

Parks host Easter Egg Hunt at Henslee Park March 28

The Dickson Parks and Recreation Department will hold its annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 28, at Henslee Park.

The free Easter Egg Hunt will be divided into three age groups with each participating in a different section of the park. There will be a staggered start for the age groups beginning at 10:00 am. Age groups are Toddler-3 Years Old, 4-6 Years Old and 7-10 Years Old. For 2026 the Parks Department is adding an adaptive section for families of children with disabilities.

The staggered start will begin with the younger age group, which allows families with children in different age groups to enjoy all the fun. There will be golden prize eggs in each age group.

In the event of inclement weather, the Easter Egg Hunt will be rescheduled to April 4.

Located on the site of the former Dickson Country Club at 800 Henslee Drive, the City of Dickson opened Henslee Park in 2018 with over four miles of walking/jogging trails on the cart paths of the former golf course.

In 2023, the Parks and Recreation Department opened the Henslee Park Splash Pad, Playground, Dog Park and a Disc Golf Course in the 126-acre park and last year added a Storybook Trail. The annual Easter Egg Hunt moved from J. Dan Buckner Park to Henslee Park in 2024.

The city is currently reviewing design proposals for an aquatic and recreation center in the park.

The annual Easter Egg Hunt kicks off the 2026 program schedule for the Parks and Recreation Department that includes:

- The Henslee Park Splash Pad opening March 30 and closing Oct. 19;
- Music in the Park May 8, June 12 and July 10 in Holland Park;
- A pickleball tournament May 9 at the Lester Speyer Sports Park;
- Baseball and softball camps June 1-3 at J. Dan Buckner Park;
- The annual Kids Fishing Rodeo June 6 in J. Dan Buckner Park;
- Summer Day Camps weeks of June 15 and July 13 at the Tenssco Community Center;
- Camping in the Park to be announced;
- An Adaptive Film Festival Aug. 15-16 at the Tenssco Community Center;
- An Outdoor Expo Sept. 12 at a location to be announced;
- Touch A Truck Oct. 3 at the Dickson County Municipal Airport;
- BooFest Oct. 24 in Tom Waychoff Memorial Park and Downtown Dickson;
- Haunting at Henslee Oct. 31 at Henslee Park; and
- The annual Christmas Tree Lighting in Tom Waychoff Memorial Park and Christmas Parade with Christmas on Main Street on dates to be determined.

In addition to Henslee Park, the City of Dickson Parks and Recreation Department operates J. Dan Buckner Park, Holland Park, Tom Waychoff Memorial Park, Tenssco Community Center, Lester D. Speyer Sports Park, Lakeview Park, City Lake, Luther Lake, Dickson Skate Park, Tice's Springs Park and the outdoor stage at the War Memorial Building.

For more information on Dickson Parks and Recreation Department facilities and programs, call (615) 446-1721, visit the Parks and Recreation Department page on the city's website (cityofdickson.com) or the Dickson Parks and Recreation Department's Facebook page.