rear door and reach for their things.
- Set your cell phone or computer calendar reminder to be sure you dropped your child off at day care.
- Plan ahead so you will be called within minutes if your child is late for daycare.
- Teach children not to play in any vehicle.
- Lock all vehicle doors and trunk after everyone has exited the vehicle.
- Keep keys out of children's reach. Cars are not playgrounds or babysitters.
- Check vehicles and trunks FIRST if a child goes missing.



## Join the FUN with Winter Garden Parks and Recreation!

- Youth & Adult Tennis
- Youth & Adult Guitar
- Adult Kickball
- Adult Softball
- Active 50+ Programs
- Preschool Classes
- Water Aerobics
- Belly Dancing
- Yogilates
- Painting & Drawing
- Photography

- And much more!...

### Fall Youth Soccer League

Get out your shin guards and be ready to score a goal!

Registration is open until August 29 for boys and girls ages 3 - 13 years. The fee is \$70 for Winter Garden residents and \$90 for others, and includes an eight-week season and team shirt.

*Are you interested in coaching?* If so, enroll your child for only \$10!



Please visit [www.wintergarden-fl.gov](http://www.wintergarden-fl.gov) for a complete list of program information.

Class space limited. Advanced registration required for most programs.

Call us at **407.656.4155**.

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## Living GREEN

### Save Water, Save Money!

If your showerhead(s) have a 2.0 or higher gpm, bring it in and exchange it for a more efficient 1.5 gpm showerhead for FREE. Winter Garden customers may exchange up to four (4) showerheads per household. Multi-family or commercial customers like apartments or motels that wish to exchange more than 12 showerheads need to contact the Water Conservation Department.

For more information, call 407.654.2732 or email [astout@wintergarden-fl.gov](mailto:astout@wintergarden-fl.gov). Information about water conservation, irrigation and landscaping is available at [www.wintergarden-fl.gov](http://www.wintergarden-fl.gov).

## Let's Skate Orlando

Welcome New Winter Garden Business

Let's Skate Orlando has a high tech atmosphere with music to fit the tempo. An energizing mood will make fun times fly as skating to the beat will be a blast. With special effects lighting, Let's Skate is like no other skating rink!

Located at 14207 West Colonial Drive. For more information, call 407.614.3812, visit [Letsskateorlando.com](http://Letsskateorlando.com).



## Calendar of Events

### Spring Fever: En Plein Air Paintings Exhibit

City of Winter Garden and Bloom & Grow Garden Society Paintings from local artist capturing the 10th Annual Spring Fever Festival Through August 31

City Hall, 300 West Plant Street



## Monthly Events in Historic Downtown Winter Garden

### Fridays on the Plaza

Featuring a different music genre each week  
Every Friday • 7 - 9 pm  
Centennial Gazebo

### Farmers Market

Every Saturday  
8 am - 1 pm  
W. Plant Street & North Lakeview Avenue



### Cruz-N-Car Show

3rd Saturday of every month  
7 - 9 pm • West Plant Street

## GARDEN THEATRE

### 2010-2011 SEASON

#### Noises Off

Written by Michael Frayn  
Produced by Jester Theater Company  
October 15 - November 7, 2010

#### A Christmas Carol - A Ghost Story of Christmas

by Charles Dickens adapted by Michael Wilson  
Directed by John Didonna  
Produced by Beth Marshall Presents  
Starring Dennis Neal as Scrooge  
December 3 - 19, 2010

#### Shhhh!

Written and Produced by PB&J Theatre Factory  
February 11 - 27, 2011

#### Greater Tuna

Written by Jaston Williams, Joe Sears and Ed Howard  
Originally produced by Charles H. Dugan  
Produced by Jester Theater Company  
March 18 - April 2, 2011

#### The Sound of Music

Music by Richard Rodgers  
Lyrics by Oscar Hammerstein II  
Book by Howard Lindsay and Russel Crouse  
Produced by Garden Theatre  
April 22 - May 15, 2011

Individual tickets to the 2010-2011 live theatre season go on sale beginning Thursday, August 5 through the Garden Theatre Box Office.

#### Subscribe

The Garden Theatre is pleased to introduce its new subscriber program for the 2010-2011 season. This flexible new voucher program replaces the Garden Card, which has existed since 2008.

In contrast to the Garden Card, the subscriber program includes discounted tickets of up to 25% - the larger the voucher pack, the more substantial the savings.

Become a subscriber today by contacting the Garden Theatre Box Office.

#### Backstage Tours

Join us for a backstage tour of the restored Garden Theatre  
Thursday, August 12 • 6 pm,  
followed by *To Have and to Have Not* • 7 pm  
\$5 General Admission; \$2 donation appreciated  
Purchase of a movie ticket is also not necessary, but is encouraged so the full theatrical experience can be enjoyed.  
For additional tour dates, call 407.877.4736 or email [info@gardentheatre.org](mailto:info@gardentheatre.org).

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