

The Hialeah Update

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Promotion of Five Police Sergeants



December 4, 2007

Senior Christmas Party at Milander



December 6, 2007

Hialeah Elementary Decorates City Hall's Christmas Tree



December 6, 2007

Dear Friends,

With this issue of the Hialeah Update, I would like to take this opportunity to share some of the events occurring around our city this holiday season. This is a time to come together and help one another, and that is exactly our mission. I would like to take a moment to wish everyone a Happy Holiday season, as well as a Happy New Year. May everyone stay safe and see you all in 2008!

Hialeah Paints Local Home: Chief Fernando Enriquez, owner of The Paint Shop, donated paint to the City of Hialeah in order to bring some holiday joy to Bridget McClelland, 80 year old widow of a retired fire fighter from Pittsburgh who needed her home painted. Mrs. McClelland has been a resident of Hialeah since 1962, and requested the help of the city with our community businesses. On December 13, 2007 Hialeah Fire Fighters joined Mayor Robaina and The Paint Shop to paint Mrs. McClelland house in order to fulfill her holiday wish.



Heisman Trophy Winner and Super Bowl MVP Visits City of Hialeah Kids: On December 4, 2007 Desmon Kevin Howard visited the Park and Recreation kids at Sparks Park. He spoke about the importance of education and how academics and sports correlate. Mayor Robaina also spoke to the kids about getting an education and staying in school. Desmon Howard won the Heisman Trophy in 1991 and was also voted Most Valuable Player of Super Bowl XXXI.

NASA Visits With Flamingo Elementary: On December 12, 2007 NASA launched the NASA Explorer School Program at Flamingo Elementary School in Hialeah. The program financed by NASA will contribute funds to schools in order to promote and enhance the study of Math and Science at the elementary school level. Only 25 schools were chosen nationally by NASA to participate in the three year program.



Toy Distribution



Toys were given out to low income family children who were pre-registered from Hialeah Schools. A total of 402 toys were given out between all the events.

Schools and dates visited:

- Hialeah Elementary - December 10
- Amelia Earhart Elementary - December 12
- Hialeah Miami Lakes Senior High - December 10
- Toy Drive with the Following schools:
- Ben Sheppard Elementary, John G. Dupuis Elementary, South Hialeah Elementary, North Twin Lakes Elementary, Flamingo Elementary, James Bright Elementary, and Ernest Graham Elementary - December 18

Happy Holidays & Happy New Year

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