

### Avoid Traffic Accidents

The Southern Pines Police Department would like to remind citizens that traffic safety is EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY! Below are some friendly reminders:

1. Make sure to give yourself sufficient time to get to your destination so that you are not rushed to get there.
2. Obey ALL traffic laws and be considerate of others on our roads.
3. Don't follow too closely. Increasing your following distance increases your reaction time.
4. Drive carefully when traveling in communities and remain aware of neighbors walking or children playing.
5. Remain ALERT and drive safely when traveling in school zones.
6. Be aware of the new traffic patterns in Downtown Southern Pines and remember, we YIELD to the left at downtown intersections.
7. If you see a traffic hazard, call 911 or Police Department at 910-692-7031.
8. If you have been in an accident in Southern Pines, you can obtain a copy of your accident report from our website @ <https://www.sosoftcc.com/sppd>

### Celebrate Spring with the Library!

School-aged children and families: Meet us at the park! Our popular program **At the Park After School** returns for the spring on **April 4 at Elizabeth Rounds Park, April 9 at Morganton Road Sports Complex, and April 18 at Downtown Park. The events start at 3:30 pm.** Drop by to get a snack, pick out a book, and take home a craft - and of course, stay to play at our beautiful parks.

Adults are invited to **Book Chat and Craft Night** at Southern Pines Brewing on Air Tool Dr. on **Tuesday, April 16th at 5:30pm!** This outing offers the perfect blend of bookish discussions and crafts. Note: the Library will not be providing alcohol, however food and beverages will be available for purchase.

### Sprucing Up Southern Pines

It is time for the annual Sprucing Up Southern Pines award nominations. If you have a neighbor who has a knack for gardening, frequent a business that has spruced up the sidewalks, or other areas where someone has made SP shine, then these nominations are for you! Nominations will be accepted between April 15 and June 15. The program recognizes residents and businesses who have made a noticeable effort to clean up, repair, improve, or otherwise enhance their exterior property. Learn more and access the nomination form at <https://sopinesnc.info/spruce>

### Move Over Law

SPFD reminds you that creating space for first responders isn't just common sense, it's the law!

- The Move Over law requires drivers to approach cautiously when emergency vehicles are stopped on the shoulder of the roadway with their lights flashing.
- Drivers are required to safely change lanes away from the emergency vehicle on a multi-lane highway or slow down on a two lane highway.
- When emergency vehicles are approaching using lights and sirens, drivers must pull over to the right-hand edge or curb, clear of any intersections, and remain stopped until the emergency vehicle has passed or otherwise directed by a law enforcement officer.
- Drivers are not required to pull over when traveling in the opposite direction of the emergency vehicle on a four-lane highway with a median divider.



# April IN SOUTHERN PINES

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#fortheloveofsopines #southernpinesway



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^Activity requires advance registration.

Questions? Need to register? Call us!

Library 910-692-8235

Parks & Recreation 910-692-2463

Date	Day	Time	Event	Location
2	Tue	4:30pm	Teen Creativity Club	SPPL
3	Wed	3:30pm	ATLAS: At the Library After School, grades K-2, join us every Wednesday	SPPL
4	Thu	3:30pm	Little U Preschool Storytime (ages 3.5-5, every Thursday)	SPPL
4	Thu	3:30pm	At the Park After School with SPPL	Eliz. Rounds Park
4	Thu	5:30-7:30pm	Jr. Chef^	WH
5	Fri	2:30-4:40	Homeschool Hangout (every Friday)	SPPL
7	Sun	3:00pm	Sunday Afternoon Writing Group (Adults)	SPPL
9	Tue	3:30pm	At the Park After School with SPPL	Morganton Rd Sports Complex
9	Tue	5:30-7pm	Baking for Kids^	SPFS2
9	Tue	5:30-6:30pm	Beginner Guitar 1^	WH
9	Tue	6:30-7:30pm	Beginner Guitar 2^	WH
9	Tue	6pm	Town Council Business Meeting	DCC
10	Wed	9:30am-5pm	Woodpeckers Baseball^	RC
13	Sat	10am-1pm	Spring Fling	Mem Park
14	Sun	2:30pm	Intro to Libby eBooks	SPPL
15	Mon	4:30-5:30pm	Afternoon Rockstars^	WH
15	Mon	5:30-6:30pm	After School Band^	WH
16	Tue	5:30pm	Book Chat and Craft (Adults)- Southern Pines Brewing on Airtool Dr.	SP Brewing
16	Tue	4:30pm	Teen Creativity Club	SPPL
17	Wed	2:00pm	Whitehall Book Club (Adults)	WH
18	Thu	3:30pm	At the Park After School with SPPL	Downtown Park
23	Tue	3pm	Town Council Work Session	Haney
25	Thu	10:30am	Douglass Center Book Club (Adults)	DCC
26	Fri	7:45am-5:30pm	Kids Day Out^	RC

## FACILITIES & ADDRESSES

**Downtown Park:** 150 S. Ashe Street

**Elizabeth Rounds Park:** 570 Pee Dee Road

**Morganton Sports Complex:** 190 Fire Lane

**DCC:** E.S. Douglass Com Ctr | 1185 W. Pennsylvania Ave.

**Rec Center:** Recreation Center | 160 Memorial Park Ct.

**Wey Woods:** Weymouth Woods Preserve | 1024 Ft. Braga Rd.

**SPPL:** So. Pines Public Library | 170 W. Connecticut Ave.

**Mem Park:** Memorial Park | 160 Memorial Park Ct.

**TH:** Train House | 482 E. Connecticut Ave.

**SPFS2:** Fire Station 2 | 7850 NC Hwy 22

**WH:** Whitehall | 490 Pee Dee Road

**SPPD:** Police Department | 490 W. Pennsylvania Ave.



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