

being flexible about fitness

Yoga (16 and up)

Thursdays, 6:30-7:30pm

May, June, July & August

Reap the benefits of increased flexibility, strength, better breathing, better concentration, and a sense of peacefulness. No yoga experience necessary.

Midday Gentle Yoga (16 & Up)

Thursdays, 11:50am - 12:50pm

May, June & August

A gentle sequence of poses that improve strength, flexibility, and balance. Different levels demonstrated. All levels of ability welcome. Appropriate for those wanting softer, less strenuous practice.

Lunchtime Yoga (16 & Up)

Tuesdays, 11:50am - 12:50pm

May, June & August

Take a break from your busy day and spend lunch on the mat clearing your head, improving your mental clarity and boosting your mood. Ben-



efit from better posture, increased flexibility, strength, better breathing, better concentration, and an improved sense of peacefulness. No yoga experience necessary.

About These Classes

Students must be able to transition from standing to floor. Bring your own mat. For fees, online registration and other details, see the Parks and Recreation program brochure at hollyspringsnc.us/hurrahs.

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HOLLY SPRINGS

North Carolina

May 2016



RED AND GREEN AND FRESH ALL OVER!
SEASON 10 OF THE HOLLY SPRINGS FARMERS MARKET OPENS SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 7 ACROSS MAIN STREET FROM TOWN HALL.

signing up to join a team or cheer one on



Show you've still got game.

Adult Men's Basketball

Ages: 18+

Residents' Registration Begins: Monday, May 9

Space limited and registration closes when filled

Games Played: Weeknights from early June through July

Note: Team registrations only (4-12 teams required)

Youth Tackle Football

Ages 7-12 (as of Aug. 1, 2016)

Residents' Registration Begins: Tuesday, May 24

(Walk-in registration begins Monday, May 23.)

Practice Begins: Early August

Games: Early September through November (some travel)

Focuses on fundamental skills and fun

Youth Cheerleading

Ages: 6-12 (as of Aug. 1, 2016)

Residents' Registration Begins: Tuesday, May 24

(Walk-in registration begins Monday, May 23.)

Practice Begins: Early August

Games Begin: Early September (Some travel required)

Focuses on fundamentals such as tumbling and stunting while cheering the Parks and Recreation football players.



Cheer your team.

Walk-in registration is held at **Hunt Recreation Center** at 301 Stinson Ave. Hours are 8 - 8 weekdays, 8-5 Saturdays, and 1-6 on Sundays.

See Athletics in the Parks and Recreation Department section of hollyspringsnc.us for more details on eligibility, how to register, and fees.

a decade as a downtown draw

The nationally-recognized Holly Springs Farmers Market opens its 10th season downtown Saturday, May 7 with strawberries and other seasonal produce, all-natural meats, free-range eggs, honey, flowers, bath and body products, and more.

Opening Day will feature Police and Fire Department displays, plus giveaways and prize drawings. Route 55 Jazz will perform live from 10:30 a.m. until closing.

The Holly Springs Farmers Market will operate each Saturday until fall from 8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. in the parking lot across Main Street from Town Hall.

New offerings at the outdoor market this season include cheesecake, mushrooms, salad dressings, and sauces.

Also new this year will be a place to drop off fresh foods that have been purchased at the market for people at risk of hunger.

The market will have a Farmer Food-share donation station where market customers can share some of their

purchases with the Holly Springs Food Cupboard. The initiative supports local farms while helping to connect those who grow food with those most in need of it.

Season 10 of the Holly Springs Farmers Market gets under way Saturday, May 7 with special activities and new products.

Produce changes with the season, but the Holly Springs Farmers Market offers kids' activities and live music each week. The town's Planning and Zoning Department operates the market, which was begun to help bring people downtown.

The response has earned Holly Springs' market recognition from the American Farmland Trust as N.C.'s favorite market and among the most favored in the nation.

Over the past two years, the market has expanded with a smaller, indoor version that meets monthly from No-

vember through April at Holly Springs Cultural Center.

Although farmers markets have been growing in popularity, the disappearance of family farms remains a nationwide concern.

American Farmland Trust believes farmers markets can slow that trend by enabling farmers to sell directly to consumers.

Each summer, the trust seeks to rally support for family farmers

by asking shoppers to identify the best farmers markets across the nation.

The Holly Springs Farmers Market rated top 50 best in class and earned a No. 10 ranking in the People's Choice category.



Calendar

Tues., May 3	Puppet Theatre, 11am, HSCC (Holly Springs Cultural Center) Town Council, 7pm, Town Hall
Wed., May 4	Senior Bingo, 1pm, Bass Lake
Fri., May 6	Family Fun Night, 6pm, Bass Lake
Sat., May 7	Farmers Market, 8:30am Kids Appreciation Day, 2pm, Sugg Farm Catfish Pro Tourney, 7pm, Bass Lake
Mon., May 9	Skyhawks RC Club, 7pm, Bass Lake Men's Basketball Registration Begins
Tues., May 10	Discovering Nature, 10am, Bass Lake Photo Club, 7pm, Bass Lake Board of Adjustment, 7pm, Town Hall
Thurs., May 12	Wildlife Club, 7pm, Bass Lake Recreation Board, 7pm, Town Hall
Fri., May 13	Family Bingo, 7pm, Bass Lake Children's Theatre, 7pm, HSCC
Sat., May 14	Farmers Market, 8:30am TurtleFest, 1pm, Bass Lake Children's Theatre, 7pm, HSCC
Sun., May 15	Children's Theatre, 2pm, HSCC Fishing Basics, 3pm, Bass Lake
Tues., May 17	Puppet Theatre, 11am, HSCC Town Council, 7pm, Town Hall
Wed., May 18	Senior Bingo, 1pm, Bass Lake
Sat., May 21	Farmers Market, 8:30am Rt. 55 Jazz, 7:30pm, HSCC
Sun., May 22	Lake Dipping, 3pm, Bass Lake
Mon., May 23	Tackle Football & Cheer Registration Begin (Hunt Center Walk-in Only)
Tues., May 24	Tackle Football, Cheer Registration Begin Planning Board, 7pm, Town Hall
Wed., May 25	Utility Bills Due
Thurs., May 26	Explore-a-Story, 10am, Bass Lake
Sat., May 28	Farmers Market, 8:30am Archery 101, 3pm, Bass Lake
Sun., May 29	Geocaching 101, 1pm, Bass Lake

keeping it clean

Thanks for doing your part for the environment by recycling as much as possible. However, please double-check that what you put in the recycling cart actually can be recycled. Cardboard pizza boxes are recyclable, but that's if



there are no food stains. You can cut those out. Rinse metal cans, glass bottles, etc. Recycle plastic bags at the store.

What You Can Recycle Curbside
hollyspringsnc.us/841/What-to-Recycle

Where to Take Other Materials
wakegov.com/recycling

Holly Springs Public Works
(919) 552-5920

Memorial Day Holiday
May 30, 2016

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

Garbage & Recycling Delayed 1 Day
to Tuesday through Saturday

*a day to
celebrate
and learn*

TurtleFest

Saturday, May 14
1-4 p.m.
Bass Lake Park

- ◆ Interactive Exhibits
- ◆ Biologists, Herpetologists, Wildlife Rehabilitators
- ◆ Crafts, Games and Prizes
- ◆ Live Animals
- ◆ Student Art Contest (For details, see Festivals & Events under Parks and Recreation at hollyspringsnc.us.)

Holly Springs Cultural Center

presents



Get tickets at etix.com or at the Cultural Center box office by calling **(919) 567-4000**.

Carolina Puppet Theater

The Gingerbread Man

Tuesday, May 3 & May 17 at 11 a.m.

With high energy antics and a variety of puppet styles, the characters come to life with engaging personalities and audience interaction. These hand-crafted puppets feature Bartlet the superstar, space ships and aliens. Meet a "real live puppet."

Route 55 Jazz Orchestra

That Old Man River

Saturday, May 21 at 7:30 p.m.

Authentic Big Band Jazz in the tradition of Basie, Kenton, Miller, and more.

Carolina Children's Theatre

The Elves and the Shoemaker

Friday & Saturday, May 13-14 at 7 p.m.

Sunday, May 15 at 2 p.m.

Classic tale of kindness without expecting reward. Down to their last piece of leather, a poor shoemaker and his wife retire for the night, exhausted. The next morning, a glorious pair of shoes appear. Who made them? Will this save the poor shoemaker and his wife from seemingly certain ruin?

giving us a call

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