

# **April 2014**

## **Parks & Recreation Newsletter Information**

### **Holiday Closing**

The Parks and Recreation Office, and Veterans Skate Park will be closed on the following date:

- Friday, April 18 in observance of Good Friday

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### **TRASH TO TREASURES EXTRAVAGANZA**

- The Extravaganza will be held at Buck Creek Park on Saturday, May 17 from 8 am until 12 pm.
- Registration begins at 8 am on April 28 and ends on May 14 at 5 pm. You can register in person at the Depot between 8 am and 5 pm, weekdays only. As soon as all 50 booths are reserved, registration will close out even if it's prior to May 14.
- The registration fee is \$10 which can be paid with cash, debit, Visa, or MasterCard. No checks accepted. The fee includes a 20x20 booth. You must provide your own table and chairs.

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### **SPRING BASEBALL AND GIRL'S SOFTBALL**

- Baseball/Softball has 515 eager players in our Spring Sports program. Please visit one of the local parks and take in a game or two. It will be a pleasant experience even if you don't have children participating. And it won't cost you a penny.
- Opening Day and Picture Day will be on Saturday, April 5 at Veterans Park.

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### **SPRING SOCCER**

- Spring Soccer has 410 energetic young participants who love an audience. Please show your support by attending a game at Municipal Park. There's sure to be lots of action, and there's no admission fee.

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### **START SMART BASEBALL**

- Start Smart Baseball has 20 excited 3 and 4 year olds learning the fundamentals of Baseball on Tuesday nights during the month of April.

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### **FOOTBALL & CHEER**

- Look for Football and Cheer details in the May issue of the newsletter. Registration will begin on May 19 for Football (full contact); Cheer; and our newest addition, Flag Football.

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## ADULT SOFTBALL COACHES

- There will be an Adult Softball Coaches Meeting on Tuesday, April 8 at 6:30 pm located at the Alabaster Senior Center.

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## ACCC FAST PITCH SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

- The Alabama Community College Conference Tournament will occur at Veterans Park May 2 thru May 4. Mark your calendars for this event with 12 junior college softball teams from across Alabama competing.

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## PAVILIONS FOR RENT

- **Outdoor Rental Facilities:** Several of our City Parks offer pavilions for rental use. With warm weather upon us, everyone is ready to visit the local parks for picnics, family reunions and Birthday parties. The best way to insure your event happens at the location of your choice is to contact Parks & Recreation before our books are filled with reservations. Pavilions are available for use by permit only. There is a \$40 rental fee and an additional refundable \$40 deposit which must be paid before your reservation is complete.

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