



# Chaska City Hall Bulletin

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## HAPPY EASTER FROM THE CITY OF CHASKA!



Mayor Mark Windschitl, the City Council, Commissions, and employees of the City of Chaska would like to wish you a happy Easter. May you and your family and friends find peace within your faith and continued blessings throughout the coming year.

A fun way to celebrate with your little ones, is to participate in the 58<sup>th</sup> annual Chaska American Legion Auxiliary Easter Egg Hunt in City Square Park on Saturday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, beginning at 10:00 am sharp. Don't be late! Those eggs get swooped up fast! Toddlers line up along Fourth Street. Children ages 4 & 5 line up along Walnut Street, 6-7 year olds line up along Third Street, and the "big kids" ages 8 to 10 along Chestnut Street (Highway 41). Prizes are awarded in each age group to the child that finds the "Golden Egg." An Easter Hat Parade and contest will follow the egg hunt.

## ATHLETIC PARK HONORED AT NEW TWINS BALLPARK

As the Minnesota Twins open their season at the new Target Field tomorrow, fans will be able to experience a little bit of their hometown ball clubs. The Twins will be honoring town ball teams across the State.

A pub has been incorporated into the main concourse level of the new Twins Stadium, called Town Ball Pub. The facility pays homage to the long history of town ball teams across the State of Minnesota.

Chaska's Athletic Park has received special recognition. It is widely renown as one of the top town baseball parks in the State of Minnesota. The Twins have placed an enlarged print of Terry Fogarty's "Summer Anthem"

painting in the pub. The painting was commissioned by the Chaska Cubs last summer to help commemorate the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Athletic Park. The painting has a prominent place near the entrance of the pub.



In addition to honoring Athletic Park, the Chaska Cubs are also working with the Minnesota Twins to display several more articles of memorabilia, including a team jersey, for display in the new ballpark.

The City of Chaska and the Chaska Cubs Baseball Association sincerely thank the Minnesota Twins for honoring town baseball, as it is such a strong part of Minnesota's history, and particularly for honoring Athletic Park with this permanent exhibit.

In other news regarding Athletic Park, the floodwaters are now receding and the infield is beginning to show. The Public Works Department from the City of Chaska will be working hard to try to prepare the field by Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, when the Chaska Cubs will be hosting the St. Paul Saints in a pre-season exhibition game at Athletic Park. Pre-game activities are scheduled for 5:00 pm, with the game at 6:00 pm. The St. Paul Saints will feature their "Pig" and sumo wrestling. This should be a great family event and tickets are now on sale through the Chaska Cubs. Adult tickets are \$5.00, and kids age 12 and under are free.

The City of Chaska is blessed to have such a fantastic baseball facility in the community and we continue to be excited by the recognition Athletic Park receives from other organizations across the State.



Monday, April 26, 2010  
Chaska Community Center

**A MESSAGE FROM CHIEF KNIGHT**

Sex Offender – Predatory Offender – Risk Level III – Rick Level II – Risk Level I

What does all of this mean, and what does it mean when an offender moves into the community? Presently there are no Risk Level III offenders, the most likely to re-offend, living in Chaska. Every community does, however, have Risk Level I and II offenders as residents. Come participate in a town hall informational program presented by the Chaska Police Department to learn more.

Free Dinner from 6:00 to 7:00 pm  
Program from 7:00 to 9:00 pm  
Free childcare.

Dinner provided by Cooper's County Market  
Coffee Provided by Dunn Brothers, Chaska

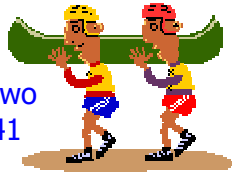
Please call 952-227-7430 to RSVP for the dinner and/or childcare services. Childcare reservations will be on a first-come-first serve basis, with a maximum of 30 children. We cannot accept drop-ins.



**FLOOD INFO**

The current information on the Minnesota River is as follows:

The reading this morning was 26.05 ft, with a flood stage of 18 ft. This is a .50 ft decline in the last 24 hours. The highest level was at 29.90 ft at 1:00 pm on Tuesday, March 24<sup>th</sup>. MnDOT estimates a minimum of two weeks before Highway 41 can be re-opened.




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**DON'T FORGET – TO SIGN UP TO RECEIVE THE CHASKA CITY HALL BULLETIN, PLEASE SEND AN EMAIL TO [TDAHLBERG@CHASKAMN.COM](mailto:TDAHLBERG@CHASKAMN.COM).**

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**NOTICE**

The regularly scheduled April 5th Chaska City Council meeting has been cancelled. Next Council meeting is Monday, April 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm at City Hall.

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**CHASKA COMMUNITY CENTER ACTIVITIES**

**AOAs FOR CHRIST SPRING MEETING**

It is time for the Spring AOA's For Christ organizational meeting. All Active Older Adults are welcome to attend. If you are interested in participating, but are unable to attend this meeting please contact Amy at (952) 227-7761.

Date: Monday, April 5  
Time: 9:30 a.m.  
Place: The Lodge  
Cost: FREE

**TWIST AND TUMBLE GYMNASTICS**

Join us in this fun, preschool gymnastics program in a kid friendly atmosphere! Play games, sing songs, and learn gymnastics skills on our kid-sized equipment. Our trained and experienced coaches will keep classes exciting and fast paced while your child learns on the uneven bars, vault, balance beam, trampoline, mats and more! For more information on class descriptions and times please see the CCC 2010 Spring/Summer Brochure online at [www.chaskacommunitycenter.com](http://www.chaskacommunitycenter.com).

**HIGH INTENSITY INTERVAL TRAINING (HIIT)**

Seriously boost your workouts to a higher level with cardio and strength intervals in the weight room! You'll develop cardio endurance, strength, and core power with a combo of calisthenics, free weights, and cardio machines. Workout with HIIT for 4 weeks, then change it up by jumping into the next session for a whole new HIIT sequence (4 to 5 students per group). Cost: \$35 Member/\$45 Non-Member



Date: Wednesday Mornings, April 7-28  
Time: 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. or 10:05 – 10:35 a.m.  
OR  
Date: Monday Evenings , April 5-26  
Time: 7:10 – 7:40 p.m. or 7:45 – 8:15 p.m.

**5K IN MAY**

Yes! You can run a 5K recreational race!! Join our running coaches and other beginning runners for training, motivation, and socialization. Our 6-week outdoor program will prepare the novice runner for a 5K race in May 2010. Registration information for local 5K events held in May will be available in your training packet. (Continued on Pg. 4).

Day: Tuesdays & Thursdays, April 6 – May 13  
 Time: 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.  
 Cost: \$50 Member/\$65 Non-Member

**YOGA CLUB AGES 11-14**

You've heard about yoga, now come and do it! Youth and yoga combine for a relaxed, yet physical practice of this ancient activity. A time for learning yoga postures, breathing and mindfulness. Bring your friends to this welcoming activity and discover amazing body movement and mind focus...and fun! Bring your own music CD and we will use it in our youthful yoga practice.



Dates: Tuesdays, April 6 – May 11  
 Time: 2:45 – 3:30 p.m.  
 Cost: \$35 Member/\$40 Non-Member

**KRAV MAGA YOUTH - AGES 10-14**

Krav Maga – Hebrew for Contact Combat. Developed by the Israeli military special forces, this self-defense training leads you to a high level of efficiency quickly. Learn a variety of strikes (hitting and kicking) and simple, effective techniques for self-defense in attack situations. No need for previous martial arts experience/all fitness levels welcome. Wear comfortable clothes and clean shoes. Instructor Paula Meyers is certified with Krav Maga worldwide and has trained in Tae Kwon Do and Brazilian Jujitsu. She is a professional Mixed Martial Arts fighter and is passionate about personal safety skills for all ages.



**Dates:** Wednesdays, April 7 – May 12  
**Time:** 2:45 – 3:30 p.m.  
**Cost:** \$35 Member; \$40 Non-Member

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Paula Meyers in Action

Dates: Thursdays, April 8 – May 15  
 Time: 12:15 – 12:45 p.m.  
 Cost: \$28 Member; \$35 Non-Member

**STRENGTH EQUIPMENT ORIENTATION**

Learn correct use and technique of our Life Fitness Signature Series single weight stations and general operation of the cardio equipment at the CCC. Meet at the fitness desk in the Wellness Addition for this training. Register in person at the CCC or go online at [www.chaskacommunitycenter.com](http://www.chaskacommunitycenter.com).

Dates: Wednesday Mornings, April 7 and May 5  
 Time: 10:45 – 11:45 a.m.  
 Dates: Thursday Evenings, April 8 and May 6  
 Time: 6:45 – 7:45 p.m.  
 Cost: \$5 Member/\$7 Non-Member

**KIDS YOGA – AGES 6-10**

Your kids can experience the benefits of yoga! This special class is designed with just kids in mind and will let children find balance, improve coordination, work on large motor movements, increase flexibility, build self-esteem, and most importantly have fun! Several yoga poses will be practiced, such as Tree, Downward Puppy, and Butterfly. Join us for this fun class!



Dates: Saturdays, April 10 – May 8  
 Time: 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.  
 Cost: \$30 Member/\$35 Non-Member

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**Be on the Alert! Don't get FOOLED today!**

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