



TOWN OF **Herndon** News You Can Use

Hunter's Creek Bridge Replacement Update

The timeline for replacement of the Hunter's Creek Bridge, the pedestrian bridge that accesses the Sugarland Run trail from Hunter's Creek pool and tennis courts, is extended due to sensitivities of working in a wetland area, which requires an Army Corps of Engineering Permit, as well as working in a floodplain. The new estimate is for construction to begin this fall, with estimated completion in spring 2025. Once completed, the new bridge will be a reinforced fiberglass structure on new foundations. In the meantime, while the bridge is closed, residents may continue to use Cavendish Street or Runnymede Park entrance to access trails. Thank you for your patience as we navigate this project with respect for its environs.

You can stay on top of this and other projects under way by the town's Department of Public Works at [Herndon-va.gov/PublicWorksProjects](https://www.herndon-va.gov/PublicWorksProjects).



How Should YOUR Tax Dollars be Spent?

Town Manager Bill Ashton is preparing a proposed FY 2025 Budget to present to the Town Council on April 1, 2024, for their consideration and adoption. The proposed budget will recommend funding allocations for town services and programs as well as future

initiatives the town may undertake. The proposed budget will be posted online, at [Herndon-va.gov/Budget](https://herndon-va.gov/Budget), and a proposed budget summary brochure will be mailed to all households and businesses.

Now is the time to let the Town Council know your priorities. Which programs and services do you value most? Which would you like to see expanded, or reduced? Are there initiatives you'd like for the town to explore? Following release of the proposed budget, the council will hold public hearings on April 9 and April 23 to solicit public comment. All meetings begin at 7pm and are held in the Council Chambers at 765 Lynn Street.

The Town Council may be reached directly at town.clerk@herndon-va.gov or 703-435-6804. Stay on top of FY 2025 Budget developments at [Herndon-va.gov/Budget](https://herndon-va.gov/Budget). It's YOUR money - let your elected officials know how you think it should be allocated.



Registration is Open for Spring Classes and Programs

Spring has sprung (almost!). Check out the new session of classes, programs, and special events from April to June, offered by the town's Parks and Recreation Department. Looking for a fun, safe and adventure-filled way for the kiddos to spend the summer? Registration for our award-winning summer camps gets under way in April.

[Parks and Recreation Webpage](#)



Kids Fishing Derby



Eggs, Eggs Everywhere!

**Saturday, March 16, 8am-12pm.
Sugarland Run**

Children age 2-15 and their families learn about fishing and experience a relaxing and successful day catching fish.

Trout Unlimited will help clean and store your catch. Volunteers will be on hand to teach you how to bait, cast, hook, and cook your freshly caught dinner. Teens and adults age 16 & up **MUST** have a valid Virginia State Fishing License to fish. Adults are not permitted to fish during kid's fishing time

Get details and registration info below.

**Aqua Egg Hunt
Saturday, March 23
1-5:15pm (age specific hunt times)
Herndon Community Center Pool**

**Hoppy Egg Hunt
Saturday, March 30 Bready Park
9:30am- (age specific hunt times)**

Not one but TWO opportunities for kids to hunt for eggs and have fun with their friends. The Aqua Egg Hunt also includes splash time in the pool, while the Hoppy Egg Hunt a photo opportunity with the Easter Bunny.

Get details and registration info below.

Event Registration

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