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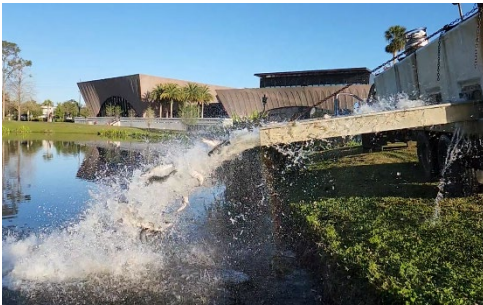
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PRESS RELEASE

Natural Resources & Sustainability announces the Get Hooked Family Fishing Event

WINTER PARK, FL (September 14, 2026) - The city's Natural Resources & Sustainability Department will host the Get Hooked Family Fishing Event **Saturday, October 3**, from **8 to 10 a.m.**, at Lake Mendsen in Martin Luther King, Jr. Park, located at 255 South Denning Drive. This event is free and open to the public and registration is not required.

Participants are welcome to bring their own fishing gear, poles and bait will be provided courtesy of the [Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission](#). The event will also include a raffle for kids, and every young angler is guaranteed to go home with a fish.



The Get Hooked Family Fishing Event is designed to reintroduce families to the wholesome fun of fishing, releasing, and enjoying Winter Park's lakes and waterways. The event reflects the Lakes Division's ongoing efforts to connect residents with the city's lakes and promote responsible stewardship. Families are encouraged to come out, enjoy a morning on the water, and learn more about the natural resources that keep Winter Park beautiful.

For questions regarding the Get Hooked Family Fishing Event, please contact Johnny Miller at jmiller@cityofwinterpark.org or [407-599-3463](tel:407-599-3463).

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