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Parks and Recreation Facilities Set to Close for the Season

Harrisonburg, Va. – The Parks and Recreation Department is winding down another busy season to prepare for winter.

Next week, the facilities at Harrisonburg parks will close for the season and the winter hours will be in effect, which will be opening at 8:00 a.m. and closing at 5:00 p.m.

Starting November 1, the electricity to all park bathrooms and shelters will be turned off for the winter season to protect pipes from freezing and conserve electricity. Restrooms are not available during the off-season.

Water to the dog park will be turned off November 9.

A Dream Come True Playground will remain open year round unless the temperature is 32 degrees or below or the ground is frozen. This playground is open from 8:00 a.m. until dusk, weather permitting.

All city parks will still be accessible to the community; however, the restroom facilities and water fountains will not be in operation.

Park facilities will reopen on April 13, 2016, with the exception of Riven Rock Park, which opens May 14, 2016.

Did you know...the Harrisonburg Parks and Recreation Department maintains 13 parks, playgrounds, tennis courts, a golf course, soccer complex, baseball fields, two pools, offers a variety of classes and much more? The mission of this department is to enhance the quality of life and meet the needs of every citizen by providing comprehensive leisure service opportunity. To find an activity or event, go to www.HarrisonburgVA.gov/parks-recreation or follow Parks and Recreation on [Facebook](#) or [Twitter](#).

The City of Harrisonburg is centrally located in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. It is home to approximately 50,000 people. More information about the City of Harrisonburg is online at www.HarrisonburgVA.gov.



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