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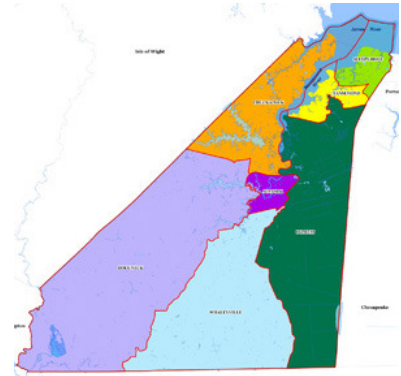
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## What's Happening in Suffolk This Week...

**TUESDAY, August 23 and THURSDAY, August 25**

### • *Community Meetings*

In an effort to get input from the public about the 2011 Redistricting Plan, the City of Suffolk has scheduled a Community Meeting for each of its seven boroughs. Two Community meetings are scheduled for this week.



- Chuckatuck - King's Fork High School, 351 Kings Fork Road - Tuesday, August 23, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.
- Holy Neck - Lakeland High School, 214 Kenyon Road - Thursday, August 25, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.

A complete list of meeting times and locations can be found at <http://www.suffolkva.us/ProposedRedistrictingPlan.html>.

**WEDNESDAY, August 24 and SATURDAY, August 27**



- *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 crafts. 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.

The Market and all associated activities are free and open to the public. For more information, please contact the Suffolk Visitor Center at 757-514-4130, or visit [Suffolk-Fun.com](http://Suffolk-Fun.com).

## **FRIDAY, August 26**

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



The 2011 Suffolk TGIF Summer Concert Series continues at Bennett's Creek Park. On Friday, August 26, 2011, *The Silver Street Band* will hit the stage, playing your favorite Country, Rock, Beach and much more. It's a Friday night of free fun for the entire family! Unwind at the park after a long work week, and enjoy music, food, and great company!

The Suffolk TGIF Summer Concert Series is supported by loyal sponsors and takes place each week in one of two of beautiful Suffolk parks, Constant's Wharf Park & Marina and Bennett's Creek Park, entertaining a collective audience of nearly 6,000. Park and concessions open to the public at 6 p.m., with bands starting at 6:30 p.m. and ending at 9:30 p.m. Don't forget your 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 a delicious assortment of snacks available for sale as a fundraiser for the 2012 Telecommunicator's Banquet. Menu items include BBQ sandwiches, hotdogs, popcorn, cotton candy, and much more. And while you're there, don't forget to pick up a 50/50 raffle ticket for \$1.

The 2011 Suffolk TGIF Summer concert Series is presented by TowneBank and sponsored by Pender & Coward Attorneys and Counselors at Law, The Blair Bros., AT&T, 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](http://www.suffolk.va.us/parks/events).

*Bennett's Creek Park is located at 3000 Bennett's Creek Park Road.*

## **SATURDAY, August 27**

- *Rabies Clinic*

In response to a record number of rabies cases in the city, Suffolk Humane and Suffolk Animal Control are sponsoring a low cost rabies clinic on Saturday, August 27 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Suffolk Animal Control, 124 Forest Glen Drive.

Vaccinations will cost only \$5.00 and have been provided by Nansemond Veterinary Clinic. Volunteers will be available to answer questions, and vaccinations will be given on a first come, first served basis. Suffolk Animal Control will also be selling city licenses for dogs for \$5 each.

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