CITY OF DWIGHT Newsletter August - December 2015



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DOG REGISTRATIONS

If you still need to get your pet registered, please bring proof of rabies vaccination to the City Office along with your payment of \$7 for spayed/neutered dog and \$10 for un-spayed/unneutered dog. Dog registrations expire on April 30th each year.

PROPERTY LISTINGS/RENTALS

If you have a property for sale or rent please contact the City Office so we can put it on our website and facebook page!

STREETLIGHTS AND STREET SIGNS

Please let the City know if you see a streetlight or a street sign that needs replaced. Westar has switched to all LED lights so hopefully they will not need replaced as often.

SUMMERFEST 2017

There will be a Summerfest 2017 Committee meeting held on September 24th, 2015 at 7PM in the Dwight Community Building. Everyone is welcome to attend! Summerfest will be held on August 5th, 2017

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DWIGHT COMMUNITY HALLOWEEN PARTY

The Dwight Community Halloween Party for the children in the area will be held on Sunday, October 25th from 3-5PM in the Fellowship Hall of the Dwight United Methodist Church. The party will include games, treats and lots of fun!! Hayrack rides will be at 3:15 and 4:15. (An adult must accompany their child/children on the hayrack ride). Come to the party dressed in your Halloween costume!!

Following the party at 5PM, the Dwight Community Development Corporation will host a community hotdog meal in the City Park, across the street from the church. EVERYONE is invited to this FREE meal! At 6PM, a Trunk & Treat will be held on the South side of the United Methodist Church. If you wish to participate in the Trunk & Treat, please be set up by 6PM and the children will proceed from one end to the other as they visit you. Members of the community are welcome to help and/or donate with any of these events. Please call Christy Claypool at 785-482-6060 or Diane Euler at 785-482-3260 if you have any questions.

ROLLING PRAIRIE MEALS

The Rolling Prairie Senior Center of White City would like to serve the Dwight community with meals. They would be willing to bring them to the Dwight Community Building. If you are interested in receiving a good home cooked and nutritious meal or are willing to volunteer to help with this, please contact Judy Stewart at 785-349-2813. They need at least ten people to sign up and only have a few so far so please let her know as soon as possible if you are interested. The meal must be picked up at the Community Building. You may also choose to stay at the Community Building and join others while you enjoy your meal. 60 years of age and older (with assessment for area on aging) is \$3.50. If you choose to not be assessed, the price for 60 years of age and older is \$5.25. 60 years and under-meals are \$5.25 each. Attached to the back of this Newsletter is a questionnaire/sign-up sheet. Please fill out and return to the City Office.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CLOSING

The last service for the Dwight Presbyterian Church will be at 2PM on October 25th, 2015.



FLU CLINIC

There will be a flu clinic held at the Community Building sometime in October. Please watch for more information to come!

DWIGHT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORP. GARAGE SALES

The DCDC will hold a garage sale at the old Grocery store in Dwight on November 7th, 2015. If you would like to bring items to sell feel free to do so or let Heather at the City Office know if you want to list your own garage sale!

"ROSS OLSON MEMORIAL FIELD WORSHIP SERVICE"

Dwight American Legion Post 289 will conduct a Ross Olson Memorial Field Worship Service+at the Marion Hill Lutheran Church on Sunday, November 8th, 2015 at 10 AM. Everyone is invited to attend.



Please thank Pam Goss and Janet Goss for making our City beautiful by planting and taking care of the flowers around town!

COMMUNITY BUILDING RENTAL

The Community Building is available for rent as long as it is available for a certain date. The fee to rent the building is \$35. A \$25 refundable deposit must also be paid prior to renting the building. Tables and chairs are also available to rent for a fee of \$25 and a \$25 refundable deposit.



Community Christmas Presentation



If you love to sing, come join the Community Chorus as we prepare for the Christmas Cantata! Practices for the Community Chorus Presentation (Cantata) will start on Tuesday, September 22nd at 7:30PM at the Dwight Community Building. Voices from high school age and above are encouraged to attend the practices. If you have any questions, please contact Diane Euler at 785-482-3260

The Annual Dwight Community Christmas Celebration will be held on Sunday, December 6th at 4PM at the Dwight Community Building. The celebration will include the Community Chorus presenting their Christmas Cantata followed by a visit from Santa, the lighting of the Community Christmas tree as carols are sung, refreshments, treats, fellowship and fun! Mark your calendars!



RECYCLING

Did you know that the City has a recycling center? It is located on the east end of the City maintenance shop on Highway 57 next to the old gas station. They accept the following items: newspaper, magazines, phone books, white and colored paper, tin cans, #1 clear plastic, #2 plastic (milk jugs), #2 colored plastic (laundry soap bottles), film plastic (grocery bags), cardboard, electronics, waste motor oil, scrap metal, batteries and scrap aluminum.

WEBSITE

The Citys website is a great place for important information. Forms for renting the community building and establishing water service can be found on the website, as well as Council meeting minutes and Ordinances.

www.dwightks.net

CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT

The Consumer Confidence Water Quality Report can be viewed on our website www.dwightks.net

PAYMENT OPTIONS

There are several ways to make your payment to the City. We have the drop box, or you may pay online by credit/debit card by visiting our website www.dwightks.net The City Clerk is also available in the City Office to accept payments during business hours.

You can also set your account up for Auto-Bill pay with Farmercs State Bank in Dwight. Your account balance will automatically deduct from your checking account on the 15th of every month! This is a great way to avoid a \$10 late fee! Forms are available at the City Office to start Auto-Bill pay.

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Dwight City Council Members are:

Mayor Galen Johnson

Council President Pam Goss

Councilwoman Kathy Worrell

Councilwoman Melissa Ellis

Councilman John Traynor

Councilman Richard Lindgren.

If you have any questions regarding City matters, please feel free to talk to any Council member or call the City Office.

WEEDS

Please check our website and review the Cityos weed Ordinance.

The nuisance as defined by Ordinance No. 1102 mentioned here includes:

1. Weeds and grasses on or about residential property which, because of its height, has a blighting effect on the neighborhood. Any such weeds shall be presumed to be blighting if they exceed 8 inches in height.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Sep 7	No School-Labor Day
Sep 14	6:30pm Board of Education Meeting
Sep 28	No School
Oct 12	6:30pm Board of Education Meeting
Oct 16	Early Dismissal
Oct 20-21	Parent Teacher Conferences
Oct 23	No School & Mini Cheer Clinic
Nov 9	No School
Nov 9	6:30pm Board of Education Meeting
Nov 25-27	No School-Thanksgiving Break
Dec 14	6:30pm Board of Education Meeting
Dec 15	PH Music Program 7pm
Dec 22	Early Dismissal
Dec 23-Jan 4	No School-Winter Break