

10TH ANNUAL

**CRACKER CHRISTMAS**  
AT FORT CHRISTMAS HISTORICAL PARK

Happy  
Thanksgiving



East Orange 4-H had their first yearly steer workshop on August 5<sup>th</sup>. Ashley, Claire and Lily Simmons along with Sage Lonergan learned about giving shots and banding cattle. They all have their steers and are getting ready for the September 16<sup>th</sup> initial weigh-in at the Central Florida Fair.

August 19<sup>th</sup> was the Desoto County poultry workshop and sale, Ryan Daymude and Faith Walters attended this event and purchased some new show birds for this year.

The kids are getting off to a great start after such a busy summer. We had youth attend the 4-H Camp Cloverleaf July 10-14, Marine Science Camp in Destin Florida July 17-21, Gator Adventures in Lake Placid July 24-29, and 4-H University in Gainesville July 31. They were at some camp every weekend in July.

**December 2 & 3, 2017**

**10 a.m. – 4 p.m.**

**FREE  
ADMISSION**

**Pioneer Demonstrations**

- Weaving    • Dutch Oven Cooking    • Civil War Camp    • Cane Grinding
- Spinning    • Handmade Crafts    • Blacksmithing    • Broom Making
- Lace Making    • Early Cow Camp    • Wood Carving    • And Much more
- Pioneer Food    • Antique Tractors    • Syrup Making

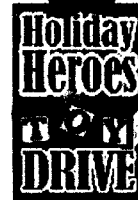
Local FFA Chapters and 4-H Clubs & many community groups will be here selling Gator Meat, Stew and Biscuits and much more. Do come out and Support the community.

**Craft Vendors • No Pets or Alcohol**

**Fort Christmas Park**  
1300 Fort Christmas Rd., Christmas, FL 32709

For information call 407-254-9312  
[www.OrangeCountyParks.net](http://www.OrangeCountyParks.net)

We embrace the power of diversity. Orange County Parks and Recreation does not discriminate against anyone on the basis of age, race, gender, national origin or disability. ANY SPECIAL NEEDS PLEASE CALL 407-836-6200.



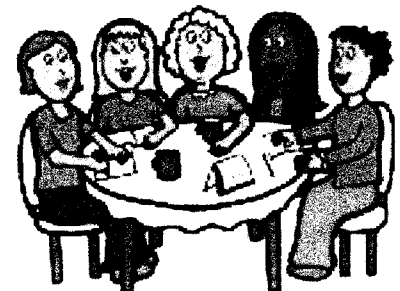
Bring a toy to donate to  
Mayor Teresa Jacobs'  
toy drive to help  
Orange County youth!

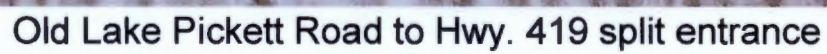
## Christmas Women's Club

"The Objectives of the Christmas Women's Club are to develop the social well-being of its members; to promote community improvement through educational opportunities and historical and cultural awareness; and to cooperate with the Christmas Civic Association and other not-for-profit community organizations in their endeavors."

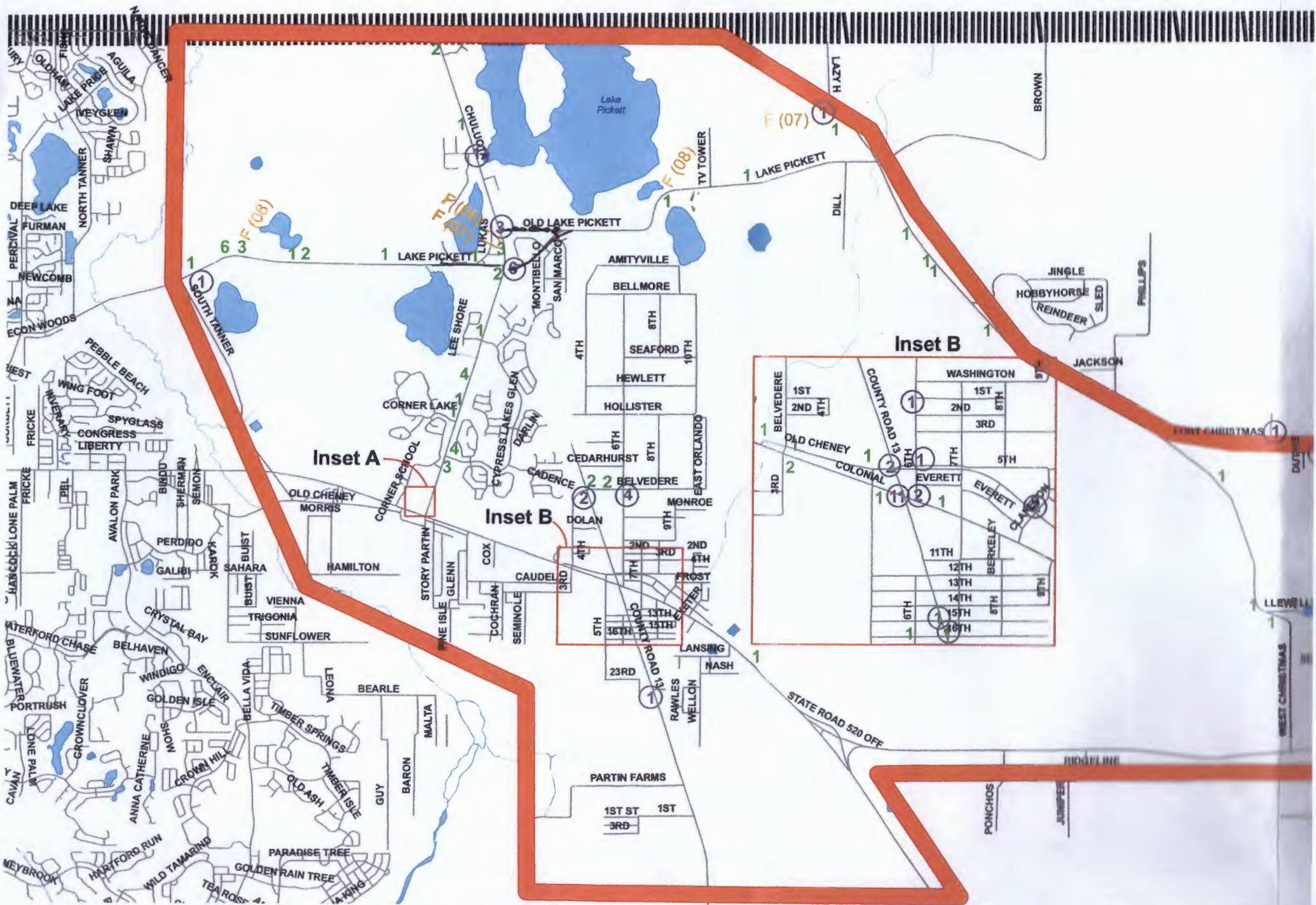
We Welcome any lady who is interested in helping with our many community projects, we get together to work and fellowship with fun for all!!!

Please come join us on the 3rd Friday of each month.





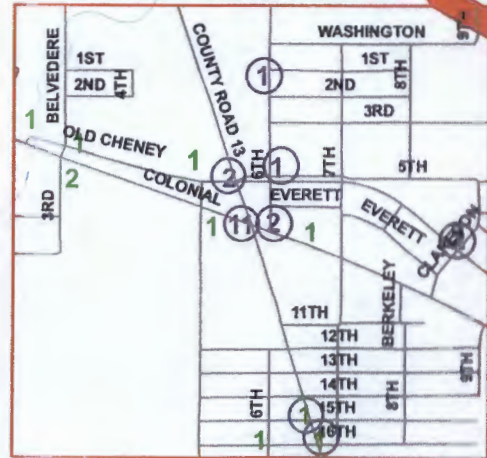
Old Lake Pickett Road to Hwy. 419 split entrance



**Inset A**

**Inset B**

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Nov. 25, 2017 - proposed entrance for new development on Lake Pickett Rd. looking West



Nov. 25, 2017 - In entrance way of Lake Pickett Reserve going East



Standing in the curve looking East at my truck - Nov. 25,2017



First curve from the West looking East on Lake Pickett - Nov. 25,  
2017



First curve going west Lake Pickett Road - Nov. 25, 2017



Looking west on Lake Pickett Road - Nov. 25, 2017





Site of accident with 5 fatalities on Fort Christmas Rd. and Lake Pickett Road





Accident area on Fort Christmas Road and Lake Pickett Road



Site of motocycle death on Fort Christmas Rd. and Lake Pickett Rd.