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Goose Creek Community Newsletter

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the sounds of Spring!

The popular Spring Concert Series was a big hit last year, and 2017's line-up has Goose Creek music fans ready to dance. The free concerts will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. on April 28, May 12 and May 26 at Crowfield Golf Club in Goose Creek. Call (843) 569-4242 for more details.



Food and fun: BBQ Festival April 22

Ready for some barbecue? The final countdown for the 2017 Goose Creek BBQ Festival is underway. The festival takes place on Saturday, April 22 at the Municipal Center.

You're invited to this free

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Saving lives

GCPD Check-In brings peace of mind

A unique program offered by the Goose Creek Police Department is giving residents an added sense of security. It's also saving lives.

The department's Citizen Check-In Program began last year. To take part, residents must either be over the age of 65, or have a mental or physical condition that puts them at risk. If they

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GCPD Lead Communications Specialist Jessica Potteiger (left) and Communications Specialist Cindy Hamer

Mayor's Report: New fire station makes lasting impression



The City of Goose Creek Command Headquarter Fire Station is set to open on a slight rise at the head of Button Hall Avenue near the commercial center of the city. The large, commanding structure houses the finest firefighters with the latest equipment and fire sup-

pression capacities in Carolina, and is designed to serve Goose Creek for 50 years.

While the impressive architectural ambiance will influence and dominate the future development of the commercial center of Goose Creek, the dynamic brick porti-

cos and airy archways calls back hundreds of years to a time when Goose Creek rice planters dominated Carolina. Captain Thomas Barker Jr. and his young bride Rebecca Moore built their home on

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On the *move*!

The Goose Creek Fire Department began moving into its new headquarters station on Button Hall Avenue in March. The 32,000 square-foot facility is one of the finest in the Southeast. An open house for residents will be announced soon.



Recreation coordinator earns certification

City of Goose Creek Recreation Program Coordinator Kara McKeown was recently recognized as a Certified Park and Recreation Professional (CPRP) by the National Certification Board and the National Recreation and Park Association.

McKeown earned the certification by meeting several eligibility requirements – including a combination of higher education and work experience – and completing the national CPRP examination.

As a CPRP, McKeown meets high standards of education, expertise and experience established in the field for park and recreation professionals. Many agencies recommend or require CPRP certification when hiring.

Goose Creek Recreation Supervisor Cheryl Heiselman said McKeown's recognition is well deserved. "Kara's

commitment to her job, to this department, and to the Goose Creek community is unmatched, and this certification reflects that," Heiselman said. "We are very proud of her."

McKeown joined the Goose Creek Recreation Department as a Recreation Specialist in March 2015, after three years at the City of Charleston Recreation Department. She was promoted to the Program Coordinator position in January 2016.

McKeown is a graduate of the State University of New York at Cortland where she obtained her Bachelor of Science degree in Recreation Management.

As program coordinator, McKeown is responsible for overseeing the city's special events, including the Barbecue Festival, Fabulous Fourth in the Creek, concert series, and holiday events, as well as various programs held at the



Kara McKeown

Goose Creek Community Center.

Goose Creek Recreation is committed to providing programs, services, and facilities that promote a healthy lifestyle and foster meaningful community connections. Visit www.goosecreekrecreation.com for more information.

GCPD News



Crime meeting

The Goose Creek Police Department invites the entire community to its next city-wide crime prevention meeting. The session will take place at 6:30 p.m. on June 13, at the GCPD Training Room at the Municipal Center.

Topics include crime trends and statistics within the city, initiatives that affect residents, and more. To sign up, or for more information on the meeting, contact Crime Prevention Specialist Kevin Scott at kscott@cityofgoosecreek.com or (843) 863-5200 ext. 2317.

House Watch

City of Goose Creek residents are invited to visit the Goose Creek Police Department or complete an online application to request that the GCPD watch their house while they are out of town. Police officers will make physical checks of the property on a regular, but random, basis while residents are absent.

Officers will check doors and windows for evidence of break-ins, vandalism, or trespassing. Additionally, after the resident returns home, they will receive a letter from Chief Becker informing them of the number of times the house was checked.

Police Academy

The Citizen Police Academy is designed to give citizens a behind the scenes look at the Police Department.

To sign up for the next session, or for more information, call Crime Prevention Specialist Kevin Scott at (843) 863-5200, Ext. 2317.

The courses are scheduled based on demand, and are open to residents ages 21 and up. Classes will be limited to 25 participants.

A background check will be conducted on all applicants.

Self-defense class returns in May

The Goose Creek Police Department hosts periodic women's self-defense classes. The free classes are geared toward women without prior self-defense training.

Classes are taught in the GCPD training room by a certified instructor, and

involve hands-on instruction.

Minimum age is 15. Classes are held quarterly; the next class is May 8, 2017 from 6 to 8:30 p.m.

For more information call Crime Prevention Specialist Kevin Scott at (843) 863-5200, Ext. 2317.



We want to hear from you!

A form on the Police page of the city's website (www.cityofgoosecreek.com) allows residents to give the GCPD feedback and ask questions.



Body cams put in use

Goose Creek Police Department patrol, traffic and school resource officers are now equipped with body-worn cameras. The new cameras became part of the GCPD uniform earlier this year.

Does your home need a smoke detector?

The Goose Creek Fire Department made a resolution for 2017: Smoke detectors in every home.

Thanks to a recent grant, that resolution will come closer to reality.

Last year, the GCFD applied for ServiceMaster of Charleston's Smoke Detector Grant Program. Goose Creek was among several area fire departments awarded the grant, which came in the form of 150 smoke detectors.

The GCFD received the grant based on its commitment to fire safety and prevention-related activities, as well as its smoke detector program. That program – called “After the Fire” – was created by GCFD Captain Todd Pruitt.

According to Pruitt, “After the Fire” does just what its name implies. After each residential fire within city limits, Goose Creek firefighters will go door-to-door to surrounding homes. “Within a week, we will canvas a one-block area of that neighborhood,” Pruitt said.

The GCFD will talk to homeowners about the importance of fire safety. Pruitt created a home safety survey, which includes a wide array of safety-related questions. To those residences without the proper number of smoke detectors – or in some cases no detectors at all – firefighters will offer to install as many of the free devices as needed.

Pruitt expects the program to be well received, and said that interacting with homeowners will also benefit the department. “It puts us more in touch with the community,” he said.

ServiceMaster has requirements for the grant to be renewed,



Goose Creek Fire Captain Todd Pruitt holds several of the smoke detectors the fire department recently received through a grant.

and Pruitt said that Goose Creek plans to re-apply every year. “I’m hoping this will be an annual event,” he said. “If we can save just one life, it will be worth it.”

If your Goose Creek residence needs a smoke detector, or for more information about the subject of fire safety, call the fire department at (843) 553-8350.

Message from the Mayor *Continued from page 1*

that slight rise during the frontier era, and inexplicably named it “Button Hall,” a moniker that tagged the locale for two centuries. After Native-Americans ambushed and killed Militia Captain Thomas Barker, his despondent widow married William Dry. They built an impressive, two-story brick home and developed Button Hall into a showcase plantation featuring the most efficient rice thrashing machines of the day.

A subsequent owner, John McKenzie, used Button Hall as an elaborate retreat where he kept an extensive library and conducted agricultural experiments. He surrounded his elegantly furnished manor house with ornamental gardens, and an impeccable lawn reaching through fruit orchards to a large bath house. Later, Royal Governor William Bull resided there until the rising tide of

American patriotism forced his departure, and William Laughton Smith used the rural manor for diversion and relaxation when he was not abroad serving as Charge de Affaires to the Court of Portugal for President John Adams.

The Button Hall Manor shone as an important meeting place for influential leaders during the ante bellum decades until subsequent owners partitioned the noble estate. After the Northeastern Railroad severed the planting grounds in 1855, a community of farm families assembled above the defunct rice fields. Soon after the 20th century dawned, the new South Carolina Highway 52 paralleled the railroad tracks and brought the place into the modern era at the center of a tiny South Carolina municipality.

Today, much of the old plantation high ground comprises the ascending “Down

Town,” and the obsolete rice fields are converting to tranquil meeting places attracting residents to the commercial center, where the new fire station stands boldly upon the footprint of the ancient Button Hall Manor.

Steve Chapman, the long serving Fire Chief for the City of Goose Creek, asserts that the new Headquarters Station will not only save lives and protect material assets throughout the rapidly expanding community, but will “reduce insurance costs on homes and businesses, and encourage residential and commercial investments in our emerging market places...”

Additionally, the towering edifice will stand as a sense of place and source of pride for all Goose Creekers as it architecturally imprints a bold structural ambiance for future generations.

Saving Lives

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meet these criteria, residents can sign up for the program, which is free.

Chief Harvey Becker's police force takes it from there.

Every day, the GCPD's Communications Center calls the resident's home to check on them, and make sure all is well. The service gives residents – and in many cases, their family members – a sense of security.

If a call goes unanswered, the GCPD's next available officer will check on the resident in person.

The program's potential was realized earlier this month. "A recent incident proved that this program did what it is designed to do," Chief Becker said. "When a person on the call list could not get to the telephone a police officer was dispatched to the home.

"The officer found the person incapacitated, and summoned medical assistance. The person was transported to a local hospital and is okay today."

Chief Becker stressed that the program comes at no cost to residents. "This is a complimentary service we provide to our citizens who wish to participate," he said.

To sign up for the Citizen Check-In Program or for more information, call the Goose Creek Police Department at (843) 863-5200.



Above, live entertainment at this year's festival will be provided by "Bootless." At left, games and lots of fun activities will abound at the festival, held behind the Goose Creek Municipal Center. Admission is free for the April 22 event.

Goose Creek BBQ Fest set for April 22

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event that includes games, activities, food vendors -- and plenty of great tasting barbecue. The popular Backyard BBQ Cook-off begins at 3 p.m., and awards will be given, including a People's Choice honor chosen by attendees.

The band "Bootless" is the featured entertainment. Attendees are encouraged to bring

a blanket or chair. No outside coolers or pets are allowed.

The 2017 festival is sponsored by Goose Creek Heating and Air, Palmetto Kids Dentistry and Orthodontics, and Comet Creek Apartments.

For more information, call Goose Creek Recreation at (843) 569-4242.

Alert keeps city job seekers informed

Are you looking for a job?

The City of Goose Creek posts updated, detailed job listings across all City departments online at www.cityofgoosecreek.com.

Human Resources Director Joellyn Robbins encourages residents to sign up for the City's Job Alert online. "Our jobs are posted as they come open," she said. "If you sign up for the Job Alert, you will receive an email when a job comes open. The city has a generous benefits package and competitive salaries."

To sign up for job notifications, click the Notify Me box on the front page of the City website, www.cityofgoosecreek.com. From there, users can choose to be notified about job openings, as well as other categories.

Do you know ...

The City of Goose Creek has a new Planning and Zoning Director, as Kara Browder joined the city's senior staff earlier this year. Browder brings a wealth of experience to the role, which plays a crucial part in keeping Goose Creek's storefronts and residences looking good.



Kara Browder

The City's first Economic Development Director, Matt Brady, began in March. He will be tasked with growing Goose Creek's economic landscape and helping businesses thrive here.



Matt Brady

Read more about Kara and Matt at www.cityofgoosecreek.com. Better yet, drop by City Hall to say hello in person!

More residents choosing paperless

Goose Creek offers water customers paperless water billing and an automatic debit option. Each month, an email will be sent from waterbill@cityofgoosecreek.com with "City of Goose Creek Utility Bill" as the subject.

Complete the form found under "Online Payments" at www.cityofgoosecreek.com and submit it via email.

As long as the authorization is received no later than the 15th of the month before your billing date, the next bill will be emailed.

Enrolling in a monthly automatic credit/debit card payment option is another easy way for residents to pay their bill. Residents may select the payment authorization to process on the 5th or 15th of each month.

Residents will continue to receive a monthly water bill with the amount that will be debited from a credit/debit card and it will indicate "paid by draft."

If you would like to take advantage of this free program, visit www.cityofgoosecreek.com, print and complete the credit/debit card authorization form and return to Goose Creek City Hall – Water Billing Office. For more information call (843) 797-6220.



Summer Weekday Special

\$26 for 18 holes, Mon. to Fri. after 12 p.m.

Coupon must be presented (no copies).

Limit 1 person per coupon.

Tee time required.

Cannot be combined with any other discounts or specials.

Valid July 1, 2017 through August 31, 2017

**300 Hamlet Circle, Goose Creek
(843) 764-4618**

Coupon must be presented at time of purchase.

Valid July 1 - Aug. 31, 2017

City honors Black History with proclamation

Goose Creek Mayor Michael Heitzler officially proclaimed February 2017 as Black History Month in the City of Goose Creek. The proclamation signing ceremony took place on Friday, Feb. 3, at City Hall.

A second proclamation was also signed, as Mayor Heitzler announced Feb. 7, 2017 as National Black HIV/AIDS Awareness Day in the city.

Calica Parson of Lowcountry AIDS Services took part in the event.

In addition to Parson, Mayor Heitzler and Mayor Pro Tem Mark Phillips were joined by members of the Goose Creek NAACP.



Pictured with Mayor Heitzler and Mayor Pro Tem Phillips are Goose Creek NAACP Members (l-r) Van Williams (Executive Committee), Thomas Lanier (Branch Chaplain), Russ Singletary (Executive Committee), Christine Walker (Health Committee Chairperson), Veronica Dukes (President), Brenda Bines-Watson (First Vice President), Herbert Bodison (Executive Committee), and Levon Holbert; Calica Parson of Lowcountry AIDS Services; and longtime NAACP member John Matthews.

Holiday trash pick-up schedule announced for 2017

The City of Goose Creek Department of Public Works has released its trash pick-up schedule for all 2017 holidays.

For the remaining holidays of 2017, the following schedule is in place:

Memorial Day: If your collection day is Monday, May 29, your garbage will be collected on Tuesday, May 30

Independence Day: If your collection day is Tuesday, July 4, your garbage will be collected on Wednesday, July 5

Labor Day: If your collection day is Monday, Sept. 4, your garbage will be collected on Tuesday, Sept. 5

Thanksgiving: If your collection day is Thursday, Nov. 23, your garbage will be collected on Tuesday, Nov. 21

Day After Thanksgiving: If your collection day is Friday, Nov. 24, your garbage will be collected on Wednesday, Nov. 22

Christmas Eve: If your collection day is Monday, Dec. 25, your garbage will be

collected on Wednesday, Dec. 27

Christmas: If your collection day is Tuesday, Dec. 26, your garbage will be collected on Thursday, Dec. 28

For the remainder of each holiday week, regular pick-up days remain the same.

If you have bulk items for pick-up (refrigerators, etc.) please notify the Sanitation Division by calling (843) 824-2200.

facebook

The City of Goose Creek is on Facebook!

“Like” our Facebook page, City of Goose Creek Municipal Government, to receive the latest updates and information.

Goose Creek Community Center

519A North
Goose Creek Blvd.
PO Box 1768
Goose Creek, SC 29445
(843) 569-4242

Hours

Monday-Sunday
6am-9pm

Office Hours

Monday-Friday
8am-9pm
Saturday 8am-4pm
Sunday 10am-4pm

Casey Community Center

101 Old Moncks
Corner Road
Goose Creek, SC 29445
(843) 572-1321

Hours

Monday-Thursday
9am-12pm, 3-7pm
Friday
9am-12pm, 3-6:30pm
Saturday 9am-1pm

Meet the Staff

Gary Stuber
Recreation Director

Cheryl Heiselman
Recreation Superintendent

Chris Fesler
Facilities Superintendent

Patty Newman
Casey Center Coordinator

Sylvia Reid
Fitness Coordinator

Angela Martin
Athletic Coordinator

Kara McKeown
Program Coordinator

Carrie Stika
Administrative Assistant

Lucas West
Recreation Specialist

Adam Snider
Recreation Specialist

Stacey Croston
Gymnastics Coordinator

City of Goose Creek

Recreation Guide

SUMMER 2017

R Resident **NR** Non Resident

FITNESS

You do not need to be a fitness center member to participate in fitness classes. Your 1st fitness class is FREE! Morning, afternoon, and evening classes Available (even 6am!) See website for current schedule.

Fitness Membership

Adult Membership Includes:

Weight training area, cardio deck, climbing wall, walking track and basketball gym.

Youth Membership Includes:

Basketball gym and climbing wall only.

Adult Resident \$50/year

Adult Non-resident \$300/year

Youth Resident (under 16) \$15/year

Youth Non-resident (under 16) \$150/year

Residents must show proof of residency to qualify for the resident rate.

Monthly Fitness Classes include:

ABC's *new*, Ball, Barre, Boot Camp, Piyo, Step/Abs, Step/ Sculpt, Strength Training, Super Step, Tai Chi, Total Body, & WERO

Monthly Fee: \$30 R/\$35 NR **Daily:** \$5

45 min. class \$3 | 30 min. class \$2

Zumba Daily: \$5 | **Yoga Daily:** \$8

4-week session: \$32 R/\$37 NR

Spin Daily: \$7 | **Session:** \$20

Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Saturdays

Fitness Orientation

45-minute group introduction to the strength training and cardio equipment. \$15 R/\$20 NR

Personal Training

30 min. session \$32 | hour session \$45

4-30 minute sessions / 3-45 minute sessions \$99

Couch to 5K

9-week running program for walkers or beginner runners. Thursdays, starting May 18th. For details contact sreid@cityofgoosecreek.com

Climbing Wall

Mon-Fri 4-8pm | Sat & Sun 11am-4pm

Summer Hours:

Mon/Wed/Fri 9:30am-12 Noon

\$1/members \$2/non-members

Easy Does It

Monthly 2x/week: \$10 R/\$15 NR

Monthly 5x/week: \$25 R/\$30 NR

Daily: \$5

Childcare (ages 1-8)

Mon-Thurs 5:30pm-8:45pm

\$2/hour \$20/month

Room Rentals & Party Packages

All room rentals and parties require a \$100 security deposit at booking. This fee will be returned to the renter provided the room is left clean and undamaged.

Community Center

The Goose Creek Community Center has an aerobics room available. Includes 3 8-ft. tables and 25 chairs. \$60/hr R \$70/hr NR \$10/hr additional after business hours Add tables \$5/each Chairs \$1/each

Senior Center

The S. Berkeley Senior Center has a dining room which includes 12 round tables and 72 chairs. A kitchen is available for food preparation (no cooking). Must be a Berkeley County resident to rent. \$60/hr + \$50 cleaning fee

Basketball Party

2 hours in the basketball gym with a party room. Includes 3 8-ft. tables and 25 chairs. 1 adult chaperone for every 10 children \$120 R/\$140 NR

Climbing Wall Party

2 hours in a party room with 1 hour on climbing wall with an attendant. Includes 3 8-ft tables and 25 chairs. 1 adult chaperone for every 10 children \$120 R/\$140 NR

Gymnastics Party

50 min. in gymnastics area/ 40 min. in party room \$175R/\$185NR up to 15 children (\$5/additional child)

Casey Community Center

2 rooms available for rent. Includes 3 8-ft. tables and 25 chairs. Room A: \$35/hr R \$45/hr NR Room B: \$45/hr residents \$55/hr NR Add. tables \$5/each Chairs \$1/each

Eubanks Park

Includes use of the pavilion, picnic tables, bathrooms, and park area next to the Casey Community Center. \$25 R/3 hours

www.goosecreekrecreation.com

City of Goose Creek

Player's birth certificate and proof of residency required when registering.

Acceptable forms of proof of residency:

Homeowners:

current utility bill + drivers license or photo ID of parent or legal guardian with current address

Renters:

current utility bill + drivers license or photo ID with current address + rental agreement

Residents include

Goose Creek Recreation District & City of Goose Creek

Interested in being a volunteer coach?

We need coaches for our fall sports! Come by the Community Center and fill out a coaching application. For more info call the Community Center at 569-4242 or email Angela Martin at amartin@cityofgoosecreek.com

Interested in being a sports official?

We need volleyball, soccer, football, baseball and softball officials. For more info please contact Robbie Owens at sykopath74@gmail.com

R Resident

NR Non Resident

ATHLETICS



FOOTBALL

Registration: May 29-June 27

League Fee: \$60/Resident

Participants will receive team jersey. Participant provides helmet with NOCSAE seal, shoulder pads, padded pants, shoes, mouthpiece and athletic supporter. No equipment needed for the Midget flag league. For ages 6-13 (Ages as of 9/1/17) Pee Wee, Small Fry and Bantam leagues will travel and play in the Berkeley League with local area teams.



FALL SOCCER

Registration: July 3-20

League Fee: \$40/resident

For ages 4-15. Ages as of 8/1/17 Participants receive a team shirt, shorts and socks. Participants provide shin guards and shoes.



TENNIS

Lessons offered by Peggy Bachofner, First Serve Tennis Academy 6 week sessions on Wednesdays

Fees:

\$60 R/\$70 NR Ages 5-Adult

\$30 R/\$40 NR Ages 3-5

9:00-10:00am Adult

3:30-4:00pm ages 3-5

4:00-5:00pm ages 5-10

5:00-6:00pm ages 11-17

6:15-7:15pm Adult



PICKLEBALL

Open Play Mon/Wed/Fri 9 am-1 pm

FREE to members

\$5 non-members

Goose Creek Community Center



Cheerleading



Registration: May 29-June 27

Open to residents & non-residents

League Fee:

\$35/resident \$45/non-resident

Cost of uniform: \$80. Fee includes cost of briefs and poms Participants will provide shoes and socks

For ages 5-12 (Ages as of 9/1/17)

Uniform Fittings: Thurs., June 22 or Tues., June 27 5:30-7:30 pm



FALL BASEBALL & SOFTBALL



Registration: July 24-Aug. 10

League Fee: \$40/resident

Baseball for ages 9-15.

Ages as of 4/30/2018

Softball for ages 9-12

Ages as of 12/31/2017

Participants receive team hat and shirt. Participant will provide pants, glove, batting helmet and shoes



VOLLEYBALL



Middle School Volleyball

Registration: July 24-August 10

League Fee: \$35 R/\$70 NR

For middle school girls going to Stratford or Goose Creek for high school. Participants receive team jersey. Participant will provide shorts and knee pads.

Games will be played at the community center and teams will travel to other locations around the area.

Open Play

Fridays 4:30-8:30 pm

For all ages! FREE to members \$5 non-members

Goose Creek Community Center

www.goosecreekrecreation.com

ADULT & YOUTH PROGRAMS

See website for updated session days and times. Schedules subject to change.

Martial Arts

\$10 registration fee

Ninjas & Dragons 4-7 Sat. 9:30-10:15am

Beginner 8-12 Saturday 10:15-11am

Intermediate 8-12 Saturday 11-11:45am

Teens/Adults Saturday 11:45am-12:30pm

Monthly \$45 R/\$50 NR

Hip Hop (Ages 7-14)

Monday 5:30-6:30 pm

Monthly \$50 R/\$55 NR

Voice Lessons (Ages 5-adult)

Private Lessons

6 week session \$72 R/\$77 NR

Guitar Lessons

Age groups: *Beginner 6-9, 10-13, 14+*

6 week session \$80 R/\$85 NR

Private Lessons \$25/30 minutes

Piano Lessons

Little Mozarts ages 5-6

6 week session \$54 R/\$59 NR

Youth ages 7-12, Teen/Adult ages 13+

6 week session \$84 R/\$89 NR

Private Lessons \$75-3 30-min lessons

Violin/Viola/Cello/Bass Lessons

Ages 4+ Tuesdays 7 week session

\$70 R/\$75 NR

Dance Classes

Registration will open in May 2017 for the upcoming session.

(begins July 10th) Call the Casey Center at 843-572-1321 for more info.

Gymnastics & Tumbling

(schedule starting June 5)

Mommy & Me 18 mon.-3 years

Thursday 10-10:45am

Preschool Ages 3-4

Mon/Wed/Thurs 3:15-4pm

Tues 5:15-6 pm | Thurs 11-11:45 am

\$15 registration fee

Monthly: \$35 R/\$40 NR 1 class/week

\$55 R/\$65 NR 2 classes/week

Beginner Ages 5-6

Mon/Wed 4:15-5:15pm, Tues 6-7pm,

Thurs 9-10 am, 4-5pm

Beginner Girls Age 6+

Mon/Wed 5:15-6:15pm, Tues 4-5pm,

Thurs 9-10am, 5-6pm

Intermediate Girls Age 6+

Mon/Wed 6:15-7:15pm

Thurs 10-11am, 6-7pm

Beginner Boys Age 4+ Thurs 4-5pm

Beginner Boys Age 6+ Thurs 5-6pm

Girls' Tumbling Ages 7+

Beginner/Intermediate Wed 6:15-7:15pm

Advanced Thurs 6:30-7:30pm

\$25 registration fee

Monthly: \$45 R/\$50 NR 1 class/week

\$65 R/\$75 NR 2 classes/week

Open Gym Ages 6+

Saturdays 4/29, 5/13, 6/10, 7/22, 8/26

12:30-2:30pm \$8 R/\$10 NR

Must preregister. Interested in Pre-Team,

Competitive Team, or TOPS Program

(Talent Opportunity Program)

email scroston@cityofgoosecreek.com

Toddler Playtime

Ages 12 mon-6 years with parent

Tuesday 10am-12pm Daily \$4 R/\$6 NR

2nd child \$2 R/\$4 NR

Toddler Yoga

Ages 1-5 Friday 10-11am

4 week session

\$32R/\$37NR

Daily \$10R/\$12NR

Yoga Mixed Level 1-2

Tuesday/Thursday 6-7pm

3 week session \$48 R/\$53 NR

or \$12/class

Restorative Yoga

Friday 11-11:45am

6 week session

\$30 R/\$35 NR

One Stroke Painting (Ages 12+)

Monday 6-8pm

Daily \$15 R/\$17 NR

Youth Art Classes

Thursday 5:30-7 pm

Clay Art for Kids Ages 7-12

April 20-May 25

Kids Art Ages 6-12

June 15-July 27 6 week session

\$70 R/\$75 NR +\$20 supply fee

Basic Print Making Ages 8-12

Aug 3-Sept 7 6 week session

\$60 R/\$65 NR + \$40 supply fee

Preschool Programs

\$35 registration fee

Half Pints Ages 3-5

Monday-Friday 8:30-11:30am

Monday/Wednesday/Friday 12-3pm

Bright Beginnings Ages 2 1/2-4

Monday-Friday 8:30-11am

Tues/Wed/Thurs 8:30-11am

Monthly:

\$125 R/\$130 NR (5 day programs)

\$100 R/\$105 NR (3 day programs)

City Pool & Tennis Courts

Located at 300 Hamlet Circle

Pool Hours

May 27th-Sept. 4th Monday-Sat. 11am-8pm

Sun. 12pm-6pm | May & Sept. 12pm-6pm

Open weekends only after August 13th

Pool Memberships

Residents: \$50 Non-Residents: \$100

Guest Fee: \$5 per person.

4 & under: Free

Water Fitness Classes times and dates TBD. Check website or contact sreid@cityofgoosecreek.com

Tennis Memberships

Residents \$50 year Non-Residents: \$75 year

Guest Fee: \$5 per person

Children 4 & under: Free

Swim Lessons

Group Lessons Ages 3-10/Levels 1-3

Ages 9 mon-2 years/Parent & Tot

\$70 R/\$80 NR 45 min classes meet

Monday-Wednesday 2 week sessions:

Session 1: June 5-16 | Session 2: June 19-30

Session 3: July 10-21 | Session 4: July 24-Aug. 4

No group lessons week of July 4th

Private Swim Lessons

includes 6-45 minute lessons

\$130 R/\$140 NR

Semi-private (2 participants)

\$180 R/\$190 NR

Pool Parties

3 hours of pool fun! Available Fridays

and Saturdays 8-11pm and Sun. 6-9pm

Half Pool: \$175 (max 40 people)

Whole Pool: \$275 (max 75 people)

\$100 security deposit required

Summer Programs

Arts & Crafts Camp (Ages 10-16)

June 26-30 9am-noon. Variety of arts & crafts projects for the blossoming artist. Held at Casey Center. \$50 R/\$55 NR + \$15 supply fee

Camp Friendship (Ages 10-15)

July 31-August 4 8:30am-12:30pm. Camp designed for individuals with special needs to take part in a variety of active games & crafts. \$50 R/\$60 NR

Fun Fitness Camps (Ages 6+)

June 12-16 | July 10-14 | August 7-11 8:30 am-5:30 pm. Gymnastics, indoor and outdoor games, crafts, & more! Each session: \$110 R/\$115 NR
2nd child: \$90 R/\$95 NR

Half Pints Camp (Ages 3-5)

June 12-23 **Art & Imagination**
June 26-July 7 **Oceans & Space**
July 10-21 **Dinos & Bugs**
Monday-Friday 8:30-11:30am
Each 2 week session features a fun filled theme and will include arts and crafts, games, songs, science experiments and more! No camp July 4th.
Each session: \$70 R/\$80 NR

Kids' Night Out (Ages 5-12)

Friday May 5 5:30-8:30pm
Pizza, games, crafts, & a movie at the GC Community Center. \$15 R/\$17 NR
Sibling discounts.

Kids Camps (Ages 5-7)

July 17-21 **Science Time** 9am-noon
Lots of physical play time, preparing snacks such as sandwich roll-ups and smoothies, & conducting experiments!

July 31-Aug. 4 **Art Fun** 9am-noon
Fun & exercise, preparing snacks, and creating art projects. Held at Casey Center. Each session: \$55 R/\$60 NR + \$12 supply fee paid to instructor

Magic Camp (Ages 7-12)

July 24-28 9am-12pm
Have you ever wanted to learn card tricks or pull a rabbit out of a hat? Students will perform a magic show for their friends and family during the last class! \$95 R/\$100 NR + \$25 supply fee paid to instructor 1st day of class

Mini Camps (Ages 8-12)

June 19-23 **Sports Extravaganza**
Come join the Goose Creek Rec Staff as we play a different sport everyday!
July 17-21 **Challenge Week**
A week jam packed with team relay races, sports challenges, and crafts.
Mon-Fri 8:30am-12:30pm
\$50 R/\$60 NR

Soccer Camps

For more information and to register for the following soccer camps go to www.challengersports.com or email bhenrymartin@challengersports.com

Tiny Tots Soccer Camp (Ages 3-6)

June 26-30 5-6pm at Dogwood Park.
Players will focus on basic skills and developing motor, social and psychological skills.

British Soccer Camp (Ages 3-16)

July 10-14 at Dogwood Park. Players will focus on individual foot skills, technical drills, tactical practices, small-sided games, coached scrimmages,

Tetra Brazil Soccer Camp (Ages 8-15)

June 12-16 Held at Dogwood Park. Players will focus on individual foot skills, technical drills, tactical practices, small-sided games, coached scrimmages.

Female Development Soccer Camp

June 26-30 *For girls ages 6-16* at Dogwood Park. Players will focus on individual foot skills, technical drills, tactical practices, small-sided games, coached scrimmages.

Start Smart (Ages 3-5)

Wednesdays June 14-July 19 5:30-6:30pm
Focuses on teaching children basic mechanics of throwing, catching, batting and kicking
Parent/child class \$30 R/\$35 NR Located at the Goose Creek Community Center.

Summertime Art for Kids (Ages 6-12)

June 5-9 9:30-11:30 am. Explore the amazing world of visual arts through drawing, painting, working with clay and mixed media. \$70 R/\$75 NR + \$20 supply fee

Swing & Swim Camp

June 12-16 10am-2pm (Ages 7-11)
June 26-30 10 am-2 pm (Ages 12-16)
Morning golf lessons provided by Crowfield Golf Club's PGA Professionals, then an afternoon of swimming & pool games. \$130 R/\$140 NR includes lunch

Tumbling Clinics (Ages 6+)

May 7, June 4, July 2, August 6
Beginners 1:00-2:30pm
Advanced 2:30-4:00pm
\$42 R/ \$47 NR

Yoga Camp (Ages 5-9)

June 19-23 9 am-12 pm Songs, stories, games, crafts, healthy snacks and plenty of kidding around yoga! Located at Casey Center. \$90 R/ \$95 NR Sibling discounts.

Special Events!



Saturday April 22nd
2pm-6pm
GC Municipal Center



Tuesday July 4
6:30-9:30 pm
GC Municipal Center



Saturday
September 23 | 7:30 pm
GC Municipal Center



Saturday October 7
10am-4pm
GC Municipal Center



Fridays April 28 | May 12 & 26
6-9 pm | Crowfield Golf Course



Sat. September 9 | 8 am-noon
Casey Community Center

Check the website for details!
We are always looking for sponsors & volunteers to support our events!
Please email Kara McKeown at kmckeown@cityofgoosecreek.com to find out how you can help.

See website for updated session days and times. Schedules subject to change.



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Full House

Every seat was filled for February's Goose Creek City Council meeting. All council meetings are open to the public, and include time for public comment. Council meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of every month at City Hall.

Upcoming Goose Creek City Council Meetings

May 9 June 13 July 11 Aug. 8 Sept. 12 Oct. 10 Nov. 14 Dec. 12

Meetings begin at 7 p.m. at Goose Creek City Hall