



June 3, 2016

Mesquite Arts Center offers free outdoor concerts in June

The Mesquite Arts Center will offer free outdoor concerts every Monday and Tuesday night in June. Music in the Park, performed by the Mesquite Community Band, will be offered every Monday night at 7 p.m. and Tuesday nights will feature JazzBreaks at 7:30 p.m. All concerts are free and will be held on the lawn of the Mesquite Arts Center, 1527 N. Galloway Ave. For more information, visit www.cityofmesquite.com/ArtsCenter.



Summer Sizzle will attempt Whip/Nae Nae World Record

Festival-goers at Mesquite's Summer Sizzle will have the unique opportunity to participate in an attempt to break the world record for the most people to simultaneously dance the Whip/Nae Nae. Dancers will meet in the Texas-sized yard games area near the stage at 8:15 p.m. to attempt to make history. The current record of 150 dancers was set in England in September 2015. The festival will be held on Saturday, June 11, from noon – 10:30 p.m., at Paschall Park, 1001 New Market Road. Admission and parking are free. Visit www.cityofmesquite.com/SummerSizzle for more information.



Animal Services Adoptathon 2016 to be held June 4

Adoptathon 2016 will be held Saturday, June 4, from 1 – 5 p.m. at Mesquite Animal Services, 1650 Gross Road. Adopt a new family member or bring in a current pet for a variety of services. Adoptathon 2016 will offer “name your price adoptions,” on-site \$10 microchipping and City registrations (\$5 for sterilized pets or \$15 for unsterilized pets.) A veterinarian will also be on-site to perform vaccinations. The vaccinations will be available on a cash-only basis with most vaccines priced from \$10 - \$15 each, but all forms of payment will be accepted for all other services and pet adoptions.



MISD offers free Summer Food Service Program

The Mesquite Independent School District will offer free nutritious meals this summer for all children ages 1-18. The 2016 Summer Food Service Program offers free breakfast and free lunch to any child. No advance qualifying or registration is required. All meals must be eaten in the school cafeteria at the location served and no part of the meal may be taken away from the cafeteria. Accompanying adults may purchase breakfast for \$1.50 or lunch for \$3.00 at most participating locations. For complete details and locations, visit www.cityofmesquite.com/FoodProgram.

SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM 2016

Mesquite ISD will offer free nutritious meals this summer for all children ages 1-18. The Summer Food Service Program offers free breakfast and free lunch to any child. No advance qualifying or registration is required. Meals will be free for children 1-18 years old without charge and are the same for all regardless of race, color, national origin, sex age or disability, and there will be no discrimination in the course of the meal service. Due to Health and Sanitary Rules, all meals must be eaten in the school cafeteria; no part of the meal may be taken away from the cafeteria. Adults may purchase a breakfast for \$1.50 and lunch for \$3.00 at most participating locations. Children do not need to be part of Mesquite ISD to participate. This program is provided by the Texas Department of Agriculture throughout the state of Texas. For more information go to www.mesquiteisd.org/depts/food-service/ or call Mesquite ISD Food & Nutrition Services at 972-882-5500. For menus download MealViewer To Go app from the Apple or Google Play stores.

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Breakfast	French Toast Sticks Cereal & string cheese Seasonal Fresh Fruit Fruit Juice & Milk	Managers Choice Cereal & string cheese Seasonal Fresh Fruit Fruit Juice & Milk	Blueberry Waffle Cereal & string cheese Seasonal Fresh Fruit Fruit Juice & Milk	Managers Choice Cereal & string cheese Seasonal Fresh Fruit Fruit Juice & Milk	Managers Choice Cereal & string cheese Seasonal Fresh Fruit Fruit Juice & Milk

First come first serve breakfast at: Agnew MS, Berry MS, Cannaday EL, Floyd EL, Gentry EL, Mackey EL, McDonald MS, McKenzie EL, New MS, Shaw EL, Smith EL, Varston MS, and Wilkinson MS, June 8 - June 23, 7:45 - 10:15, Mon - Thu. Also Mesquite Academy on June 14 - July 20 at 7:30-9:15 and West Mesquite HS June 20 - July 14 at 8:30-9:15.

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Lunch	Pizza Managers Choice Sweet Corn Seasonal Fresh Fruit & Milk	Nachos Managers Choice Refried Beans Cucumbers & Celery Seasonal Fresh Fruit & Milk	Spicy Chicken Sandwich Managers Choice Oven Roasted Potato Fries Romaine & Tomato Seasonal Fresh Fruit & Milk	Chicken Nuggets & Roll Managers Choice Mashed Potatoes Baked Beans Seasonal Fresh Fruit & Milk	Cheeseburger Managers Choice Romaine & Tomato Sweet Potato Fries Seasonal Fresh Fruit & Milk

First come first serve lunch at: Mesquite Academy on June 14 - July 20, at 11:00 - 1:00 and West Mesquite HS June 20 - Aug 4, 10:30 - 1:00, Mon - Thu. Also Horn & Poteet July 25 - Aug 4, 11:00 - 1:00, Mon - Thu.

SITES	BREAKFAST			LUNCH			ADDRESS
	Dates	Serving	Days	Dates	Serving	Days	
Florence EL				Jun 8/Jul 29	11-1:00	Mon-Fri	4621 Gleneagle St. Mesquite, TX 75150
Galloway EL	Jun 13/Jul 13	7:15-8:30	Mon-Fri	Jun 13/Jul 29	10:30-1	Mon-Fri	200 Clary Dr. Mesquite, TX 75149
Hodges EL				Jun 8/Jul 29	11-1:00	Mon-Fri	14401 Spring Oaks Dr. Balch Springs, TX 75180
Kimbrough MS	Jun 20/Jul 14	8:30-9:15	Mon-Thu	Jun 13/Jul 29	10:30-1	Mon-Thu	3900 North Galloway Ave. Mesquite, TX 75150
McWhorter EL				Jun 8/Jul 29	11-1:00	Mon-Fri	1700 Hickory Tree Rd. Mesquite, TX 75149
Mesquite HS	Jun 20/Jul 14	8:30-9:15	Mon-Thu	Jun 13/Aug 4	10:30-1	Mon-Thu	300 East Davis St. Mesquite, TX 75149
North HS	Jun 14/Jul 20	7:15-9:30	Mon-Thu	Jun 13/Aug 4	10:30-1	Mon-Thu	18201 LBJ Freeway Mesquite, TX 75150
Rutherford EL				Jun 8/Jul 15	11-1:00	Mon-Fri	1607 Sierra Dr. Mesquite, TX 75149
Seabourn EL	Jun 8/Jul 23	7:45-10:15	Mon-Thu	Jun 8/Jul 1	11-1:00	Mon-Thu	2300 Sandy Ln. Mesquite, TX 75149
Shands EL	Jun 8/Jul 23	7:45-10:15	Mon-Thu	Jun 8/Jul 1	11-1:00	Mon-Thu	4836 Shands Dr. Mesquite, TX 75150
Terry MS	Jun 20/Jul 14	8:30-9:15	Mon-Thu	Jun 13/Jul 29	10:30-1	Mon-Thu	2351 Edwards Church Rd. Mesquite, TX 75181
Tosch EL				Jun 8/Jul 29	11-1:00	Mon-Fri	2424 Larchmont Dr. Mesquite, TX 75150

*** Most sites will not serve meals on Fri., July 1. ALL sites are closed Mon., July 4 ***

Mesquite ISD is an Equal Opportunity Employer. The district does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability in its employment practices. This program is provided by the Texas Department of Agriculture throughout the state of Texas. For more information go to www.mesquiteisd.org/depts/food-service/ or call Mesquite ISD Food & Nutrition Services at 972-882-5500. For menus download MealViewer To Go app from the Apple or Google Play stores.

Parks and Recreation offers Camping 101

The Parks and Recreation Department will offer Camping 101 on Saturday, June 18, from 1 - 9 p.m. at Camp Rorie-Galloway, 3100 Lawson Road. Camping 101 is designed to teach families with basic camping skills. Campers will learn to pitch a tent, fish, build a campfire, geocache and more. All equipment is provided and dinner will be served. The fee is \$35 for a family of four, plus \$5 for each additional family member. Call 972-216-6260 for more information or to register.



Summer Camps Start June 6

City summer camps begin on Monday, June 6. There are eight camps available for children ages 6 years and older. Openings are still available and participants can sign-up on a weekly-basis. For a list of each camp's details, visit www.cityofmesquite.com/camps.



Real.Texas.Roads. Project

The surface reconstruction phase of the Real.Texas.Roads Project began as scheduled on June 1. The first streets in the surface reconstruction phase are sections of Barbara Street, Midway Street, Northridge Street and Andrew Street. Notices have been provided to affected residents that includes parking restrictions and contact information for the city inspector responsible for each street. The surface reconstruction phase is estimated to take 35 days for each street.

Freedom Park

On June 2, a pre-construction meeting was held between the City and its contractor for the Freedom Park project. During the next two weeks, various City departments will be working in the project area to prepare the site for the contractor. The anticipated start date of the contractor is June 15, and construction is slated to be completed late summer in time for the park to open on the 15th anniversary of September 11, 2001. The construction of Freedom Park will not impact any Mesquite Arts Center activities. For more information, visit www.cityofmesquite.com/freedompark.

Code Ambassador Graduation

Last night, 29 new Code Ambassadors graduated after completing four weeks of training. Code Ambassador inspections will begin tomorrow, Saturday, June 4. They will be inspecting their assigned areas for the most common violations including high grass and weeds, overhanging limbs and parking in the yard. Code Ambassadors are not allowed to work the areas in which they reside. The Code Ambassadors will work Saturdays and Sundays, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.



Storm damage update

This week's round of storms caused damage at both the Mesquite Golf Club and Palos Verdes Park. The Golf Club received almost four inches of rain in a two-hour period causing major flooding across the course. At Palos Verdes Park, the fishing pier and bench facilities were damaged due to high winds. Clean-up and repairs have already begun at both locations.

Contact your City

Let us hear from you. If you have a concern, have a question or are experiencing an issue, please contact the City at (972) 288-7711 or visit the City's website at www.cityofmesquite.com/questions.