



Did you know?
In December, every new library patron receives a free 2015 calendar.



Dear Citizens, Between the Parade of Lights, Heritage Park Christmas, Breakfast with Santa, Flutasia and Icefest, we definitely have

something to suit every taste this December. I hope to see you at one of these great events!

Keep an eye on your waistline during this time of year by visiting the Euless Family Life Center. It gets dark much earlier now and the EFLC stays open late and is climate controlled. Childcare is available for those who need it during specified hours.

It's also a great time of year to take advantage of the all new natatorium and swim in a perfectly heated pool. Classes are very affordable or swim on your own during Open Swim hours. It's a fun place to take your kids while they're out of school. There is a small slide and sprayground to keep them entertained and active during the school break. Classes and swim hours can be found inside Euless Today!



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COMMUNITY NEWS



Special City Council Election December 9

Mary Lib Saleh Euless Public Library, 201 N. Ector Dr.

The City of Euless will be holding a special election on Tuesday, December 9, 2014. The Special Election for Place Five will be held to elect a Council Member to fill an unexpired term (expiring May 2015).

Early voting by personal appearance will begin on Monday, November 24, and will end on Friday, December 5, 2014, and the hours designated for early voting by personal appearance shall be as set forth below:

Early Voting Schedule

Mary Lib Saleh Euless Public Library, 201 N. Ector Drive, Euless, Texas 76039

Nov. 24 – 26	Monday – Wednesday	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Nov. 27 – 30	Thursday – Sunday	CLOSED
Dec. 1 – 3	Monday – Wednesday	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Dec. 4 – 5	Thursday – Friday	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Election Day Schedule:

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Dec. 9 Tuesday 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Questions? Contact the City Secretary's office at 817-685-1419 or visit www.eulesstx.gov/cso.

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Holiday Solid Waste Schedule

During both the Christmas and New Year holidays, normal Thursday trash and recycling collection will shift to Friday. Friday service will shift to Saturday. Please contact Allied Waste Services at 817-332-7301 or Community Waste Disposal at 972-392-9300 with questions.

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
15	16	17	18	19	20
MONDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/ THURSDAY GARBAGE	TUESDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/FRIDAY GARBAGE		THURSDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/ THURSDAY GARBAGE	FRIDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/ FRIDAY GARBAGE	
22	23	24	25 CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY	26 THURSDAY PICK UP WILL SHIFT TO FRIDAY	27 FRIDAY PICK UP WILL SHIFT TO SATURDAY
MONDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/ THURSDAY GARBAGE	TUESDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/FRIDAY GARBAGE		SOLID WASTE WILL NOT BE PICKED UP	THURSDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/ THURSDAY GARBAGE	FRIDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/ FRIDAY GARBAGE
29	30	31	NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAY	2 THURSDAY PICK UP WILL SHIFT TO FRIDAY	FRIDAY PICK UP WILL SHIFT TO SATURDAY
MONDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/ THURSDAY GARBAGE	TUESDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/FRIDAY GARBAGE		SOLID WASTE WILL NOT BE PICKED UP	THURSDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/ THURSDAY GARBAGE	FRIDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/ FRIDAY GARBAGE



Recreation Center Temporary Closure

December 19 - 29

The racquetball and basketball courts at the Recreation Center will be resurfaced during the Christmas Holidays. The fumes from this work will require that the entire Recreation Center be closed. The hardwood courts will be closed from December 19 through December 29. The Fitness Center will not be affected and will remain open except for the typical Christmas and New Year's Holiday schedule.

Holiday Closures:

- All City Facilities will be closed on Dec. 24 & 25 and Jan. 1
- Library CLOSES at 6 p.m. on Dec. 23.
- Recreation Center, Fitness Center, Natatorium, and Senior Center CLOSED December 24-25, December 31 at 6 p.m., and January 1.
- Senior Center also CLOSED December 12.
- Fitness Center will be CLOSED from 5 a.m. 3 p.m. on Dec. 19.
- The Gymnasium will be CLOSED Dec. 19 29 for resurfacing.
- The Natatorium will be CLOSED Dec. 12 from 8 a.m. 2:30 p.m., and at 6 p.m. on Dec. 31.



FUN FAMILY EVENTS



Flutasia Holiday Performance

Monday, December 8, 7 p.m. Euless Library, 201 N. Ector Dr.

Jazz up your holiday with local group Flutasia in front of the Blooms of Enlightenment glass sculpture. You'll be astounded at the variety of shapes and sizes of flutes as well as the talent of this group. Bring the family and get into the holiday spirit with jazzy holiday tunes.



Breakfast with Santa

Saturday, December 13, 9:30 a.m. - noon Texas Star Conference Centre 1400 Texas Star Parkway

Santa is stopping in at Texas Star to enjoy a delicious breakfast with you and your family. Along with breakfast with Santa, local elves will have fun crafts for children of all ages. Bring your camera for a picture with Santa. Reservations are recommended due to limited seating. For more information or to make reservations email ghartsell@eulesstx.gov or call 817-685-1859.

Reservations made by Dec. 10: Adults - \$10, children up to 10 years old - \$8, under 2 years old free. Walkin: Adults - \$12, children up to 10 years old - \$10, Under 2 years old - free.

Historic Heritage Park Christmas Celebration

Saturday, December 13, 1-5 p.m. Historic Heritage Park, 203 Cullum Dr. Celebrate an old fashioned Christmas at Historic Heritage Park. Members of the Euless Historical Preservation Committee will conduct guided tours of the 160 year-old Himes Log House, McCormick Barn and the Fuller House—all decorated for the holiday season. Visit the Euless Heritage Museum at the Ruth Millican Center and learn about Euless history. You can listen to local choirs sing your Christmas favorites, visit our petting zoo and enjoy great arts and crafts.

Kids can visit with Santa Claus and make their own Christmas ornaments. And we'll have free refreshments for everyone! Holiday cheer and Euless history wrapped up in one great afternoon! Call 817-685-1666 for more information.



Icefest 2014

Saturday, December 13, 2 - 6:30 p.m. Dr Pepper StarCenter 1400 S. Pipeline Rd.

Holiday fun for the whole family! General seating and Santa skate \$3. Reserved seating on the ice and Santa skate \$15. Starring two-time U.S. National Champion Ashley Cain, Russian Junior National Champion Alex Krasnozhon, and National Competitor Benjamin Shou. Plus special guest Santa Claus.

3:30 - 4:30 p.m. 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. Holiday Ice Show Skate with Santa and

the Cast



FUN FAMILY EVENTS



Winter Natatorium Hours

Mon. - Fri. 8 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.

(Open Swim: 11:40 a.m. – 5 p.m.)

Sat. 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

(Open Swim: 10:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.)

Sun. Noon – 3:30 p.m.

(Open Swim: Noon – 3:30 p.m.)

Aquatics

Euless Family Life Center

300 W. Midway Dr. 817-685-1666

For a full listing of aquatics, please visit www.playeuless.com or pick up a copy of the Fall 2014 Euless Playbook magazine.

*NO CLASSES: December 22 - January 2

AQUATIC PROGRAMS		<u>DAY</u>	TIME
Arthritic Aerobics	320700-03	M/W/F	8:00-8:45am
Water Conditioning	320701-03	M/W/F	8:50-9:35am
Aqua Toning	320702-01	T/Th	8:00-8:45am
Cardio by Aqua	220702-01	T/Th	9:25-10:10am
H2O Yoga	220703-01	T/Th	8:50-9:20am
Aqua Agility	220704-01	M/W/F	9:25-10:10am
Aqua Fitness	320706-03	T/Th	5:00-6:00pm
Water Fitness	220706-01	T/Th	5:00-5:45pm
Water Zumba	320703-03	T	6:00-7:00pm
Hydro-Resistance	320707-03	Th	6:00-7:00pm
Tabata 101	320110-03	Sa	9:00-9:45am
Power Tabata	320711-03	Sa	9:50-10:20am

- -Seniors: \$30 / month unlimited classes (must be an Aquatic Member)
- -Under 60: \$45 / month unlimited classes (must be an Aquatic Member)
- -Sign up for individual class for whole month: \$5 per class (must pay for all classes in the month/session for this pricing)
- -Punch Pass and drop in classes are also available.



Money Smart Classes

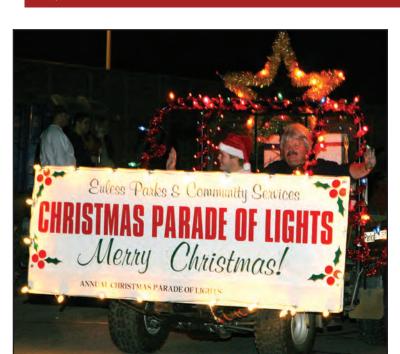
December 9 & 16, 7 p.m.

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The Library is offering FREE Money Smart classes. What is Money Smart? "Money Smart is a comprehensive financial education curriculum designed to help low and moderate-income individuals outside the financial mainstream enhance their financial skills and create positive banking relationships." For questions, call the library at 817-685-1489.

Dec. 9 - Charge it Right: How to make a credit card work for you

Dec. 16 - Loan to Own: Know what you are borrowing before you buy



Christmas Parade of Lights "A Patriotic Christmas"

Saturday, December 6, 6:30 p.m.

New Route: The parade begins at 6:30 p.m. at Midway Dr. and Industrial Blvd. It will travel east on Midway and end at the Euless Family Life Center.

Experience the excitement of the season at our beautiful Christmas Parade of Lights while helping us celebrate and thank our Service Men and Women for protecting our freedom. Even Santa Claus won't miss this year's spectacular display of moving lights. Organizations of all kinds may enter floats for free in the best parade in Texas. For more information or to receive a float application, call Jerry Poteet at 817-685-1449 or visit www.eulesstx.gov/pacs.

December Happenings at the Senior Center

The Euless Family Life Senior Center requires that all participants become a member. It's SIMPLY FabEuless to join. Complete a membership form, have your picture made and the ADVENTURE begins. Memberships are open to the 60+ population. Please contact the center at 817-685-1671 for membership fees. The center offers a variety of activities for the 60+ members. Some of the ADVENTURES you may experience ...

- <u>Health and Wellness Classes</u>: Quiet Yoga, Afternoon Yoga, Fit Start 1, Floor Aerobics, Tai Chi, Yoga, and Zumba AM and Zumba PM
- Arts and Crafts Classes: Decorative Painting, Card Making, Crochet, Jewelry Making, Oil Painting and Quilting.
- <u>Social</u>: Mystery Lunch, Dining Out and Thursday Night Social.
- <u>Games and Such</u>: Billiards, Bunco, variety of card games and Domino games, Bridge, Shuffle Board, Texas Hold'em, Mah Jongg and much more.
- Music: Jammers
- <u>Trips and Travel</u>: Light Show: December 2 Prairie Lights in Grand Prairie, December 9 Christmas in the Park-Farmers Branch, Christmas in the Square Frisco
- Health Screening and Seminars: Lunch and Learn To Hear or Not to Hear your Loved Ones
- Special Events: Christmas Luncheon, New Year's Eve Party with Elvis Presley
- <u>Coming soon</u>: NEW YEAR...Siva Exercise class, Hot Hula, Lunch and Learn, Trips Holocaust Museum, Fort Worth Stock and Rodeo, and much more, Spanish for Traveling, Polymer Clay, Seniors Can Paint, Basket Weaving class and much more!

For more information please call or stop by the center to get your SIMPLY FabEuless Adventure started.





DECEMBER CLASSES / Euless Family Life Center, 300 W. Midway Dr. For complete descriptions, visit www.eulesstx.gov/eflc or on Facebook "Euless 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: Noon - 6 p.m.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CLASS# BEG **AGE** DAY TIME #WKS/\$ Two's Time 110004-02 12/21.5-2.5 T/TH 9-11am 3/\$32 12/3 W 9:45-10:30am 3/\$47 Creative Movement 110200-04 2-3 Preschool Tap & Ballet 110207-04 12/3 3-4 W 11am-12pm 3/\$50 Preschool Dance 110209-04 12/2 3-4 Τ 4:30-5:30pm 3/\$50 Preschool Dance 12/4 TH 110208-04 4-5 5:30-6:30pm 3/\$50 Fun Time for Learners 110002-04 12/1 3-5 M/W 9am-1pm 3/\$102 Terrific Tuesday & Thursday 110003-04 12/2 T/TH 9am-1pm 3/\$102 3-5 Fun Fridays for Preschoolers 110010-04 12/5 3-5 F 9am-1pm 3/\$52 Pretty Princess Tea Party 12/6 3-7 S 10-11am 111160-04 3/\$32 **YOUTH/TEEN ACTIVITIES** Τ Tap, Ballet, Jazz 110220-04 12/2 5-7 5:30-7pm 3/\$59 Ballet I 12/4 5-7 TH 3:30-4:30pm 3/\$50 110225-04 You Can Paint Youth 12/18 4-5:30pm 110815-04 5-13 TH 1/\$22 4:30-5:30pm Tap, Ballet, Jazz 110230-04 12/4 6-8 TH 3/\$50 Beginner Hip Hop 6-7pm 110216-04 12/2 6-10 Т 3/\$50 Ballet II 4:30-5:30pm 110226-04 12/4 8-12 TH 3/\$50 Tap/Jazz 12/4 9-12 6:30-8pm 110232-04 TH 3/\$59 Beg Contemporary Dance 7-8pm 110210-04 12/2 9-17 Τ 3/\$47 Hip Hop 110215-04 12/2 11-17 Τ 8-9pm 3/\$47 Advanced Tap 110260-04 12/4 11-17 TH 8-9pm 3/\$47 Jazz Technique 110233-04 12/4 12-17 TH 7-8pm 3/\$47 **ADULT ACTIVITIES** 110350-04 12/2 13 +T/TH/F 5:45-6:45am 3/\$52/\$32 Boot Camp Boot Camp Cardio 110315-04 12/1 13 +M/TH 6-6:45pm 3/\$27 Get Fit Boot Camp 110610-04 12/113+ W/F 5:30-6:15pm 3/\$60 Mixed Martial Arts 12/1 M/W 7:45-9pm 3/\$70 110140-04 14 +You Can Oil Paint 110810-04 12/18 14+TH 6-9pm 1/\$37 Power Yoga 110571-04 12/6 15 +S 8:30-9:30am 3/\$32 **Ball Room Basics** 110231-04 12/1 16 +M/W 5-6pm 3/\$48 Kickboxing 110316-04 12/1 16 +M/W 7-8pm 3/\$32 12/16-7pm Pilates Fitness 110320-04 16+ M/W 3/\$32 Zumba Toning 12/1 M/W 110325-04 16+ 5-6pm 3/\$32 Spin & Sweat 110343-04 12/3 16+ W 6-6:45pm 3/\$20 Tai Chi Beginners 11/25 Т 6-7pm 110305-04 16+ 4/\$40 Tai Chi Advanced Т 7-8pm 110306-04 11/25 16 +4/\$40 Digital Photography 12/1 16+ 6:30-8pm 2/\$50 110830-05 M Adult Tap Т 7-8pm 110245-04 12/2 18+ 3/\$47 Foundations of Investing 12/4 18+ TH 10-11am 1/FREE 111003-03 Social Security Questions 12/17 18+ Τ 10-11am 1/FREE 111004-04 DR PEPPER STARCENTER 1400 S. Pipeline, 76040, 817-267-4233 Winter Break Camp 111111-01 12/22 6-12 M,T.F 7:30am-6pm 1/\$60 Winter Break Camp 111111-02 12/29 6-12 M,T,F 7:30am-6pm 1/\$60 SIMMONS ACTIVITY CENTER 508 Simmons Dr., 76040

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