



# **Hometown Spirit Nominees Wanted!**

Do you know a Cary citizen who embodies the Town's spirit? Let us know! We are accepting nominations for our Hometown Spirit Award from August 25 through September 22. Nominees must be age 21 or older and should demonstrate qualities like helping neighbors, showing hospitality, promoting a sense of community, or displaying patriotism. A panel will select the winner after the nomination period ends. The top three nominees will be recognized at a reception and the winner will be announced in November. Visit **townofcary.org/spirit** for more information.

## **Concerts & Performances**

### **Bands, Bites, and Boats**

September 2, 5:30-7:30 p.m. | Bond Park Boathouse Spend your evening floating on Bond Lake in the setting sun or bring a lawn chair to stay on land while you listen to great music and enjoy delicious food. This month features: Band: My Cousin Skinny / Bites: Jerkman Island Cuisine and The Blue Window / Brews: BruePrint

### **Performances at the Page: Roadhouse Storytellers**

September 9, 7-9 p.m. | Page-Walker Arts & History Center An evening of stories with Sam Pearsall, Willa Brigham, Alan Hoal, and Linda Gorman. Refreshments are included in this adults' night out. Tickets are \$20 at The Cary Theater or online at eTix.

### **Cary Live**

September 10, 7-9 p.m. | Old Library Site

River Whyless brings their folk rock sound to downtown Cary. Food trucks and local breweries will be on site starting at 6 p.m. Outside food and non-alcoholic drinks are allowed, but outside alcohol is not permitted. Bring a chair (a limited number of low-level lawn chairs will be available).

## Marvelous Music Mainstage Series: Susan Werner

September 16, 7:30 p.m. | Cary Arts Center

Known for her engaging and energetic live show that effortlessly slides between folk, jazz, and pop, Susan Werner delivers sassy and classic Midwestern charm. For details, visit **townofcary.org/marvelousmusic**.

# **Fun for All Ages**

Fit Cary: Get, Be, Stay Fit!

September is Fit Cary Month and we are celebrating all the ways to get, be, and stay healthy in Cary! Join us for activities all month designed to help you and your family develop and maintain a healthy and enriched lifestyle.

### Winter Youth Basketball Registration

September 12-October 2

Open to players ages 5-18; Registration fee is \$60 for Cary residents/\$85 for nonresidents. For more details, visit **townofcary.org/winterbasketball**.

### **2022 Atlantic Tire Championships**

September 12-18 | Cary Tennis Park

This tournament is a USTA Pro Circuit and ATP Challenger event with past participants including Mitch Krueger, Christopher Eubanks, and Ulises Blanch. Visit the tournament website for tickets and more information: atlantictirechampionships.com

#### **Farmers Fall Festival**

September 24, 9 a.m.- 3 p.m. | Downtown Cary Our farmers are bringing their fall bounty! Enjoy live performances, games, exhibits, local food and craft beer, art & crafts, and a pie-eating contest. For more information, visit **caryfarmersmarket.com**.



## Fall 2022 Programs, Classes, and Camps Registration

For a full listing, visit townofcary.org/programs or pick up a printed Program Guide at town facilities and other locations around Cary. Register online at **myCary.org** or in person at staffed Cary facilities.









## **Cary It Green**

#### Fall Landscaping with My Tree, Our Tree

It may be the dog days of summer, but it's a good time to start thinking about fall landscaping. Consider using organic lawn care techniques with suggestions and resources found at townofcary.org/landscaping or identify a location in your yard to plant a free native tree provided through Cary's My Tree, Our Tree giveaway. Registration opens Thursday, September 15, at 9 a.m. at myCary.org. For details, visit townofcary.org/MyTreeOurTree.

### **Turn Your Food Waste into Compost**

Corn cobs, melon rinds, meat bones, and unusable leftovers...Make a habit to collect food scraps from those backyard cookouts and picnics and bring it to the pilot food waste recycling drop-off at the Citizen's Convenience Center, 313 N. Dixon Ave. Material accepted is turned into compost and kept out of the landfill. See a full list of accepted material at **townofcary.org/foodwaste**.

### **Good Fun at Good Hope Farm**

Come on out to our historic farm for the following events:

Volunteer Work Day: September 17, 9-11 a.m.

*Harvest Fest*: September 17, 12-4 p.m. | Enjoy live music, local food, craft vendors, environmental education, and more.

Farm to Fork Dinner & Celebration: September 24, 6-9 p.m. | An evening under the stars! Enjoy a farm-fresh gourmet meal, locally brewed beer and cider, live music, and a signature gift.

For more information on these events and more, visit **townofcary.org/goodhopefarm**.

# **Fire & Safety**

#### **Cary CERT Basic Course**

September 30, 6:30 p.m.-9 p.m. October 1-2, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

The Cary Community Emergency Response
Team (CERT) host a free course with the Cary
Fire Department. This training serves as an
introduction to the CERT program and disaster
preparedness, light search and rescue, and
medical care. In addition, you will learn about
the Cary CERT and ways to get involved
with educational initiatives and making your
community more resilient in the event of
natural disasters and other emergencies.

If you are interested in attending this training, please email carycert@gmail.com. For more information, visit **carycert.org**.

### **Fire Station Garden Workdays**

September 10-14

Volunteer to help with planting and garden maintenance at a fire station near you. Space is limited. Register at **myCary.org**.

# **Koka Booth Ampitheatre Events**

Tickets and information: boothamphitheatre.com

#### **Collective Soul & Switchfoot**

September 7, 7 p.m.

Join Collective Soul and Switchfoot in a co-headlining night of hits!

#### **Rock-N-Romance**

Featuring Ambrosia, John Ford Coley, and Peter Beckett (the voice of Player) September 9, 7:30 p.m.

Join us as we celebrate the classic rock era of the 1970s, featuring performances by the legendary band Ambrosia, Grammy-nominated songwriter John Ford Coley, and "The Voice" Peter Beckett of the British-American rock band, Player.

**Smooth Nights at KBA** featuring Jazz greats Incognito and Maysa September 10, 7 p.m.

British acid jazz great, Incognito, led by multi-instrumentalist, songwriter, producer, and arranger Jean Paul "Bluey" Maunick, is joined by Maysa. A portion of your ticket purchase will go to the North Carolina Central University Foundation, Inc.

#### **Asia Fest**

September 17, 10 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Enjoy live performances, savory food, cultural booths, and family fun activities. Plus everyone's favorite, Dragon Boat races. For more information, visit **asianfocusnc.org**.

#### Share with Us!

Citizens and businesses are encouraged to share their budget priorities with Cary at any point in the year, and we'll share what we hear with Town Council through quarterly reporting. Cary's fiscal year runs from July 1-June 30. Let us hear from you! townofcary.org/budget

Email: budgetinput@townofcary.org
Phone: (919) 469-4307
Twitter: @TownofCary with #TOCbudget
Facebook: facebook.com/TownofCaryNC
Public Speaks Out: Speak out at a Town
Council meeting.

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