

# Talk of the Town

A Publication of the Town of Farragut



Summer 2019

## It's parade time in Farragut!

The Town of Farragut will host the 32nd annual Independence Day Parade at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, July 4. The parade begins on Kingston Pike at Stadium Drive and continues to Boring Road, just east of Farragut Towne Square Shopping Center (former Ingles store site).

This year, our grand marshal is Dr. Tom Kim, founder and director of the Free Medi-

cal Clinic of America in South Knoxville.

Fleet Feet Sports Knoxville will host the fourth annual Farragut Freedom Run 1 Mile & 2 Mile prior to the start of the parade. This flat and fast course is USATF-certified and perfect for all levels. This year's race will benefit Smoky Mountain Service Dogs. Complete details and online registration are

available at [fleetfeetknoxville.com/races/farragut-freedom-run](http://fleetfeetknoxville.com/races/farragut-freedom-run).

For more information about the parade, please call Farragut's Parks and Recreation Department at 218-3375 or visit [VisitFarragut.org/events](http://VisitFarragut.org/events).

See bottom of this page and page 2 for road closure and parade participant information. We'll see you on the Fourth!



## Farragut's summer concerts



### Mark your calendar!

A full slate of outdoor summer concerts is heating up the live music scene in Farragut.

The Lawn Chair Concert Series is in its fifth year at Founders Park at Campbell Station. These free, family-friendly evenings feature kids' crafts and food trucks, as well as live music. Vendors open at 5 p.m. and music starts at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 20, and Saturday,

Aug. 17. For more information, visit [facebook.com/lawnchairconcertseries](http://facebook.com/lawnchairconcertseries).

The Sounds of Summer concert series continues this year in the grassy area adjacent to Belk Men's and Home store in Turkey Creek (11403 Parkside Drive). These free concerts, hosted by Pinnacle at Turkey Creek, feature food trucks, kids' activities, libations and more! All proceeds

benefit the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Tennessee Valley. Shows are at 8 p.m. on Friday, July 19, and Friday, Aug. 16. For more info, visit [facebook.com/PinnacleAtTurkeyCreek](http://facebook.com/PinnacleAtTurkeyCreek).

Musicfest at West End, hosted by the Town of Farragut and

Shop Farragut on Friday, July 12, and Saturday, July 13, replaces Red White & Blues Jam. West End Center merchants and local vendors move outside to showcase their products and services while crowds enjoy over two dozen musical art-

ists. Country music performers begin at 6 p.m. on Friday, and blues performances begin at 3 p.m. on Saturday. Food and beverages will be available for purchase during the show. Find more information at [farragut-business.com](http://farragut-business.com).

## From the Desk of the Mayor...

I think you'll all agree with me that summer is good in Farragut. Whether you relax by the pool, on the lake or in your favorite lawn chair, these are days best spent outside.

A favorite Farragut park is another great place to unwind in warm weather. Providing outdoor recreational and leisure amenities has always been a priority for the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and we have three park projects currently in the works.

The board has approved a major expansion at McFee Park that will include a great lawn, four lighted tennis/pickleball courts, a basketball court, a walking trail, new restrooms and a large pavilion. This will be a major update for what is already a well-used park. The project is currently in the design stage and construction should begin in early 2020 with completion in early 2021.

Upcoming renovations at Anchor Park will include a reconstructed and expanded restroom and a covered picnic area. A new entrance plaza, ADA access to the diamond and recreational fields (spectator and player areas) and new landscaping, benches and signage are also part of the project. Construction is expected to begin this summer.

Now that exterior restoration of the Campbell Station Inn is complete, plans are underway for construction of a beautiful, park-like area around the historic building. The design includes two new entrance drives, a parking area and restroom building, as well as open lawns with landscaping and interpretive signage. Once this project is completed, we think it will be a community gathering place and a source of pride for Farragut. Construction should begin in late summer or early fall.

In addition to parks and greenways, the Town offers fun summer classes and events that are guaranteed to make the season fly by. Be sure to read through the Talk of the Town to see which summer activities your family will enjoy.

*Mayor Ron Williams*



## Town of Farragut recognized at East Tennessee Historical Society annual awards banquet

The Town of Farragut, the Farragut Museum and Julia Barham, the Town's historic resources coordinator, received awards at the East Tennessee Historical Society annual awards banquet on May 14.

The Town and the Farragut Museum received the Award of Distinction for the film "A History of Concord and Farragut." The Farragut Museum committee commissioned filmmaker Keith McDaniel to create the documentary. Barham received the Community History Award in recognition of excellence in community leadership, specifically in promoting the preservation of local history. She has coordinated the Museum for 11 years.

The Museum also accepted the Dot Kelley Preservation Grant from the Knoxville Civil



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## Parade to Close Kingston Pike on July 4

Due to the Independence Day Parade and Freedom Run, Kingston Pike will be closed from 8:30 a.m. to approximately noon on Thursday, July 4, from Concord Road to Boring Road. South Campbell Station Road from Kingston Pike to Brooklawn Boulevard and Municipal Center Drive will be closed from 8:30 to 9:15 a.m.

Detours are: north side - Campbell Station Road to Grigsby Chapel Road to Smith Road to Kingston Pike (going west) or Campbell Station Road to Parkside Drive to Lovell Road (going east) and south side - Concord Road to Turkey Creek Road to Virtue Road to Kingston Pike.

## WHO TO CALL

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 David Smoak, Town Administrator.....966-7057 (dsmoak@townoffarragut.org)

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Alcohol License/Permits ..... Allison Myers (amyers@townoffarragut.org)  
 Finances ..... Pam Hall (phall@townoffarragut.org)  
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 Athletic Leagues..... Lauren Cox (AthleticFieldReservations@townoffarragut.org)  
 .....218-3372  
 Athletic Field Rentals..... Bryson Keith (AthleticFieldReservations@townoffarragut.org)  
 .....218-3376  
 Citizen Requests..... Jennifer Hatmaker (jhatmaker@townoffarragut.org)  
 Rentals: Pavilions and....Arleen Higginbotham (PicnicReservations@townoffarragut.org)  
 Community Room .....218-3375  
 Engineering..... Darryl Smith (dsmith@townoffarragut.org)  
 Event Permits .....Connor Vermilyea (cvermilyea@townoffarragut.org)  
 Landscaping .....Mark Shipley (mshipley@townoffarragut.org)  
 Sign Permits .....Connor Vermilyea (cvermilyea@townoffarragut.org)  
 Museum .....Julia Barham (Museum@townoffarragut.org) 218-3377  
 Parks & Recreation.....Sue Stuhl (sstuhl@townoffarragut.org) 218-3374  
 Personnel .....Janet Curry (jcurry@townoffarragut.org)  
 Insurance  
 Planning Requirements .....Mark Shipley (mshipley@townoffarragut.org)  
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 Public Relations.....Wendy Smith (Media@townoffarragut.org) 218-3371  
 Traffic Enforcement Program..... Jennifer Duggan Davis (jdavis@townoffarragut.org)  
 Stormwater Quality..... Lori Saal (lsaal@townoffarragut.org)  
 Special Events, Programs .....Brittany Spencer (ParksandRecInfo@townoffarragut.org)  
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 Tourism .....Karen Tindal (media@townoffarragut.org) 218-3373

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 Farragut Court..... Jennifer Hatmaker (jhatmaker@townoffarragut.org)  
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**Parks & Recreation**

General Parks & Rec information on programming and events:  
 ..... ParksandRecIn-fo@townoffarragut.org  
 Athletic field reservations: .....AthleticFieldReservations@townoffarragut.org  
 Pavilion and community room rentals: ..... PicnicReservations@townoffarragut.org  
 Farragut Museum information: ..... Museum@townoffarragut.org  
 Media and tourism inquiries:..... Media@townoffarragut.org

**Public Works ..... Phone 218-7750**

Athletic Field Infoline.....966-2420  
 Softball League Infoline.....777-2732  
 Volleyball League Infoline.....777-2869  
 Facility Rentals (Pavilions and Community Room) .....218-3375

**Farragut Town Hall**

Hours: Monday - Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.  
 11408 Municipal Center Drive, Farragut, TN 37934  
 General email: ..... towninfo@townoffarragut.org  
 Website: ..... townoffarragut.org  
 Town of Farragut TV:..... Charter channel 193 and TDS channel 3  
 Facebook (General): ..... Town of Farragut  
 Facebook (Stormwater): .....Farragut Stormwater Matters  
 Twitter (General Information): .....townoffarragut  
 Twitter (Athletics/Field Information): .....ToFFieldUpdate  
 Twitter (Softball League): .....ToFSoftball  
 Twitter (Volleyball League): .....ToFVolleyball  
 Instagram:.....townoffarragut  
 YouTube: ..... Town of Farragut



## New businesses

The Town of Farragut welcomes these new businesses to our community. We encourage our citizens to “Shop Farragut” and consider supporting local merchants.

**Forno Grill**, 218-8300, fornogrillknoxville@gmail.com

743 N. Campbell Station Road

Offering homemade lasagna, ravioli, eggplant parmesan and hand-tossed pizzas made with fresh dough. Catering is also available.

**Lace & Glam Bridals**, 712-4954, laceandglambridals.com

145 West End Avenue

Finding your dream dress is the essence of being a bride and we want to help you find a gorgeous, quality gown at an affordable price. When you schedule your bridal consultation, you are making a personal appointment that is all about you, dedicated to helping you find the perfect gown. We also carry mother-of-the-bride and mother-of-the-groom dresses, shoes and other wedding related accessories. Call to schedule an appointment today!

## Learn more about the Town through the Introduction to Farragut program

Applications are currently being accepted for the 2019 Introduction to Farragut program. This unique series of classes connects participants with the Town by providing information on its history, government structure and operations, public safety, education and volunteer opportunities.

The program begins with a reception and program kickoff at Farragut Town Hall at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 21. Class dates are the following Wednesdays: Sept. 4 and 18, Oct. 2, 16 and 30. Classes begin at 6 p.m. at Town Hall and last approximately two hours depending on class participation. After completing the requirements, all participants are invited to attend a graduation ceremony at 6 p.m. on Nov. 6.

In addition to these dates, the class will have the opportunity to tour Farragut with Town Administrator David Smoak from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 27.

Program requirements include attending the Aug. 21 reception, at least four of the five classes, one Board of Mayor and Aldermen meeting (second and fourth Thursdays of each month), one Municipal Planning Commission meeting (third Thursday of each month) and participating in a class project by completing volunteer hours with a nonprofit of the Town's choosing. Farragut residency is not a requirement.

Up to 20 participants will be selected; accepted applicants will be notified within 10 days of the application deadline, which is 4 p.m. Friday, August 2. Register at townoffarragut.org/introto-farragut, in person at Town Hall or by email to Jennifer Hatmaker at jhatmaker@townoffarragut.org. Farragut Town Hall is located at 11408 Municipal Center Drive across from the Farragut Branch Post Office. For general application information, email Jennifer or call 966-7057.

## Town approves new fee schedule

Every year, each Town of Farragut department compares its fees to similar municipalities and recommends any changes to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. The board voted to approve a new fee schedule in June, with the most

significant change being that a fee will now be charged to Farragut nonresidents for notary services.

To see the updated fee schedule, please visit townoffarragut.org/feeschedule.

## Independence Day Parade participant information

• Parade participants should arrive at the parking lot of Farragut High School no later than 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, July 4. Access to the high school is available from Campbell Station Road and West End Blvd.

• Only parade vehicles will be allowed to enter the parade line-up area. Older children and adults may be dropped off on the circle surrounding the line-up area, but no vehicles will be permitted to be left unattended in this area. Those participating in the parade or those with small children will need to park in the east parking area. Parade line-up numbers will be available on the Town's website at townoffarragut.org/parade and posted on the Farragut Town Hall front door by 8 a.m. on Monday, July 1. Line-up numbers will not be available by phone.

• Antique car participants: Please plan on arriving at the high school before 8 a.m. in order to avoid the long lines and overheating your car. There is no special entrance or accommodation for antique cars so please allow for an early arrival.

• Large floats: Large floats may be taken to the line-up area at Farragut High School anytime after 5 p.m. on Wednesday, July 3. A guard will be on duty from 5 p.m. until the parade on July 4.

• Giveaways: No candy or giveaways may be thrown from floats or cars. Walkers may distribute these and other free items along the side of the road during the parade. Children younger than 9 must ride (not walk) during the parade.

• All parade participants must be picked up at the Farragut Towne Square parking lot (former Ingles shopping center).



## Historical

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War Roundtable during the awards banquet. The grant will be used to purchase and install interpretive signage on the grounds of the Campbell Station Inn.

The East Tennessee Historical So-

ciety's Awards of Excellence program recognizes individuals and organizations for significant contributions to the preservation, promotion and interpretation of the region's history. Nominations come from organizations and individuals throughout East Tennessee.

# SUMMER EVENTS

• Class and special event registrations may be made at [townoffarragut.org/register](http://townoffarragut.org/register), in person at Town Hall or by phone (218-3375).

• Payment is due at the time of registration. Credit card payments (Visa, Mastercard and Discover) – whether online, in person or by phone – will incur a transaction fee. Cash and check payments are also accepted.

• The Town of Farragut is not responsible for costs associated with the purchase of supplies when a class is canceled.

• All events are held at Farragut Town Hall and all league sports are held at Mayor Bob Leonard Park unless otherwise noted.

• Some events may be canceled or postponed in case of inclement weather. Please visit Facebook (Town of Farragut), Twitter ([townoffarragut](http://townoffarragut)), or call the Athletic Field Infoline at 966-2420.

• **No refunds are given for programs and classes.**

## FITNESS

### Knoxville Youth Athletics Elementary Summer Cross Country Program

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, July 8-July 26, 7:30-9 a.m. at Founders Park at Campbell Station parking lot. Cost: \$60 (grades 3-5). The Elementary Summer Cross Country Program will offer kids in grades 3-5 the opportunity to lay a solid foundation of summer training for the upcoming fall cross country season. Co-sponsored by the Town of Farragut. Visit [knoxvilleyouthathletics.org](http://knoxvilleyouthathletics.org) or call 643-2840 for more information and to register.

## EDUCATION

### Making Medicare Easier

Monday, July 15, 6-7 p.m. Cost: Free. Registration deadline: Friday, July 12.

Instructor: Bruce Landis of Providence Advisors Group. Learn about enrollment periods, overview of parts A, B, C and D and supplements.

### Essential Oils: Succulent Garden Make & Take

Wednesday, July 17, 6-7:30 p.m. Cost: free. (Cosponsored by Town of Farragut and Meadow View Garden Center.) Registration deadline: Monday, July 15. Instructor: Kristi Hulsey of Tennessee Thyme. Create a fun, modern dish garden. Includes instruction, design assistance, one container, three succulents, gravel and essential oils. Add your favorite scent to diffuse within your home.

### National Moth Week with Ijams Nature Center (ages 8 and up)

Saturday, July 20, 9-11:30 p.m.

Cost: \$5 for individuals, \$10 for families (up to two adults and four children under 18 years of age). Registration deadline: 5 p.m. Thursday, July 18. Instructor: Nick Stahlman from Ijams Nature Center. Meet at the lower parking lot/restroom at McFee Park. Moths are among the most diverse insects and are truly beautiful. This is a nighttime event where we will attract, collect and attempt to identify moths for a nationwide citizen science effort. To register, visit [Ijams.org](http://Ijams.org) or call (865) 577-4717 ext. 127.

### TWRA Boating Safety Education

Saturday, July 20, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. – one-day class

Monday & Tuesday, Aug. 5-6, 6-9 p.m. – two-day class

Saturday, Aug. 10, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. – one-day class

Saturday, Aug. 24, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. – one-day class

Preregistration required at [tn.gov/twra](http://tn.gov/twra). Each session limited to 50 people. Any Tennessee resident born after Jan. 1, 1989, must show the TWRA-issued wallet Boating Safety Education Certificate as proof of successful completion of the TWRA Boating Safety exam. No other certificate will be accepted as meeting the requirements of the law. Please bring Type 600 boating safety exam permit and a writing utensil to class. The permit is available from any business (license agent) that sells hunting and fishing licenses (Walmart, sporting goods stores, bait stores, marinas, etc.). For more information, visit [tn.gov/twra](http://tn.gov/twra).

### Lunch & Learn: Can We Talk? End of Life Issues Conversation

Monday, July 22, 12:30-2 p.m. Cost: Free. Registration deadline: Friday, July 19. Maureen Willis of Choices in Senior Care will discuss important end-of-life questions to examine and consider. A light lunch will be provided to those who preregister.

### Make & Take: Picnic Basket

Saturday, Aug. 3, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Cost: \$50. Registration deadline: Monday, July 29. Instructor: Sheri Burns with the Appalachian Arts and Crafts Center and Pellissippi State Community College. Participants make a basket perfect for picnics with colored reed and coordinating handles. Appropriate for all skill levels. All tools and supplies provided by the instructor.

### Summer Insect Safari with Ijams Nature Center (ages 3 and up)

Saturday, Aug. 17, 10-11:30 a.m. Cost: \$5 for individuals, \$10 for families (up to two

adults and four children under 18 years of age). Registration deadline: 5 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 15. Instructor: Nick Stahlman from Ijams Nature Center. Meet at the Saratoga Pavilion at Anchor Park. Fun for the whole family! This program will take you all over the park in search of everything the insect world has to offer. You never know what you will find. To register, visit [Ijams.org](http://Ijams.org) or call (865) 577-4717 ext. 127.

### Intro to Farragut

Learn more about Farragut's history, government structure and operations, public safety, education and volunteer opportunities in this unique series of classes. Program kickoff is 6 p.m. at Farragut Town Hall on Wednesday, Aug. 21, and classes are at 6 p.m. on the following Wednesdays: Sept. 4 and 18, Oct. 2, 16 and 30. See article on page 2 for more information.

### Essential Oils: Back to School Health

Wednesday, Aug. 21, 6-7:30 p.m. Cost: free. Registration deadline: Monday, Aug. 19. Instructor: Kristi Hulsey of Tennessee Thyme. It's that time of year: the kids are heading back to school and will bring home all kinds of new germs and challenges. Learn about Kristi's top five back to school essential oils to help you navigate the upcoming school year.

### Making Social Security Easier

Monday, Aug. 26, 6-7 p.m. Cost: free. Registration deadline: Friday, Aug. 23. Instructor: Garrett Crawford of Providence Advisors Group. Learn the basics of social security so you can make informed decisions about when to file.

### AARP Smart Driving Program

Friday, Sept. 13, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Cost: \$15 for AARP members; \$20 for non-AARP members. Bring cash or check to the class. Registration deadline: Monday, Sept. 9. Participants must bring their AARP membership card or their membership number to the class to receive the \$5 discount. Membership numbers can be obtained by calling 1-888-687-2277. Participants must be 55 years of age or older and complete eight hours of class time to be eligible for a discount (up to 10 percent) on their auto insurance. The program, taught by trained AARP volunteers, is designed to cover such topics as age-related physical changes and declining perceptual skills and serve as a refresher course for the rules of the road, local driving problems and license renewal requirements. Coffee and snacks are provided. Participants should bring a lunch.

### Essential Oils: Balancing Healthy Emotions

Wednesday, Sept. 18, 6-7:30 p.m. Cost: free. Registration deadline: Monday, Sept. 16. Instructor: Kristi Hulsey of Tennessee Thyme. We will have a light and fun discussion about emotions and some simple tools you can use to process them in real time. Also, learn some solid tools to make feeling and sharing emotions a little less scary.

### Stop the Bleed Training and Certification

Thursday, Sept. 19, 6-7:30 p.m. in the community room. Cost: Free. Registration deadline: Monday, Sept. 16. The American College of Surgeons Committee on Trauma is leading the effort to save lives by teaching the civilian population to provide vital initial response to stop uncontrolled bleeding in emergency situations. This will be accomplished by the development of a comprehensive and sustainable bleeding control education and information program targeted to civilians that will inform, educate and empower the citizens of the United States.

### Fun Farragut Fungi with Ijams Nature Center (ages 10 and up)

Saturday, Sept. 21, 10-11:30 a.m. Cost: \$5 for individuals, \$10 for families (up to two adults and four children under 18 years of age). Registration deadline: 5 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 19. Instructor: Nick Stahlman from Ijams Nature Center. Meet at the Burnside Pavilion at Founders Park at Campbell Station. Toadstools, Dryad's Saddles, Fairy Helmets, oh my! This program will introduce you to the fascinating world of fungi and lichens. This hike may go off-trail: wear appropriate footwear. To register, visit [Ijams.org](http://Ijams.org) or call (865) 577-4717 ext. 127.

### Making Medicare Easier

Monday, Sept. 23, 6-7 p.m. Cost: Free. Registration deadline: Friday, Sept. 20.

Instructor: Bruce Landis of Providence Advisors Group. Learn about enrollment periods, overview of parts A, B, C and D and supplements.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### Farragut Freedom Run 1 Mile & 2 Mile and 32nd Annual Independence Day Parade

Thursday, July 4. One- and two-mile race starts at 9 a.m. near Farragut Town Hall. Parade starts at 9:30 a.m. See article on Page 1 for more information.

### MusicFest at West End

Friday, July 12, from 6-10 p.m.

and Saturday, July 13, from 3-10 p.m. at the West End Shopping Center. Hosted by Shop Farragut. Cost: free. See article on page 1 for more information.

### Knoxville Moms Blog 6th Annual Beat the Heat

Sunday, July 14. McFee Park and splash pad, 3:30-5:30 p.m. Join Knoxville Moms Blog for an afternoon of fun: snacks, drinks, treats, music, and information from local businesses. Tickets available until sold out at [knoxville.citymomsblog.com](http://knoxville.citymomsblog.com).

### Sounds of Summer Concert Series

Friday, July 19 and Friday, Aug. 16, 8-10 p.m. Free concerts in the grassy area adjacent to Belk Men's and Home store in Turkey Creek. See article on page 1 for more information.

### The Lawn Chair Concert Series (MamaJam Productions)

Saturday, July 20 and Saturday, Aug. 17, 5:30 p.m. at Founders Park at Campbell Station. See article on page 1 for more information.

### Dog Daze 3

Aug. 16-18 at Village Green Shopping Center. A free "pooch plunge" for local dogs is 4-7 p.m. on Friday, and the regional DockDogs competition is Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to approximately 6 p.m. The event features a beer garden, food and vendor booths.

### 18th Annual Fun with Farragut's Fleet

Saturday, Aug. 17, 9-11 a.m. at Mayor Bob Leonard Park. Cost: free. See article below for more information.

### 28th Annual Free Day of Putt-Putt

Monday, Sept. 16, noon-9 p.m. Enjoy a day of free mini golf at Putt-Putt Golf & Games of Farragut, located in the West End Center. First come, first serve: last rounds to start at 8:15 p.m. Sponsored by the Town of Farragut and Putt Putt Golf & Games.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Freaky Friday Fright Nite in Farragut

Friday, Oct. 25, 5-7 p.m. at Mayor Bob Leonard Park. One of Farragut's most popular events! Kids 12 and under are invited to "trick or treat" at the park.



## Fun with Farragut's Fleet at Mayor Bob Leonard Park

The 18th Annual Fun with Farragut's Fleet is 9-11 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 17, at Mayor Bob Leonard Park, 301 Watt Road. As always, this is a free event sponsored by the Town of Farragut.

Fun with the Fleet is a way for kids to get up close and personal with big equipment used by the Town and other safety officials and companies. The First Utility Hydration Station will provide plenty of water and Knoxville Moms Blog will provide snacks. Children's I.D. kits will be provided by HIS Security. For more information, contact Special Event and Program Coordinator Brittany Spencer at 966-7057 or [bspencer@townoffarragut.org](mailto:bspencer@townoffarragut.org).



# SUMMER CALENDAR

Descriptions for events in **bolded blue ink** can be found on page three. All meetings and events are held at Farragut Town Hall, 11408 Municipal Center Drive, unless otherwise noted. All athletics are held at Mayor Bob Leonard Park, located on Watt Road. For information about agenda items for board, commission and committee meetings, please call 966-7057, watch Town of Farragut TV (Charter channel 193 and TDS channel 3) or visit the Town's website at [townoffarragut.org](http://townoffarragut.org).

*It is the policy of the Town of Farragut not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, sex or disability pursuant to Title VI of the civil Rights Act of 1964, Public Law 93-112 and 101-336 in its hiring, employment practices and programs. To request accommodations due to disabilities, please call 865-966-7057 in advance of the meeting.*

## JULY

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| 2 Staff/Developers. 9 a.m.  | 9 Sand Volleyball.   | 15 <b>Making Medicare Easier.</b> 6 p.m. Sand Volleyball.   | 19 <b>Sounds of Summer Concert Series at Men's Belk.</b> 8 p.m.  | 22 Sand Volleyball.                                     |
| 4 Town Hall Closed – Independence Day. <b>Freedom Run.</b> 9 a.m. <b>32nd Annual Independence Day Parade.</b> 9:30 a.m.   | 11 Stormwater Advisory Committee. 3:30 p.m. Board of Mayor and Aldermen. 7 p.m. Sand Volleyball. | 16 Tourism/Visitor Advisory Committee. 8 a.m. Sand Volleyball.                                      | 20 <b>National Moth Week with Ijams Nature Center (ages 8 and up).</b> 9-11:30 p.m. <b>TWRA Boater Education.</b> 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. <b>Lawn Chair Concert Series at Founders Park at Campbell Station.</b> 5:30 p.m. | 23 Visual Resources Review Board. 7 p.m.                |
| 8 <b>Knoxville Youth Athletics Elementary Summer Cross Country Program begins.</b> 7:30-9 a.m. Municipal and Traffic Enforcement Court. 6 p.m. Sand Volleyball. | 12 <b>MusicFest at West End.</b> 6 p.m.  | 17 <b>Essential Oils: Succulent Garden Make &amp; Take.</b> 6 p.m.                                  | 21 <b>Lunch and Learn: Can We Talk? End of Life Issues Conversation.</b> 12:30 p.m.  | 25 Board of Mayor and Aldermen. 7 p.m.                  |
|   | 13 <b>MusicFest at West End.</b> 3 p.m.  | 18 2019 Fall/Winter Field Use Contracts Due. Municipal Planning Commission. 7 p.m. Sand Volleyball. |  | 27 Field Use Opens to Pre-Paid Groups. Sand Volleyball. |
|   | 14 <b>Knoxville Moms Blog 6th Annual Beat the Heat.</b> 3:30-5:30 p.m.                           |   |  | 29 Staff/Developers. 9 a.m. Sand Volleyball.            |

## AUGUST

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| 1 Sand Volleyball.   | 8 Stormwater Advisory Committee. 3:30 p.m. Board of Mayor and Aldermen. 7 p.m. Sand Volleyball.                 | 6:30 p.m. Tourism/Visitor Advisory Committee. 6:30 p.m. Sand Volleyball.   | 10-11:30 a.m. <b>Dog Daze 3.</b> 10 a.m. <b>Lawn Chair Concert Series at Founders Park at Campbell Station.</b> 5:30 p.m. | 22 Board of Mayor and Aldermen. 7 p.m. Sand Volleyball.                            |
| 3 <b>Make &amp; Take: Picnic Basket.</b> 9 a.m.-1 p.m.   | 10 <b>TWRA Boater Education.</b> 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.  | 15 Municipal Planning Commission. 7 p.m. Sand Volleyball.  | 18 <b>Dog Daze 3.</b> 10 a.m.   | 24 <b>TWRA Boater Education.</b> 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.                                 |
| 6 Knox County Education Relations Committee. 4 p.m.  | 12 Municipal and Traffic Enforcement Court. 6 p.m. Men's Softball. Sand Volleyball.                             | 16 <b>Dog Daze 3.</b> 3-7 p.m. <b>Sounds of Summer Concert Series at Men's Belk.</b> 8 p.m.                                      | 19 Men's Softball. Sand Volleyball.   | 26 <b>Making Social Security Easier.</b> 6-7 p.m. Men's Softball. Sand Volleyball. |
| 5 Fall Fields Opening. <b>TWRA Boater Education.</b> 6-9 p.m. Men's Softball. Sand Volleyball. | 13 Arts & Beautification Committee. 6:30 p.m. Farragut Museum Committee. 6:30 p.m. Parks and Athletics Council. | 17 <b>18th Annual Fun with Farragut's Fleet.</b> 9-11 a.m. <b>Summer Insect Safari with Ijams Nature Center (ages 3 and up).</b> | 20 Sand Volleyball.   | 27 Farragut Museum Committee. 1:30 p.m. Visual Resources Review Board. 7 p.m.      |
| 6 <b>TWRA Boater Education.</b> 6-9 p.m. Sand Volleyball.                                      |   |  | 21 <b>Essential Oils: Back to School Health.</b> 6-7:30 p.m. <b>Introduction to Farragut.</b> 6 p.m.                      | 29 Sand Volleyball.  |
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## SEPTEMBER

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| 2 Town Hall Closed – Labor Day                                    | 10 Parks & Athletic Council. 6 p.m.   | 16 <b>28th Annual Free Putt-Putt.</b> 12 p.m.-9 p.m. Arts & Beautification Committee. 4 p.m. Men's Softball. | <b>Healthy Emotions.</b> 6-7:30 p.m.  | 23 <b>Making Medicare Easier.</b> 6-7 p.m. Men's Softball.                    |
| 3 Staff/Developers. 9 a.m.  | 12 Stormwater Advisory Committee. 3:30 p.m. Board of Mayor and Aldermen. 7 p.m. | 17 Tourism/Visitor Advisory Committee. 8 a.m.  | 19 <b>Stop the Bleed Training and Certification.</b> 6-7 p.m. Municipal Planning Commission. 7 p.m. | 24 Farragut Museum Committee. 1:30 p.m. Visual Resources Review Board. 7 p.m. |
| 4 <b>Introduction to Farragut.</b> 6 p.m.                         | 13 <b>AARP Smart Driving Program.</b> 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.                          | 18 <b>Introduction to Farragut.</b> 6 p.m. <b>Essential Oils: Balancing</b>                                  | 21 <b>Fun Farragut Fungi with Ijams Nature Center (ages 10 and up).</b> 10-11:30 a.m.               | 26 Board of Mayor and Aldermen. 7 p.m.  |
| 9 Municipal and Traffic Enforcement Court. 6 p.m. Men's Softball. |   |  |   |   |

## Town of Farragut fall men's softball league

This league plays by ASA rules at Mayor Bob Leonard Park in the evenings and is for participants 18 and older. The registration deadline is Thursday, July 25. Cost is \$325 per team. Payment must be received at the time of registration. Rosters must be complete and turned in by the first game of the season. League includes seven regular season games and a post-season single elimination tournament. Please review league rules prior to registering.

- Men's Recreational "D" League – Mondays beginning Aug. 6. No league play on Monday, Sept. 2.

For more information and to



register, please call Lauren Cox at 218-3372 or sign up online at [townoffarragut.org/register](http://townoffarragut.org/register).



## Adopt A Bench and Plant A Tree Programs honor loved ones

The Town's Adopt A Bench and Plant A Tree programs are wonderful ways to honor the people, pets and events that make Farragut a beautiful place to live.

The Adopt A Bench program allows community members to choose from a standard park bench for \$500, available for installation at Anchor Park, Mayor Bob Leonard Park or McFee Park, or a cast iron greenway bench for \$1,500, which can be placed along a Town greenway or sidewalk. Every effort will be made to install the bench in a

desired location, but some sites are better suited for new benches than others.

Each bench includes a memorial plaque and year-round maintenance. It takes two to three months to order and install benches.

The Plant A Tree program allows community members to remember or honor a loved one by having a tree planted at a Farragut park or along a greenway. Participation includes the purchase and planting of the tree, a plaque set in concrete and a warranty for the tree. Ev-

ery effort will be made to place the tree along the greenway or in the park of your choice; however, certain species are better suited for certain areas. Please note that the Plant A Tree program is not available for Founders Park at Campbell Station.

**The 2019 deadline to purchase a tree is Friday, August 30.** To complete a form for either program and pay online, visit [townoffarragut.org/register](http://townoffarragut.org/register). For more information, contact Lauren Cox at [lcx@townoffarragut.org](mailto:lcx@townoffarragut.org).

## Park Lost and Found

If you visited a Farragut Park and remembered to take home the kids, but forgot your chair, you'll be happy to know that the Parks & Recreation Department keeps a Lost and Found box at each of the Town's four parks. Items left are gathered up every day and stowed in locked storage. More valuable items, like electronics or keys, are stored in the Parks & Rec office at Farragut Town Hall.

To inquire about objects left at parks, contact the Parks & Rec department at 218-3376 during regular business hours. Please keep in mind that some items may have left the park in other hands before our parks assistants had the opportunity to collect them.

With the exception of valuable items, objects collected at parks will be donated after 14 days. Keep enjoying our beautiful parks, but before you leave, scan your surroundings to make sure you've collected all the things, and people, you brought with you.