

Cary Public Safety Day

Sep 17, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. | Downtown Cary



Join us on Academy Street in downtown Cary as we celebrate and promote awareness, safety, and neighborhood unity. There will be multiple public safety agencies with vehicle displays, hands-on fun, children's activities, and food trucks. This event is free. To learn more, visit **townofcary.org/publicsafetyday**.

HARVEST FEST

Sep 17, Oct 15, Nov 19, Noon-4 p.m. | Good Hope Farm Celebrate Cary's agricultural heritage with an afternoon of free family fun down on the farm! Join us for live music, local food and beverages, farm tours, lawn games, and more on our historic working farm. For more information, including details for parking, visit **townofcary.org/goodhopefarm**.

Cary Senior Center Anniversary Celebration

Sep 30, 10 a.m. | Cary Senior Center at Bond Park Join us as we celebrate 20 years as a senior center. Mingle with Town Council Members and enjoy light refreshments, guest speakers, and more fun! Free. For information, call (919) 469-4081.

ANNUAL OVeterans' LUNCHEON

Nov 4, 11:30 a.m. | Prestonwood Country Club Join us as we celebrate and honor our veterans with a delicious catered lunch and presentation. To reserve your free spot, register at **mycary.org** by October 28. For more details, call (919) 469-4081.

HOWLIN'GOOD HALLOWEEN

Oct 27-29 | All ages

Calling all goblins, ghouls, and ghosts! Join us for some spooky fun as we celebrate Halloween. You won't want to miss this howlin' good time. Learn more about all the Halloween activities at **townofcary.org/halloween**

Herbert's Haunted House

Oct 28, 7-9 p.m. and Oct 29, 7-10 p.m. Herbert C. Young Community Center | \$5 person Join us for the 9th annual Herbert's Haunted House featuring more scares, thrills, and screams than ever! Take a spooky walk through the Cary Teen Council's house of horrors if you dare. All ages are welcome, however parental discretion is strongly advised. For more information, call (919) 460-4965.

Zombiepalooza

Oct 28, 7:30 p.m. | The Cary Theater

Join us for a zombie-themed screening party featuring short films (5 minutes or less) produced by filmmakers from around the world. The event kicks off with an allages costume contest (complete with prizes), followed by this year's selection of zombie films. We'll announce the winners of our zombie-themed film contest after the screening. For more visit, **thecarytheater.com**.





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Cary It Green



Holiday Collection

In observance of Labor Day, curbside waste, recycling, and yard waste collections move one day later the week of September 5. The Citizen's Convenience Center will be closed on Mon, Sep 5.

Call LITTER SWEEP Volunteers Needed!

Join us for some fresh air and sunshine while we remove litter from Cary's streets, parks, and neighborhoods on Sat, Oct 1. Great for volunteers of all ages and groups of any size, register for an existing site or gather a group and select a site of your own. Cary will provide all the needed tools and supplies. Multiple sites and shifts available. Search "litter" at **myCary.org** to register.

My Tree, Our Tree: Fall Giveaway



Enhance your landscape and add to our community's canopy by

planting a tree in your yard this fall. Registered participants will receive a free native tree and planting kit at the My Tree, Our Tree event on Sat, Oct 15. Registration opens Sep 15 at 9 a.m. For more info and to register, visit **townofcary.org/MyTreeOurTree**.

Fall Tree Talks: Planting and Pruning

The Tree Talk series continues this fall with a free virtual session "Tree Planting Tips." On Wed, Oct 19 from 12:30-1 p.m., a certified arborist will share best practices for planting trees to help ensure they thrive in your yard. And for your trees that need pruning, come walk the grounds of Jack Smith Park as our arborist demonstrates proper tree pruning tips on Sat, Oct 29 from 10 a.m.-noon. Register through **myCary.org** for <u>Planting Tips</u> and <u>Pruning</u>.

Lights Out! Cary is for the Birds

Cary is teaming up with the Audubon Society this fall, and you can too! Billions of birds are migrating, and you can help them make their trip safely by going Lights Out. Between now and Nov 30, join us in reducing lighting at night to help prevent bird window collisions by taking simple steps such as turning off any "up lighting," turning off any non-essential lighting, and closing blinds/curtains each evening. Learn more at **townofcary.org/green**.

Sewer Rehabilitation Along Black Creek Greenway

With the Crabtree Creek Greenway now reopened to the public, Cary's sewer rehabilitation project turns to the Black Creek Greenway. First up, the section of the trail between W Dynasty Drive and North Cary Park is currently closed to the public with a signed detour in place. Once complete, this section will reopen and a similar closure and detour will take place north of North Cary Park. For more information on greenway closures and detours in the area, visit **carygreenwaydetour.com**.

Wastewater Report

Curious about what happens to the wastewater that goes down the drain? Get the facts in our Annual Wastewater Report. The report summarizes our system's performance and provides quick facts, descriptions of our treatment facilities, and tips to keep the system working smoothly and the environment free from sewer spills. We are proud that our system continues to surpass federal and state requirements to protect your health and the environment. Visit **townofcary.org/wastewaterreport** to see the full report. Printed copies are also available at Cary facilities, Morrisville Town Hall, and at Cary libraries. Citizens may request a copy by mail by calling 311.

Follow the Downtown Cary Park



We've got three new ways to share

information about the Downtown Cary Park as we move toward opening. Follow us on social media and keep up to date with all the latest news.

- facebook.com/dtcarypark
- (O) instagram.com/downtowncarypark
- twitter.com/dtcarypark

For more general information or to join our email list, visit **downtowncarypark.com**.

Cultural Calendar

Swinging & Singing: The Legacy of the Great American Song Book

Oct 2, 3 p.m. | The Cary Theater thecarytheater.com

Marvelous Music Mainstage Series: Julie Fowlis

Oct 15, 7:30 p.m. | Cary Arts Center townofcary.org/marvelousmusic

Comedy Show with Jim Flannigan and Mark Brady

Oct 21, 8 p.m. | The Cary Theater thecarytheater.com

Marvelous Music Family Series: Aggregate Theatre Company presents "Giselle la Trent the Gazellephant" Oct 22, 11 a.m. | Cary Arts Center

townofcary.org/marvelousmusic

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

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