



SUNSET MOVIE SERIES

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CITY EVENTS

Music on the Square

SUMMER CONCERTS

Friday night Music on the Square concerts continue in August. The free outdoor concerts on the Courthouse lawn are 6:30-8:30 p.m. Note that there is no concert on First Friday.

Aug. 9: Showmen Bluegrass

Aug. 16: Mike Elliot-Sincerely Elvis Show

Aug. 23: Porch Turtles

Aug. 30: Dueling Pianos

Concerts are sponsored by the Georgetown Convention and Visitors Bureau and The Williamson Museum. To see the complete summer lineup, go to visitgeorgetown.com.

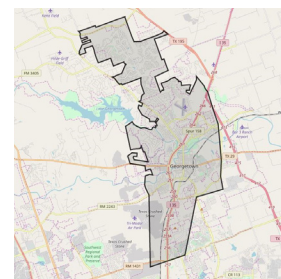


New utility outage maps available

The City has launched a new website to help Georgetown Utility Systems customers identify water and electric service outages.

The maps can be found at gus.georgetown.org/outages.

To report an outage, call **(512) 930-3640**.



Summer watering

During the summer months, outside water use can account for more than 70 percent of your entire water bill. Adjusting how much you water your lawn for the season can help lower your summer usage and avoid higher water bills. Residents are asked to follow the two-day watering schedule. Your wallet will thank you and your lawn won't mind.

Trying to keep your lawn green during the hottest summer months can lead to over-watering. Turf grass is able to go dormant during the hottest summer months.

Summer dormancy is a normal response to the stress of heat. Most turf grass plants can stay in a dormant state for some time without harm. By watering deeply

once every two or three weeks during this dormant state, you can ensure the turf grass remains healthy. Once you resume regular watering, it will green up again.

Find your watering schedule at water.georgetown.org.

Track water and energy use

You can track your water and energy use through the Georgetown Utility Analysis and Reporting Doorway, or GUARD. This is a great tool to gain an understanding of how much water and energy you use, and can be useful to help with conservation and reducing cost of utility bills.

Visit guard.georgetown.org to register.

CITY EVENTS

Pirate Party at the Recreation Center

AUG. 9

The City of Georgetown Parks and Recreation Department presents the annual Pirate Party on Friday, Aug. 9, from 5:30-8 p.m. at the Georgetown Recreation Center, 1003 N. Austin Ave.

This end-of-summer celebration is for children ages 2-8 years old. In addition to swimming in the outdoor pool, there will be a variety of pirate-themed games and activities, along with a raffle drawing featuring prizes from local businesses.

Regular pool fees apply:

- Ages Newborn-3: Free
- Ages 4-18: \$2
- Ages 19-54: \$3
- Ages 55+: \$2
- Georgetown Recreation Center members get in free

For details, visit parks.georgetown.org/pirate-party.



'How to Train Your Dragon: The Hidden World'

AUG. 16

The final installment of the sunset movie series this summer on Aug. 16 features a free showing of the movie "How to Train Your Dragon: The Hidden World" (PG). The movie plays in San Gabriel Park near the soccer fields. Bring blankets, camp chairs, and snacks for this event hosted by Georgetown Parks and Recreation.

For details, visit parks.georgetown.org/sunset-movie-series.

Senior Dance

AUG. 23

Put on your dancing shoes for the City of Georgetown Parks and Recreation Department's senior dance Aug. 23 from 6-9 p.m. at the Georgetown Community Center, 445 E. Morrow St. The dance is designed for, but not limited to, individuals age 55 and older. Tickets are \$5 per person in advance and \$7 at the door. The dress is casual, and light refreshments will be served.

Register to attend at parks.georgetown.org/senior-adult-dance or contact Robert Staton at (512) 930-1367 or robert.staton@georgetown.org.

Fall and winter program registration

PARKS AND RECREATION

The Georgetown Parks and Recreation Department will open enrollment for its fall and winter programs on Aug. 1. Information about classes, camps and other programs can be found at parks.georgetown.org.

World Cinema

GEORGETOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY

On Aug. 21 at 6:30 p.m., Georgetown Public Library kicks off a fall slate of diverse films with the 2018 film "Jinn." Following her mother's abrupt conversion to Islam, her teen daughter struggles to understand her mother and herself. This film is not rated. Each screening has popcorn available and a pre-roll of related material before the film starts. This program is free and open to the public. Due to mature themes, language, and situations, this series is recommended for age 18 and older.

City Budget

Public hearings on the City of Georgetown proposed budget and tax rate for Fiscal Year 2020 will be held in August and September. City Manager David Morgan is expected to present the proposed FY 2020 budget to City Council at a special meeting on Aug. 6.

For details about the budget, go to georgetown.org. Watch budget and tax rate hearings at gtv.georgetown.org or on **Suddenlink channel 10**.

IMPORTANT BUDGET DATES

Aug. 6: Council sets maximum tax rate and public hearing dates

Sept. 3: Public hearing on tax rate and budget

Sept. 10: Second public hearing on tax rate and first reading of budget/tax rate

Sept. 24: Final adoption of tax rate and budget