

Harris County Precinct 4 Trails As Parks

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Trails As Parks is a mobile team that strives to connect people to nature by providing outdoor recreation, ecotourism, and environmental education throughout Harris County Precinct 4.

ACTIVITY	EVENT DETAILS	LOCATION, DATE, AND TIME
Birding Trip to High Island	Take a trip to the coast for a chance to spot some migratory birds at one of the best-known birding areas. Transportation is provided, but space is limited. There is an \$8 per person fee to enter the sanctuary. Ages 13+.	Dennis Johnston Park Thursday, Sept. 5 6 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Cart Tour of the Spring Creek Greenway Trail	Did you know Precinct 4 has a 17-mile paved trail that runs from U.S. 59 to I-45? Enjoy a brief guided tour of a small portion of the Spring Creek Greenway.	Dennis Johnston Park Friday, Sept. 6 8:30 a.m.
Pontoon Boat Tour	Join us for a pontoon boat tour down Spring Creek to take a closer look at local flora and fauna and learn about local cultural history. Ages 13+. Three different launch times during the day.	Jones Park Saturday, Sept. 7 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
First Shot Archery	Enjoy the sport of archery! This program is designed for the beginner archer to learn how to shoot a bow and arrow safely. All equipment provided. Ages 7+.	Spring Creek Park Tuesday, Sept. 10 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Stargazing	Join Trails As Parks staff and the North Houston Astronomy Club to take a closer look at the stars. Telescopes will be used to view various deep sky objects.	Pundt Park Wednesday, Sept. 11 7 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Bites for Birds	Learn to make a variety of high-protein foods for our feathered friends! Bring a resealable container to take your bites home. All ages welcome!	Dennis Johnston Park Thursday, Sept. 12 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Scat Attack	Join Trails As Parks to attack scat! Learn what some native wildlife eat and find out about their habits by examining scat.	Pundt Park Friday, Sept. 13 9 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

For additional activities and registration information, see reverse side.



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Paddle the Creek	Paddle a portion of Spring Creek for a closer look at local flora and fauna. Bring a refillable water bottle and a snack. This trip is for paddlers ages 16+. Each canoe must contain at least one paddler aged 18+. Meet at Dennis Johnston Park to be shuttled to the launch point.	Dennis Johnston Park Saturday, Sept. 14 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Aquatic Walk	Grab a net and discover the amazing aquatic life in fresh water! All equipment provided. Ages 7+.	Pundt Park Tuesday, Sept. 17 9 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Boats & Bobbers	Enjoy an afternoon of leisurely paddling and fishing on Marshall Lake. All equipment is provided, including canoes, paddles, fishing poles, bait, and personal flotation devices. Each child in a canoe must be accompanied by an adult.	Kickerillo- Mischer Preserve Wednesday, Sept. 18 3 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Birding in Anahuac	Take a trip to the coast for a chance to spot some migratory birds at one of the best-known birding areas. Transportation is provided, but space is limited. Please bring a sack lunch, water, a bird guide, and binoculars. Ages 13+.	Dennis Johnston Park Thursday, Sept. 19 6 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Ride with a Ranger	Take a leisurely guided bike ride down a portion of the Spring Creek Greenway Trail with a staff ranger to learn about unique features of the Greenway. Bring your own bike and helmet.	Dennis Johnston Park Thursday, Sept. 19 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Owl Pellet Dissection	Owls are the perfect nocturnal predator! Learn about what prey they eat by dissecting a pellet.	Pundt Park Wednesday, Sept. 25 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Boats & Bobbers	Enjoy an afternoon of leisurely paddling and fishing at the pond in Meyer Park. All equipment is provided, including canoes, paddles, fishing poles, bait, and personal flotation devices. Each child in a canoe must be accompanied by an adult.	Meyer Park Thursday, Sept. 26 4 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Bat Chat	Did you know that bats can eat up to 8,000 insects per night? Join us to view the nightly emergence of bats at the Watonga Bridge. Transportation is provided, but seating is limited. Meet at Dennis Johnston to be shuttled. Ages 7+.	Dennis Johnston Park Friday, Sept. 27 6 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

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To register for Trails As Parks programs, check calendar updates, or see additional events visit www.hcp4.net/tap. Some activities have age restrictions.