



Did you know?

The city offices will be closed on Friday, April 3rd for a Spring Holiday. Trash and recycling services will not be affected.



Dear Citizens,
I think every
weekend in
April brings new
events with
something for
everyone. The
hours of our
Tree-rific Arbor

Daze event will be changing and now take place Friday evening and all day Saturday. There will be a carnival for children and the Library will be open both days with fun activities for the entire family. I hope to see you there!

Let's hope the old adage is true, "April showers bring May flowers." We need some April showers. Additional watering restrictions are on the horizon. We will offer a Water Forum to help teach residents conservation tips and a Water University to provide information on good native trees for your property.

We will have a City Council election for Places 5 and 6 on the second Saturday in May. The times and schedules are listed here. All voting will take place in the Euless Library. Please exercise your right to vote!



The Euless City Council

Linda Martin Mayor
Tim Stinneford Place 1
Jeremy Tompkins Place 2

Eddie Price Place 3 **Linda Eilenfeldt** Mayor Pro Tem

Place 4
Harry Zimmer Place 5
Perry Bynum Place 6

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General City Council Election - May 9

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

The City of Euless will be holding a general election on Tuesday, May 9, 2015. The General Election for Place Five and Six will be held to elect Council Members to fill expiring terms. The candidates to be included on the ballot in order of filing are:

Councilmember, Place 5 Councilmember, Place 6

Harry Zimmer Perry Bynum George Moore Tim St. Clair

Early voting by personal appearance will begin on Monday, April 27, and will end on Tuesday, May 5, 2015, and the hours designated for early voting by personal appearance are:

Early Voting Schedule

Apr. 27 - May 1	Monday - Friday	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
May 2	Saturday	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
May 3	Sunday	11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
May 4 - 5	Monday - Tuesday	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Additional early voting locations are available throughout Tarrant County. To locate them, go to www.tarrantcounty.com and click on Election Information. You must be registered by April 9 in order to vote in the May General Election.

Election Day Schedule

May 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.

Ballots by Mail

Applications for a ballot by mail must be received by mail no later than April 30 and should be mailed to:

Frank Phillips, Early Voting Clerk P.O. Box 961011, Fort Worth, TX 76161-0011

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FUN FAMILY EVENTS

Water Forum

with speaker Dotty Woodson April 2, 6 p.m. City Hall, 201 N. Ector Dr.

With water restrictions becoming a common occurrence, it's important to do everything we can to reduce water consumption. Attend the Water Forum where you can learn about water conservation tips for the home, spring and summer plants that grow well in this climate and lawn sprinkler upkeep and repair. Our guest speaker will be Dotty Woodson a water resource program specialist at the Texas AgriLife Research and Extension Center - Dallas. Woodson is one of the creators of Texas SmartScape, a landscape water conservation design and maintenance program, www.txsmartscape.com. For more information, please call 817-685-1909.



Easter Brunch

April 5, 10:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Raven's Grille, 1400 Texas Star Pkwy Reservations Required - \$19.95

Plan to join us for a magnificent Easter Sunday brunch in Raven's Grille, located inside the Texas Star Golf Course. Reserve your table early and bring the entire family. Large groups are welcome. Our special guest, Mr. E. Bunny, will be greeting and taking pictures with brunch guests, as well as small crafts for children. For reservations, call 817-685-1847.

Texas Trash Off

April 11, 9 a.m. - noon Villages of Bear Creek Park 1951 Bear Creek Parkway

Volunteers are needed for the Annual State Wide Texas Trash Off and Parks Community Work Day. Grab a friend and meet us at the Villages of Bear Creek Park. When you arrive, you will receive a trash bag, plastic gloves, and bottled water, and everything that you will need for this event. In addition, we will also have several project related activities that you or your group could partake in. Items may include, painting trail signs or picnic tables, spreading mulch or preparing for the Arbor Daze festival. You will then be assigned to various areas of our city to pick up trash or participate in a project to help beautify our community. Afterwards meet us back at the park for a free hot dog lunch including chips and a drink. For more information, please contact Jerry Poteet at 817-685-1449 or jpoteet@eulesstx.gov.

Crud Cruiser and Drug Take Back

April 11, 9 - 11 a.m.

Euless Municipal Complex, 201 N. Ector Dr.

Safely dispose of hazardous waste from your home such as paint, chemicals and oil. Space is limited. The mobile collection unit can accept material from approximately 125 households. If the unit reaches its capacity before you arrive, you may deliver your materials to the Environmental Collection Center in east Fort Worth. You may also bring any small electrical appliance you would like to recycle such as computers, radios, VCRs, stereos, clocks and hair dryers. For a complete list of accepted hazardous and electronic waste, please call 817-685-1410 or visit www.eulesstx.gov/hazmat.

Safely Dispose of Unwanted Medication

Do you have old medicine taking up space in your cabinets? Has it been there for years because you don't know what to do with it? This year, we will be offering the opportunity to turn in old and unused medications. Unused medication should never be flushed down the drain.

FUN FAMILY EVENTS

GAP Club Walk-A-Thon

April 11, 10 a.m. - noon Trinity High School Track

The Trinity High School Girls Awareness Program is hosting a walk-a-thon to raise funds for the Euless Animal Shelter. This dynamic group of young ladies work hard to find homes for the dogs and cats at the Euless Animal Shelter. In addition, they have made it their personal responsibility to groom, care for, play with, foster and raise money to pay for veterinary services. **Teams** will have opportunities to win prizes and adoptions will be available. If you would like to form a walka-thon team or just give a donation, please visit www.trinitygaprescue.org or call 817- 685-1594.

Child Safety Seat Check

April 16, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. iT'Z Pizza parking lot 1201 W Airport Fwy.

The Child Safety Seat Task Force will provide a free test that will ensure your child safety seat is installed correctly and securely in your car. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration shows that as many as 80 percent of all car seats are improperly installed. Many Euless Police officers are certified in the Child Safety Seat restraint system and will provide free checks throughout the year by appointment. Please call 817-685-1686 to make an appointment.

Euless Library Foundation Book Sale

Friday, April 10 - Sunday, April 12
Euless Library, 201 N. Ector Dr.
Find book bargains galore and support your library.

Friday, 2-4 p.m.: Early Bird sale, admission \$5 Saturday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. (free admission) Sunday 1-3 p.m. (free admission)



CPR Blitz Volunteers Needed

April 17 - 18, 8 a.m. Meet at 6 Stones Campus West, 209 N. Industrial in Bedford

Last fall, hundreds of volunteers helped repair homes in one weekend, and now we are inviting you to help us do it again! Mobilizing community volunteers, we aim to strengthen, grow and revitalize our community one house and one family at a time. Please join our growing CPR family of volunteers and sponsors as we attempt to help more struggling families make needed repairs to their homes. Please register online and fill out a volunteer waiver ahead of time to bring with you to registration. You will be assigned a home after you check in. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. Please bring gloves, ladders, rakes, shovels and push brooms if you have them. Thank you again for your commitment to CPR! We're changing lives, one house at a time. To sign up as a volunteer visit www.6stones.org/cprvolunteer.

Messy Desk, Missing Papers?

April 9, 2 p.m. Euless Library Meeting Room

Piles, stacks, and stuff on a desk or kitchen counter is a constant struggle for some people. They always seem to be looking for a specific piece of paper or an important receipt in a huge pile of paper clutter. The solution? A new system to handle current papers, file archives, and store important tax material. Professional Organizer Lorraine Brock with Get Organized! will share real solutions and concepts for better management of out of control paper clutter. She also offers information on appropriate time to keep certain papers, going paperless, and a better system for organizing miscellaneous notes and documents.



FUN FAMILY EVENTS



Spring Natatorium Hours

Mon.-Thurs. 8 a.m. - 8:30 p.m. 8 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Fri.

Mon.-Fri. (Open Swim: 11:40 a.m. - 5 p.m.)

9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Sat.

Sat. (Open Swim: 10:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.)

Noon - 3:30 p.m. Sun.

Sun. (Open Swim: Noon – 3 p.m.)

Held at the Euless Family Life Center / 300 W. Midway Dr. / 817-685-1666

SWIM LESSONS	CLASS#	BEG	AGE	DAY	<u>TIME</u>	#WKS
Water Tots	220000-04	4/6	3-4	M/W	5:30-6pm	4/\$55
Parent and Tot	220007-04	4/6	6mo-3	M/W	6:10-6:40pm	4/\$55
Level 1	220001-04	4/6	4-8	M/W	5:30-6pm	4/\$55
Level 1	220001-04	4/6	4-8	M/W	6:10-6:40pm	4/\$55
Level 2	220002-04	4/6	4-8	M/W	5:30-6pm	4/\$55
Level 2	220002-04	4/6	4-8	M/W	6:10-6:40pm	4/\$55
Level 3	220003-04	4/6	5-14	M/W	5:30-6pm	4/\$55
Level 3	220003-04	4/6	5-14	M/W	6:10-6:40pm	4/\$55
Level 4	220004-04	4/6	5-14	M/W	5:30-6pm	4/\$55
Level 4	220004-04	4/6	5-14	M/W	6:10-6:40pm	4/\$55
Drill	220500-04	4/6	8-14	M/W	6:50-7:20pm	4/\$65
Guard Start	220011-04	4/6	14+	M/W	6:50-7:20pm	4/\$55
Adult	220008-04	4/6	15+	M/W	6:50-7:20pm	4/\$55
WATER AEROBICS	CLASS#			DAY	TIME	
Arthritic Aerobics	220700-04			M/W/F	8:00-8:45am	
Water Conditioning	220703-04			M/W/F	8:50-9:35am	For a full listing of

Water Toning 220701-04 Cardio by Aqua 220702-04 Hydro-Resistance 220703-04 Aqua Agility 220704-04 Aqua Fitness 220706-04 Splash Zumba 220705-04 Aqua Cross training 220707-04 Tabata 101 220706-04 Power Tabata 220809-04

T/Th 8:00-8:45am 9:40-10:35am T/Th T/Th 8:50-9:20am M/W/F 9:40-10:35am T/Th 5:00-6:00pm Τ 6:00-7:00pm Th 6:00-7:00pm 9:00-9:45am Sa 9:50-10:20am

lessons and aquatic proplease grams, visit www.playeuless.com pick up a copy of the Summer 2015 Euless Playbook magazine. (817-685-1666)

-Punch Pass and drop in classes also available.

Water University: Trees for North Texas

April 28, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., Simmons Center, 508 Simmons Dr.

Has the drought caused havoc on your trees? Trees are an important investment to your property. They give you energy savings in your home or business, water savings in your landscape, and value to the resale of your property. Selecting the right tree and planting it properly helps improve the sustainability of your home or business landscape. This program, taught by the Texas A&M AgriLife Research and Extension Center, teaches proper tree selection and planting for North Texas, as well as proper watering, pruning, common insect issues and diseases. The event is free, but you must register to attend. Please visit www.eulesstx.gov/wateruniversity or call 817-685-1821.

⁻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 the whole month: \$5.00 per class (must pay for all classes in the month for this pricing)





Arbor Daze

April 24 - 25 (New Days and Times!) Euless City Hall Complex & Library, 201 N. Ector Dr. NEW! This year, Arbor Daze will run Friday, April 24th from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. and all day Saturday from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. A 29 year "Tree City USA" recipient, the City of Euless is proud of their many "tree"-mendous accomplishments promoting Arbor Day. Each attendee of the festival will receive a free tree. The urban tree canopy has been dwindling for decades, and the Arbor Daze Festival has given over 150,000 trees since its inception over 25 years ago. Most of these trees have been planted in the immediate area to replenish the local tree population. Arbor Daze 2015 will feature great local entertainment, Arts and Crafts Booths, Business Expo, Arbor Dazzling Kidz Zone, Forestry Village and great food! Vendor applications and further details are available by visiting us at www.arbordaze.org.

ACTIVITIES AT THE LIBRARY: put your name on the Community Tree, see the Edible Book Contest, storytime and crafts for the kids, spin the wheel for giveaways, and library demonstrations for e-books, digital magazines, Genealogy and Tumblebooks.

April 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>: Chair Training, Core and Stretch, Afternoon Yoga, Aerobic Strength, Tai Chi, Siva-Dancersize, TLC Yoga, Zumba Toning, Senior Boot Camp, Senior Abs, Zumba AM and Zumba PM, and Quiet Yoga
- Arts and Crafts Classes: Polymer Clay for Beginners, You Can Paint with Oils, Weave Me Alone, Decorative Painting, Card Making, Crochet, Jewelry Making, Oil Painting with Joan 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>Health Screening and Seminars</u>: Lunch and Learn, UNT Health Science Center, Sweet Talk with Zounds Hearing
- Special Events: Health Fair and Kentucky Derby Rides Again
- <u>Upcoming Trips</u>: For more information please call or stop by the center.

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



APRIL 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.

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CHILD DEVELOPMENT Two's Time	CLASS#	BEG	AGE	DAY TO/TOU	TIME	#WKS/\$
	210004-04	4/7	1.5-2.5	T/TH	9-11am	4/\$42
Preschool Dance	210200-04	4/8	2-3	W	10-10:45am	4/\$62
Preschool Tap & Ballet	210207-04	4/8	3-4	W	11am-12pm	4/\$67
Preschool Dance	210209-04	4/7	3-4	T	4:30-5:30pm	4/\$67
Preschool Dance	210208-04	4/9	4-5	TH	5:30-6:30pm	4/\$67
Fun Time for Learners	210002-04	4/6	3-5	M/W	9am-1pm	4/\$127
Terrific Tuesday & Thursday	210003-04	4/7	3-5	T/TH	9am-1pm	4/\$127
Fun Time Fridays	210010-04	4/10	3-5	F	9am-1pm	4/\$62
Pretty Princess Tea Party	211160-04	4/11	3-7	S	10-11am	4/\$42
Tap, Ballet, & Jazz	210220-04	4/7	5-7	T	5:30-7pm	4/\$77
Ballet I	210225-04	4/9	5-7	TH	4:30-5:30pm	4/\$67
YOUTH/TEEN ACTIVITIES		•			-	,
Tap, Ballet, & Jazz	210230-04	4/9	6-8	TH	4:30-5:30pm	4/\$67
You Can Paint Youth	210230-04		5-13	TH	_	4/\$22
		4/16			4-5:30pm	
Beginner Hip Hop	210216-04	4/7	6-10	T	6-7pm	4/\$67
Ballet II	210226-04	4/9	8-12	TH	5:30-6:30pm	4/\$67
Tap/Jazz	210232-04	4/9	8-12	TH	6:30-8pm	4/\$77
Intro to Guitar	210705-04	4/6	9+	M	6-7:30pm	4/\$82
Hip Hop	210215-04	4/7	11-17	T	7-8pm	4/\$67
Advanced Tap	210260-04	4/9	11-17	TH	8-9pm	4/\$62
Jazz Technique	210233-04	4/9	11-17	TH	7-8pm	4/\$62
Contemporary Dance	210210-04	4/7	12-17	T	8-9pm	4/\$67
ADULT ACTIVITIES						
Boot Camp	210350-04	4/7	13+	T/TH/F	5:45-6:45am	4/\$42/\$62
Boot Camp Cardio	210315-04	4/6	13+	M/TH	6-6:45pm	4/\$26
Spin and Tone	210310-04	4/7	13+	T/TH	6:45-7:30am	4/\$26
Zumba & Zumba Toning	210310-04		13+	M/W		•
Ballroom Basics		3/30		•	7-8pm	5/\$52
	210231-04	4/6	13+	M/W	5-6pm	3/\$48
Get Fit Boot Camp	210610-04	4/1	13+	W/F	5:15-6pm	4/\$70
Mixed Martial Arts	210140-04	3/30	14+	M-TH	7:30-9pm	4/\$80
You Can Oil Paint	210810-04	4/16	14+	TH	6-9pm	1/\$37
Power Yoga	210571-04	4/4	15+	S	8:30-9:30am	4/\$42
Hot Hula Fitness	210330-04	3/30	15+	M/W	8-9pm	6/\$62
Pilates Fitness	210320-04	4/6	16+	M/W	6-7pm	3/\$32
Yoga	210325-04	4/6	16+	M/W	5-6pm	3/\$32
Kickboxing	210316-04	4/6	16+	M/W	7-8pm	3/\$32
Spin and Sweat	210343-04	4/1	16+	W	6-6:45pm	4/\$26
Tai Chi Beginners	210305-04	3/31	16+	T	6-7pm	4/\$40
Tai Chi Advanced	210306-04	3/31	16+	T	7-8pm	4/\$40
Digital Photography	210830-05	4/20	16+	M	6:30-8pm	2/\$50
Adult Tap	210245-04	4/7	18+	T	7-8pm	4/\$62
Financial Planning	211002-02	4/9	18+	TH	10-11am	1/FREE
Social Security Questions	211004-02	4/30	18+	TH	10-11am	1/FREE
SIMMONS ACTIVITY CENTER	508 Simmons Dr.,					,
Hapkido	210133-04	3/30	13+	M	7:30-9pm	4/\$26
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BOB EDEN PARK	KIDZ LOVE SOCO	CER	901 W. A	1id-Cities	Blvd.	
Mommy/Daddy & Me	210520-02	4/11	2-3.5	S	9-9:30am	8/\$91
Tot Soccer	210521-02	4/11	3.5-4	S	9:40-10:10am	8/\$91
Pre-Soccer	210522-02	4/11	4-5	S	10:10-10:45am	8/\$91
Techniques & Teamwork	210523-02	4/11	5-6	S	10:45-11:30am	8/\$91
Skillz & Scrimmages	210524-02	4/11	7-10	S	11:30am-12:15pm	8/\$91
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DR PEPPER STARCENTER	1400 S. Pipeline 7		817-267			
Tot Ice Skating	211161-03	4/11	3-4	S	11:15-11:45am	2/\$30
Skate Like A Star	211162-05	4/7	5-13	Τ	6:45-7:15pm	2/\$30
Skate Like A Star	211162-06	4/11	5-13	S	11:15-11:45am	2/\$30
Adult Ice Skating	211165-03	4/7	14+	T	7-8pm	2/\$30