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## PRESS RELEASE

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**For Immediate Release  
March 31, 2020**

To ensure the safety of our participants and staff, the Spartanburg County Parks Department will be immediately suspending the following programs until April 30, 2020:

- Senior Adult / 50+ Wellness
- After Class Enrichment
- Youth and Adult Athletics (to include practices, games and rentals)
- Recreation Programs
- Special Events
- The Egg-Cessible Easter Egg Hunt and Easter Egg Scramble have been cancelled

The following facilities will be closed until April 30, 2020:

- All athletic facilities to include the following: athletic fields, basketball courts, tennis courts, volleyball courts and disc golf courses
- All playgrounds and outdoor fitness equipment
- All Community Centers to include indoor fitness centers
  - Chesnee Community Center
  - Cleveland Park Event Center
  - Lake Cooley Outdoor Education Center
  - Timken Community Center
  - TW Edwards Community Center
  - Woodruff Leisure Center
- The following parks: Chesnee Park, Fairmont Larkin Park, Gordon Henry Park and Mabry Park

All community center, picnic shelter and athletic field rentals haven been canceled through April 30, 2020.

Spartanburg County will continue to monitor the COVID-19 situation as health officials make information available, and it is possible that the closures could be extended. The safety of our community is our primary concern and we appreciate your patience during this time.

Please watch for updates at [spartanburgparks.org](http://spartanburgparks.org) or call 864-595-5356.