

# September 12th Schedule

**Location:** Riverparks on Riverside Dr from the Pedestrian Bridge to 41st St. Tulsa Riverparks naturally draws the public on late-summer weekends.

**Time:** 7 AM—7 PM

**Basic schedule:**

7-9 AM	5K run
9-11:30 AM	Crow Creek Cleanup
11:30– 7 PM	Water Festival

**Events included in the festival are:**

- Art show
- Booths - Vendors of all kinds
- Educational opportunities
- Interactive Fun Zone
- Karaoke competition
- Live auction
- Merit badge fair
- Music by local radio stations
- Photo contest

Please come out and join us for this family friendly event with something for everyone!

## Get Involved and Join the Fun

The Water Festival will celebrate Tulsa’s water resources and help the public understand ways we can protect and improve them.

Join other agencies, corporations, nonprofit groups, art vendors, and Scout troops as a part of the first ever Water Festival celebrating Crow Creek and 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Creek Cleanup.

We will have activities for all ages, educational and informational booths, vendor booths, a 5K run, and a creek cleanup on Crow Creek.

If your group is interested in having a booth or in being a sponsor, please call 280-1595 or email us at [tulsaccd@conservation.ok.gov](mailto:tulsaccd@conservation.ok.gov).

### Current Sponsors (as of May 1st)



Tulsa Area Conservation Foundation  
presents



## Water Festival

celebrating Crow Creek!  
**September 12, 2009**

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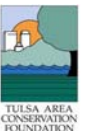
## *It's Always a Beautiful Day at Crow Creek!*

### 15th Annual Creek Cleanup

**This free educational festival includes:**

- 5K Run
- Art Show
- Merit Badge Fair  
(Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and Campfire)
- Interactive “Fun Zone”  
(Fun nature activities and crafts)
- Nature and Wildlife Booths and Exhibits
- Environmentally Friendly Vendors

Kick-off for a multi-year pollution prevention educational





# Crow Creek Needs Our Help!

Crow Creek, a stream that flows through much of Midtown Tulsa and Brookside, is currently “impaired”.

Local citizens - especially children - enjoy spending time in Crow Creek. We need to make it safer for them to explore and play in the water. Fish and wildlife also need the waters of Crow Creek.

## Water Festival celebrating Crow Creek

The Water Festival will:

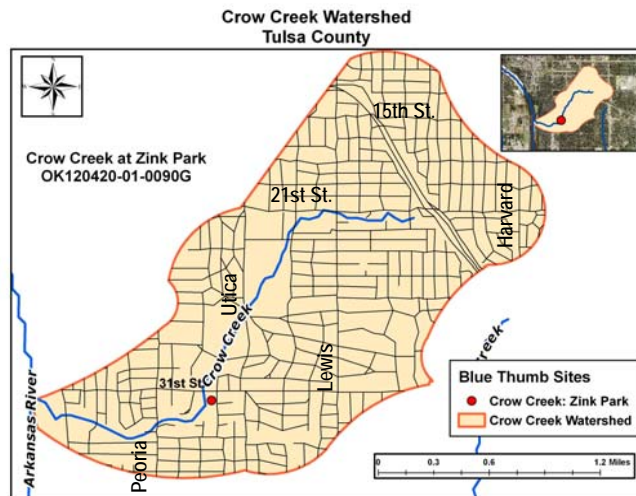
- Provide fun activities for hundreds of local residents
- Celebrate Tulsa’s water resources
- Provide solutions to improve Crow Creek and other Tulsa streams

The “Water Festival Celebrating Crow Creek” will serve as a kick-off for a multiyear outreach campaign to return Crow Creek to a healthy condition. This can only be achieved by helping the residents within the watershed understand their personal impacts on the stream.

### Five important entities working for Crow Creek:

- Tulsa Area Conservation Foundation
- Tulsa County Conservation District
- Natural Resources Conservation Service
- City of Tulsa
- Blue Thumb Water Pollution Education Program

*The “Water Festival Celebrating Crow Creek” and the subsequent education effort is serving as a pilot program within the Tulsa area. Additional streams will be selected for intense watershed education efforts based on the successes realized within the Crow Creek watershed.*



**Join us as a donor, sponsor, vendor, educator or volunteer!**

Show Tulsa citizens that YOU are committed to helping our local environment! **All fees and contributions are tax deductible!**



**Come serve the crowd with your booth on September 12!**

Booth price includes one table and two chairs. Early Bird Booth Registration by August 1st (late registration add \$25):

- Nonprofit - \$50
- For profit - \$100
- Artists - \$75
- Electrical access is an additional \$30

**Volunteer opportunities:** We are always looking for people to assist with planning before the event and on the ground the day of the event.

To sign up or for more information please contact TCCD at 280-1595, 280-1598, or email at [tulsaccd@conservation.ok.gov](mailto:tulsaccd@conservation.ok.gov)