

ATHLETICS DIVISION

SPRING FLING SKATEBOARD GET TOGETHER

All skateboarders let's do a get together sponsored by "JOKER SKATEBOARD SHOP." Jokers Skateboard Shop will serve hotdogs and give free toss prizes during the get together.

When: April 15, 2012.

Where: Hopewell Skateboard Park.

Fee: Free.

Time: 1:00pm – 4:00pm.



YOUTH BASEBALL/SOFTBALL REGISTRATION

The Hopewell Department of Recreation and Parks will be holding baseball and softball registration for youth ages 3 to 17 at the Hopewell Community Center. Proof of age plus parental signature is required. The following is a list of the leagues that are offered:

Blast ball (3-4).

Instructional T-ball League (5-6).

Boy's Coached Pitch League (7-8).

Girl's Knights of Columbus Coached Pitch League (7-8-9).

Boy's Pee-Wee Baseball (9-10).

Girl's Optimist Youth Softball (10-13).

Boy's Youth Baseball (11-12).

Boy's Recreation Baseball (13-15).

Girl's Optimist Junior Softball (14-17).

Boy's Travel Baseball (15-16).



Who: Hopewell Youth ages 3 to 17 as of April 30, 2012.

When: Now until April 22, 2012.

Where: Hopewell Community Center.

Time: Anytime the Hopewell Community Center is open.

Cost: \$20.00 Residents, \$30.00 Non Residents.

Extra Cost: 10.00 for baseball pants.

BOY'S COACHED PITCH LEAGUE

For Boys 7-8 years of age as of April 30, 2012. The draft will be done by coaches.

Players will be notified by their coach by May 12th.

Coaches Draft: Monday, May 7, 2012, 6:00 p.m. at HCC.

Practices Start: Monday, May 14, 2012.

Season Begins: Week of June 5, 2012.

Cost: \$20.00 Residents/ \$30.00 Non Residents.

Baseball pants: Fee is 10.00 as you will keep them after the season.

Games will be played at Mathis Park.



GIRL'S KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COACHED PITCH LEAGUE

For Girls 7-8-9 years of age as of April 30, 2012. The draft will be done by coaches.

Players will be notified by their coach by May 12th.

Coaches Draft: Wednesday, May 11, 2012, 6:00 p.m. at HCC.

Practices Start: Monday, May 14, 2012.

Season Begins: Week of June 5, 2012.

Cost: \$20.00 Residents, \$30.00 Non Residents.

Games will be played at Mathis Park.



5&6 INSTRUCTIONAL T-BALL LEAGUE

For Boys/Girls 5&6 years of age as of April 30, 2012. The draft will be done by coaches.

Players will be notified by their coach by May 31st.

Coaches Draft: Thursday, May 24, 2012, 6:00 p.m. at HCC.

Practices Start: Monday, June 4, 2012.

Season Begins: Week of June 20, 2012.

Cost: \$20.00 Residents/ \$30.00 Non Residents.

Baseball pants: Fee is 10.00 as you will keep them after the season.

Games will be played at Mathis Park.



OPTIMA FAMILY CARE BLAST BALL

The ideal entry level of play for youngsters who will go on to more advanced levels of baseball. Blast ball teaches the basics of t-ball and/or the fundamentals of hitting, running, and fielding while emphasizing teamwork and sportsmanship.

For Boys/Girls 3&4 years of age as of April 30, 2012.

Players will be notified by their coach by May 31st.

Coaches Meeting: Thursday, May 24, 2012, 5:00 p.m. at HCC.

Practices Start: Monday, June 4, 2012.

Season Begins: Week of June 20, 2012.

Cost: \$20.00 Residents, \$30.00 Non Residents – Shirt provided.

Games will be played at Atwater Complex.



Baseball/Softball Grand Opening Ceremony/Kids in the Park Day

The Hopewell Department of Recreation and Parks will be holding a Grand Opening to kick off the 2012 Youth Baseball/Softball Season on May 21, 2012 at Mathis Park. This will be a fun filled day with the introduction of players and coaches from Boy's Youth Baseball, Pee-Wee Baseball, and Girl's Optimist Youth Softball. We will also play several games that day and have a variety of activities for all. Come meet the players and coaches. The opening ceremony starts at 6:00pm, with Kids in the Park Day is from 5:30pm – 7:30pm.

AQUAFINA – PITCH HIT & RUN COMPETITION

Aquafina Pitch, Hit, and Run Competition are for Boys and Girls 7-14 years old. This competition is judged on pitching, hitting, and running. See who has the best baseball skills in Hopewell.

Who: Kids 7-14 years old.

When: May 10, 2012.

Where: Mathis #1.

Time: 6:00pm.

Register by: The day of the event.



YOUTH HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

Ring it up at Hopewell's Horseshoe Tournament. Open to any youth that wants to compete in a double elimination tournament to be held at Union Fort.

Who: Teenagers 13-18 years old.

When: June 11-15, 2012.

Where: Union Fort on Appomattox Street.

Time: 5:00pm each day.

Register by: Friday, June 1st at the Hopewell Community Center.

Cost: Free.



Hopewell Adult Tennis League

The City of Hopewell, Department of Recreation and Parks will offer an Adult Tennis League. Applications will be made available starting the first week of May 2012.

Organizational Meeting: Wednesday, May 2, 2012.

Who: Adult Tennis Players.

Where: HCC.

Time: 6:00pm.

Register By: Fri., May 18, at the HCC.

League Starts: June 4, 2012 and runs thru August 2012.

Cost: \$20.00.



HOPEWELL TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The City of Hopewell Department of Recreation and Parks will hold our annual tennis tournament. Awards will be plaques for the top two players in each category.

When: Mon. July 9 to Aug. 3, 2012 5:00pm each day.
Where: Hopewell Community Center and Riverside Park.
Cost: \$20.00 per person/per event.
Register by: Youth-July 3; Ladies-July 11; Men-July 25.



ADULT "WEDNESDAY" GOLF LEAGUE

9-holes match play. Each team consists of two players. Teams may be made up of more than two players (many teams have three or four players due to members that may travel for their job or take vacations and are not available to play every week), but only two players are allowed to comprise a team during any match. Each week a team competes against another team and plays for points. Participants will need to provide their own clubs and must be aware of proper golf course etiquette prior to playing.

Date: Wednesday, June 20, 2012 – Wednesday, August 8, 2012.

Time: 5:00pm.

Location: Jordan Point Golf Course.

Registration Deadline: Friday, June 15, 2012.

Fee: \$20.00 Registration Fee.

Fee to Play: \$11 Walking/\$19.00 Cart each time.

Number of Teams: Limited to 8 teams.



GOLF LESSONS

Jordan Point Golf Club Pro, Rick Bealert, will be the instructor. Each class will last one hour and is limited to 6 people per class and a minimum of 4 is needed to offer this class. Call 541-2356 for more Information.

Date: Monday, June 5, 2012.

Time: 6:30pm – 7:30pm.

Location: Jordan Point Golf Course.

Registration Deadline: May 25, 2012.

Fee: \$75.00 per person.

Number of Participates: Limited to 6 people.

Number of Classes: 4 to be held on June 5, 6, 7, and 8.



14TH ANNUAL CITY OF HOPEWELL/PAL'S/HOPEWELL RECEPTION FOUNDATION GOLF TOURNAMENT

Ready for relaxing, fun-filled day of golf with three of your best friends? Hopewell Department of Recreation and Parks along with Hopewell Recreation Foundation and Police Activity League (PAL'S) will be sponsoring a Captain's Choice Golf Tournament at Jordan Point Golf Club. Monies raised go back to support Youth Athletics.

When: 9:00am, Aug 3rd.

Where: Jordan Point..

Cost: \$260 per team, which includes green fee, cart, and lunch.

Register by: July 27, 2012.



STRICTLY SOCCER YOUTH SOCCER CLINIC

Chesterfield United FC wants to teach players ages 4 and up the basic way to play soccer by conducting a one-day mini-clinic sponsored by Strictly Soccer of Richmond.

When: Wednesday, Aug. 10, 2012.

Where: Atwater Soccer Complex.

Time: 5:30pm to 7:30pm.

Cost: Free.

Register by: The Day of the Clinic at the Atwater Soccer Complex.



YOUTH FOOTBALL CLINIC

Ricky Irby and his Hopewell High School Football Staff want to teach the fundamentals of football in a one-day training clinic for kids 8 to 18 years old.

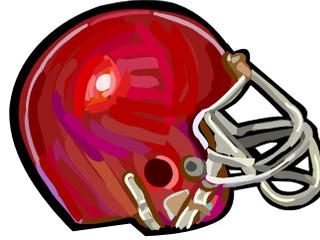
When: August 7, 2012.

Where: Hopewell High School Football Practice Field.

Time: 5:30pm to 7:30pm.

Cost: Free.

Register by: On the Days of the Clinic at HHS Football Practice Field.



FALL YOUTH SOCCER REGISTRATION

The Hopewell Department of Recreation and Parks will be holding registration for youth soccer for kids ages 4 to 15 as of Aug. 1, 2012 at the Hopewell Community Center. Proof of age plus parental signature is required. The following is a list of the leagues that are offered:

- U-6 Soccer League (4-5).
- U-9 Soccer League (6-7-8).
- U-13 Soccer League (9-12).
- U-16 Soccer League (13-15).

Registration Begins: Mon., July 9, 2012.

Who: Any Youth ages 4 to 15.

Where: HCC.

Time: Anytime the HCC building is open.

Registration Deadline: Fri., July 27, 2012 at the HCC.

Cost: \$35.00 Residents, \$40.00 Non Residents.



SIXTEENTH ANNUAL CITY POINT 5K RUN

Held the last Saturday in October, the 16th Annual Running of the City Point 5K River Run and Walk, a 5-kilometer; USA Track and Field certified race. The run, which will begin and end at John Randolph Foundation, is a flat out and back scenic run along the Appomattox River and passes several historic areas of City Point. Last year's running of the race was record breaking with over 1000 participants. Entry forms will be available August, 2012 at the Hopewell Community Center, 100 West City Point Road; Appomattox Regional Library, 245 East Cawson Street; and John Randolph Medical Center. For further information or to have a race application mailed or faxed to you, call 541-2304 or go to www.citypoint5K.com for more information.

When: Saturday, October 27, 2012.

Where: City of Hopewell.

Cost: \$20 per person.

Register by: Tuesday, October 19, 2012.



KIDS FUN RUN/FIT FOR LIFE CHALLENGE

Held the last Saturday in October, before the 16th Annual Running of the City Point 5K River Run and Walk, a 1 mile run and walk to start at 8:00am. See what school wins the Mayor's Cup based on which school has the most participants the day of the run. The run which will begin and end at John Randolph Foundation is one mile flat route. Entry forms will be available August, 2012 at the Hopewell Community Center, 100 West City Point Road; Appomattox Regional Library, 245 East Cawson Street, All Hopewell Elementary and Middle School PE Teachers; and John Randolph Medical Center. For further information or to have a race application mailed or faxed to you, call 541-2304 or go to www.citypoint5K.com for more information.

When: Saturday, October 27, 2012.

Where: City of Hopewell.

Cost: Free.

Register by: Tuesday, October 19, 2012.



MEN'S OPEN FALL SOFTBALL

Hopewell Recreation and Parks will once again be offering an Open Fall Softball League in 2012. Get ready its coming back. So don't put away those gloves and shoes too soon.

Organizational Meeting: Wednesday, August 1, at 6:00pm

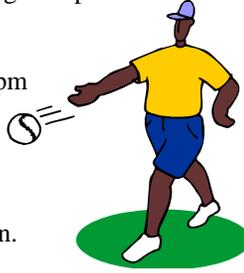
Who: Open to all area teams.

Where: HCC.

Register By: Fri., August 24 at the HCC.

League Games Start: Mon., September 10, 2012.

Game Nights: Mon., Tues., Wed., and Thurs. at Woodson.



WASHINGTON NATIONALS TICKETS

The Washington Nationals are hosting 7 Parks and Recreation Night throughout our 2012 season. Our first one will be during our Friday April 20th game against the Miami Marlins. We are asking all local Parks and Recreation departments, members, employees, families, and friends to attend all or one of the games throughout the season.

The Park and Recreation Nights throughout the season will be:

Friday May 19 vs. Orioles

Friday June 1 vs. Braves

Friday July 20 vs. Braves

Friday August 31 vs. Cardinals

Friday September 21 vs. Brewers

Monday October 1 vs. Phillies

If you have any questions, please contact, Rachel Ekanger at 202-640-7687 or at Rachel.ekanger@nationals.com.