

Message from Harker Heights Senior Program Manager

Hello,

October is here, bringing fall leaves, pumpkins, and a touch of Halloween spirit! We're thrilled to celebrate the 35th Anniversary of our Senior Recreation Program this month. Join us for a variety of fun events:

- **Snacks Giveaway:** Oct. 1st, 9 AM to 4 PM (while supplies last)
- **35th Annv. Celebration:** Oct. 17th, 9 AM to 4 PM (while supplies last)
- **Senior Trick-or-Treat:** Oct. 31st, 9 AM to 4 PM (while supplies last)

Don't miss the community garage sale on Oct. 5th! Pick up a map and swing by the Farmers Market, which will temporarily move locations on Oct. 26th for early voting and Nov. 2nd for Dia De Muertos.

Bring your lawn chair and enjoy a free movie on the Library/Activities Center lawn—everyone is welcome! We're also excited to invite you to Dia De Muertos on Saturday, Nov. 2nd, from 9 AM to 1 PM.

For those planning to celebrate Halloween, Harker Heights city-wide door-to-door trick-or-treating will take place on Thursday, Oct. 31st from 6 PM to 8 PM.

We love hearing your ideas! If you have a class or program in mind, please reach out to me via email, call, or stop by the Recreation Center. We're always looking for volunteer leaders to help us enhance our community programs. Thank you for being a vital part of our community!

Best Regards,

Nichole Broemer

Recreation Center & Senior Program Manager






Did You Know?

- "The Mickey Mouse Club" begins on ABC on Oct. 3 1955.
- International Ships-in-Bottles Day is Oct. 4.
- Oct. 5, 1962, Beatles Release First Single "Love Me Do".
- Musical "Cats" opens on Broadway, Oct. 7, 1982.
- Oct. 11, 1975, Saturday Night Live premiered
- Apple introduce new iPod on Oct. 13, 2005.
- Oct. 24 is United Nations Day.



Motoko B.	10/01	Pamela T.	10/04	Carol J.	10/09	Jerry S.	10/20	Lori O.	10/26
Cassandra S.	10/02	Rudolph G.	10/05	Ron C.	10/10	Ronald H.	10/21	Eddie (Edna) N.	10/27
Denise M.	10/02	Connie L.	10/05	Gail L.	10/11	Mark E.	10/22	Rachel D.	10/27
Dorthea L.	10/02	Sergio C.	10/07	Jenny W.	10/13	Parker M.	10/22	Mari M.	10/27
Jackie S.	10/02	Pam D.	10/07	Karin A.	10/15	Paula S.	10/23	John C.	10/28
Antonio A.	10/02	Alisande "Allie" O.	10/07	Birgit E.	10/16	Resharn J.	10/23	Jwanita B.	10/29
Bill P.	10/03	Elizabeth M.	10/08	Heidi H.	10/16	Michelle S.	10/24	Teresa G.	10/30
Arden R.	10/04	Glenda S.	10/08	Terry L.	10/17	Sylvia L.	10/24	Ella M.	10/31
Hilda A.	10/04	Pam S.	10/08	Lori K.	10/19	Catherine G.	10/25		
		Yvonne S.	10/08	Stephanie C.	10/19	Kevin D.	10/25		
		Nydia D.	10/09	Lydia F.	10/19	Fran T.	10/25		
		Taura P.	10/09	MaryJane U.	10/20	Haebun H.	10/26		

If your name is missing on the birthday list, we do not have you renewed for 2024.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
<p>All activities held at the Recreation Center, 307 Miller's Crossing unless noted otherwise.</p>	<p>1</p> <p>9 am-4 pm  Snacks Giveaway 9:30 am-10:30 am Stretchercise 10 am-11 am Beg. Line Dancing 11 am-12 pm Adv. Beg. Line Dancing 11 am-12:30 pm Armchair Travelers 2 pm-4 pm Ping Pong</p>	<p>2</p> <p>10 am-12 pm Watercolor (\$5 per class) 10 am-2 pm Scrabble 12 pm-3 pm Pinochle 1 pm-4 pm Bunco</p>	<p>3</p> <p>9:30 am-10:30 am Stretchercise 11 am-12:45 pm Active Seniors 1 pm-4 pm Canasta</p>	<p>4</p> <p>9 am-11:30 am Pickleball (Non-Res. Fee required) 10 am-2 pm Scrabble 12 pm-1:45 pm Granny Basketball 5:30 pm-8 pm Pickleball (Non-Res. Fee required)</p>	<p>5</p> <p>7 am-5 pm Fall Community Garage Sale, Residents Homes in HH  9 am-1 pm Farmers Market </p>	
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	<p>28</p> <p>9 am-11:30 am Pickleball (Non-Res. Fee required) 12 pm-1:45 pm Granny Basketball 12 pm-3 pm Pinochle 2 pm-4 pm Crafty Connection </p>	<p>29</p> <p>9:30 am-10:30 am Stretchercise 10 am-11 am Beg. Line Dancing 11 am-12 pm Adv. Beg. Line Dancing 11 am-12:30 pm Armchair Travelers 2 pm-4 pm Ping Pong</p>	<p>30</p> <p>10 am-12 pm Watercolor (\$5 per class) 10 am-2 pm Scrabble 12 pm-3 pm Pinochle 1 pm-4 pm Bunco</p>	<p>31</p> <p> 9 am-4 pm Senior Trick-or-Treat 9:30 am-10:30 am Stretchercise 11 am-12:45 pm Active Seniors 1 pm-4 pm Canasta</p>	<p> HH City Wide Door to Door Trick or Treating Hours: Thurs., Oct. 31 from 6 pm-8 pm</p>	



Harker Heights
Senior Recreation
Program

CELEBRATING

35th

ANNIVERSARY

JOIN US ALL MONTH LONG IN CELEBRATION OF
35 YEARS FOR THE HARKER HEIGHTS SENIOR
RECREATION PROGRAM AT THE RECREATION CENTER.

10.1.2024 - SNACKS GIVEAWAY
9 AM-4 PM WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

10.17.2024 - 35TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
9 AM-4 PM WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

10.31.2024 - SENIOR TRICK-OR-TREAT
9 AM-4 PM WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

FOR MORE
INFO:
254.953.5683.

**2024 SEASON
HARKER HEIGHTS CITY HALL**

Farmers Market

SATURDAYS 9 AM - 1 PM

OCT 5 - DEC 21, 2024

[HTTPS://BIT.LY/HARKERHEIGHTSEVENTS](https://bit.ly/harkerheightsevents)

254-953-5493





**FALL COMMUNITY
Garage Sale!**

**SATURDAY
OCTOBER 5, 2024
7:00 AM - 5:00 PM**

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Fall Community Garage Sale

Saturday, October 5, 2024 | 7 am - 5 pm

Residents homes within the Harker Heights City Limits

The map will be available on Monday, September 30, 2024.

Online copies will be located online (<https://bit.ly/harkerheightsevents>) and

print out copies will be available for free to pick up at the

Activities Center (400 Indian Trail) or at the Recreation Center (307 Miller's Crossing).

Active Seniors

Thursdays | 11 am - 12:45 pm

Harker Heights Recreation Center, 307 Miller's Crossing

Active Seniors (50+) are invited to PLAY a variety of recreational activities and games. Each month will be a new activity to keep you moving and having fun.

A great opportunity to exercise and socialize with friends.

For more info, email nbroemer@harkerheights.gov or call 254-953-5683.



October's Activity:

Cornhole



Garden Education Series - Insects: Friend or Foe?

Wednesday, Oct. 16, 2024 / 6 pm-7:30 pm / FREE

Register: Sept. 25–Oct. 16, 2024 / Activities Center, 400 Indian Trail

Learn from the Bell County Master Gardener's about insects. If you need help registering, please contact kgomez@harkerheights.gov or call 254.953.5465. Registration is encouraged, walk-ins are welcome!



BINGO



Harker Heights
Senior Recreation
Program

Thursday, October 17, 2024 / 1 pm - 2:30 pm
Harker Heights Recreation Center
307 Miller's Crossing

For more info, email nbroemer@harkerheights.gov or call 254-953-5683.



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LADIES NIGHT OUT

Thursday, October 17, 2024 5:00 pm

Location: Opa's Schnitzel Hut

1608 E. FM 2410 Rd., Harker Heights, TX 76548

Join others for food and conversation! Each attendee is responsible for purchasing their own supper. Registration is required.

Sign up in person at the Harker Heights Recreation Center, 307 Miller's Crossing.

For more info, email nbroemer@harkerheights.gov or call 254-953-5683.

Stewart C. Meyer Harker Heights Public Library

2024 Book Discussion Club

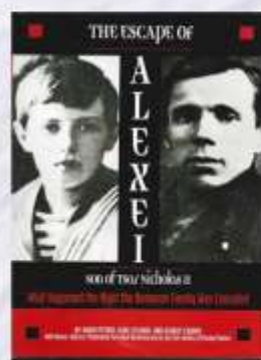
Join our book discussion club for adults! Enjoy a lively discussion in person at the Library and/or online!

Third Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm!

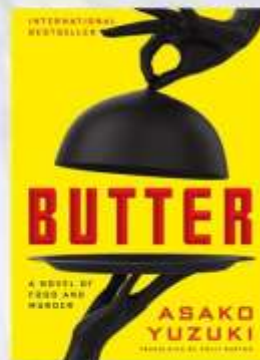
Just e-mail lyoungblood@harkerheights.gov for an invitation to our virtual meeting!



Thursday, July 18



Thursday, August 15



Thursday, September 19



Thursday, October 17

Voting Information

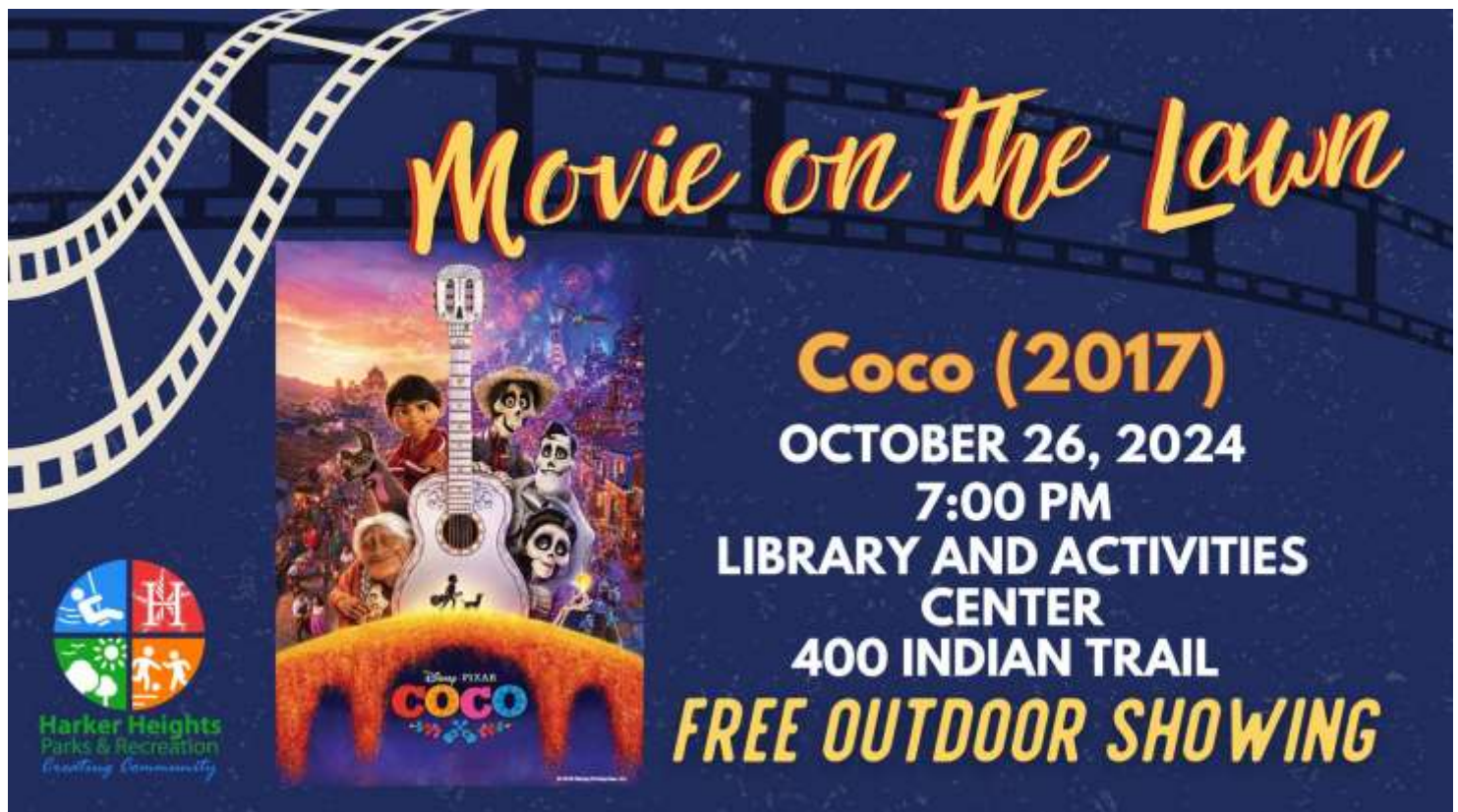
Early Voting

HH Rec Center, 307 Miller's Crossing
Oct. 21 - 25, 2024 (Mon. - Fri.): 8 am - 5 pm
Oct. 26, 2024 (Sat.): 7 am - 7 pm
Oct. 27, 2024 (Sun.): 12 pm - 6 pm
Oct. 28 - Nov. 1, 2024 (Mon. - Fri.): 7 am - 7 pm

Election Day


HH Rec Center, 307 Miller's Crossing
Nov. 5, 2024 (Tues.): 7 am - 7 pm

Visit <https://www.bellcountytexas.com/departments/elections/>
for additional information, voting precincts, and sample ballots.



Movie on the Lawn

Coco (2017)
OCTOBER 26, 2024
7:00 PM
LIBRARY AND ACTIVITIES
CENTER
400 INDIAN TRAIL
FREE OUTDOOR SHOWING



Harker Heights
Parks & Recreation
Creating Community

Bring your lawn chairs, blankets, and refreshments.



Crafty Connection

October's Activity:
Pumpkin Craft



Monday, October 28, 2024 2 pm - 4 pm

Harker Heights Recreation Center, 307 Miller's Crossing

Bring a craft project you are working on at home.

Don't have one...don't worry, craft projects will be available.

For more info, email nbroemer@harkerheights.gov or call 254-953-5683.



CITY OF HARKER HEIGHTS DOOR TO DOOR

TRICK OR TREATING HOURS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2024 / 6 PM - 8 PM



DIA DE LOS MUERTOS

NOVEMBER 2, 2024

9 AM - 1 PM

CARL LEVIN PARK
400 MILLER'S CROSSING

CANDY | MUSIC | CRAFTS
DANCE GROUPS | VENDORS
CULTURAL ACTIVITIES
AND MORE



For questions, email sgibbs@harkerheights.gov or call 254-953-5493.