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What's Happening in Suffolk This Weekend...

SUFFOLK, VA (August 13, 2010)

FRIDAY, August 13th

- *TGIF Summer Concert Series at Bennett's Creek Park, featuring Cedar Creek*

Unwind at Bennett's Creek Park after a long work week! Enjoy food and great company as you dance under the stars to the sounds of Cedar Creek. Free and open to the public. 5:30pm-9pm. Call Suffolk Parks and Recreation at 757-514-7267 for more information.



- *Friday Evening Farmers' Market at Governor's Pointe*
Hop on over to Governor's Pointe (at the Shoppes on the Village Green, Route 17 in North Suffolk) and enjoy this fun new summer tradition. Find the freshest in local fruit, vegetables, homemade jellies, jams and treats. Live entertainment from 5 p.m.- 8:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, August 14th

- *Suffolk Farmers' Market*

Held beneath brightly striped tents at "Market Park" (the mini-park adjacent to the Seaboard Station Railroad Museum at 326 N. Main Street), the Market offers the very best in locally grown fruit and vegetables, homemade jams and jellies, fresh seafood, cut flowers, handcrafted jewelry and more. Operates rain or shine on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Wednesdays from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. through September. Free and open to the public.



- *Suffolk Clean Community Commission Recycling Drive*
The Suffolk Clean Community Commission is sponsoring a Recycling Drive on Saturday, August 14, 2010, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Creekside Elementary School, located at 1000 Bennett's Creek Park Road in North

Suffolk. Shred-It will be on hand to provide on-site shredding of Suffolk residents' sensitive documents. There is a limit of three copy paper size boxes or three brown paper bags per person. Participants will be asked to stay with their documents until they've handed them to the Shred-It driver in the truck.

Residents are encouraged to bring the following to be recycled: Tires (12 per household), electronics, all types of paper (including magazines, catalogues and newspapers, cardboard and paper board), steel and aluminum cans, glass containers (bottles and jars) and all plastic bottles (#1 and #2).

Everyone who comes out to recycle receives a reusable shopping bag as the Commission joins forces with the community to say NO! to plastic. For more information, please contact Hattie Lester, Litter Control Coordinator, at 514-7604 or via email at hlester@city.suffolk.va.us.

SUNDAY, August 15th



• *Petsmart Adoption Event at Chesapeake Square Petsmart*

Swimming, boating, frisbee on the beach...need someone to share in the summertime fun? Your new best friend may be waiting for you! Suffolk Animal Shelter personnel will have pets in need of homes at the Chesapeake Square Petsmart on Sunday, August 15, 2010, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Make a difference in the life of a needy animal when you provide a forever home for your new best friend. Suffolk Animal Shelter is located at 124 Forest Glen Drive, or visit them on the web at http://www.suffolk.va.us/anml_ctrl.

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