

How's the Future Looking, Southern Pines? Review the Draft 2040 Plan.

For nearly a year now, we've been working as a community, listening to each other, and sharing thoughts and visions about what we see for our community's future. This work has led to the draft 2040 Comprehensive Plan. This document is intended to capture a vision for growth, conservation, and community character with policies, maps, and recommendations for some of the town's most important decision-making processes. But we're not done yet!

We need the community to review the plan and provide comments. These will be considered for inclusion in the final draft version presented to the Planning Board and Town Council in the coming months. Comments on the draft are due by Friday, August 4th. We have 4 opportunities for you to review and provide this important feedback:

- Review the plan at sopinesnc.info/2040plan & email comments to rman@southernpines.net & matt.noonkester@city-explained.com
- Attend the community workshop on Tues, July 25th at 6pm at the E.S. Douglass Community Center
- Drop in office hours on Wed, July 26th, 9a-5p, at the downtown Train Station
- Drop in office hours on Wed, August 2nd, 9a-5p, at the E. S. Douglass Community Center



FIRST BANK

Ready, Set, Rec!

Financial Wellness Seminar
Friday, August 18th
11am-12pm
Southern Pines Public Library



Learn how to navigate the often-confusing world of finances and credit scores. Kasey Dixon, First Bank Branch manager and Digital Ambassador, will be on-hand to answer questions and share strategies to build your credit and plan for the future.



**FALL 2023/WINTER 2024
 REGISTRATION OPENS**

RESIDENTS: AUG 7
NON-RESIDENTS: AUG 14

Ready, Set, Rec! is your guide to everything Parks & Recreation in Southern Pines.

Our Parks & Recreation staff have put together some wonderful fall & winter programs and there is something for everyone!

View the guide at sopinesnc.info/recguide

Registration for residents will open on Monday, August 7th at sopinesnc.info/parksandrec



Safe Travels to School: Tips for Children

As we prepare for the new school year, SPFD shares these tips to help make your child's travels safe.

Walkers » Practice walking to school with your child. • Walk on the sidewalk; when on a street with no sidewalk, walk facing the traffic • Before you cross the street, stop and look left, right, and left again to see if cars are coming • Make eye contact with drivers before crossing and always cross streets at crosswalks or intersections • Stay alert and avoid distracted walking.

Bike Riders » Teach your child the rules of the road and practice riding the bike route to school. • Ride on the right side of the road, with traffic, and in a single file line • Come to a complete stop before crossing the street; walk bikes across the street • Stay alert and avoid distracted riding • Make sure your child always wears a properly fitted helmet and bright clothing.

Bus Riders » Practice school bus safety rules with your child. • Go to the bus stop and teach your child the proper way to get on and off the bus • Teach your child to stand 6 feet (or 3 giant steps) away from the curb • If your child must cross in front of the bus, teach them to walk on the side of the road until they are 10 feet (or 5 giant steps) ahead of the bus; your child and the driver should be able to see each other and make eye contact.



August IN SOUTHERN PINES



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Tue	7/25	6p	Community Workshop: Draft 2040 Plan	DCC
Wed	7/26	9a-5p	Drop In Office Hours: Draft 2040 Plan	Train Station
Tue	1	10:30 & 11a	Baby Rhymes Story Time (every Tuesday, birth-2yrs)	SPPL
Tue	1	4-5p	Teen Tuesday: Crafts	SPPL
Wed	2	10a-12p	Learn & Play, every Wednesday (birth-4)	SPPL
Wed	2	9a-5p	Drop In Office Hours: Draft 2040 Plan	DCC
Thu	3	10:30a & 3p	Music and Motion Storytime (ages 2-5)	SPPL
Thu	3	6:30-8pm	Soul Flow (ages 18 & up) ^	DCC
Mon	7	8am	Resident Registration Opens: sopinesnc.info/parksandrec	Online
Tue	8	6p	Town Council Business Meeting	DCC
Tue	8	4p	Teen Creative Writing Club (middle & high school)	SPPL
Wed	9	10am-12pm	Playtime in the Park (ages 10 & under)	DT Park
Wed	9	11am-noon	Fire Safety (ages 18 & up)	DCC
Fri	11	9-10am	Dance Aerobics (ages 55 & up)	DCC
Sat	12	9-10am	Yoga in the Park (all ages)	DT Park
Sat	12	10a-5p	Library Island	SPPL
Sun	13	2:30p	STEAM Sunday- Ice Cream! (grades K-2)	SPPL
Sun	13	6-8pm	Paddleboard Yoga ^ (ages 18 & up)	Res Park
Tue	15	4pm	Teen Board Game Night	SPPL
Wed	16	2-3p	Whitehall Book Club: A Tree Grows in Brooklyn	Whitehall
Fri	18	11a-12p	Financial Wellness (adults)	SPPL
Sat	19	10a-4p	Drop-In Crafts (grades K-5)	SPPL
Fri	25	8pm	Paddle Under the Stars (ages 18 & up) ^	Res Park
Thu	31	10:30am	DCC Book Club: The Summer that Melted Everything	DCC



FACILITIES & ADDRESSES

CHP: Campbell House Park | 450 E. New Hampshire Ave.
 DCC: E.S. Douglass Community Ctr | 1185 W. Pennsylvania Ave.
 DT Park: Downtown Park | 145 SE Broad St.
 Res Park | 300 Reservoir Park Dr.
 SPPL: So. Pines Public Library | 170 W. Connecticut Ave.
 Train Station: 235 NW Broad St.
 Whitehall: 490 Pee Dee Rd.

<http://www.southernpines.net>

^Activity requires advance registration.
 Questions? Need to register? Call us!
 Library 910-692-8235
 Parks & Recreation 910-692-2463

TOSP
Calendar



sopinesnc.info/calendar

Parks & Rec
registration



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Library
Catalog &
Programs



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Program
Guide



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