



City of Takoma Park

City Manager Comments

Report of April 7, 2021

COVID-19 Related Information

All residents 16 years of age and older can now be vaccinated in Maryland!

Want that hug? Looking forward to traveling? Thinking about going to church or a Nats game? You should be vaccinated to protect yourself and others!

Refer to both the [Maryland Vaccine Website](#) and the [Montgomery County Vaccine Information](#) page to learn more and to pre-register. There are more mass vaccination sites opening up and there is an effort to also do other outreach to those who have more difficulty in getting to a mass vaccination site. If you are unsure what to do, call one of these phone numbers: State of Maryland: 1-855-MD-GOVAX, or Montgomery County: 240-777-2982.

COVID-19 testing in Takoma Park

No COVID-19 testing this Saturday in Takoma Park. For other testing options, please see the information here: [Montgomery County Testing Sites](#).

COVID-19 Dashboard

Each week, the City's COVID-19 Dashboard is updated. The most recent one is here: [COVID 19 Dashboard](#).

Recreation Department Updates

Thanks for the Eggstravaganza !

Thanks to nineteen businesses and the Recreation Department for the fun Eggstravaganza! that was held last Friday and Saturday. I heard some nice comments about it and appreciate that a bunch of empty plastic eggs have been returned to the collection box in the lower lobby of the Community Center so we can use them again next year!

Fitness Expo

This Saturday from 9 am to 1 pm is the Fitness Expo at the Recreation Center on New Hampshire Avenue. There will be short fitness demonstrations and many health and fitness affiliated vendors. Stop by to join the fun!

Before Care and Aftercare Programs

Recreation Department before and after school programs are now open for registration. Scholarships are available for City residents who normally qualify and also others who have

been impacted by the pandemic. There is limited space available due to COVID-19 restrictions. New this year is Before the Bell (a morning care program) at the Recreation Center. Part time and full time Recreation Department have just completed two full days of specialized COVID-19 safety training.

Summer Camp

The Summer Camp Guide is online. Registration will begin May 3 for scholarship awardees and May 7 for all other City residents.