

THE SPRINGS

a newsletter from the town of holly springs, north carolina

center of activity

major shopping center construction proceeding

The walls are going up on Holly Springs Towne Center along N.C. 55 Bypass with the Target-anchored shopping center set to open next March.

Meanwhile, construction is under way to reconfigure the Green Oaks Parkway and New Hill Road intersections to handle the additional traffic.

The first phase of Holly Springs Towne Center, formerly known as New Hill Place,

will also include Marshalls, Michaels, Dick's Sporting Goods and Petco.

Other tenants will include Olive Garden restaurant, Buffalo Wild Wings, Tijuana Flats, Orange Leaf frozen yogurt, Which Wich Superior Sandwiches, Zaxby's, and Starbucks.

The second phase will have a Frank movie theatre complex and more than 165,000 square feet of retail space.

Holly Springs Towne Center will rank as the 10th largest shopping center in the Triangle when both phases are complete.

To handle traffic from the shopping center and Interstate 540 nearby, the state Department of Transportation has approved reconfiguration of the Green Oaks Parkway and New Hill Road intersections. Completion is expected by December.

The shopping center developer is paying for the "superstreet" roadway design.

Cross street traffic at the two intersections will not be able to pass directly across the bypass or turn left. Instead, cross street traffic must turn right and can then use a U-turn lane with a traffic signal.

For construction updates and other superstreet details, visit www.hollyspringsnc.us.

cooking up competition



Compete for bragging rights as Holly Springs' best chili maker by entering the third annual Farmers Market Chili Cook-off set for Saturday, Oct. 13.

Space is limited, so enter now. For details and an application, visit www.hsfarmersmarket.com, call (919) 557-2930 or e-mail anne.oakley@hollyspringsnc.us.

We'll have a category for professional chefs and businesses and an amateur one for individuals and teams. Entry fees are \$15 for amateurs, \$25 for the pros.

Amateur chefs will compete for cash prizes of \$150 for first place, \$50 for second place and \$25 for third.

Our Farmers Market is Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. on Main Street across from Town Hall.

September 2012

calendar

Mon., Sept. 3	Labor Day—Town Offices Closed: Bass Lake Park Open
Tues., Sept. 4	Town Council, 7pm, TH
Wed., Sept. 5	Senior Bingo, 1pm, BL
Fri., Sept. 7	Family Fun Concert, 5:30pm, BL
Sat., Sept. 8	Farmers Market, 8:30am
Mon., Sept. 10	Intro to Hoops Regis. Opens
Tues., Sept. 11	Discovering Nature, 10am, BL Photo Club, 7pm, BL Board of Adjustment, 7pm, TH
Wed., Sept. 12	Garden Club, 7pm, BL
Thurs., Sept. 13	Recreation Board, 7pm, TH
Fri., Sept. 14	Family Bingo, 7pm, BL
Sat., Sept. 15	Farmers Market, 8:30am
Tues., Sept. 18	Town Council, 7pm, TH
Wed., Sept. 19	Senior Bingo, 1pm, BL
Thurs., Sept. 20	QDMA, 7pm, BL
Fri., Sept. 21	Hunter Safety, 6pm, BL
Sat., Sept. 22	Farmers Market, 8:30am Hunter Safety, 9am, BL
Mon., Sept. 24	Youth Basketball Regis. Opens
Tues., Sept. 25	Utility Bills Due Planning Board, 7pm, TH
Thurs., Sept. 27	Explore-a-Story, 10am, BL
Sat., Sept. 29	Farmers Market, 8:30am

Locations

Bass Lake (BL)	Hunt Center (HC)
Town Hall (TH)	Womble Park (WP)
Cultural Center (CC)	Jones Park (JP)

banking on no late fees

Give yourself less to think about each month by signing up to have your Town utility payment drafted from your bank account.

Bank draft is the best way to ensure you never again face late fees for your water, sewer and garbage collection bill.

Bank draft is quick and easy. It's green, too, since it reduces how much paper we have to produce and you have to dispose of when you no longer need it.

To sign up for utility bill bank draft, see the Finance Department section of our Web site, www.hollyspringsnc.us. Find the bank

draft authorization form on the Finance home page under Assistance or see Payment Options in the menu on the left.

The form tells you how to drop off the form or how to send it by mail, fax or e-mail.

Signing up for bank draft authorization ensures you won't have to worry about late payments on your Town utility bill.

An alternative to bank draft is paying your bill online each month.

There's no fee, and your payment posts immediately. Go paperless by signing up for E-bill. See your account history.

Sign up for text reminders of when your next bill is due by clicking on the Notify Me button of www.hollyspringsnc.us. See the Calendar section.

holidays

Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 3

- ◆ Town Hall Closed
- ◆ Hunt Center Closed
- ◆ Cultural Center Closed
- ◆ Bass Lake Park Open

Garbage collected one day later than usual throughout the week

Call (919) 552-5920 with questions.

kids on bikes

Our Police Department is co-sponsoring a bicycle safety class on Saturday, Sept. 15 starting at 1:30 p.m.

It will be in the parking lot behind Town Hall.

This "bicycle rodeo" is for kids of all ages.

A helmet is required. Parents must sign a waiver at the event for their children to be able to participate.

Participants can arrive at any time during the three-hour class to learn and have fun.

Call (919) 552-7110 with questions.

Please be storm water wise with pet waste. Remember to clean up after your pets.

Scoop and bag pet waste. If your neighborhood has pet waste stations, use them.

Contact our Stormwater Hotline at (919) 567-4011 or stormwater@hollyspringsnc.us to report dumping down a storm drain.



Watch HSTV-11

Bulletin Boards and Town Council air every day at

7 and 11

(a.m. and p.m.)

**Don't Have Cable? Don't Have Time?
Watch Us On Your Schedule!**

www.hstv11.us



List Your Community Event. Leave a Message Two Weeks Ahead at:

(919) 567-4711

new for you to do

Parks and Recreation has a bunch of new classes and programs. Here's a sample:

- Before School Care for grades K-5 at Holly Springs, Holly Ridge and Holly Grove elementary schools
- Yoga 4 Kids for ages 2-5 with parents welcome to join in
- Holly Springs Cross Country Club for ages 9-14 to train together for a 4-mile race
- Musikgarten, a 30-minute class for parents and toddlers to sing and dance together
- Walkercise for ages 55 and over to walk and socialize on the indoor
- Magical Musical Adventures for ages 3-6
- N.C. Animals for ages 6 and above

For program details and online registration, visit www.reconnect.us.

GET FRESH - BUY LOCAL!



The Farmers Market
Holly Springs, NC - Est. 2007

Saturdays
8:30 a.m. -
12:30 p.m.

Downtown
Holly
Springs
across from
Town Hall



Start your Saturdays with us!

Come fill your baskets each Saturday with farm-fresh produce and stay for family-friendly events!

September 1

Come and stock up for your Labor Day cookout!

September 8 Tomato Day

Farm-to-Table Chef Series 10 a.m.

September 15 Master Gardener Workshop Series

10 a.m. "Lawn Renovation and Seeding"

September 22 Shred-a-Thon

Sponsored by SECU

September 29 Farm Fresh Goodness

Every Saturday-

Children's Activities 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. and
Live music from 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Visit www.HSFarmersMarket.com for event info