



Evergreen News



JUNE 2013

Office Hours:

Monday - Friday, 8:30 AM - 4:45 PM
Saturday - 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Summer Gate Schedule:

All Gates Open Mon.-Sat. 7:30, Sun. 8:30 AM
Gates 2, 3, 4 & Temple close at 5:00 PM
Gate #5 closes at 6:30 PM
Gate #6 (44th St.) closes at 6:30 PM
Gate #1 (Main St.) closes at 7:00 PM

MAINTENANCE AND SERVICE DEPARTMENT

"EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH"

The Employee of the Month is chosen by the Dept. Supervisors. They rate the employees based on effort, coachability, attitude appearance, awareness, equipment care, and accountability.

"Employee of the Month" for June, 2013 is **Willie Gibbs**

He has been with Evergreen since August 2, 2004, and does an excellent job working in the Horticultural Department.



NEW SUPPLIERS

We are proud to inform you that we have sought out and found new suppliers that are offering great products at competitive prices. Evergreen is passing the savings on to you. Call or Visit us for all your Funeral, Cemetery and Cremation needs.

ALL PROPERTY OWNERS

We are reviewing and electronically updating all records.

If you have not updated your property records within the last year please contact:

Rick Swanson
904-353-1331
for an appointment.

Father's Day - June 16th

The idea of observing a day in honor of father was conceptualized by Ms. Sonora Smart. During a Mother's Day Sermon in 1909 she was struck with the idea that fathers should be honored with a special day. Her own father single-handedly raised her along with her five siblings after the death of her mother. Sonora worked hard to make her concept a reality. The idea of celebrating Father's Day soon spread across the nation. Father's Day was recognized by a Joint Resolution of Congress in 1956. In 1972 President Nixon established Father's Day as a permanent national day of observance on the third Sunday of June.



CONSTRUCTION

Construction is underway at Evergreen Cemetery. If you haven't noticed our new mausoleum is being constructed at the 44th street entrance. We are anticipating a completion date within the next two months.



PARDON OUR RENOVATIONS

A new Cremation Garden is underway at the mall just inside our Main Street Gate. This new garden will offer many new choices for our families choosing cremation.

NEW GRAVE MONUMENT SECTIONS

Evergreen Cemetery has developed a new Garden Section V offering package specials of 2 graves including an Upright monument under the Historic Canopy of our celebrated Oak Trees.

DID YOU KNOW?

Among the distinguished fathers buried in Evergreen is Charles Adrian Pillars 1870 - 1937. He was a local sculptor recognized nationally as one of the greatest sculptors of his day. He was born in Illinois, attended the Arts Institute of Chicago and came to Florida in 1894. He operated an art studio and school in St. Augustine. He also taught at the Ringling School of Art. Pillars is best known in Jacksonville for his Soldier's Memorial in Memorial Park on Riverside Ave.

FLAG DAY



The week of June 14 is designated as "National Flag Week." During National Flag Week, the president will issue a proclamation urging U.S. citizens to fly the American flag for the duration of that week. The flag should also be displayed on all Government buildings. Some organizations hold parades and events in celebration of America's national flag and everything it represents.