



Harker Heights Senior Recreation Program

December 2023 Newsletter

Harker Heights Senior Recreation
Recreation Center, 307 Miller's Crossing

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Message from Harker Heights Senior Program Manager

Hello All,

As we wrap up the year, take this time to remember the new programs we had like Lunch & Learn and Crafty Connection. We continued with many fun activities like the 2nd Annual Battle of the Court: Granny Basketball Benefit Game. Some programs returned like our Armchair Travelers and we changed Senior P.E. to Active Seniors. Some of our upcoming exciting Senior (50+) programs for December include: Jingle Mingle & Games (holiday party with games), Crafty Connection (string art craft), BINGO, and Ladies Night Out. The City invites you and your family to Frost Fest to enjoy the holiday season and to do some holiday shopping. You are also invited to enter a wreath in the Wreath Decorating Contest. As a reminder the gym will be closed for floor renovations through December 2. The Recreation Center will be only open on Dec. 22 & Dec. 29 from 8a-12p and then will be closed Dec. 23-25 and Dec. 30-Jan. 1 for the holidays. We wish you and your family a safe and Happy Holidays.

Thank you,

Nichole Broemer Recreation Center & Senior Programs Manager

December's Quotes

"In seed time learn, in harvest teach, in winter enjoy." — William Blake

"May your walls know joy, may every room hold laughter, and every window open to great possibility."

— Mary Anne Radmacher









"You can tell a lot about a person by the way they handle three things: a rainy day, lost luggage and tangled Christmas tree lights."

— Maya Angelou



Marrionetta G.	12/01	LeRon C.	12/11	Annick H.	12/19	Debbie T.	12/28
Albert R.	12/03	Bobby C.	12/12	Elizabeth R.	12/19	Carol W.	12/28
Evette B.	12/04	Debra P.	12/12	Janice C.	12/20	Pauly M.	12/29
Kathleen O.	12/04	Susan R.	12/12	Gladys F.	12/20	Julie V.	12/29
Ella J.	12/06	Candida T.	12/13	Anita J.	12/21	Demetrius W.	12/30
Karen P.	12/06	Lifen F.	12/15	Phyllis A.	12/22	Pamela H.	12/31
Melinda F.	12/07	Cyndi M.	12/15	Lois S.	12/22	Charles S.	12/31
Becky H.	12/07	Samye T.	12/15	Rick B.	12/25	Gidget T.	12/31
Mary O.	12/07	Imelda C.	12/16	Faukner Eric V.	12/25		
Song C.	12/08	Teresita N.	12/17	Joseph C.	12/27		
Mona S.	12/09	Yasmin R.	12/17	Sharon J.	12/27		
Okja C.	12/10	Demetra E.	12/18	Songsak D.	12/28		
Eunice H.	12/10	Jan D.	12/19	Eileen D.	12/28		

If your name is missing on the birthday list, we do not have you renewed for 2023.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>All activities held at the Recreation Center, 307 Miller's Crossing unless noted otherwise.</p>				<p>10 am-2 pm Scrabble</p> <p>1</p>	<p>2</p>
<p>4</p> <p>9 am-11:45 am Pickleball (Non-Res. Fee required) 12 pm-3 pm Pinochle 12 pm-1:45 pm Granny Basketball</p>	<p>5</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>6</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>7</p> <p>9:30 am-10:30 am Stretchercise 11 am-12:45 pm Active Seniors 1 pm-4 pm Canasta</p>	<p>8</p> <p>9 am-11:45 am Pickleball (Non-Res. Fee required) 10 am-2 pm Scrabble 12 pm-1:45 pm Granny Basketball 5 pm-8 pm Frost Fest </p>	<p>9</p> <p>5 pm-8 pm Frost Fest </p>
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<p>25</p> <p>CLOSED </p>	<p>26</p> <p>9:30 am-10:30 am Stretchercise 11 am-12:30 pm Armchair Travelers 2 pm-4 pm Ping Pong</p>	<p>27</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>28</p> <p>9:30 am-10:30 am Stretchercise 1 pm-4 pm Canasta</p>	<p>29</p> <p>OPEN 8 am—12 pm 9 am-11:45 am Pickleball (Non-Res. Fee required) CLOSED after 12 pm</p>	<p>30</p> <p>CLOSED </p>



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Harker Heights Recreation Gymnasium CLOSED for Floor Renovation: November 20 - December 2

There will be no open gym or activities scheduled in the gym.



Wreath Decorating Contest

Submit your wreath & entry form by 4 pm on Dec. 6 at HH Rec Center.
Judged by the community during Frost Fest event on Dec. 8 & 9.
Winners announced on the HH Parks & Rec Facebook page on Dec. 11.
For entry form & more information, visit the HH Rec Center.



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Armchair Travelers

Tuesdays | 11 am - 12:30 pm

Harker Heights Recreation Center, 307 Miller's Crossing

Don't worry about the long waits at airports or the many miles in a car. Travel with us as we watch videos of many destinations around the world from the comfort of your chair at the Recreation Center.

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



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Active Seniors

Thursdays | 11 am - 12:45 pm | Dec. 7 & 14 Only

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.

December's Activity:
Line Dancing





FROST FEST 2023

Friday & Saturday

December 8 & 9, 2023

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm (both nights)

Harker Heights Community Park

1501 East FM 2410

Join the City of Harker Heights for our annual winter fest! This year Frost Fest will be on both Friday & Saturday night. Enjoy shopping with vendors, a visit with Santa Claus, activities, entertainers, food, and more! For more information on the event, email sgibbs@harkerheights.gov



**Stewart C. Meyer Harker Heights
Public Library**

**2023 - 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!**

<p>Thursday, November 16</p>	<p>Thursday, December 21</p>	<p>Thursday, January 18</p>
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Just e-mail lyoungblood@harkerheights.gov for an invitation to our virtual meeting!

JINGLE MINGLE & GAMES

Tuesday, Dec. 12 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Rec Center, 307 Miller's Crossing



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Enjoy an afternoon of snacks, drinks, and games.
Bring a new tree ornament if you would like to
participate in an ornament exchange.

For more info call 254-953-5683 or visit the Rec Center.



Crafty Connection

Monday, December 18, 2023 2 pm - 4 pm
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Bring a craft project you are working at home.
Don't have one...don't worry, craft projects
will be available.

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BINGO

Thursday, December 21, 2023
1 pm - 2:30 pm

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




Thursday, December 21, 2023 5:00 pm
Location: Taqueria Mexico, 526 Knight's Way, Harker Heights

Join others for Mexican 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.

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Recreation Center & Activities Center

Holiday Hours

Christmas

OPEN: Dec. 22 8a - 12p

CLOSED: Dec. 23 - 25

New Year's

OPEN: Dec. 29 8a - 12p

CLOSED: Dec. 30 - Jan. 1



Happy Holidays!

WISHING YOU THE BEST IN THE NEW YEAR!



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