

# Starport Newsletter

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**STARPORT**  
NASA EXCHANGE - JSC

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Saturday, April 19

9am-2pm

Gilruth Center

## Starport's SPRING FESTIVAL



Each Spring Starport holds a Spring Festival at the Gilruth Center. It's a fun family time with a Children's Spring Fling, Craft Fair, Flea Market, Crawfish Boil, Disc Golf, and new this year—Aliens Vs. Astronauts 5.05K!

### Children's Spring Fling

Come join in on the fun complete with a hot dog lunch, petting zoo, bounce house, face painting, egg hunt, and a visit from the Easter Bunny.

10am-12pm | Gilruth Center Back Field and Pavilion

*Tickets on sale now*

\$8 if purchased by April 11

\$10 if purchased April 12 through day of event

*Ages 18 months - 12 years need a ticket*

Purchase tickets online, at the Gilruth Center, and B3 and B11 Gift Shops.



### Flea Market

We're having one big "yard sale" where people will be selling their unwanted items they've cleaned out from their closets, attics, and garages so come do some shopping for some hidden treasures and great finds!



### Craft Fair

We'll have over 40 vendors selling homemade crafts and goodies in the gymnasium, so enjoy yourself while shopping for home décor, candles, jewelry, baked goods, and much more!

### Crawfish Boil

Join us for some tasty Mudbugs! \$7 per pound with potatoes and corn. Hot dogs, chips, soda, and beer also available.

11:00am | Gilruth Center Pavilion



### Disc Golf

A nine hole disc golf course will be set up and available for play at 10:30. Free to play. Rental discs will be available for \$5 per set.

### Aliens vs. Astronauts 5.05K

This 5.05K (3.14 miles) race through Johnson Space Center is Starport's battle to determine the ultimate life form. Race participants will register as either an alien or astronaut. Times for each species will then be averaged to crown the fastest life form in the universe.

9:00am | \$25 | Gilruth Center | Register by April 4 to guarantee shirt



## What's going on in our Cafés and Gift Shops:

### First Tuesday

10% discount in Gift Shops

April 1

### JSC Federal Credit Union

B3 - April 2 - 11am-1:30pm

## Sunrise Spin

Renew your senses and invigorate your mind and body with a 60-minute OUTDOOR SPINNING® class that will conclude as the sun rises. This motivational endurance ride is great for all levels. Light refreshments will be provided after class.

Sunday, April 20 | 6-7am

Gilruth Center Pavilion

Early Registration:

\$10/person (ends April 11) |

Regular Registration:

\$15/person (April 12-April 19)

Register at the Gilruth Center or online.

## Wet n Wild SplashTown

### JSC Family Picnic at Splashtown

The NASA-JSC Family Picnic takes place at Splashtown Water Park every year the weekend before the park opens to the public. Don't miss out on the fun family event full of thrills plus all you can eat BBQ, sno cones, draft beer, and lots of activities!

Sunday, April 27 | 12-6pm

Ticket Prices:

\$33 March 17-April 18

\$37 April 19-April 25

Purchase tickets at the B3 and B11 Gift Shops and the Gilruth Center