The Gatekeeper Gazette
For Poll Workers—Our “Gatekeepers of Democracy”

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OFFICE CLOSURES
New Year’s Day: January 1
MLK Jr. Birthday: January 20
President’s Day: February 17

2020 ELECTION DATES
PPP: March 17, 2020
Primary: August 18, 2020
General: November 3, 2020

Time to start checking your emails daily.
January
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Barbara Edwards
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February
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Julie Black
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Toni Arthur
Susan Avila-Callahan
Dianne Baus
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John Cashman
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Matilda Clement
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Linda Demarco
Delores Fisher
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Edwin Hoover
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Joanne Johnson
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Galen Price
Joan Pryce
Clyde Putnam
Raphaela Rozanski
Janet Scott
David Sloma
Zelda Smith
Hal Sterwerf
**No Bake Oreo Truffles**

**Ingredients:** Oreos, cream cheese, chocolate

**Directions:**
1. To make the truffles, throw about 25 Oreo cookies into a food processor, and chop them up well.
2. Add a half block of softened cream cheese and process until a big clump forms in the side of the food processor.
3. Use a medium cookie scoop to portion out scoops of the Oreo mixture.
4. Roll each scoop in between the palms of your hands to shape each one into a ball.
5. Place them on a parchment paper lined sheet tray, then refrigerate the truffles for 15 minutes.
6. Melt chocolate and dip the truffles
7. Let the chocolate harden before enjoying, either at room temperature or by putting the truffles in the fridge for a quick method. It should only take about 10-15 minutes for the chocolate to harden.

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1. True or False: Florida is an OPEN PRIMARY state. ________________________________________
2. How far is the NO-SOLICITATION ZONE from the entrance to the polling place? _________________
3. How many polling locations are there in Charlotte County? ________________________________
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(Answers found on next page)
To the Poll Workers who came out to volunteer at this year’s Santa’s Winter Wonderland!

1. FALSE: Florida is a Closed Primary State
2. 150 feet
3. 28