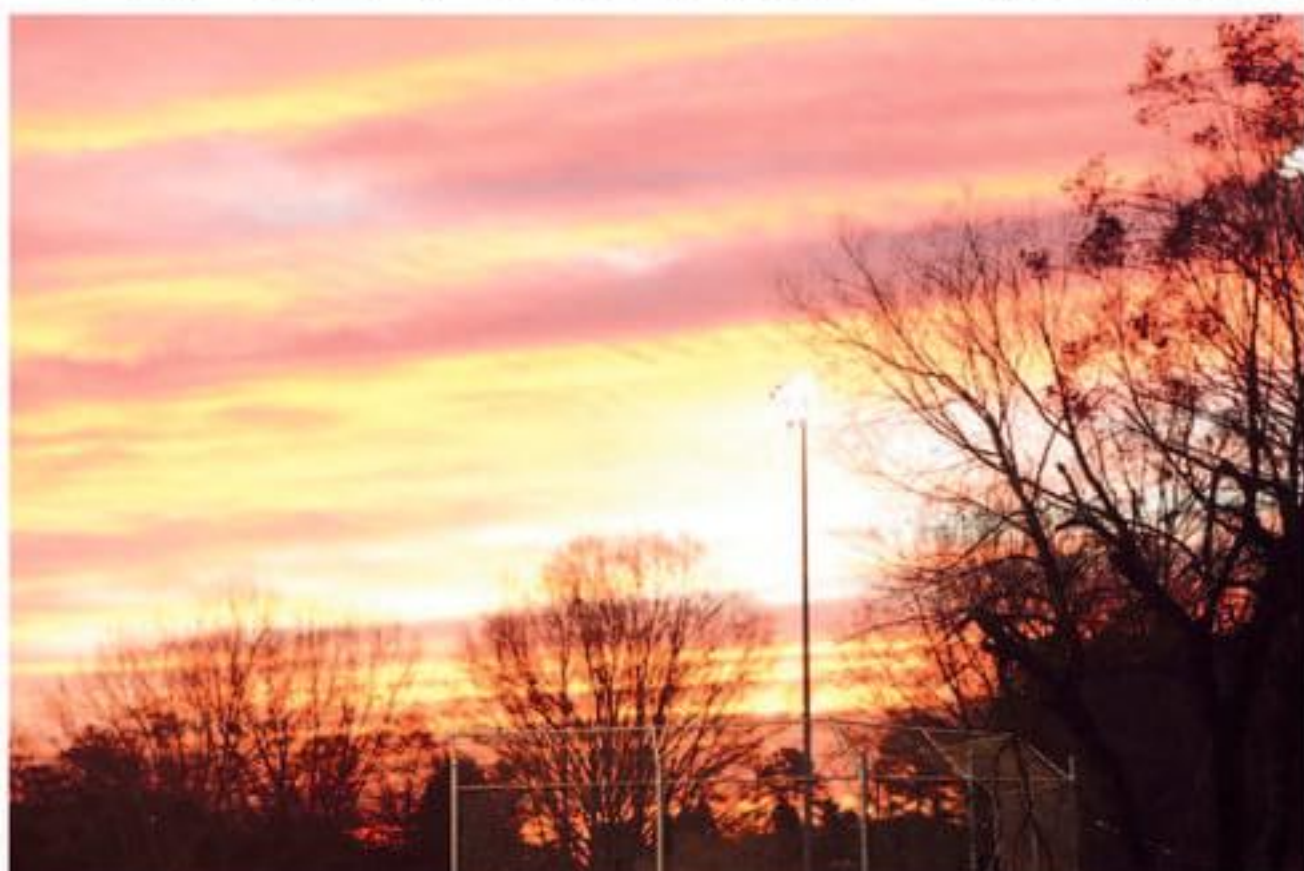


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SPOTLIGHT

RACE FOR THE GREEN 5K SELLS OUT AGAIN FOR 2024!

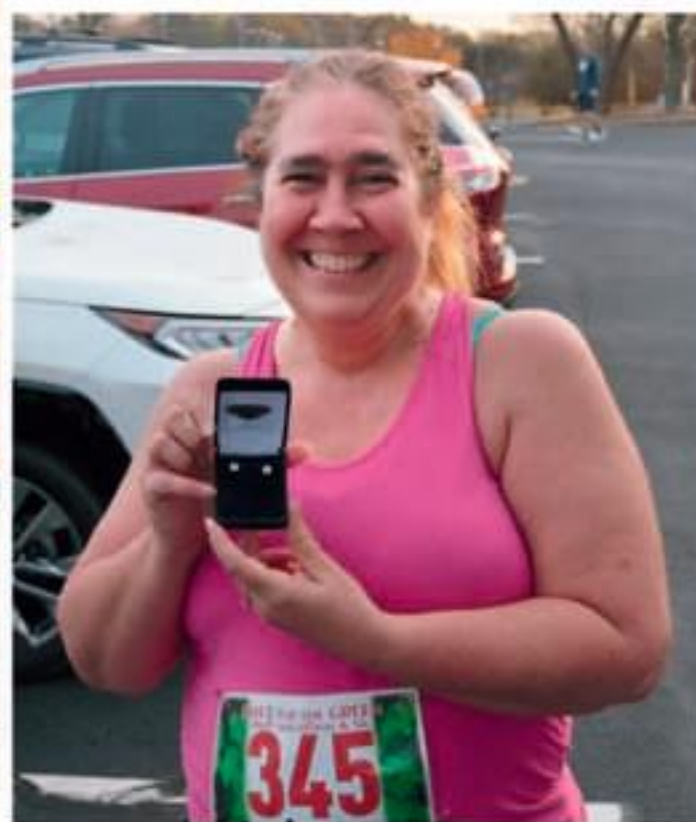


A great morning for a run in Seneca, SC! Photo by Ryan Long

With well over 600 runners signing up to run, Seneca's 2024 "Race for the Green" set yet another NEW event record for the number of registrations. A beautiful, perfect day for mid-March, the Race for the Green gave runners ideal weather for shedding winter blues, testing endurance and celebrating the arrival of spring.

The Race for the Green is important to the economy of not only Seneca, but Oconee County as well. On race weekend, hotels are full, restaurants are teeming with new business, and city-wide and county-wide businesses are humming with new commerce. It just doesn't get any better than this!

From "Fun" to "Run," Race for the Green participants enjoy one of Seneca's most-loved events!



Tina Stokes of Clemson was Winner of the Bradley's Jewelers Emerald Earrings
 Photo by Debbie Williams



Molly Wempe of Seneca was Winner of the Julian Davis-Allstate Best Costume Award.
 Photo by Ryan Long



Future 5K Runner. Photo by Ryan Long



Left - Fastest Male
 James Quattlebaum

Right - Fastest Female
 Alyssa Bloomquist

Photos by Ryan Long

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And SO many others that space will not allow us to thank here!

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 Excel Rehab & Sports

Our Dog Park is Now Open!



The City of Seneca PetSafe© Dog Park is Now Open!

Where: 505 Quincy Rd - Seneca, SC 29678

Hours of Operation: Sunrise to Sunset, 7 Days a Week



Dog Park Tips

After a vigorous play session, let your dog have a few sips of water. Give him a little more as he cools down.

Don't bring food items inside the dog park or toys that your dog may feel possessive of.

Don't keep your dog on a leash *inside* the fenced area. The presence of a leash can be a major stressor. It prevents your dog from moving away from other dogs if they feel stressed or trapped. After you safely bring your dog into the fenced area of the dog park *on leash*, remove the leash and assess your dog's comfort level.

Become familiar with your dog's body language and pay attention. Look for a relaxed body posture like a loosely wagging tail, no physical tension, and maybe even a play bow. Negative signs to watch for: a low or tucked tail, raised hair, hunched back, whites of the eyes showing, crouching close to the ground, or ears pinned back. Fearful dogs may also pull back their lips and show teeth, or even hide behind you.

Deb the Dog Lady

Please read and become familiar with rules before using our dog park.

Rules can be found at:

**<https://seneca.sc.us/seneca-dog-park-home>
or on our Facebook Page City of Seneca PetSafe Dog Park**

Note: Legacy Brick Sidewalk will be completed at a later date. A Dedication Ceremony will be held (approx date June) and all who purchased bricks will be invited.

***Bricks may still be purchased at:
<https://seneca.sc.us/seneca-dog-park-home>***

It's Spring Clean Up Time!



Mark your calendars!

City Wide Spring Clean Up

**April 27th
8 am to 1 pm**

Sponsored by The City of Seneca
Public Works Department

Bring your items to dumpsters at these locations:

**Shaver Recreation Complex
Rear of Seneca Fire Department
Mount Zion Church off Bruce Hill Blvd.
Seneca Public Works Parking Lot
Seneca Wesleyan Church on S Walnut
Cross Creek Club House Gravel Lot
Gignilliat Parking Lot on General Dozier Drive
North Hampton Road - Island Near Water Plant
Loran Point and Yorktown Drive
Point Road Cul-de-Sac
Hillandale Road Cul-de-Sac
Blue Ridge Field**

The following items will not be accepted: Paint, Cross Ties, Propane Tanks, Tires

**Call the Public Works Department, City of Seneca, for more information!
864-885-2750**



This & That in the City



Mosquito Spraying Schedule for the City of Seneca

Weather permitting, the City of Seneca will provide mosquito spraying within the City limits of Seneca on the following dates:

May 3, 2024
May 17, 2024
May 31, 2024
June 14, 2024
June 28, 2024
July 12, 2024
July 26, 2024
August 9, 2024
August 23, 2024
September 6, 2024
September 20, 2024

We spray in the evenings starting around 8:30 pm
We don't spray if it is raining
If people are close to the area we are spraying, we are required to turn off the machine until we get past them.

IF YOU HAVE BEE HIVES WITHIN CITY LIMITS, PLEASE CONTACT PUBLIC WORKS BY CALLING

**864-885-2750 or
EMAIL publicworks@seneca.sc.us**

Upcoming

Jazz on the Alley
every Thursday night through
October
Downtown Seneca

Cruzin' On Main - First
Saturday of each month April
through October
4 pm - Downtown Seneca

Rogue's Outing Golf
Tournament - Seneca Police
Department - April 18th at
Cross Creek Golf Club

*Seneca City-Wide
Clean Up Day* - April 27th



Happy Birthday, Barb!

Mayor Dan Alexander happened upon a joyous birthday celebration during his recent lunch visit to Mayberry's in downtown Seneca. He happily accepted the ladies' invitation to join the celebration of the 80th birthday of local resident Barb Hennig.

What a great way to end a lunch hour!