



Your guide to summer fun with THPRD

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Summer 2013 Newsletter

The Big One hits Beaverton on July 27

Party in the Park, THPRD's largest community event of the year, is a festival of free fun for people of all ages. And it's coming Saturday, July 27, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Howard M. Terpenning Complex, 158th and Walker Road, Beaverton.

Among the featured activities returning this year are the Beaverton International Celebration, The Classic at T-Hills car show, and Beaverton Police K-9 Unit demonstration.

Other attractions include giant inflatables, climbing walls, arts and crafts, and face painting as well as swimming, sports, a tennis clinic, and music – all free.

The Family Triathlon, which enables family members to swim, bike and run together, has a small participant fee to defray costs. Exhibitors in The

Classic at T-Hills pay a modest exhibitor fee, but viewing the vintage cars, trucks and motorcycles is free.

THPRD's Rec Mobile and Nature Mobile will also be on hand, providing structured opportunities for kids to play and learn.

The Beaverton International Celebration will feature food, music, dance, art, crafts, traditional dress and ceremonies representing and honoring the many distinct cultural communities that make their home in this area.

This will mark the eighth consecutive

year THPRD has offered Party in the Park as a way to say thank you to the community. For an activities schedule or other information, visit www.thprd.org or call 503/645-6433.



Sunday Trailways



Join us for this free community-building event featuring fun and fitness along the Rock Creek Regional Trail.

Visit www.thprd.org for details.

We have something fun for everyone this summer



All roads lead to Big Truck Day at Conestoga

Big Truck Day gets bigger each year, and this year's edition is shaping up as the biggest yet.

Truck lovers will converge on Conestoga Recreation & Aquatic Center (9985 SW 125th Ave., Beaverton) on Saturday, Aug. 10, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. for this fun and free event featuring trucks and specialty vehicles of all shapes and sizes.

Climb aboard, honk the horns and admire the view from the driver's seat of these big rigs, including a SWAT Team truck, a Franz bread truck, fire trucks, monster trucks and more.

Kids can play video games in the game truck, win prizes, learn about truck safety, or hang out with visiting mascots. Lunch from Papa Murphy's will be available for purchase.

Call 503/629-6313 for more information.

Relax and enjoy the beauty of our parks, trails and natural areas – free!

Exploring the community's natural wonders is a great way to enjoy a relaxing summer day without spending a single dollar.

- **Parks:** We have 90 park sites with recreational amenities, including play equipment and picnic tables. Our website helps you search for one nearby.
- **Trails:** THPRD offers 60 miles of trails, most of them paved. The Fanno Creek Trail, stretching more than four miles, is an ideal place for an extended walk, jog or bike ride.
- **Natural areas:** Our territory includes about 1,400 acres of natural areas. Cooper Mountain Nature Park (Aloha) and the Tualatin Hills Nature Park

(Beaverton) are two of the region's jewels, each providing more than 200 acres of natural paradise.

Beat the heat with a dip in one of 8 district pools

Looking for a place to cool off in the summer heat? Visit one of THPRD's eight swimming pools, including outdoor pools at Raleigh Park and Somerset West Park.

Also, keep your eyes open for our Wipeout! inflatable slides, the Aviator (for kids 6 and under) and Aqua Challenge, which will be available at our swim centers on a rotating schedule throughout the summer (see page 4 of this newsletter).

And don't forget our splash pad at Conestoga Recreation & Aquatic Center, completed last year as part of an expansion funded by THPRD's 2008 voter-approved bond measure.



The 4,000-square-foot facility features above-ground toys as well as in-ground and wall nozzles that spray water in different patterns and directions. It's great fun for everyone.

'Picnic in the Park' set at four THPRD venues

The City of Beaverton's annual "Picnic in the Park" series will once again play out at four THPRD parks in the Beaverton area. Here's the schedule:

- July 8: Carolwood Park (east of 149th between Hart and Vulcan).
- July 12: Camille Park (access at west end of Marjorie or south end of 105th).
- July 15: Autumn Ridge Park (access off Autumn Ridge and Fall).

- July 17: Evelyn M. Schiffler Memorial Park (access off Bonnie Brae, Erickson or Berthold).

Each event runs 6-7:30 p.m. Our Rec Mobile and Nature Mobile will be there, and our staff will host an information table. Come see us!



Summer camps offer activities and fun for kids of all ages and interests

THPRD hosts hundreds of half and full-day summer camps, from general summer activity to in-depth study of specific disciplines, including dance, horseback riding, engineering, moviemaking, nature, sports, marine biology, cooking and many more.

You can locate THPRD's summer camp section on pages 19-59 of our 2013 summer activities guide (or online at www.thprd.org/activities) or call 503/645-6433 for more information.

Anglers can cast their lines at three nearby lakes

Recreational fishing is available year-round within Park District boundaries for anglers with a valid Oregon fishing license.

Three nearby lakes are stocked with trout annually by the Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife.

- Bethany Lake (north of Hwy 26 at 185th Ave. and NW West Union Rd.).
- Commonwealth Lake (south of Hwy 26 between Murray Blvd. and Cedar Hills Blvd.).
- Progress Lake (north of Barrows Rd., just west of Progress Ridge retail development).

Anglers are reminded to observe legal fishing requirements, including daily catch limits, and to follow park etiquette.

FREE! 2013 Concerts & Theater in the Park

Bring your lawn chairs or blankets and join your neighbors for free fun in the parks

All shows 6-8 pm



July 6 - Cloverdayle

Garden Home Park

8020 SW 83rd Ave., Portland

July 11 - Hit Machine

Center Street Park

SW Denfield St. & SW Mercer Terrace,
Beaverton

July 14 - Theater
"100 Years of Broadway"

Evelyn M. Schiffler

Memorial Park

Access off Bonnie Brae, Erickson, or
Berthold, Beaverton

July 18 - Hip Deep Blue Revue

Arnold Park

17770 SW Blanton St., Aloha

August 1 - Hapa

Greenway Park

SW Pearson Ct. & SW Parkview Loop, Beaverton

August 15 - Curtis Salgado
Opening act: Sarah Jackson Holman

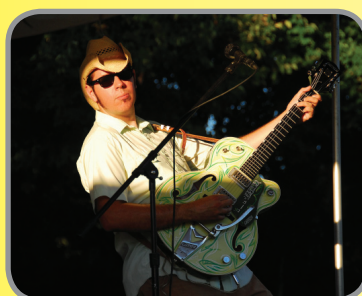
Raleigh Park

3500 SW 78th Ave., Portland

August 22 - Patrick Lamb Band

Cedar Mill Park

10385 NW Cornell Rd., Portland



Quarterflash
and
Stone In Love



at

Groovin' On The Grass

HMT Recreation Complex

15707 SW Walker Road, Beaverton

Saturday, August 10

6-8:30 p.m.

Food, beer and wine sales

For updates, maps, parking
and other information, go
to www.thprd.org

Rec Mobile & Nature Mobile
activities for children ages 5-12
5:30-7:30 p.m.
(all concerts except Aug. 10)

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Spring/Summer 2013 Calendar of Events

Most events are Free

For updated information on all
THPRD events, go to
www.thprd.org or call
503/645-6433

Date(s)	Event	Time(s)	Location(s)
Sat.-Sun., May 11-12	Barefoot Quilt Show/Artisan Craft Fair	11 a.m.- 4 p.m.	Jenkins Estate
Thurs.-Sat., May 16-18	OSAA HS State Tennis Championships	All day	Tualatin Hills Tennis Center
Sunday, May 12	Nature Day in the Parks	11 a.m.-3 p.m.	Evelyn M. Schiffler Memorial Park
Wednesday, May 29	National Senior Health & Fitness Day	All Day	Elsie Stuhr Center
Wednesday, June 5	Summer Camp Open House	6-7 p.m.	Conestoga Recreation & Aquatic Center
Friday, June 7	Wedding Anniversary Party	1:30-3:30 p.m.	Elsie Stuhr Center
Friday, June 21	Summer Wipeout Day	6:30-8:30 p.m.	Aloha Swim Center
Fri.-Sun., June 21-23	Pacific NW Water Polo Tournament	All Day	Tualatin Hills Aquatic Center
Saturday, June 22	Summer Wipeout Day	10:15-12:45 p.m.	Aloha Swim Center
Sunday, June 23	Summer Wipeout Day	2-3 p.m.	Aloha Swim Center
Saturday, June 29	Summer Wipeout Day	1:30-3:30, 4-6 p.m.	Tualatin Hills Aquatic Center
Sunday, June 30	Summer Wipeout Day	1:30-3:30, 4-6 p.m.	Tualatin Hills Aquatic Center
Wednesday, July 3	Stars & Stripes Lunch Celebration	11 a.m.-1 p.m.	Elsie Stuhr Center
Friday-Sunday, July 5-7	Summer Classic Swim Meet	All Day	Tualatin Hills Aquatic Center
Saturday, July 6	Summer Wipeout Day	3-4 p.m.	Beaverton Swim Center
Saturday, July 6	Concert in the Park	6-8 p.m.	Garden Home Park
Sunday, July 7	Summer Wipeout Day	2:45-4 p.m.	Beaverton Swim Center
Thursday, July 11	Concert in the Park	6-8 p.m.	Center Street Park
Thurs.-Sun., July 11-14	Nike Tennis Championships of Oregon	All day	Tualatin Hills Tennis Center
Mon.-Wed., July 17-19	Oregon Jr. Tennis Championships	All day	Tualatin Hills Tennis Center
Friday, July 12	Summer Wipeout Day	3-5 p.m.	Sunset Swim Center
Saturday, July 13	Junk in the Trunk	8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.	Conestoga Recreation & Aquatic Center
Saturday, July 13	Summer Wipeout Day	1-4 p.m.	Sunset Swim Center
Saturday, July 13	Fashion Swap Party (Specialized Rec)	2-4 p.m.	Elsie Stuhr Center
Sunday, July 14	Summer Wipeout Day	1-3 p.m.	Sunset Swim Center
Sunday, July 14	Theater in the Park	6-8 p.m.	Evelyn M. Schiffler Memorial Park
Thursday, July 18	Concert in the Park	6-8 p.m.	Arnold Park
Friday, July 19	Summer Picnic on the Patio	11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.	Elsie Stuhr Center
Friday, July 19	Summer Wipeout Day	2-4:55 p.m.	Harman Swim Center
Saturday, July 20	Summer Wipeout Day	1:30-3 p.m.	Harman Swim Center
Sunday, July 21	Summer Wipeout Day	1-2:55 p.m.	Harman Swim Center
Friday, July 26	Youth Tennis Day	All day	Tualatin Hills Tennis Center
Friday, July 26	Summer Wipeout Day	3-4:30 p.m.	Conestoga Recreation & Aquatic Center
Friday, July 26	Summer Wipeout Day	6:30-8:30 p.m.	Conestoga Recreation & Aquatic Center
Saturday, July 27	Party in the Park/Triathlon/Car Show	11 a.m.-5 p.m.	HMT Recreation Complex
Saturday, July 27	Summer Wipeout Day	1:15-4:15 p.m.	Conestoga Recreation & Aquatic Center
Sunday, July 28	Summer Wipeout Day	2-4:15 p.m.	Conestoga Recreation & Aquatic Center
Thursday, Aug. 1	Concert in the Park	6-8 p.m.	Greenway Park
Friday, Aug. 2	Summer Wipeout Day	2-4:55 p.m.	Harman Swim Center
Saturday, Aug. 3	Summer Wipeout Day	1:30-3 p.m.	Harman Swim Center
Sunday, Aug. 4	Summer Wipeout Day	1-2:55 p.m.	Harman Swim Center
Saturday, Aug. 10	Groovin' on the Grass Concert	6-8:30 p.m.	HMT Recreation Complex
Saturday, Aug. 10	Big Truck Day	10 a.m.-2 p.m.	Conestoga Recreation & Aquatic Center
Saturday, Aug. 10	Summer Wipeout Day	3-4 p.m.	Beaverton Swim Center
Sunday, Aug. 11	Summer Wipeout Day	2:45-4 p.m.	Beaverton Swim Center
Thursday, Aug. 15	Concert in the Park	6-8 p.m.	Raleigh Park
Saturday, Aug. 17	Summer Wipeout Day	4-6 p.m.	Tualatin Hills Aquatic Center
Saturday, Aug. 17	Summer Splash Meet	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Tualatin Hills Aquatic Center
Sunday, Aug. 18	Summer Wipeout Day	1:30-3:30 p.m., 4-6 p.m.	Tualatin Hills Aquatic Center
Thursday, Aug. 22	Concert in the Park	6-8 p.m.	Cedar Mill Park
Friday, Aug. 23	Summer Wipeout Day	3-5 p.m.	Sunset Swim Center
Friday, Aug. 23	Music on the Patio	Noon-2 p.m.	Elsie Stuhr Center
Saturday, Aug. 24	Summer Wipeout Day	1-4 p.m.	Sunset Swim Center
Sunday, Aug. 25	Summer Wipeout Day	1-3 p.m.	Sunset Swim Center
Saturday, Aug. 24	Bug Fest	11 a.m.-4 p.m.	Tualatin Hills Nature Park
Saturday, Aug. 31	Summer Wipeout Day	10:15-12:45 p.m.	Aloha Swim Center
Sunday, Sept. 1	Summer Wipeout Day	2-2:55	Aloha Swim Center
Monday, Sept. 2	Summer Wipeout Day	10:30-11:45 a.m.	Aloha Swim Center
Friday, Sept. 6	Harvest Bazaar	8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Elsie Stuhr Center
Saturday, Sept. 7	Harvest Bazaar	10 a.m.-3 p.m.	Elsie Stuhr Center
Saturday, Sept. 6	Group Fitness Launch	9-11 a.m.	Cedar Hills Recreation Center
Wednesday, Sept. 18	Newcomers Welcome	10-11 a.m.	Elsie Stuhr Center
Thur., Sept. 19	Harvest Bazaar Celebration Luncheon	11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.	Elsie Stuhr Center
Sunday, Sept. 22	Sunday Trailways	11 a.m.-3 p.m.	Rock Creek Regional Trail