



Save The Date! 2024 Concord Christmas Parade!



**Join the Partnerships for Stronger Neighborhoods Program
Christmas Parade Float**

This year, the Christmas Parade will take place on **Saturday, November 23**, and the

Partnerships for Stronger Neighborhoods Program will once again participate with a festive float! As a member of this program, we invite you to join us on our Christmas float!

If you'd like to represent your neighborhood and ride on the float, please fill out the application below. Spots are limited and will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis, with restrictions on the number of participants from each neighborhood.

Don't miss this great opportunity—complete the application to reserve your spot today!
The deadline to respond is November 15 by 5 p.m.

[Reserve your spot here!](#)

Sign Up For The Fall Litter Sweep!



It's not too late to participate in the upcoming Fall Litter Sweep, September 14-28!

As a valued participant in our Partnerships for Stronger Neighborhoods program, we encourage you to rally your neighbors and register a group to participate. Groups can be as small as two people or as large as 25, so there's room for everyone to join in.

We will provide trash bags, vests, and gloves to ensure you have everything you need. **Not only will you help keep our community clean, but there are cash prizes for the neighborhoods that collect the most trash—\$250 for first place, \$150 for second, and \$100 for third.** To qualify for the prizes, your Litter Sweep must take place within the event dates, so be sure to [email me](#) back with the date your group plans to participate.

Let's work together to make our neighborhoods shine!

Upcoming Events!

Fall Safe Disposal Event

Fall 2024

SAFE DISPOSAL EVENT

Saturday, September 28 | 9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.
280 Concord Parkway N

Paper Shredding



Unused/Expired
Medication Disposal



Electronic Recycling



Mark your calendars for our **Fall Safe Disposal Event on September 28 from 9-11:00 a.m.** Residents can safely dispose of paper (shredding is limited to **5 trash bags** or banker boxes per person), electronic waste (televisions, computers, and other devices), and unused or expired medications.

Parks & Rec Bond Update Meeting

HARTSELL PARK



PARKS & REC BOND
CONCORD, NC

**BOND
UPDATE
MEETING**

September 26 from 6 - 7 p.m.

Hartsell Recreation Center - Multi-Purpose Room
60 Hartsell School Rd.

ACADEMY/GIBSON FIELDS



PARKS & REC BOND
CONCORD, NC

**BOND
UPDATE
MEETING**

October 1 from 6 - 7 p.m.

Academy Rec Center - Fitness Room
147 Academy Ave. NW

We're gearing up for more community bond meetings! Join our Parks and Recreation team to learn more about the Hartsell Park and Academy-Gibson Fields projects. We'll share more about the design of the projects, park closures, and the anticipated timelines.

[Learn More About Our Parks & Rec Bond Projects](#)



Friday Night Flicks!

Join us for a free outdoor movie, hosted by our Parks and Recreation Department!

Friday, October 11th, 7 p.m. at McGee, Jr. Park, 219 Corbin Avenue East join us in watching The Nightmare Before Christmas!

Don't forget to bring blankets and chairs to keep cozy while you enjoy the show. The movie will start at sundown, and food will be available for purchase. Please note that a parent or guardian must stay with children under 18 for the entire duration of the movie.

SING&PLAY

Join us for some fun and free musical playtime!
CT Sherrill Building @ Les Myers Park.
Pre-registration is required.

Ages 3-5.

12:30pm-1:00pm

Dates:

9/18

10/02

10/16

11/13

11/27

12/11



Concord
NORTH CAROLINA
Parks & Recreation

Sing & Play!

Join us for Sing & Play Fun, a free musical playtime designed for children ages 3-5! Held at the CT Sherrill Building in Les Myers Park, this interactive event is the perfect opportunity for your little ones to explore music through singing, dancing, and playing instruments. Pre-registration is required, and with several dates available from September through December, there's plenty of time to join the fun!

Click the link to register and secure your spot today!

[Register Here!](#)

**4th Annual
Concord International Festival!**

A vibrant poster for the Concord International Festival. At the top center is a circular logo with a stylized 'C' made of colorful lines and the text 'Concord International Festival'. Below the logo, the text 'PRESENTED BY:' is followed by two logos: 'Concord NORTH CAROLINA High Performance Living' and 'EL PUENTE HISPANO CONECTATE'. The poster features four performers: a woman in a purple and pink sari, a man in a red and white sari, a man in a blue and white sari, and a man in a blue and white sari. The central text reads 'Save the Date! October 5, 2024 12 - 6 PM • Downtown Concord'. At the bottom, it provides contact information: 'INFO: (980) 255-1434 • FESTIVAL@ELPUENTEHISPANONC.ORG' and the website 'CONCORDINTERNATIONALFESTIVAL.COM'.

Concord
International Festival

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• **CONCORDINTERNATIONALFESTIVAL.COM** •

Back for the fourth year, the Concord International Festival returns to Downtown Concord on **Saturday, October 5, 2024**, from **12-6 p.m.** Join us for a day of shopping, entertainment, food, and family fun featuring global flavors, music, dance, and a kids' zone.

Learn more about the festival below

[Click here!](#)

Monthly Tips



Tip of the Month: Stop Bagging Your Recyclables! If you've been placing your recyclables in plastic bags, it's time to stop. Plastic bags can jam the sorting machines, causing delays and equipment damage. Instead, make sure your recyclables are loose and free when placing them in your black bin.

Let's keep the recycling system running smoothly!

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