# CITY OF WINTER SPRINGS 2024 CITY EVENTS & PROGRAMS



\*Please be aware that event dates, times, and locations are tentative and may be subject to change

#### **46th Central Florida Scottish Highland Games**

Saturday, January 13 and 14, 8 am-5 pm

Central Winds Park

Join us for the 46th annual Central Florida Scottish Highland Games. Enjoy Scottish food, heritage, dancing, and athletics at Central Winds Park. For more information visit www.flascot.com

# **25th Annual Father Daughter Dance**

Saturday, February 10, 6 pm - 8 pm Winter Springs Senior Center

Join us for our annual Father Daughter Dance! Set out for a fun-filled night of dancing & music your little girl will never forget. Enjoy a live DJ, a free photo by a professional photographer, free refreshments, & great prizes!

# Arbor Day Tree Giveaway

# Online registration begins February 12, 2024 at 8am and closes March 25, 2024 at 5 pm

Embrace Arbor Day by planting a tree! Winter Springs Residents can register online to receive a complimentary tree delivered to their home just in time for the Arbor Day celebration. Limit one tree per household.

#### Movie In The Park

Friday, March 1, 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm Torcaso Park Bring a lawn chair or picnic blanket and enjoy a family movie in the park.

# Egg-citing Egg Hunt

Friday, March 22, 4:30 pm - 8:30 pm Central Winds Park Join us for a parkwide spring egg hunt! Children aged 2 to 12 are invited to bring their own baskets, search for eggs, indulge in local food trucks, and have a chance to win exciting prizes, including a special surprise for finding the golden egg!

#### Fish Winter Springs (Week 1)

Saturday, May 4, 8 am - 10 am Central Winds Park

Enjoy a morning of fishing fun with the family! Bring your child to experience the leisure of fishing and learn how to cast, bait the hook, and the safety of the outdoors.

#### Fish Winter Springs (Week 2)

Saturday, May 11, 8 am - 10 am Central Winds Park

Enjoy a morning of fishing fun with the family! Bring your child to experience the leisure of fishing and learn how to cast, bait the hook, and the safety of the outdoors.

#### Food Truck Thursday (May)

Thursday, May 16, 5pm - 8pm Trotwood Park

Join us at Trowtwood Park for an evening filled with delicious food from local food trucks and vendors. Bring a blanket or lawnchair for a picnic in the park.

#### Camp Sunshine (10 Weeks)

#### Tuesday, May 28 - Friday, August 2 Winter Springs Civic Center

Camp Sunshine is a day camp for elementary aged children. Campers will engage in activities that encourage teamwork, creativity, and leadership skills.

#### WSPD Community Youth Outreach (4 Weeks)

#### June and July Dates TBD Torcaso Park

The Winter Springs Police Department is hosting the Community Youth Outreach program with the aim of building stronger relationships through positive experiences and interaction with local law enforcement! Children can learn, laugh, and play with WSPD's Community Relations. Lunch and water will be provided.

#### **Celebration of Freedom**

Thursday, July 4, 5 pm - 9:30 pm Central Winds Park

Get ready to light up the night this 4th of July at Central Winds Park! Join us for the 26th annual Celebration of Freedom, packed with live entertainment, a free kid's area, fantastic vendors, and a breathtaking fireworks finale! Don't forget to wear your red, white, and blue.

# 9/11 Memorial Ceremony

Wednesday, September 11, 8:30 am – 9am Winter Springs Police Department Please join the City of Winter Springs Mayor, Commission, and staff for the 23-year remembrance of September 11 events.

# Food Truck Thursday (September)

Thursday, September 19, 5pm - 8pm Trotwood Park

Join us at Trowtwood Park for an evening filled with delicious food from local food trucks and vendors. Bring a blanket or lawnchair for a picnic in the park.

# WSPD Ghoulishly Good Times

October Date TBD Torcaso Park

Winter Springs Police Department is providing treats and popcorn for all, and there will be dinner options from local food trucks. Bring a lawn chair or blanket to enjoy a family movie in the park.

#### 18th Annual Hometown Harvest

#### Saturday, October 26, 4:30 pm - 8:30 pm Central Winds Park

Celebrate autumn at our 18th annual fall festival Hometown Harvest! From FREE hayrides to live musical performances, this event hosts many fun activities, including the Winter Springs Got Talent competition!

# WSPD National Night Out 2024

#### Saturday, October 26, 4:30 pm - 8:30 pm Central Winds Park

Come celebrate National Night Out at Hometown Harvest with WSPD! Celebrate the ability to walk freely through the streets without the fear of being victimized by crime. WSPD will have specialty vehicles on display and officers to meet!

#### Veterans Day Tribute

Monday, November 11, 6pm - 7pm Veterans Memorial at Town Center

Join the City of Winter Springs as we honor our nation's heroes. This event offers a time to honor our 2024 Hometown Hero and remember veterans and those who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom.

# 42nd Annual Winter Wonderland

Saturday, December 7, 4 pm - 8 pm Winter Springs Town Center

Tis the season for joy and celebration! Stop by and enjoy the festivities this holiday season at Winter Wonderland! Experience an evening with one of the longest-running traditions in our city, the 42nd annual Holiday Parade featuring local talent and businesses, and the annual Christmas tree Lighting! Enjoy local entertainment and a visit from Santa Claus!

# Light Up Central Winds!

Drive-Thru December,13,14,15,20 from 7:00 pm-9:30pm

Walk-Thru Saturday, December 21, from 5 pm - 8:30 pm

Central Winds Park

Visit Central Winds Park and view holiday light tunnels for free presented by the City and local businesses and organizations.

# WSPD Santa's City Run

#### December Dates TBD

Santa is coming to town! Each year Santa visits Winter Springs for one week and is escorted each night around the city by the Winter Springs Police Department to spread candy and joy to the children and families who come outside to wave to him. On the big night, be sure to listen for police sirens!