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Be adventurous and dive in for Easter eggs, race against your peers for prize eggs at Hidden Creek Sports Complex, or enjoy a leisurely stroll through fields dotted with eggs at the City's Russell Farm. Whatever you choose, make sure your calendar is cleared for Saturday, March 19, and Saturday, March 26.

The fun begins on March 19 with Aqua Egg Hunt. Grab your swimsuits and grab your goggles – it's time to hunt for Easter eggs in the BRiCk's indoor pool. The hunt begins at 10 a.m.

Children up to age 11 will be divided into four age groups for hunts in the play structure area and the lap pool. First up are those two years old or younger (must have a parent/guardian) at 10 a.m., followed by children three to five years old at 10:30 a.m. The hunt moves to the lap pool at 11 a.m. with children six to eight years old. The finale features those between nine and 11 years old, at 11:30 a.m. The fee is \$2 for each child.

Participation in Aqua Egg Hunt is limited, so preregistration is recommended. You can start signing up on Monday, Feb. 15, at the BRiCk, 550 N.W. Summercrest Blvd. For more information, call the BRiCk at 817-426-9104.

Once the youngsters have dried off and changed clothes, take them across town to the ballfields at Hidden Creek Sports Complex for the free Bunny Daze festivities, 12 p.m.-2 p.m. There will be onstage performances, carnival games, and face painting. The Easter Bunny will be at Bunny Daze to meet and greet and pose for pictures.

The Bunny Daze Easter egg hunt starts at 1:30 p.m. and lasts for about 30 seconds. Children, up to age 12, will be divided into age groups to hunt for eggs, including prize eggs. This year we have added a section for children with special needs and disabilities to hunt for those prize eggs.

If you want to be a Bunny Daze vendor, the booth spaces are \$20 for a 10x10 space. A cover over your booth is recommended. Call the BRiCk at 817-426-9014. Hidden Creek Sports Complex is located at 295 E. Hidden Creek Pkwy., next to Hidden Creek Golf Course.

The big Easter finale features Joey the Donkey. Joey is graciously putting on his rabbit ears just for you on Saturday, March 26. He is hosting the Easter egg hunt for the wee ones at his home, Russell Farm, at 11 a.m. Children up to 4 years old can join him at the farm at 405 W. County Road 714. Joey will pose for pictures, so bring your own camera and Easter baskets.

The 30-acre Russell Farm was donated to the City in 2011. The grounds have several galleries containing wood sculptures by Charlie Boren and local artists, along with historical artifacts. For more information about the Easter egg hunt at Russell Farm, call 817-447-3316.