

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time. Kiwanis currently has over 550,000 members in 80 countries and geographic areas; and

WHEREAS, Ormond Beach Kiwanis recently received a reading grant and has decided to call it “Ormond Beach READS!”; and

WHEREAS, the Kiwanis Club would like to promote ongoing literacy support for elementary aged school children through the offering of the Kiwanis Ormond Beach READS! Summer Challenge; and

WHEREAS, the challenge will implore Ormond Beach Elementary School’s children to read four books over the summer break as well as challenge children from four other local elementary schools to compete for the most minutes read over the summer break; and

WHEREAS, the Ormond Beach Kiwanis Club has dedicated itself to the betterment of their organization and improving the quality of life in our local community through the programs they offer and support;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Partington, Mayor of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, do hereby declare May 13, 2019, as

Kiwanis Ormond Beach READS! Kick-Off Day

in the City of Ormond Beach and urge all residents to engage in activities whose purpose is to promote ongoing literacy support for elementary aged school children.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, to be affixed this 7th day of May in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Nineteen.



BILL PARTINGTON
Mayor