



EULESS TODAY



Dear Citizens,
Please read the wonderful story on page two about our brand new historical museum. The Euleless Historical Commission is a very active group of volunteers that are dedicated to preserving and promoting awareness of the historical heritage of Euleless.

This committee recently created a stand-alone museum to honor the history of Euleless that opened last September. It features priceless artifacts from as far back as the 1880s. In addition to the main hall, the museum features a military room, a 1930s kitchen and a 1940s school room. It even has a replica of a wood porch inside the museum that was hand crafted by the members of the committee in their spare time.

The museum is open on the second Saturday of every month from 1-5 p.m. and it is free to tour. Please take the family for a visit and see our historical heritage.

TOGETHER WE ARE BUILDING A BETTER TOMORROW AND REMEMBERING OUR PAST.

Mary Lib Saleh

The Euleless City Council

- Mary Lib Saleh *Mayor*
- Tim Stinnford *Place 1*
- Leon Hogg *Mayor Pro Tem*
- Linda Martin *Place 2*
- Linda Eilenfeldt *Place 3*
- Glenn Porterfield *Place 4*
- Perry Bynum *Place 5*
- Place 6*

COMMUNITY NEWS 817-685-1400 www.eulesstx.gov

Dale Harwell Hired as Director of Administrative Services

The City of Euleless is pleased to welcome Dale Harwell. The Director of Administrative Services is responsible for supervising the operations of Information Services, the Library, Human Resources and franchise contracts.

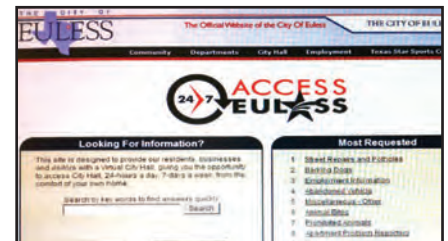


Mr. Harwell brings years of experience in both the public and private sectors. Most recently, he was the Information Services Manager in Hurst. He has also worked for Texas Health Resources and Texas ER Medical Billing.

He is a Past-President of the HEB Rotary Club and the Texas Association of Governmental IT Managers. Dale's education background includes a MBA in Information Systems and a BBA in Finance from The University of Texas at Arlington. He has taught as an adjunct professor at Dallas Baptist University since 2010. Dale and his wife Jana have been married for almost 30 years and are the parents of Andrew and Haley.



The City of Euleless has made it even easier for you to contact us 24/7 with your requests, questions, and concerns with the web-based system, Access Euleless. Access Euleless improves communication by ensuring the right person is contacted with your request, along with a section of frequently asked questions on popular city topics.



Just click the Access Euleless logo on the www.eulesstx.gov homepage. There is also a free mobile application, GOResult, available if you wish to submit requests from an Android, iPhone, or iPad. For any questions or help using Access Euleless please call 817-685-1400.

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The Heritage Park Story

By Kathy A. Goolsby
Special Contributor

Five-year-old Kara Vaughan stands at the well in Euleless's Heritage Park as her great-grandmother, Alice Vaughan, explains how previous generations "fetched" water one bucket at a time. As Ms. Vaughan demonstrates opening the cover's lid, dropping in a bucket and hauling it back up hand-over-hand via a rope-and-pulley system, Kara's eyes widen in amazement.



During a visit to Heritage Park, Alice Vaughan of Euleless tells her great-granddaughter, Kara Vaughan, how early Euleless residents fetched water from wells.

"Wow," she said as they walk away, "now we have sinks to get our water."

She and her twin sister, Kahlan, visited the park in early June. Ms. Vaughan, who home-schools her great-granddaughters, saw Heritage Park as a chance to bring history lessons to life.

"I have great respect for the past and I just wanted them to see how people used to do things," she said.

Heritage Park provides those lessons with a variety of restored buildings, including an 1850s log cabin, a barn built shortly after World War I, a heritage museum, and even a replica outhouse. The impetus for the park began in the mid-1990s when word came that Euleless's first brick house was to be demolished.



An old spinning wheel stands in front of cotton plants in the 1850s log cabin at Heritage Park.

Residents rallied to save Homer and Edith Taylor Fuller's 1932 home that was built at a time when wooden farmhouses were the norm. The one and a half story home was moved to the park and restored to its original condition. Much of the furnishings also are original, having been donated by the Fuller family.

The Fuller House opened as a museum in 1998, but provided more than a glimpse into Euleless's past, said Mayor Mary Lib Saleh. It inspired the creation of the park dedicated to the city's rich history as more people came forward with donations.

"The accumulation was overwhelming because everyone wanted to donate something," Mayor Saleh said. "It really was a community effort."

Those donations included the log cabin that, for more than 100 years, was protected by a house built around it. After Andrew Jackson Himes bought the cabin and surrounding land in 1888, he added rooms to accommodate his growing family. A log cabin restoration expert supervised the cabin's move to Heritage Park and its restoration, and more donations filled the home with tools, furniture and other items authentic to its beginnings.

The nearby barn was created after World War I and the dismantling of Army barracks at Camp Bowie west of Fort Worth. The lumber was offered to anyone willing to haul it away, and Walter Lee McCormick used a wagon and mule team to carry off enough planks to build his barn.



A butter churn, scrubbing board and oil lamp are among the items displayed in the 1850s log cabin at Heritage Park.

Also in Heritage Park is a recreation center that, by 1995, was used only for occasional meetings by local groups. As more donations came in, members of the newly formed Eules Historical Preservation Committee asked to store the items at the recreation center.

Eventually, an idea blossomed to turn the center into a museum using the donations to reflect local lifestyles, primarily during the 1930s. A Depression-era kitchen, back porch and other rooms line the center's perimeter, all built by committee members. One end of the former gymnasium features wooden church pews and a stained-glass window from the city's first Baptist and Methodist churches. The office of Eules's first police chief, W.M. "Blackie" Sustaie, is recreated alongside an area dedicated to the city's fire department.

There is a music room and a wall dedicated to a nearby historic bridge. A shelf of local family histories offers research materials for local historians, and glass cases feature some of the more delicate and unusual items.

"Maybe you didn't live it, but you can come through here and learn how your parents and grandparents lived," said Don Martin, one of the park's volunteer docents.

The docents are members of the



Old tractor wheels lean against the barn wall in Heritage Park.

Historical Preservation Committee and are there to answer questions or give tours. Visitors also are welcome to explore the various buildings on their own.

Heritage Park provides more than just a glimpse of how the people of Eules once lived, Mayor Saleh said, but also is a reflection of today's residents.

"The main purpose is to keep the heritage of Eules alive," she said, "And it's thanks to the citizens of Eules who have graciously donated historical items that we are able to keep that history alive."

What: Eules Heritage Park and Museum

Where: 203 Cullum Street

When: Open 1-5 p.m. the second Saturday of each month

Cost: Free

Information: 817-685-1649



A baby cradle, made from green willow limbs in 1883, is reflected in a dresser mirror in the Fuller House at Heritage Park.



Sara Hickman Concert

September 9, 7 p.m.
Texas Star Golf Course
1400 Texas Star Parkway

Sara Hickman's shows are upbeat and fun and she performs with an amazing smile that captivates audiences everywhere. Sara has been writing music since she got her first guitar at age 7, and she's never stopped. In 2010, Sara served as the Official State Musician of Texas, preceded by Willie Nelson in 2009 and followed by Lyle Lovett in 2011. On her Kirtland Records debut release Shine, Hickman delivers another memorable collection of 10 songs that will take the listener on an intense journey destined to evoke a broad spectrum of emotions.



Junior Angler Fishing

September 21, 9 a.m. - noon
Wilshire Pond, 315 Sierra Dr.

Join us at Wilshire Park for a great day of family fun! The Texas Junior Anglers organization will stock Wilshire pond with 500 pounds of catfish. It's absolutely free, and equipment will be available for all the kids who need it. Great prizes will be given out in various age groups and categories. The tournament is for kids only, but parents may fish after the competition. Free refreshments for all participants! Call 817-685-1666 for more information.



Special Green Fees for Euless Residents

September 15 (after 11 a.m.)
\$25 green fee

Don't pass this up! This is a great opportunity to play Texas Star Golf Course at an unheard of discount. This special green fee for Euless residents only with proof of residency. Please make your tee times 5 days in advance and play a round at Texas Star.



Aquatics Seasonal Hours

EULESS FAMILY LIFE AQUATIC PARK

May 31 – August 25

Aug 31 – Sept 2

Monday - Saturday, 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Sunday, noon - 7 p.m.

SOUTH EULESS SWIMMING POOL

June 1 – August 10

Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 1 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Saturday, 1 p.m. - 6 p.m.

Sunday, 2 p.m. - 6 p.m.

WILSHIRE SWIMMING POOL

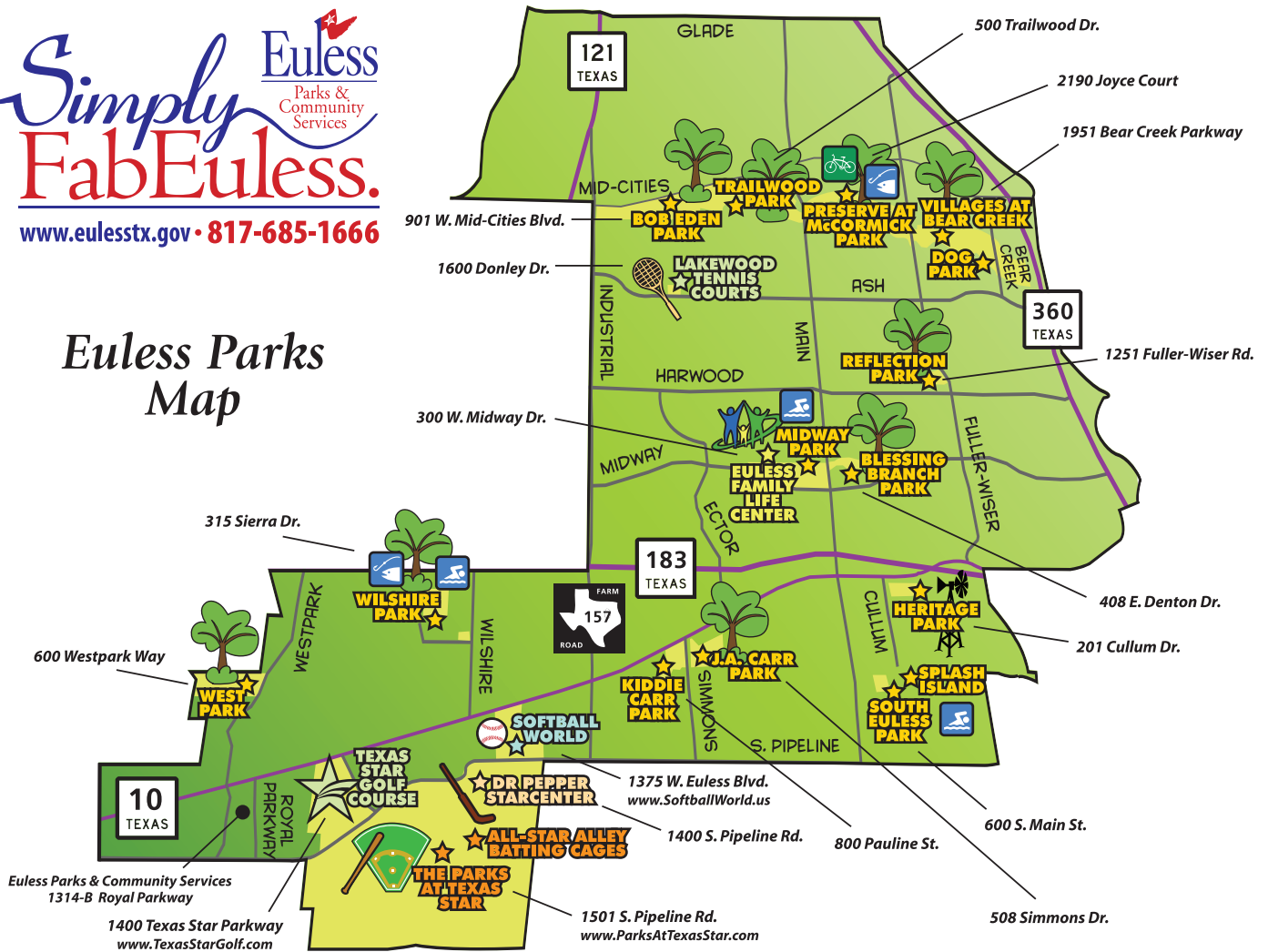
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Eules Parks Map





SENIORS

817-685-1671

www.eulesstx.gov/seniors

September Special Events

*Senior Center special events are for Eules Family Life Senior Center members.
 You must be over the age of 60 to become a member.*

2	Closed for Labor Day Holiday	
6	George Bush Library*	9:30 a.m.
9 & 16	Numerology Class* \$20 (2 Classes)	1:00 p.m.
10 & 24	Elevation Health Checks	10 a.m.-noon
13	Dallas Farmers Market*	9:00 a.m.
16	Dining Out*	5:00 p.m.
18	Mystery Lunch* \$10-\$20	12:30 p.m.
19	Carter Eye Center Free Cataract Screening	10 a.m.-1 p.m.
20	Dallas Holocaust Museum* \$6	9:30 a.m.
27	Fossil Rim Wildlife Center-Glen Rose* \$20	8:00 a.m.
27	NE Senior Jamboree-Grapevine	9:00 a.m.

**Registration is required for these activities one week prior! Don't wait to register at the last minute. If we do not have enough to make the class or event, we may have to cancel. Some activities have limited space available as well. Sign up today for the activities you are interested in. You may miss out if you wait too long!*



CALENDAR & CLASSES

817-685-1666

www.eulesstx.gov/eulesstoday

SEPTEMBER CLASSES

Eules Family Life Center, 300 W. Midway Dr.

For complete descriptions, visit www.eulesstx.gov/eflc or on Facebook "Eules Parks & Community Services."

EFLC HOURS: M-TH: 5:30 a.m. - 9 p.m. ♦ FRI: 5:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. ♦ SAT: 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. ♦ SUN: 1 - 6 p.m.

<u>CHILD DEVELOPMENT</u>	<u>CLASS#</u>	<u>BEG</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>#WKS/\$</u>
Mommy & Me Gymnastics	110181-01	9/7	18-30m	S	10-10:45am	4/\$52
Pre-School Play Date	110020-01	9/19	2-5	TH	10-11:30am	1/FREE
Fun Time for Learners	110002-01	9/4	3-5	M/W	9am-1pm	4/\$127
Terrific Tuesday & Thursday	110003-01	9/3	3-5	T/TH	9am-1pm	4/\$127
Fun Fridays Pre- School	110010-01	9/6	3-5	F	9am-1pm	4/\$62
Just 4 Flips Pre-K Gymnastics	110210-01	9/7	3-6	S	11-11:45am	4/\$52
Just 4 Flips Pre-K Gymnastics	110210-01	9/9	3-6	TH	5-5:45pm	4/\$52
Prince & Princess Camp	110001-01	9/10	3-6	T/TH	9-10am	2/\$55
Just 4 Flips Cheerleading	110215-01	9/9	3-7	M	7-7:45pm	4/\$52
Morning Zumbatomic	110355-01	9/3	4-7	T/TH	9-10am	4/\$50

YOUTH/TEEN ACTIVITIES

Under the Rim Basketball	110515-01	9/7	5-9	S	10-10:45am	4/\$35
Elementary Drawing	110000-01	9/5	5-12	TH	6-7pm	4/\$48
You Can Paint Youth	110815-01	9/26	5-13	TH	4-5:30pm	1/\$22
Just 4 Flips Gymnastics	110220-01	9/9	6-9	M	6-6:45pm	4/\$52
Young Spartan Boot Camp	110510-01	9/4	8-12	W	6-7pm	4/\$22
Making the Cut Basketball	110520-01	9/7	8-14	M	10:45-11:15am	3/\$42
	110520-02	9/7	8-14	M	11:15-11:45am	3/\$42

ADULT ACTIVITIES

Boot Camp Cardio	110315-01	9/10	13+	M/TH	6-6:45am	FREE
AM Zumba	110400-01	9/9	13+	MWF	6-7am	3/\$38
Hatha Yoga	110330-02	9/10	13+	T/TH	7-8pm	3/\$36
Get Fit Boot Camp	110310-01	8/27	13+	T-F	5:30-6:15pm	5/\$82
Zumba	110300-02	9/9	13+	M/W	7-8pm	3/\$32
You Can Oil Paint	110810-01	9/26	14+	TH	6-9pm	1/\$37
Boot Camp	110350-01	9/3	16+	T/TH/F	5:45-6:45am	4/\$62
Tai Chi-Beginners	110305-01	9/3	16+	T	6-7pm	4/\$40
Tai Chi-Advanced	110306-01	9/4	16+	T	7-8pm	4/\$40
Fun Way to Public Speaking	110710-01	9/10	18+	T	7-8:30pm	6/\$37
You & Numerology	110705-01	9/9	18+	M	7-8pm	3/\$27
Social Security Questions	111004-01	9/10	18+	T	10-11am	1/Free
Retirement Plan Options	111002-01	9/26	18+	TH	10-11am	1/Free

DR PEPPER STARCENTER

1400 S. Pipeline, 76040, 817-267-4233

Tot Ice Skating	111161-01	9/7	3-4	S	11:15am-11:45am	2/\$30
Skate Like a Star	111162-01	9/10	5-13	T	6:45-7:15pm	2/\$30
Skate Like a Star	111162-02	9/7	5-13	S	11:15-11:45am	2/\$30
Adult Skate	111165-01	9/10	13+	T	6:45-7:15pm	2/\$30

SIMMONS ACTIVITY CENTER

508 Simmons Dr., 76040

Taekwondo-Tigerkubs	110130-01	9/14	5-8	S	9-9:45am	7/\$28
Taekwondo-Beginners	110131-01	9/10	9-12	T EFLC	6-7:15pm	7/\$68
				S SIM	10-11:15am	
Taekwondo-Advanced	110132-01	9/9	9-12	M EFLC	6-7:15pm	7/\$68
				TH SIM	6-7:15pm	
Taekwondo-Adult	110134-01	9/10	13+	T EFLC	7:30-9pm	7/\$81
				TH SIM		
Hapkido	110133-01	9/9	13+	M	7:30-9pm	3/\$25
Urban Boot Camp	110340-01	9/4	16+	M/W	5:30-6:30am	4/\$57
				S	7:30-8:30am	

SWIMMING LESSONS

All Classes held at HEB Rehab Center, 251 Westpark Way Eules, 76039

Water Tots	120000-02	9/3	1-3	T/TH	6:30-7pm	HEB	3/\$85
Level 1	120001-04	9/3	4+	T/TH	6:30-7pm	HEB	3/\$85
Level 1	120001-05	9/3	4+	T/TH	7-7:30pm	HEB	3/\$85
Level 1	120001-06	9/3	4+	T/TH	7:30-8pm	HEB	3/\$85
Level 2	120002-04	9/3	4+	T/TH	6:30-7pm	HEB	3/\$85
Level 2	120002-05	9/3	4+	T/TH	7-7:30pm	HEB	3/\$85
Level 2	120002-06	9/3	4+	T/TH	7:30-8pm	HEB	3/\$85
Level 3	120003-03	9/3	4+	T/TH	7-7:30pm	HEB	3/\$85
Level 3	120003-04	9/3	4+	T/TH	7:30-8pm	HEB	3/\$85
Strokes & Turns	120004-03	9/3	4+	T/TH	7:30-8pm	HEB	3/\$85
Strokes & Turns	120004-04	9/3	4+	T/TH	8-8:30pm	HEB	3/\$85
Teen Adult	120008-02	9/3	4+	T/TH	8-8:30pm	HEB	3/\$85