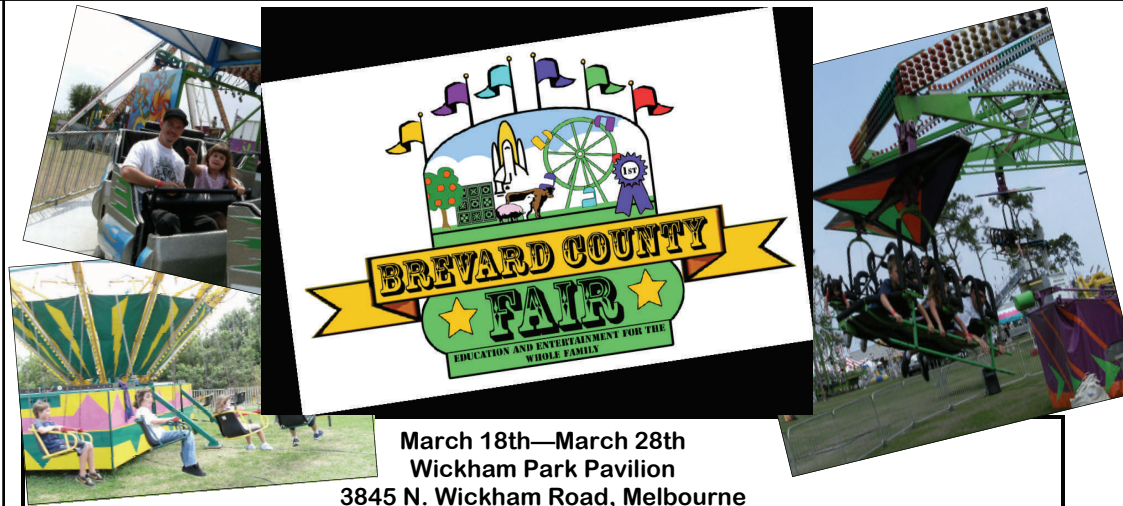




# Merritt Island

## News & Views



March 18th—March 28th  
Wickham Park Pavilion  
3845 N. Wickham Road, Melbourne

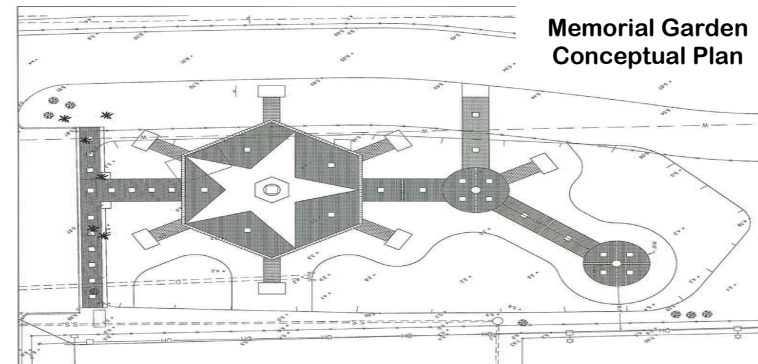
Come and enjoy some old fashioned family fun at the 2nd Annual Brevard County Fair! Activities include blue ribbon competitions, educational displays, 4-H animal shows, local bands, and everyone's favorite carnival rides.

Discounted admission days will be held for Florida Tech students, faculty, staff and family members as well as Government/Armed Forces members and family.

Visit <http://brevardcountyfair.com> or call (321) 633-1702 for more details.  
See you at the Fair!

### Memorial Garden Coming to Veterans Memorial Park

The Board of County Commissioners have approved funding for the construction phase of the Memorial Garden and improvements at Veterans Memorial Park located at 400 S Sykes Creek Parkway. In honor of our service men and women there will be memorials for all wars and military conflicts the United States has engaged in. Improvements include a walkway to each area and expansion of the parking area. The parking expansion, funded by a \$250,000 Legislative Grant is anticipated to be completed in May 2010. The Memorial Garden, funded with \$200,000 from the voter approved Referendum, is in the final design stage.



Memorial Garden Conceptual Plan



Expansion of Parking Area In Progress

### Mustangs Girls Soccer Team WINS 1st State Title

The Merritt Island High School girls soccer team, the Mustangs, won the State Championship on February 11, 2010 after double overtime by defeating Bartram Trail High School 4-3 on penalty kicks at the University of Tampa's Pepin Stadium. The team finished the regular season with a record of 11-3-2 including nine shutouts. Their post season record was 7-0 with five shutouts, two "golden goal" overtime victories and two shootout

Coach Scott Carswell with members of the Mustangs receiving a Resolution from Commissioner Nelson.

The victory was the first Girls Soccer Championship for Merritt Island High School and the first state championship for a girl's sport of any kind in school history.



victories in the Regional and State Finals with the final team record being 18-3-2. Over the past five years the team has been District Champion two times, Regional Champions three times, State Runner-up two times and State Champions one time. Coached by Scott Carswell the team consists of: Freshman Kelsey Lewis and Kaitlyn Wheble. Sophmores Shannon Anderson, Melissa Barretta, Courtney Cooper, Sydney Drinkwater, Kailey Markey, Lydia Plotz, Marissa Schults and Amanda Wilkin; Juniors Olivia Berry, Kaitlyn Cauffman, Roni Hitchcock, Lindsay Kostner, Miranda Kugelmann, Meredith Testa, Kirstie Schults and Jenna Starr; Seniors Beth Baldree and Lani Fort and was led by team senior captains Kristin Anderson, Hannah Linton, Corina Lynch and Stacey Steele.

**Congratulations Mustangs!**

