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Dear CATS-

Welcome to June, CATS!

Schools out for summer! We are excited to see the families arrive to Polk County to enjoy their vacation! Where are you recommending visitors to go this

summer? Check out the digital guides for some ideas or pop into the Welcome Center for some inspiration!

Have you taken the new CATS Online Course?

This new course will be shorter and easier to complete. Everyone who has been certified will remain certified; however, we encourage EVERYONE to take the new online course.



[Sign up to take the New CATS Online Course!](#)

Are you a Purr-fessional?



Are you a Certified Ambassador of Tourism and Sports AND working in Polk County's Hospitality Industry?

Make sure to let our Education Coordinator know! You may be eligible for Purr-fessional exclusives!

[Click here to email our Education Coordinator to confirm you are the Purr-fessional list!](#)



Are you an EduCATS?

Are you a Certified Ambassador of Tourism and Sports AND earning a degree in Hospitality and Tourism?

Make sure to let our Education Coordinator know! You may be eligible for EduCATS exclusives!

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Kittens

Polk County Public School students will soon be able to earn their Certified Ambassadors of Tourism and Sports Certificate to begin their journey in Polk County's Hospitality and Tourism industry!

We are hoping to get students at Ridge Community High School and Davenport High School onboarded this Fall!



Last Month...



The CATS had an exclusive tour of **Camp Margaritaville RV Resort & Cabana Cabins** in Auburndale this May!

The CATS embarked to Camp Margaritaville to tour the property. This is a great place to recommend if your visitors want an upscaled RV Resort or want something different than the average hotel room- they can stay in a cabin. The

CATS toured two cabins and can sleep 6-8 people complete with a kitchen, front porch, and some locations even have a fire pit!

Let's talk amenities- Camp Margaritaville has them! Both pools (yes, they have two pools) had the CATS ready to jump in, especially on the warm day we toured. Mini golf, pickleball court, dog run, dog wash stations, bars galleries, stores, and restaurants can all be found on site. If you are wanting a nice pool day, they have guest passes available for locals: [Guest passes are available here.](#)

Camp Margaritaville also host various events open to the public.

Coming Up...



JUNE

**Frank Lloyd Wright
Architecture Tour with Florida
Southern College's Visitor
Center**

**Invitations were emailed
in May 22nd to Certified
Ambassadors of Tourism and
Sports.**

If you would like to come on one of our CATS Exclusive Tours,
you must be a Certified Ambassador of Tourism and Sports.

To become an ambassador, you must complete the CATS Online Course.

Our new online class is up and running! Please sign up!

CATS Exclusive Tour Invitations will be emailed to all Certified Ambassadors of
Tourism and Sports.

CATS Shirts are in!

Certified Ambassadors of Tourism & Sports can
pick up their CATS Shirts at the Welcome
Center!

How to pick up your CATS Shirt?

- First, you must be a Certified Ambassador of Tourism and Sports.
- Second, inform the front desk you are here to pick up your CATS Shirt.
- Third, show our staff your CATS Certificate!

*Shirts are limited sized, and are first come,
first serve.



🐱👁️ CLOWDER CONFIDENTIAL: We love wearing our shirts on the CATS
Exclusive Tours! 🟢





Welcome Center

📍 101 Adventure Court,
Davenport, FL 33837

Find all the fun **information** about Polk County here! Sample fresh squeezed Florida **orange juice**. Purchase **discount tickets** from Central Florida's amazing attractions. Explore the USA Wake Sports and Water Ski Hall of Fame **Museum**. Relax at our **fish pond**. Enjoy our **WELCOME mural**. Check out our **library** vending machines. Send a **FREE postcard**. And browse our Purely Polk Marketplace **giftshop**.

Events at the Welcome Center



Water Ski & Water Sports Hall of Fame Tours at the Welcome Center

Every second Tuesday, June 9 |
10AM

Explore the last century of water skiing and wake sports with an expert from the field! See highlights from the nine disciplines, starting with the skis that started it all in the Water Ski Capital of the World!



Bites at Sunset

June 26 | 4PM-8PM

Are you ready for the best bites around? Stop by the Welcome Center on June 26th for our Bites at Sunset Food Truck Rally! This event will be held from 4pm to 8pm, with good eats from all over Central Florida! Bring the family to enjoy great food and a beautiful sunset!



Welcome Workshop

📍 LEGOLAND Florida Resort



Welcome Desk


📍 Lakeland Linder International Airport



Welcome Lounge

 RP Funding Center

Welcome on Wheels

 Coming to an event near you!



Visit Central Florida's Visitor Experience Team and the Welcome Center is excited to announce the launch of its official Instagram and Facebook pages!

Now, visitors and locals alike can stay connected and up-to-date with the latest events, attractions, travel tips, and exciting happenings throughout the county. By following these social media platforms, you'll get insider information, special offers, and a closer look at everything Central Florida and the Visitor Experience Team has to offer. Be sure to follow them today to explore the best of Central Florida and make the most of your visit!

[Follow Visit Central Florida's Visitor Experience Team on Instagram](#)

[Follow Visit Central Florida's Visitor Experience Team on Facebook](#)

PS. CATS have an entire highlight on our [@WelcomeCentralFL](#) Instagram page!

Passes

DISCOVER, SIP, SAVOR & EXPLORE POLK COUNTY

From colorful murals to mouthwatering BBQ and refreshing craft brews, our free Visit Central Florida Passes help you experience the best of Polk County like a local.



Sunshine Savings Pass

Enjoy exclusive deals and discounts from local attractions, restaurants, and shops — perfect for exploring more for less!



Adventure on Tap: Central Florida Craft Beer Pass

Discover local breweries and sip your way through Polk County. Enjoy exclusive discounts and earn prizes when you check in.



Fire & Flavor BBQ Trail Pass

Follow the scent of smoky perfection and taste your way through Polk County's best BBQ joints while saving along the way.



Mural Magic Pass

Explore the art that brings our communities to life. Visit stunning murals across the county, snap photos, check in, and earn rewards along the way.

[Sign up for passes here](#)

🐱👁️ CLOWDER CONFIDENTIAL: New passes may be coming soon! 🍊☕



[Check out our Visit Central Florida Event Page for more fun!](#)



[Download the 'What's Happening in Polk County' Flyer here.](#)



[View digital guides from Visit Central Florida](#)





**Avelo Air & Lakeland
International Airport**

[Learn more about flying out of LAL here.](#)

ANY QUESTIONS?

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Thank you, CATS!





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