March
3 Homeschool PE at the SOAC (17th at Lee Victory Rec. Pk.)
3 Preschool at the SOAC (10th, and 17th)
4 Critter Encounter (11th, 18th, and 25th)
7 Parent’s Night Out at the SOAC
7 Game 7 Spring Challenge Tournament at LVRP
7 One Nation March Mad Money at Volunteer Park
9 Summer Camp Sign-Ups begin
9 Athletic Committee Meeting
10 Homeschool at the SOAC (11th, 24th, & 25th)
12 Busy Bees Public Program at the SOAC
13 SRFC Spring Shootout Tournament at Rotary Soccer Pk.
14 Family Fun Night Shamrock and Roll at the SOAC
15 Parkhop at Gregory Mill Park
17 Park Advisory Board Meeting
21 Family Campfire at Sharp Springs
27 Smyrna Strokes - Adult Painting Night at the Train Depot
28 USSSA Baseball Tournament at Cedar Stone
30 Spring Break Programs at the SOAC (31st, 1st, 2nd & 3rd)

April
4 Fire Department’s Annual Easter Egg Hunt at LVRP
18 Preparathon at the Smyrna Event Center
18 Opening Day at Cedar Stone Community Park
25 USSSA Softball Tournament at Cedar Stone

The 2019 Volunteer of Year Awards Banquet

2019 Lifetime Service Award Winner
Rusty Boguskie

Kenneth “Coon” Victory, Rusty Boguskie, Mayor Reed, & Mike Moss

2019 Young Leader of the Year and SIMA Scholarship Recipient
Breanna Evans

Toni Cain, SIMA; Vanessa Haley, SIMA; Breanna Evans; and Councilman H.G. Cole, Jr.

2019 Youth Athletes of the Year
Sponsored by Academy Sports + Outdoors

Luke Baynes, Youth Baseball; Diego Vazquez, Stones River Futbol; Emmaleigh Sewell, Fastpitch; Bailey Wright, Youth Football & Cheerleading; and Sarah Beth Griffin, Youth Basketball League

Athletic League Volunteers and Youth Athletes of the Year

Top Row: Marty Smith, staff; Right to left: Brian & Melissa Risner, Parents of the Year; Jeremy Eason, Smyrna Youth Football Volunteer; Eli Victory, Coach of the Year; Aaron Guess, Stones River Futbol Volunteer; Sarah Beth Griffin, Youth Basketball League Athlete; Diego Vazquez, Stones River Futbol Athlete; Bailey Wright, Football & Cheerleading Athlete; Rusty Boguskie, Lifetime Service; Kelsie Luken, Adult Softball League Volunteer; Brianna Evans, Youth Leader; Emmaleigh Sewell, Fastpitch League Athlete, Maria Broussard, Youth Basketball League Volunteer; Luke Baynes, Youth Baseball League Athlete; Erin Walker, Baseball League Volunteer; Mayor Reed; Heather Keweza, Fastpitch League Volunteer; and Kenneth Victory

TIMEOUT
Smyrna Parks and Recreation March 2021

Smyrna Fire Department’s Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 4th at 1pm
Rainout make-up day April 11th
Lee Victory Recreation Park
Bring your Baskets!
Parents Night Out
March 7th
Cost: $5 Members
$10 Non-members
6:00 - 10:00pm
Contact Alex.Lempin@townofsmyrna.org

MARCH CRITTER ENCOUNTER
Wednesdays
No Cost
4:30 - 5:30

Family Campfire
March 21
6:00pm - 8:30pm
Sharp Springs Natural Area
$2.00
All Ages Welcome
Registration on CommunityPass
March 3rd  Homeschool PE  Pac-Man
Join us at the SOAC for a friendly game of human, life-size rendition of the iconic game, Pac-Man.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center  100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 9:00AM - 10:00AM or 10:30AM – 11:30PM  Cost: $2  Ages: 5-15
Registration REQUIRED through Community Pass
Contact michelle.nicholson@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 3rd  Preschool  Celebrate Dr. Seuss!
Celebrate the beloved Dr. Seuss! With his birthday being March 2nd join the SOAC staff for birthday activities, fun rhymes and a birthday treat. During this event, our Storytime Session will feature one of his classic tales.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 1:00PM – 2:00PM  Cost: $2  Ages: 2-5
Registration REQUIRED through Community Pass
Contact shelly.denton@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 4th, 11th, 18th, and 25th  Public Program  Critter Encounter
Meet the SOAC animals and enjoy interactive, nature-based activities every Wednesday!
Look for more information posted on the Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center Facebook page.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 4:30PM – 5:30PM  No Cost  All ages welcome
Registration suggested on Community Pass
Contact miranda.pewitt@townofsmyrna.org or visit our Facebook page for more information.

March 7th  Public Program  Parent's Night Out
Drop the kids off at the SOAC, and enjoy a night to yourself! Snacks provided.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 6:00PM – 10:00PM  Cost: $5 for members, $10 for non-members  Ages: 6-13
Registration REQUIRED through Community Pass
Contact alex.lempin@townofsmyrna.org for more information and for member discount.

March 10th, 11th, 24th, & 25th  Homeschool  Pack Animals!
For this month's homeschool topic, we will work together to accomplish teambuilding activities inspired by the animal kingdom.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 9:00AM - 12:00PM  Cost: $5  Ages: 5-15
Registration REQUIRED through Community Pass
Contact Miranda.pewitt@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 10th  Preschool  Buggy Pollination
Spring is almost here but that also means bugs are almost here too! Why are we excited about bugs?
Bugs help pollinate lovely flowers. Join us at the SOAC for a preschool lesson all about pollination and the role that bugs play in it.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 1:00PM – 2:00PM  Cost: $2  Ages: 2-5
Registration REQUIRED through Community Pass
Contact michelle.nicholson@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 12th  Public Program  Busy Bees
Let's talk about Bees! Join us at the SOAC for a lesson and take-home crafts themed around these well-known pollinators.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 11:00AM – 3:00PM  Cost: Free with paid admission, Members, Free!  All Ages
Registration suggested through Community Pass
Contact michelle.nicholson@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 14th  Family Fun Night  Shamrock and Roll
Enjoy karaoke and St. Patrick’s Day inspired snacks and have a cup of St. Patrick’s Punch.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 6:00PM - 8:00PM  Cost: $2  All Ages Welcome
Registration REQUIRED through Community Pass
Contact Alex.Lempin@townofsmyrna.org or for more information.
March 15th  Public Program  Park Hop – Gregory Mill Park
Join the SOAC staff on the third Sunday of each month as we get to know our parks and facilities! For March, we will be visiting Gregory Mill Park. We will take a short walk around the main park, and then see if we can spot some springtime birds having lunch at the park’s bird blind. Be prepared to learn about the local birds and how important they are to our neighborhoods!

**Location:** Gregory Mill Park, 390 Enon Springs Rd. East
**Time:** 11:00AM - 1:00PM  **NO Cost**  **All Ages Welcome**
Registration **suggested** through Community Pass
Contact mike.kraft@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 17th  Homeschool P.E.  Half-Court Basketball
Kick off spring with a classic outdoor game at one of our most popular parks! Meet at Lee Victory Rec Park.

**Location:** Lee Victory Recreation Park, 110 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
**Time:** 9:00AM – 10:00AM OR 10:30AM – 11:30AM  **Cost:** $2  **Ages:** 5-18
Registration **REQUIRED** through Community Pass
Contact alex.lempin@townofsmyrna.org for more information

March 17th  Preschool  Leprechaun Hunt
Join us for a St. Patrick’s Day themed preschool in which we tell tales of Leprechauns and hunt for ‘gold’.

**Location:** Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
**Time:** 1:00PM – 2:00PM  **Cost:** $2  **Ages:** 2-5
Registration **REQUIRED** through Community Pass
Contact michelle.nicholson@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 21st  Public Program  Family Campfire
Join the SOAC staff around the campfire for fun games, yummy s’mores, and great company!

**Location:** Sharp Springs Natural Area, 1000 Espey Drive – Firepit located behind the Green Building
**Time:** 6:00PM - 8:30PM  **Cost:** $2  **All Ages Welcome**
Food is first come, first serve.  **EVENT IS CANCELLED IF IT RAINS**
Contact mike.kraft@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 24th  Preschool  Going on a Bear Hunt
Have you ever been on a bear hunt? Lean about Tennessee’s black bears, take a walk, make a craft, and ‘hunt’ for some ‘bears’!

**Location:** Sharp Springs Park, Shelter E.  311 Jefferson Pike entrance. Please dress appropriately for the weather.
**Time:** 1:00PM – 2:00PM  **Cost:** $2  **Ages:** 2-5
Registration **REQUIRED** through Community Pass
Contact alex.lempin@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 27th  Smyrna Stokes  Adult’s Night
Join us at the Smyrna Train Depot for a step-by-step painting night, all supplies included.
As a celebration of the arrival of the Spring season we will be painting bees surrounded by natural elements.

**Location:** Smyrna Train Depot, 98 Front Street
**Time:** 6:00PM - 8:00PM  **Cost:** $10  **Ages:** 14+
Registration **REQUIRED** through Community Pass
Contact michelle.nicholson@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

March 30th – April 3rd  Spring Break Programs
Join the SOAC staff each day for fun and educational programs during Spring Break!
**FREE Parent admission with PAID Child admission**

**Location:** Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
**Time:** 11:00 – 3:00pm  **Cost:** Included with paid admission. Members, Free!
Registration **suggested** through Community Pass
Contact shelly.denton@townofsmyrna.org for more information.
June 8-12  Babysitters Club!
Want to become a certified babysitter? This camp offers babysitting and child care training designed to help you provide safe, high-quality child care. This camp will help participants develop leadership skills; learn how to start a babysitting business and learn basic CPR and first aid skills.
Red Cross Babysitters Certification earned at the end of the camp week.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 8:00am - 12:00pm, snack provided
Cost: $75  Ages 11-14
Registration Required through Community Pass  Contact Shelly.Denton@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

June 8-12  Land, Sea, and Sky!
Take a journey from land to sea to skies! In this camp kids will learn about oceans, rain forest and outer space without leaving Smyrna, TN.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 8:00am - 12:00pm, snack provided
Cost: $75  Ages 5-7
Registration Required through Community Pass  Contact Michelle.Nicholson@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

June 15-19  Young Environmentalists!
This camp will take us on an exploration of the environment around us, with an emphasis on being good stewards of the natural world. Each day we will cover topics like animals, forests, water and recycling.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 8:00am - 12:00pm
Cost: $75  Ages 5-7
Registration Required through Community Pass  Contact Mike.Kraft@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

June 22-26  C.S.I. (Camp Science and Investigation)
Step into the shoes of an ace sleuth, and work to solve a big mystery. Utilize forensic science, deductive reasoning, team work, and old-fashioned instincts to solve the case. Campers will work together to eliminate different suspects each day, and combine all the clues to solve the mystery on the last day.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 8:00am - 4:00pm, Campers MUST bring lunch, snack provided
Cost: $125  Ages 8-12
Registration Required through Community Pass  Contact Michelle.Nicholson@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

July 6-10  Camp Creative!
Join this full day camp dedicated to creativity and imagination. Campers will enjoy imaginative free play, and hands-on activities to stimulate creativity. Each day will focus on a different area of art, engineering, and other creative mediums. The only limit is your imagination!
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 8:00am - 4:00pm, Campers MUST bring lunch, snack provided
Cost: $125  Ages 8-12
Registration Required through Community Pass  Contact Alex.Lempin@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

July 13-17  SOAC Safari!
Send your child on an adventure through jungles, grasslands and deserts! Each day we will discover the wildlife on different continents, play games and meet some of the SOAC education animals.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 12:00pm - 4:00pm
Cost: $75  Ages 5-7
Registration Required through Community Pass  Contact Miranda.Pewitt@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

July 20-24  Myths and Legends!
All over the world people use stories to share experiences, teach lessons, and bring communities together. Explore these tales of fantastic monsters, incredible heroes, and mystical legends through playful lessons and engaging hands-on activities.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 8:00am - 12:00pm
Cost: $75  Ages 5-7
Registration Required through Community Pass  Contact Alex.Lempin@townofsmyrna.org for more information.

July 27-31  Animal Scientists!
From millipedes to cows and many animals in between, this camp will explore what life is like for animals. Each day we will interact with SOAC education animals, explore outside and develop a greater appreciation for the world around us.
Location: Smyrna Outdoor Adventure Center, 100 Sam Ridley Pkwy E.
Time: 8:00am - 4:00pm, Campers MUST bring lunch, snack provided
Cost: $125  Ages 8-12
Registration Required through Community Pass  Contact Miranda.Pewitt@townofsmyrna.org for more information.