

The Grapevine



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Paul Slechta Elected to Place 1 - Grapevine City Council

On Tuesday, December 8, Paul Slechta was elected to Place 1 on the Grapevine City Council in a special election to fill the unexpired term of C. Shane Wilbanks.

Mr. Slechta has been very involved with community organizations and previously served on the Grapevine Convention & Visitors Bureau Board of Directors as chairman, and was past chairman of the Grapevine

Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Slechta was named as Grapevine Chamber Member of the Year in 2013 and was inducted into the Grapevine Chamber Business Hall of Fame in 2012. Mr. Slechta is currently an active festival volunteer, a member of AMBUCS (American Business Club), a member of the Grapevine Historical Society, is a member of Grapevine Rotary and owns Panda Embroidery in

Grapevine. Mr. Slechta is a graduate of North Carolina State University. He and his wife Tiffany have two children, Katelyn and Tucker and have lived in Grapevine since 1990.

Prescription Drug Drop Box

The Grapevine Police Department has added a secure Prescription Drug Drop Box in the lobby of the Police Department, 307 West Dallas Road. The drop box will allow residents a free, safe and anonymous way to dispose any unused or expired medications 24 hours a day. The drop box is not intended for the use of businesses, pharmacies, clinics, doctor's offices or any facility that distributes medications. Acceptable and unacceptable forms of medications are:

Acceptable - prescriptions, pet medications, prescription patches and vitamins.

Unacceptable - needles, inhalers, aerosols, hydrogen peroxide, thermometers, ointments, lotions or liquids.



City Officer Election

May 7

The last day to register to vote for the City Officer Election is April 7. The election will be held on May 7 for Grapevine City Council Place 3 and Place 4.

Look for early voting dates and times in the next *The Grapevine* newsletter to be released in April.

GRAPEVINE Library

CREATE IT

3D Printing Now Available at the Library

Create It, funded by the Friends of the Library, has added its second 3D printer! Check out our new Lulzbot Taz 5 printer. The addition of this new 3D printer has enabled us to cut the waiting queue times in half, so your print projects can be finished quicker than ever!

Game Design with GameMaker: Studio

Learn all about game design and build your own games using Game Maker, Construct 2, and TeamClick software. Using visual drag and drop programming, anyone can make games with little or no experience. February 18 and 25, March 17 and 24, April 21 and 28, 6 to 8 pm. Space is limited. Please register for only one session each month at Library.GrapevineTexas.gov. Ages 10 and up.

Fort Worth Opera for Kids

Back by popular demand, the talented singers from the Fort Worth Opera return Thursday, February 18, at 7 pm for a performance of *Billy Goats Gruff*, a story about an after-school game of **hide-and-seek** that is ruined for three friends when a big bully blocks a bridge. The operatic version of this story is based on scenes from operas by Mozart, Donizetti, and Rossini. The entire family will enjoy this show.

Afternoon Tea with *Downton Abbey*

Rollin Phipps will present a discussion of this popular television drama. Mr. Phipps, a retired University of Texas at Arlington instructor, will focus on the facts and fiction behind the series *Downton Abbey* featuring cast photos, items from the period, and tea time provided by Grapevine's own British Emporium. This program is a great opportunity to bid farewell to this masterful television series coming to its final season. Discussion and tea time begin Saturday, February 20, 2 pm.

Lego Mindstorm EV3 Robotics Workshops

Register for robotics workshops using Lego Mindstorms EV3s. These workshops are for middle/high school students—minimum age 10. Please register for only one session per month. Look for additional workshops throughout the year. February 20 & March 19, from 10:30 am - 12:30 pm, and March 5, 2 - 4 pm. Space is limited. Register at Library.GrapevineTexas.gov. During the month of April, we will be preparing teams and participating in the G.E.A.R. robotics competition. If you are interested, please contact Chris in the Create It space at CWoodward@GrapevineTexas.gov.

CAD with 123D Design

Enjoy lessons that teach the basic skills needed to create 3D objects that you can print on one of our 3D printers. Ages 10 through adult are welcome. Monday evenings, 6-8 pm.

Introductory Creative Writing Workshop

Join writing instructor, Tim Smith, for an introduction to creative writing. Learn how to relay your interests in words. Discuss structure and the importance of having a consistent theme within the creative process. Create, write, and share together in this introductory writing workshop, Sunday, February 28, 3 pm.

Classical Guitar

Classical guitarist, Peter Fletcher, will perform selections from Tchaikovsky, Bach, and Grieg as part of his nationwide 2015-2016 tour. Enjoy the classical sounds of this master guitarist, Saturday, March 12, 2 pm.

Intermediate Genealogy Workshop - FREE

Researching the Kids: Identifying the Youngsters in the Family Tree, will be presented on Saturday, March 19, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm. Attendees should have genealogical knowledge beyond the beginner level. The program is free of charge and open to the public. Attendance will be

Blender Basics

This course will demonstrate how to maneuver and manipulate in a 3D environment. Students will learn basic 3D modeling skills that can easily be applied to other 3D modeling programs. The students will be tasked to construct various objects. Please register at Library.GrapevineTexas.gov for only one of the monthly Blender sessions at a time. This class is for students ages 12 and up. February 13 & 27, March 12 & 26, April 9 & 23, 2 - 4 pm.

Please visit Library.GrapevineTexas.gov for additional events including robotics and technology programs. Look for on-going events such as Storytimes, Entwined Minds Book Club, R.E.A.D. to a Furry Friend, Knitting and Quilting Groups, Genealogy Name Droppers, and more. Like us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter and Instagram at Grapevine Public Library.

limited to 50 persons and online pre-registration is required. Visit Library.GrapevineTexas.gov and click on Program Registration on the lower left side. See you there!

Spring Break Crafts for Tweens and Teens

Tuesday, March 15, 2 pm.

College Planning Workshop from "More Than A Teacher" for Teens

Thursday, March 24, 5 pm.

SAT Practice Test from "More Than A Teacher" for Teens

Saturday, March 26, 10:30 am.

Registration dates to be announced.

Contact: Teen@GrapevineTexas.gov or call 817.410.3405.

GRAPEVINE CONVENTION & *visitors & bureau*

Tower Gallery – FREE

Quanah Parker Exhibit, “One Man, Two Worlds,” January 15 - March 3

Triple Exposure Photography Show,

April 2 - May 28

Exhibits are open daily at 636 South Main Street: Monday - Friday, 8 am - 5 pm; Saturday, 10 am - 6:30 pm & Sunday, 12 pm - 5 pm. Visit GrapevineMuseums.com for more information.

Settlement to City Museums at Ted R. Ware Plaza – FREE

Learn the history of Grapevine through hands-on activities, photographs and artifacts at 206 West Hudgins, Tuesday – Saturday, 10 am - 4 pm & Sunday, 11 am - 4 pm.

Palace Theatre

First Friday & Classic Film Series, 300 South Main Street. Friday nights at 7:30 pm, \$6 per person. For tickets and movie listings, visit Palace-Theatre.com or call 817.410.3100.

Nash Farm

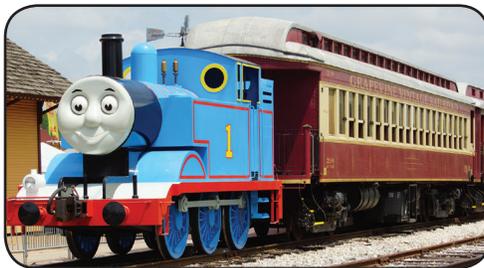
Experience educational programs such as Farmhouse on the Grape Vine Prairie, Frugal Farm Wife, and First Fridays at the Farm or one of the many special events at Nash Farm, 626 Ball Street. Visit NashFarm.org for more information.

Grapevine Vintage Railroad

Ride the rails for a family-friendly vintage railroad experience at 705 South Main Street. Visit GVRR.com for more information.

Jazz Wine Trains - Presented by Park Place Dealerships

Enjoy jazz music, delicious food and new release wines on board a historic train on March 18 & 19. Train departs at 7 pm from the Cotton Belt Depot, 705 South Main Street. Train returns at approximately 10 pm. Guests must be 21 and over. \$59 per person. Visit GrapevineTexasUSA.com/JazzWineTrains for more details.



Day Out With Thomas™

This event features a 25-minute (approximately) train ride with Thomas the Tank Engine™, storytelling, live music and more. The train departs from the Cotton Belt Railroad District, 705 South Main Street on April 1, 2, 3, 8, 9 & 10. Visit GVRR.com for more details.

24th Annual Blessing of the Vines & New Vintage Wine and Gallery Trail – Presented by Park Place Dealerships

Take part in the Blessing of the Vines, a centuries-old European ceremony to ensure robust vines and savory grapes at Delaney Vineyards, 2000 Champagne Boulevard and in Historic Downtown Grapevine on April 9, 11 am – 5 pm. Experience the New Vintage Wine and Gallery Trail where you will visit many unique winery tasting rooms in Grapevine. \$49 per person. For more details, visit GrapevineTexasUSA.com/NewVintage.



15th Annual Spring Into Nash – FREE

Experience family-friendly fun on the farm in Grapevine. Children and adults will enjoy learning what life was like when the City's earliest settlers made their home in Grapevine. Guests will enjoy a variety of activities. Tractor-drawn wagon rides, \$1 per person. Join us at Nash Farm, 626 Ball Street on April 16, 10 am – 2 pm. For more details, visit NashFarm.org.



12th Annual ChocolateFest

Sample rich and delectable confectionaries from some of the finest chocolatiers in North Texas. **“Experience “An Evening of Chocolate & Wine”** on April 15, 7 - 10 pm. Enjoy **“A Day of Chocolate & Art”** on April 16, 10:30 am - 2:30 pm. Both events will be hosted at the Grapevine Convention Center, 1209 S. Main Street. Guests must be 21 and over. Advance purchase required. Visit ChocolateFestGrapevine.org for more details.

Grapevine Market - FREE

This European-style market offers an eclectic mix of jewelry, home décor items and collectables. Open Thursdays & Saturdays; April 7 - October 15, 9 am - 2 pm at Liberty Park, 215 South Main Street.

Grapevine Farmers Market - FREE

Enjoy produce from local, regional and Texas farmers and other Texas products such as honey, nuts, meat, grains and more at Town Square Gazebo, 325 South Main Street. Open Thursdays, Fridays & Saturdays; April 7 - October 15, 8 am - 4 pm. For produce information, visit FarmersMarketOfGrapevine.com.

Grapevine Convention Center

The entire family will enjoy a variety of shows at the Grapevine Convention Center, 1209 South Main Street. For additional information, visit GrapevineConventionCenter.com or call 817.410.3459.

For more information about Grapevine festivals and events, please visit GrapevineTexasUSA.com.

Outdoor Warning Sirens in Grapevine

The City of Grapevine tests their outdoor warning sirens on the first Wednesday of every month at 1 pm.

We operate 14 solar-powered outdoor warning sirens to notify residents and visitors of severe weather and tornados. The system is maintained and operated by the Grapevine Fire Department Office of Emergency Management. They are tested each month in coordination with surrounding cities (provided there is not inclement weather) to ensure that the outdoor warning sirens are working properly.

The City's outdoor warning sirens are specifically placed throughout the City to ensure that those who are outdoors are aware of the potential hazard and move indoors, take cover and monitor

the situation via television, radio, and/or social media. It is important to note that the outdoor warning sirens are not designed (nor placed) to be heard in your home or other indoor locations.

The sirens will initially sound for three minutes, but will continue to sound as long as the threat continues. By monitoring the situation, individuals can make informed decisions and know when it is safe to leave your designated safe room. There is no all clear signal.

Sirens will be sounded given one of the following weather conditions:

- Tornado warning has been issued for Northeast Tarrant County and storm will be impacting the City of Grapevine

- Tornado has been spotted by a trained weather spotter
- Severe thunderstorm warning with destructive winds in excess of 70 mph
- Hail - one inch or larger in diameter
- Sustained wind speeds of 55 mph or greater

Please note:

- When the sirens sound, take cover indoors
- Monitor local radio, television, and/or social media channels for information
- Consider purchasing a weather radio for indoor notification
- Ensure it is properly set up for Grapevine notifications.
- Outdoor Warning Sirens are designed for outdoor notification. DO NOT rely on them to wake you up or notify you in your home



Police Motorcycle Skills Competition – FREE

The Coppell/Grapevine Police Charitable Association will be hosting a Police Motorcycle Skills competition in Grapevine, Texas, March 17-19, in the Grapevine Mills Mall parking lot. This will be the eighth annual event and the third year the two agencies have joined forces to co-host the event.

Police Motorcycle Officers from all over Texas will be competing for trophies in a skills competition. Competitions will include individual and team skill rides. We encourage everyone to come out to the event, feel the excitement and support the riders. Enjoy multiple vendor booths, several raffles and some fantastic silent auction items.

This past year we hosted the largest number of riders of any of our competitions thus far. The Coppell/Grapevine Police Charitable Association is a non-profit 501c3 Organization. All proceeds from the event benefit several Police and Fire related charities such as MetroplexCOPS, Remember the Fallen Heroes, Grapevine Shield, and North Texas Shield Foundation.

Each year, officers and firefighters are killed in the line of duty, leaving the need to rebuild the lives of the surviving families. We realize the need for these charities and have the desire to create the most exciting police motorcycle rodeo in an effort to continue to support them. It is not how they died that makes them heroes, it is how they lived.

The official event video may be viewed on YouTube at: bit.ly/1X3XGEt.

For more information about the charities, schedule of events and sponsors, visit CGPoliceMotorRodeo.com or like "Coppell-Grapevine Police Motorcycle Rodeo" on Facebook.



Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event – Saturday, March 26

The City of Grapevine will be hosting its annual Household Hazardous Waste Event on Saturday, March 26 from 8 until 11:30 am, 501 Shady Brook Drive. This event is for Grapevine residents ONLY. Proof of residency (driver’s license or utility bill) is required.

Educational information and demonstrations will also be hosted in the parking lot across the street.

Acceptable items:

Any household hazardous waste (paint, oil, herbicides, pesticides, cleaners, fluorescent bulbs, vehicle and household batteries, etc.).

Other acceptable items include:

- Paper shredding (limit of five “office” boxes or 200 lbs.)
- Styrofoam (clean, white packing foam and packing peanuts)
- Cell phones and PDAs
- Eye glasses & hearing aids
- Mattresses
- Appliances
- Electronics
- Metal
- Ink jet/toner cartridges

- Tires (Standard vehicle ONLY. No bicycle, motorcycle, or tractor tires)
- Donation items (clothes, shoes & reusable items)
- Food Donations*

*Canned and dry food goods will be collected for GRACE.

Items NOT accepted:

Unknown waste, ammunition/explosives, closed cylinders (i.e., extinguishers, propane tanks), medical waste, pharmaceuticals, radioactive material, commercial or business waste.

Grapevine residents unable to attend this event may take their household hazardous waste to the Environmental Collection Center (ECC), 6400 Bridge Street, Fort Worth. The ECC hours are Thursday, Friday, 11 am – 7 pm and Saturday, 9 am – 3 pm. This service is provided free of charge to Grapevine residents.

For additional information, please contact Public Works at 817.410.3330.

Job Fair APRIL 2

Grapevine Job Fair

The Grapevine Community Outreach Center, in partnership with the Grapevine Chamber of Commerce, is proud to announce the 3rd Annual Grapevine Job Fair on April 2 from 1 – 5 pm at Grapevine High School, 3223 Mustang Drive, Grapevine. Last year’s job fair featured 56 local employers, more than 1,000 job openings, over 600 job seekers, 200+ on-site interviews, and over 500 potential hires. The 2016 Grapevine Job Fair is expected to be even bigger, with more employers in attendance, and even more jobs for those seeking employment.

Drop-Off Recycle Station



Republic Services now offers electronics & single stream drop-off recycling for Grapevine residents, which means cardboard, all paper, plastics and glass can be placed in the container for recycling. Additionally, residents may drop-off appliances (ranges,

refrigerators, washers/dryers, etc.) in the designated area to be recycled by DFW Reclaimers. The Recycle Station is located in the Grapevine Animal Shelter parking lot, 500 Shady Brook Drive.

For more information, contact Republic Services at 817.332.7301.



GRAPEVINE

Parks & Recreation

COMMUNITY EVENTS

41st Annual Easter Egg Hunt at Nash Farm – Grapevine - FREE

Take a trip to Nash Farm, 626 Ball Street on Saturday, March 19 this spring for our annual egg hunt. Mr. Bunny will be hiding thousands of candy-filled eggs and special prize eggs will be hidden in each age division. Enjoy face painters, a petting zoo, wagon rides, and more! There will be five different hunts by age group. Don't forget your basket and camera (or smart phone)!

Time: 9:30 am-12:30 pm

Egg Hunt Divisions/Times: 7-9 yrs. /10 am, 0-2 yrs. /10:30 am, 5-6 yrs. /11 am, 3-4 yrs. /11:30 am, All ages (up to 12) /12 pm.

In the event of inclement weather, festivities will be rescheduled for March 26. The "All Age Hunt" at 12 pm is for children 10 and older OR children who did not participate in their age group hunt that morning. Out of respect for others, no "repeat" hunters, please.

Mother Son Date Night

007- Mother Son Bonding: Diamonds Are Forever

Experience the heroic and thrill-filled world of the best James Bond adventure ever known. Join us on Friday, April 22 from 7-9:30 pm at Compass Center, 4201 Pool Road, Grapevine. This event is filled with daring missions to thwart villainous plots, Q's newest and coolest spy gadgets, fast cars and explosive action where mother and son save the day. Always dressed to impress, 007 is the secret agent who always beats the bad guy and saves the beautiful girl (that's you, mom!). Join us for a fun and delicious evening, shaken, not stirred - where the action doesn't stop until the credits role. Dinner and dessert will be provided.

Fee: \$15/person on or before April 16;

\$18/person beginning April 17

Code: 709753-03

Ages: 2-18 year old boys

Registration Deadline: Wednesday, April 20

Mom & Me Tea, Mad Hatter Tea Party

How lovely it would be if you would join us for tea. Don't be late for this very important date! Please join us down the rabbit hole for a wonderland party and have tea with the Mad Hatter and friends on Saturday, May 7 at the Botanical Gardens at Heritage Park, 411 Ball Street. Enjoy treats, crafts and special time together as mom and daughter create memories for a lifetime. Don't forget to come dressed with your maddest hat for a prize. Pictures will be available for a small charge. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Time: 9:30-11 am, 1-2:30 pm & 4-5:30 pm

Fee: \$12/person on or before April 30;

\$15/person beginning May 1

Code: 709754-10, 11, 12

Registration Deadline: Wednesday, May 4

Age: All ages welcome

In the event of inclement weather, Mom and Me Tea will be held in The REC Event Hall, 1175 Municipal Way.

KEEP GRAPEVINE BEAUTIFUL (KGV B)

Don't Mess With Texas Trash-Off

Saturday, April 9, 8 am-12 pm

The Don't Mess With Texas Trash-Off serves as Texas' signature event for the Great American Clean-up. Volunteers hit the streets and trails to collect trash and recycling. This community-wide clean-up event ends with a celebration lunch, including prizes. For details, call 817.410.3490 or email KNelson@GrapevineTexas.gov.

EPIC Earth Day - FREE

Saturday, April 16, 8 am-12 pm

Join us for our signature event at the Botanical Gardens at Heritage Park, 411 Ball Street.

- Vendor Expo: Vendors and community groups will be on-site to showcase earth-friendly products and services.

- Kids' Eco-Play Area: Includes face painting, a bounce house, and an opportunity to plant vegetables and herbs in the children's garden.
- KGV B Pavilion Plaza: Learn more about how we Keep Grapevine Beautiful.

For those interested in securing a vendor booth, sponsorships, demonstrations, speaking engagements, or volunteer opportunities, visit kgvb.org, call 817.410.3122 or email KNelson@GrapevineTexas.gov.

BOTANICAL GARDENS AT HERITAGE PARK

Adult Classes

Young At Heart Gardeners

2016 January-March Programs

Classes are held in the Bessie Mitchell House, 411 Ball Street and include a tour of the Garden and a chance to feed the Japanese Koi. All senior programs are from 10 am-12 pm, require

pre-registration, and cost \$5 per person.

- February 22 | Ivy League

Learn about ivy and how it can be trained into shapes. Make a custom trellis to start an ivy on its way up.

- March 28 | Spring Time

As we are approaching the spring season, we need more plants. Make your own personalized planter, add plants and brighten the patio. Stroll the Garden and feed the Koi fish. Children's programs – ages 3-6 years.

Spring pre-registration is required. \$5 per child.

Veggie People – \$5/child

Enjoy this delicious story that's good for you!

Learn about vegetables that are fun to eat and healthy too. Create a vegetable family and talk about healthy food at the Botanical Gardens Pewitt Pavilion on Sunday, February 21 from 2-2:45 pm. Session includes a story time.

Earth Critters – \$5/child

Learn how earth creates a safe place for plants and critters. Create a prairie in a box and enjoy a story time at the Botanical Gardens Pewitt Pavilion.

Tuesday, March 15, 4-4:45 pm
Sunday, March 20, 2-2:45 pm

Lady Wildflowers – \$5/child

Create and design a wildflower bouquet and learn how wildflowers create beauty within our lives at the Botanical Gardens Pewitt Pavilion.

Tuesday, April 19 from 4-4:45 pm. This session also includes a story time.

ATHLETICS

YOUTH SPORTS:

Spring Youth Volleyball Program

Registration: February 1–14
Late Registration: February 15–22 (add 10% late fee)
Season Dates: March 19–April 23
Fees: \$80/individual resident, \$90/individual non-resident, \$350/resident team and \$375/non-resident team

Spring/Summer Youth Basketball Program

Registration: March 1–20
Late Registration: March 21–31 (add 10% late fee)
Season Dates: April 23–June 25
Fees: \$100/individual resident, \$110/individual non-resident, \$500/resident team and \$525/non-resident team

ADULT SPORTS:

Spring Flag Football 4 on 4 Program

Registration: February 14–21
Late Registration: February 22–29 (add 10% late fee)
Season Dates: March 8–April 25
Fees: \$270/team

Spring Flag Football 8 on 8 Program

Registration: February 21–28
Late Registration: February 29–March 7 (add 10% late fee)
Season Dates: March 13–May 15
Fees: \$350/team

Spring Adult Basketball Program

Registration: March 13–20
Late Registration: March 21–28 (add 10% late fee)
Season Dates: April 4–June 15
Fees: \$375/team

Indoor COED Volleyball Program

Registration: March 20–27
Late Registration: March 28–April 4 (add 10% late fee)
Season Dates: April 12–June 7
Fees: \$190/team

Sand COED Volleyball Program

Registration: March 20–27
Late Registration: March 28–April 4 (add 10% late fee)
Season Dates: April 13–June 23
Fees: \$190/team

Tennis Classes:

March 1–28
Registration: February 15
Fees: \$39 - \$150/person
Location: Dove Tennis Courts, 1509 Hood Lane
Tennis Contact/Additional Information:
Austin Wynne – 214.668.1619

ACTIVE ADULTS 55 & BETTER

All activities are available to senior adults age 55 years and better! A complete schedule of activities is available at PlayGrapevine.com. For additional information, please call 817.410.3465 or visit us at 1175 Municipal Way.

Senior Movers

SeniorMovers assists Grapevine's seniors with transportation to and from medical and dental appointments. Pre-registration is required to use this service. Volunteers to provide this needed service are greatly appreciated. If you are available to volunteer time to make a difference in the lives of our seniors, please call 817.410.3465.

Venice, Florence & Rome – October 8-15

This Collette Vacations tour is filled with history, culture, and art. Explore Venice with its lattice work of 150 canals and 400 bridges. Board a high-speed train to Florence where you will see one of the many architectural wonders of Florence, the Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral. In Rome, your tour includes the Colosseum and Vatican City. The cost which includes air taxes and fees/surcharges, hotel transfers, and round trip air from DFW International Airport is: double-\$4,099; single-\$4,649 and triple-\$4,069. Book before April 9 and receive a \$100 discount. Detailed brochures are available at The REC. You may also visit gateway.gocollette.com/link/701394.

Young@Heart Gardeners

Join us at the Bessie Mitchell House, 411 Ball Street on the fourth Monday of the month at 10 am for a gardening lesson. Preregistration is required. The cost of each class is \$5.

• Feb 22 – Learn about ivy and how it can be

trained into shapes. Take home a custom made trellis and start an ivy on its way up

- Mar 28 – Make your own personalized planter, add plants and brighten up your patio
- Apr 25 – Learn about floral design and how to use design tools. Make a pleasing flower arrangement to take home

Computer Class Registration

Register for computer classes on Monday, February 29. Walk-in registration will be available from 9 am–12 pm, or you may call 817.410.3465 with your request after 1 pm. Registration is first-come, first-served with priority given to Grapevine residents. A list of classes is available at PlayGrapevine.com or at The REC, 1175 Municipal Way.

AARP Tax Aide

If you need assistance with your taxes, certified volunteers will be available from 8:30 am to 5:30 pm on Wednesdays to help those in the low to middle income range. Special emphasis is given to those aged 60 and over. Please call 817.410.3465 for an appointment.

Play Ball!

Join us on Tuesday, April 19, as The REC of Grapevine Active Adults (55 & better) head to Dr. Pepper Ballpark in Frisco, to watch the RoughRiders! We will be sitting in the all-you-can-eat section that offers unlimited brats, hot dogs, peanuts, Dr. Pepper products and more. You will also receive a \$10 voucher to use at other concession areas and a RoughRiders souvenir item - all for only \$28 per person. The last day to register is Thursday, March 3. The bus will depart at 9:45 am from The REC and will return to The REC at the conclusion of the game.

THE REC

Performance Cycling

Ride a different world-famous cycling course each session. Bring your own bike and attach it to our electronic trainers and computer. The classes are designed to improve your fitness and road bike handling. All riding abilities from beginner to pro-racer will enjoy this class.

Ages: 10 yrs. & up (Under age 10 will want to discuss with Instructor).

Days/Times: Tues; 7 – 8 pm, Wed; 2:30 – 3:30 pm, Thurs; 7 – 8 pm

Fee: Member \$60 Non Member \$70/4 sessions
Supplies: Road or Mountain Bicycle
Computer controlled electronic trainers provided by instructor. Instructor: Clarence Muller-USA Cycling Certified Coach. For additional information, call 817.714.9620.

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AQUATICS, CAMPS & THE REC

Insanity - NEW INSTRUCTOR

From the DVDs to The REC! The revolutionary, cardio-based, total body-conditioning program is here! This calorie torching, shirt soaking workout is based on the principals of MAX Interval Training. You'll be ripping through the most heart-pumping, muscle shredding, sweat dripping, and high-intensity cardio workout ever. It is designed to provide a safe, challenging and results driven workout with no equipment necessary. Each move has modifications for anyone at any fitness level.

Ages: 16 yrs. & up

Day/Time: Tues/Thurs- 9:45 - 10:30 am

Fee: Member \$56 • Non Member \$66 or

Thurs- 6:45 - 7:30 pm

Fee: Member \$25 • Non Member \$35

Instructor: Casey Walker, 2015 Beachbody Challenge Winner

Camps

The REC - Spring Break Camp. Join our friendly staff as campers enjoy a fun filled week of activities, swimming and field trips. For more information, please contact David at 817.410.3454

or at DMote@GrapevineTexas.gov. Space is limited.

March 14 -18

Times 7:30 am – 6 pm

Fee: Member / \$100 • Non Member / \$110

The REC of Grapevine - Birthday Bash

On April 25, help us celebrate the one year anniversary of this amazing community facility. Enjoy food and fun throughout the day.

Wettest Egg Hunt

Enjoy this wet egg hunt in the pool at The REC on Saturday, March 12 from 6:30-8:30pm. Egg hunts are based on age groups. Have fun hunting for eggs in the pool!

Fee: Members / FREE • Non Member / \$5

April Pools Days, Water Safety Expo – NEW

Join us on Friday, April 1 from 4-8pm at The REC, 1175 Municipal Way as we host a family-friendly Water Safety Expo. This fun and educational event will boast multiple stations providing information about water safety, lifejacket fittings, paddle boarding and kayaking. The pool will also be open for swimming!

Register for Immediate Notification of Severe Weather

The City of Grapevine now offers residents access to an automated weather notification alert system. In the event that the National Weather Service issues a Severe Thunderstorm or Tornado Warning indicating that people should take cover immediately, this system will automatically alert those who have registered. By registering, you are able to select alerts via mobile phone, landline and/or email. You also have the option of being alerted according to types of weather (flash flooding, tornados, etc.). These types of alerts are better for immediate notification, especially when indoors and/or at night. Outdoor Warning Sirens are specifically designed to notify persons who are outdoors to take cover. We encourage all Grapevine residents to register at Public.CodeRedWeb.com (bit.ly/20qPFyK) in order to receive these important automated notifications to remain aware and alert during severe weather situations.



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