

THE SPRINGS

a newsletter from the town of holly springs, north carolina

plans for our new park

Drop by Hunt Recreation Center the evening of Wednesday, Aug. 7 to see conceptual plans for the Sugg Farm Park property.

Consultants will present three possible master plans for the 116 acres. Drop in to Hunt Center anytime between 5 and 7 p.m.

The Town acquired the property for \$1 million at the end of 2012 from a trust in the name of the late Jefferson L. Sugg. The property is located at the end of Grigsby Avenue and once was a working farm.

We spent months negotiating price and discussing permitted uses with the property's trustees and with Triangle Land Conservancy, holder of the conservation easement.

The conservation easement prohibits

"intensive recreation." The property will be left largely in its natural state.

Alta Greenways was hired to develop the park plan. The goal is to have the plan ready for Town Council consideration in October.

Visit www.suggfarm.com for details on the property and on the development of plans.

See three conceptual master plans for the Sugg Farm Park property on Aug. 7. Drop by Hunt Recreation Center between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m.

With the acquisition of Sugg Farm, we now have more than 200 acres of protected parkland within, or immediately adjacent to, Bass Lake Park.

Many of you visited Sugg Farm for the first time last month. We held our Independence Day celebration with fireworks there July 5.



paving the way to better rides

We're under way with this year's batch of street repaving projects in various parts of town.

So expect delays where you encounter paving crews. We'll try to minimize any delays. The work will occur over the next three months.

The reduction from two lanes of travel to one while repaving is occurring may create a temporary inconvenience to those who live in the area or are passing through.

But such maintenance will give you a smoother ride and help prevent more costly and time-consuming repairs down the road.

The total cost of the project is \$750,000. That includes a small portion of Logging Road that is being paved for the first time.

For the list of street sections that are being repaved, see the Engineering Department section of www.hollyspringsnc.us.

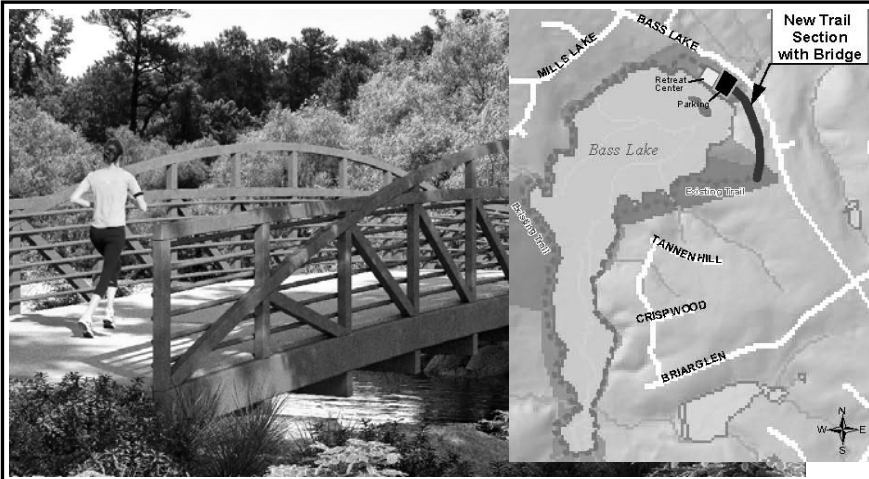
If you have questions, call our Engineering Department at (919) 557-3938.

August 2013

calendar

Thurs., Aug. 1	Fall Recreation Program Registration Begins Holly Springs 4 at 4 Race Registration Begins
Fri., Aug. 2	Family Fun Night, 6pm, BL
Sat., Aug. 3	Farmers Market, 8:30am
Mon., Aug. 5	Monday Movie, 10am, CC Senior Wii Bowling 2pm, CC (Both Every Monday)
Tues., Aug. 6	Puppet Theatre, 11am, CC Town Council, 7pm, TH
Wed., Aug. 7	Senior Bingo, 1pm, BL Sugg Farm Mtng., 5pm, HC
Thurs., Aug. 8	Recreation Board, 7pm, TH
Fri., Aug. 9	Outdoor Concert, 7pm, CC
Sat., Aug. 10	Farmers Market, 8:30am
Tues., Aug. 13	Board of Adjustment, 7pm, TH
Thurs., Aug. 15	QDMA, 7pm, BL
Sat., Aug. 17	Farmers Market, 8:30am
Tues., Aug. 20	Puppet Theatre, 11am, CC Town Council, 7pm, TH
Wed., Aug. 21	Senior Bingo, 1pm, BL
Thurs., Aug. 22	Bunco Night, 6:30pm, CC
Fri., Aug. 23	Ticketfest, 5pm, CC Outdoor Concert, 7pm, CC
Sat., Aug. 24	Farmers Market, 8:30am Open House, 11am, CC
Mon., Aug. 26	Utility Bills Due
Tues., Aug. 27	Planning Board, 7pm, TH
Sat., Aug. 31	Farmers Market, 8:30am

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



Work starts this month on completing the 2-mile loop around Bass Lake. This "missing link" project includes extending the mulch trail and adding a 50-foot pedestrian bridge over Basal Creek. Completion is expected next March. For more information, contact Aaron Levitt of Engineering at (919) 567-4025 or aaron.levitt@hollyspringsnc.us.

cheering for fall

Registration is under way for the fall season of our Parks and Recreation Department's events, programs and classes.



The season starts Sept. 1.

New programs include a variety of cooking classes for children, teens and adults. Others include "pickleball" as well as hula dance.

For program and registration details, see the HURRAHS! newsletter. Visit www.hollyspringsnc.us or pick up a copy of the new edition of HURRAHS! at any Parks and Recreation facility.

holidays

Labor Day
Monday, Sept. 2

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

Garbage & recycling pushed back one day for all routes (collection occurs Tuesday through Saturday)

Call Public Works Department at (919) 552-5920 with questions.

the early bird gets the lower entry fee

Early bird registration occurs throughout August for the Holly Springs 4 at 4 race, which will be held Oct. 12.

The 4-mile race starts at 4 p.m., beginning and ending in downtown Holly Springs.

Runners can register online by visiting www.sportoften.com.

Registration is \$28 this month. The entry fee rises to \$35 on Sept. 1. After Oct. 9, the

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entry fee for the 4 at 4 increases to \$40.

The event includes the Primrose Kids' Trot so that people of all ages can participate.

After the 4 at 4, local businesses and sponsors will provide live entertainment, food and beverages.

Contact David Mallard of our Parks and Recreation staff at (919) 557-9602 with questions about the 4 at 4 race.

Never dump leftover paint, waste from carpet cleaners or any other household products down a storm drain.

Not only does it affect water quality, it's illegal. Dispose of all substances properly.

For more information about our Illicit Discharge Ordinance, please contact the Town's Stormwater hotline by dialing (919) 567-4011 or by sending an e-mail message to stormwater@hollyspringsnc.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!

August 3 Local Farms - Local Foods

August 10 National Farmers Market Week
Customer Appreciation Drawings
Farm-to-Table Chef Series 10 a.m.

August 17 Master Gardener Workshop Series
10 a.m. "Taking Soil Samples"

August 24 Farm Fresh Produce Day
Featuring - Tomatoes

August 31 Local Farms - Local Foods

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

The Farmers Market is managed and operated by the Town of Holly Springs Department of Planning & Zoning

Coming Soon to

Holly Springs Cultural Center

Outdoor Concert Series
Free Admission

The Will McBride Group
Friday, Aug. 9 at 7 p.m.
Jazz, Pop and Rock

The Fantastic Shakers
Friday, Aug. 23 at 7 p.m.
Beach Music