## NC Creek Week Network Tips for a Successful Creek Week

Task	When Should This Task Be Completed (Planning Timeline)
<ul> <li>Identify key stakeholders/committee</li> <li>Establishing dates</li> <li>Investigating funding sources</li> </ul>	1 Year in Advance
<ul> <li>Design T-Shirts?</li> <li>Set up meetings and invite key partners, host first planning meeting</li> <li>Set up website, start panning out calendar of events with partners</li> <li>Confirm/apply for any additional funding sources</li> </ul>	6 Months in Advance
<ul> <li>Place order for T-Shirts</li> <li>Continue to reach out to potential partners, maybe their schedule has freed up a bit</li> <li>Confirm Calendar of Events, launch website, set up Facebook events</li> <li>Set up marketing/advertising</li> </ul>	3 Months in Advance



<ul> <li>Pick up shirts from vendor, distribute shirts 2 weeks out (encourage everyone to start wearing them for advertising)</li> <li>Follow up with partners, do you have all the information you need to properly promote their event?</li> <li>Begin advertising events, distribute promotional flyers</li> </ul>	1 Month in Advance
<ul> <li>Social Media reminders; distribute t- shirts if you haven't already.</li> <li>Distribute flyers and promotional materials</li> </ul>	1 Week in Advance
<ul> <li>Gather supplies/load vehicle (if hosting off site)</li> <li>(for outdoor events) Check weather/notify volunteers</li> </ul>	1 Day in Advance
Put out event signs, post reminder on social media, attend as many events as you can, help set-up and clean-up events	Day of Event



