



CITY MANAGER'S COUNCIL REPORT

August 11, 2026

*The Bright Star Of
Central Texas*

Harker Heights

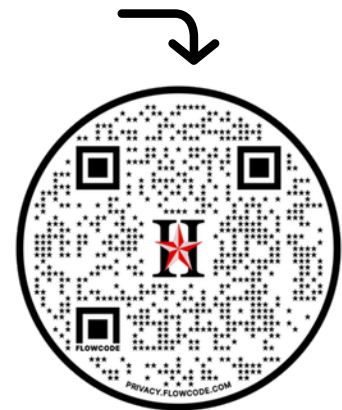
**THE CITY OF HARKER HEIGHTS
UPCOMING CITY EVENTS,
ACTIVITIES, AND UPDATES**

**WE ARE
HIRING**

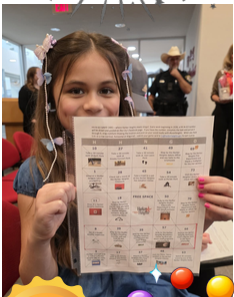
AVAILABLE POSITIONS

- FIREFIGHTER/ PARAMEDIC \$6,000
PARAMEDIC INCENTIVE
- POLICE OFFICER TRAINEE
- LIGHT EQUIPMENT OPERATOR –
STREETS
- MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN
- MECHANIC
- HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR
- WASTE WATER SUPERINTENDENT
- UTILITY BILLING CLERK

**SCAN HERE TO
APPLY**



Congratulations!



**Yay Katie, Our first
Bingo Winner!**



A NEW HH-N-GO BINGO CHALLENGE HAS BEGUN!
WITH THE START OF 2026, WE'RE EXCITED TO KICK OFF A NEW
HH-N-GO BINGO CHALLENGE. EACH WEEK, A NEW
LETTER/NUMBER WILL BE DRAWN, ALONG WITH A SPECIFIC
ACTIVITY TIED TO THAT SQUARE ON YOUR CARD.
THERE ARE TWO GAME CARDS AVAILABLE—ONE FOR EMPLOYEES
AND ONE FOR CITIZENS. FOR EMPLOYEES, THE CHALLENGE IS A
FUN WAY TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR ORGANIZATION. FOR
CITIZENS, IT'S A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO GET TO KNOW THE CITY
BETTER.

TO PARTICIPATE, CONTACT HR AT HR@HARKERHEIGHTS.GOV TO
RECEIVE YOUR BINGO CARD. LET THE FUN BEGIN!



CONTACT US

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SENIOR RECREATION

A NEW SENIOR REC PROGRAM HAS BEEN ADDED TO THE FALL LINEUP OF OFFERINGS, DIVE INTO WATERCOLOR WITH TANJA. THE CLASS WILL BE **EVERY WEDNESDAY**, STARTING **AUGUST 19**, FROM **10:00 AM – 12:00 PM** AT THE RECREATION CENTER. BASIC STARTER SUPPLIES AND A LIST OF ADDITIONAL SUPPLIES WILL BE AVAILABLE TO CONTINUE WITH FUTURE CLASSES. **THE FEE IS \$10 PER CLASS VISIT.**



BINGO WILL BE ON **THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 2026**, FROM **1:00 P.M. – 2:30 P.M.** AT THE RECREATION CENTER.



LADIES NIGHT OUT WILL BE ON **THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 2026**, AT **5:00 P.M.** THE RESTAURANT IS HALLMARK RESTAURANT IN KILLEEN. EACH ATTENDEE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PURCHASING THEIR OWN MEAL. REGISTRATION IS PREFERRED AND CAN BE DONE IN PERSON AT THE RECREATION CENTER.



JOIN US FOR CRAFTY CONNECTION ON **MONDAY, AUGUST 24, 2026**, FROM **2:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.** SENIORS CAN BRING A CRAFT PROJECT THEY ARE WORKING ON AT HOME OR IF PARTICIPANTS DON'T HAVE A CRAFT PROJECT ONE WILL BE PROVIDED. THE CRAFT FOR AUGUST WILL BE WATERCOLOR WITH GUEST INSTRUCTOR TANJA. SPACE IS LIMITED AND REGISTRATION OPENED MONDAY, **AUGUST 10, 2026.**



RECREATION

FOLKLORICO CLASSES OFFERED THIS FALL AT THE RECREATION CENTER.
DANCE – MEXICAN FOLKLORICO

SESSION: MONDAYS, **AUGUST 24 – OCTOBER 5, 2026**

5:45 PM – 7 PM AGES 7 – 12

7:05 PM – 8:25 PM AGES 13 – ADULT

\$65.00 PER SESSION

INSTRUCTOR MS. RUBY, CNRCTX@GMAIL.COM



AQUATICS

THE KERN PARK SPLASHPAD IS OPEN DAILY 8A-8P. THE FACILITY WILL CLOSE SEPTEMBER 30TH AND REOPEN IN THE SPRING 2027.



SPORTS

ABILITY PICKLE BALL AND TENNIS REGISTRATION IS OPEN.

SOCCER AND BASKETBALL REGISTRATION ARE OPEN.





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SPECIAL EVENTS

THE HARKER HEIGHTS FARMERS MARKET IS TAKING A SUMMER BREAK. THE MARKET WILL RETURN ON **OCT. 3-DEC. 12**. THE MARKET IS HELD AT THE HARKER HEIGHTS CITY HALL PARKING LOT AT 305 MILLER'S CROSSING. FOR UPDATES OR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT THE HARKER HEIGHTS FARMERS MARKET FACEBOOK PAGE OR EMAIL FARMERSMARKET@HARKERHEIGHTS.GOV.



THE FIRST FRIDAYS MUSIC SERIES CONCERT IS SCHEDULED FOR **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH**. THE EVENTS WILL BE HELD FROM **6:00 P.M.- 8:00 P.M.** AT THE CARL LEVIN PARK AMPHITHEATER. THIS FAMILY-FRIENDLY EVENT IS FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. FAMILIES AND FRIENDS ARE INVITED TO THE PARK FOR FREE MUSIC, FOOD VENDORS, AND MORE. ATTENDEES ARE ENCOURAGED TO BRING THEIR LAWN CHAIRS OR BLANKETS AND ENJOY A PICNIC ON THE AMPHITHEATER LAWN.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4- THE SPAZMATICS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3- ROSE SHORT

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7- EMILY GIMBL



GO HEIGHTS

THE COMMUNITY GARDEN LOCATED IN KERN PARK IS OPEN. THE GARDEN HAS **15 RENTABLE PLOTS** (7 FT. X 14 FT.) WITH 3 OF THE BEDS PLACED ON CONCRETE FOR MORE ACCESSIBILITY. TO RESERVE YOUR PLOT, REGISTER ONLINE THROUGH CIVIC REC OR VISIT US AT THE RECREATION CENTER (307 MILLERS CROSSING HARKER HEIGHTS, TX 76548)





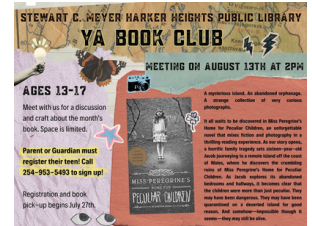
Stewart C. Meyer
Harker Heights Public Library

LIBRARY HOURS
MONDAY - FRIDAY 9AM - 6PM
SATURDAY 10AM - 2PM
SUNDAY: CLOSED
400 INDIAN TRAIL
HARKERHEIGHTS, TEXAS, 76548
PHONE: (254) 953 - 5491

YA BOOK CLUB

THURSDAY AUGUST 13, 2026 - 2PM

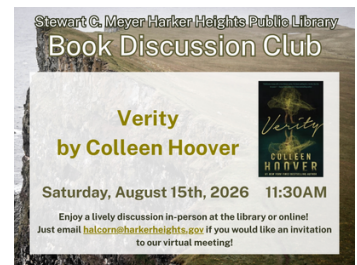
A MYSTERIOUS ISLAND. AN ABANDONED ORPHANAGE. A STRANGE COLLECTION OF VERY CURIOUS PHOTOGRAPHS. JOIN US AS WE DIVE INTO MISS PEREGRINE'S HOME FOR PECULIAR CHILDREN -A THRILLING STORY THAT BLENDS EERIE MYSTERIES, UNFORGETTABLE CHARACTERS, AND A WORLD WHERE NOTHING IS QUITE WHAT IT SEEMS. FOLLOW JACOB'S JOURNEY AS HE UNCOVERS THE SECRETS OF THE CRUMBLING ORPHANAGE, DISCOVERS THE PECULIAR CHILDREN WHO ONCE LIVED THERE, AND LEARNS THAT SOME MYSTERIES REFUSE TO STAY BURIED. AGES 13-17 MEET WITH US FOR A DISCUSSION AND CRAFT INSPIRED BY THIS MONTH'S BOOK. SPACE IS LIMITED. PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST REGISTER THEIR TEEN! CALL 254-953-5493 TO SIGN UP.



BOOK CLUB

SATURDAY AUGUST 15, 2026 - 11:30 AM

LOVE PSYCHOLOGICAL THRILLERS WITH SHOCKING TWISTS? JOIN US FOR AN ENGAGING DISCUSSION OF VERITY BY COLLEEN HOOVER! WE'LL DIVE INTO THE NOVEL'S SUSPENSE, UNEXPECTED REVELATIONS, UNFORGETTABLE CHARACTERS, AND THAT ENDING EVERYONE TALKS ABOUT. WHETHER YOU LOVED IT, QUESTIONED IT, OR ARE STILL THINKING ABOUT IT, YOUR PERSPECTIVE IS WELCOME.



STORYTIME

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 19, 2026 - 10:00 AM

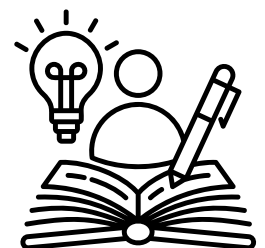
JOIN US AT THE LIBRARY FOR ENGAGING STORIES, FUN SONGS, AND INTERACTIVE ACTIVITIES DESIGNED TO INSPIRE A LOVE OF READING. FAMILIES MUST SIGN IN AT THE CHILDREN'S DESK BEFORE PARTICIPATING. RECOMMENDED FOR CHILDREN AGES 3-6 AND THEIR FAMILIES.



AUTHOR FAIR

SATURDAY AUGUST 29, 2026 - 10:00 AM-1:30 PM

JOIN US FOR A CELEBRATION OF LOCAL CREATIVITY! MEET TALENTED LOCAL AUTHORS OF ALL GENRES AND FOR ALL AGES - DISCOVER NEW STORIES, SUPPORT COMMUNITY VOICES, AND MAYBE EVEN FIND YOUR NEXT FAVORITE BOOK. LET'S SHOW UP BIG FOR OUR LOCAL WRITERS!





LIVE MUSIC
FOOD TRUCKS
ARTISAN VENDORS



FIRST FRIDAY

FEATURING

THE SPAZMATICS

Live in Concert!



SEPTEMBER 4



6 PM - 8 PM



**CARL LEVIN PARK
AMPHITHEATER**

400 MILLER'S CROSSING
HARKER HEIGHTS, TX



Harker Heights
Parks & Recreation
Creating Community



*Bring your lawn chairs
and blankets!*



FREE ADMISSION



FOOD TRUCKS



ARTISAN VENDORS