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What's Happening in Suffolk This *HOLIDAY* Weekend...

SUFFOLK, VA (July 1, 2011)

FRIDAY, July 1

- *T.G.I.F. Summer Concert*



The 2011 Suffolk TGIF Summer Concert Series has returned at Constant's Wharf Park & Marina. On Friday, July 1st, Reform School Dropouts will hit the stage with a variety of music.

The park and concessions open to the public at 6 p.m., with the band starting at 6:30 p.m. and ending at 9:30 p.m. Don't forget to bring a chair or blanket to sit on! One of the groups providing concessions

this year is ECHO (Emergency Communicators Helping Others). Made up of our 911 Dispatchers, they'll have cotton candy, popcorn, snow-cones, sodas, candy and chips available for sale as a fundraiser for the 2012 Telecommunicator's Banquet.

The 2011 Suffolk TGIF Summer concert Series is presented by TowneBank and sponsored by Pender & Coward Attorneys and Counselors at Law, The Blair Bros., ATT, and is supported by Master Hwang's World Class Tae Kwon Do and the Isle of Wight County Fair. For more information, call Lori Carter at (757) 514-7267 or visit www.suffolk.va.us/parks/events.

Constant's Wharf Park & Marina is located at 100 E. Constance Road

SATURDAY, July 2

- *Suffolk Farmer's Market*



Launched in 2006, the Suffolk Farmers' Market is an open-air gathering place offering fresh, locally-grown foods, value-added products and hand-crafted goods. Held beneath brightly striped tents at "Market Park" (the mini-park adjacent to the Seaboard Station Railroad Museum at 326 North Main Street), the Market will operate rain or shine on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Wednesdays from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. through the fall

MONDAY, July 4

- *The Stars and Stripes Spectacular*



Come celebrate Independence Day with *The Stars and Stripes Spectacular*. The July 4th celebration will be held at Constant's Wharf Park & Marina (100 E. Constance Rd.). This event is free and open to the public. The park opens at 6 PM with local favorite Island Boy playing from 6:30-9:30 PM. There will be a children's area for kids 10 and under. The fee is \$5 for unlimited access to the children's activities. Concessions will be available for purchase and fireworks start at 9 p.m. There will be limited parking with a FREE shuttle service available from 5:15-10:45 PM. For more information, contact Lori Carter 757-514-7267.

Shuttle stops include:

- *Courthouse Parking lot*
- *First Baptist Parking lot*
- *Fresh Pride Parking lot*
- *Cherry Street Parking lot*
- *Saratoga Street Parking lot*
- *Suffolk Center for Cultural Arts Parking lot*
- *Prentis Street Parking lot*
- *Train Station Parking lot*

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