

CITY OF DWIGHT NEWSLETTER

Spring 2018



DOG REGISTRATIONS

The annual Dog Clinic was held on April 14th. Dog tags expired on April 30th. If you have not registered your dog(s) please contact the City Office to get them registered. Pursuant to Ordinance No. 200D: Any dog over six months of age owned and kept within the city must be annually registered with the City Clerk. A current completed certificate of immunization against rabies is required for registration. A \$25 fine will be assessed if dogs are not registered within 30 days of the dog clinic.

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ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY LUNCH-MONDAY, MAY 28TH

11AM-1 PM AT THE DWIGHT UNITED
METHODIST FELLOWSHIP HALL

Come enjoy Fried Chicken,
Assorted Salads, Rolls and Pie.
Suggested Donation \$8.00 adults
\$4.00 children under ten years old.
Sponsored by the Dwight
Community Development Corp.

TRADING POST

The Dwight Trading Post items have temporarily been moved inside the City Office due to one individual removing many items daily. If you would like to trade an item or are in need of an item please visit the City Office during office hours. We are so sorry for this inconvenience!

PAYMENT OPTIONS

There are several ways to make your payment to the City. We have a dropbox outside the office located at 612 Main. Residents can pay online by credit/debit card by visiting our website www.dwightks.net and select make a payment. The City Clerk is also available to accept payments (check, cash, credit/debit card) during office hours.



AUTOMATIC PAYMENTS

Did you know that your Utility Payment can be automatically drafted from your FARMER'S STATE BANK IN DWIGHT bank account? There is no fee to do this. Your payment will be taken out on the 15th of each month. Forms available at the City Office!

PUBLIC FORUM TO BE HELD ON JUNE 16TH AT 10 AM AT THE DWIGHT CITY PARK TO DISCUSS PARK NEEDS!

COMMUNITY BUILDING FEES

The rental fee for the Dwight Community Building was raised from \$35 to \$45 in March. There will no longer be a deposit required to rent the Community Building however. Tables and chairs are no longer available to rent out.

If you would like to rent the Community Building for an event please call the City Office!



CITY OF DWIGHT FACEBOOK PAGE

The City of Dwight facebook page is a great place to stay up to date on events going on around Dwight! Check it out at www.facebook.com/cityofdwright

TRASH RATE INCREASE

The City of Dwight has a contract with Superior Systems that requires a cost of living evaluation each year. This year the increase was 2%. This means your trash charge will be raised from \$13.76 to \$14.04 per month.

DWIGHT LIBRARY

The Dwight Library has high speed internet available to use for FREE! Anyone is allowed to use the computer during Library hours. The Library is open:

Mondays 9 to 10 AM

Wednesdays 10-Noon and 1:30-4:30

Saturdays 10-Noon and 1-3

Library Phone #: 785-482-3804

*Check our website for monthly updates on new books at the Library!

SUMMER READING PROGRAM AT DWIGHT LIBRARY

Every Wednesday in July from 10-11 AM. Watch for a sign up sheet at a later date!

CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT

The Consumer Confidence Report is available on our website www.dwightks.net under "Water Quality". This report is a snapshot of the quality of the water that we provided last year.

SEWER CLEANING

The regularly scheduled sewer maintenance will take place on May 17th. This year, the SOUTHEAST section is scheduled. If the sewer main servicing your property will be cleaned, you will be notified a few days before with instructions.

DWIGHT ALUMNI REUNION

The Dwight Rural High School Alumni will have a reception at the Dwight Community Building on Saturday, May 26th from 1-3 pm. It will be a time to visit with friends and enjoy refreshments. Old school photos are welcome. Registration for the evening will begin at the Courtyard by Marriott in Junction City at 5:00 with the banquet to start at 6:30. If you are an Alumni and have not received a registration letter or you would like further information please contact Pam Goss at 785-482-3580 or 785-223-2491

BURN SITE-FRONT STREET

The City of Dwight holds a permit to burn trees and brush at the burn site at 4th and Front Streets. The permit allows only trees and brush to be burned. Recently major violations have occurred at the burn site. KDHE conducts random inspections at the burn site. If a violation has occurred,

they can take the City burn site away. This affects everyone in the City. Please keep an eye out for any violations that might occur. No other waste such as garbage, tires, shingles, or construction materials may be placed at the burn pile. Access to the burn pile is open to any resident who has limbs or brush to dispose of. All you need to do is take it to the burn site and the City will take care of properly burning it.

WEEDS

Ordinance No. 1102 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.

If the City has to mow your property you will be charged the current rate.

DWIGHT WEBSITE

Visit our website for updates on Ordinances, to pay your utility bill, check out new Library books and keep up to date on events going on!

www.dwightks.net



SPECIAL RECOGNITION:

The City of Dwight would like to say a special THANK YOU to [Christy Claypool](#) (soon to be Andersen ☺). Christy goes above and beyond to ensure that the Annual Easter Egg Hunt and Halloween Party go off without a hitch! She has been volunteering her time since 2003! Thank you Christy for all you do for the City! We truly appreciate you!! ☺

DWIGHT CITY EMPLOYEES

Mayor-Galen Johnson
Council President-Pam Goss
Councilmember-John Traynor
Councilmember-Richard Lindgren
Councilmember-John Talley
Councilmember-Jan Davis
City Clerk-Heather Brown
Water-Ryan Taylor
Sewer/Streets-Donald Glessner
Treasurer-Mina Miller
Dog Catcher-Ricky Worrell

WEATHER SAFETY

The tornado siren in Dwight is controlled by the Morris County Emergency Management. It will be sounded only when rotation has been sighted or the National Weather Service has issued a Tornado warning for our area. Once the siren has sounded, you have less than five minutes to take cover. Please take precautions by listening to your radio or television for watches or warnings. A second siren DOES NOT mean all clear – it means another storm is approaching. You should be prepared with an emergency supply kit. The following is an emergency supply list as recommended by FEMA:

- *WATER**-one gallon of water per person, per day for at least three days, for drinking and sanitation.
- *FOOD**-at least a three day supply of non-perishable food.
- *BATTERIES**-for flashlights, weather radios, etc.
- *FIRST AID KIT**
- *WHISTLE**-to signal for help
- *HAND-HELD CAN OPENER**-for food

Prairie Heights Elementary School Information:

May 10th	Kdg. Mother's Day Tea @3 PM
May 14th	Step Up Day 6th Grade
May 14th	BOE Meeting 6:30PM
May 15th	CGJH Band Concert @ 7 PM
May 17th	AR 100-pt Pizza Party
May 20th	CGHS Graduation 3PM
May 21st	Surprise Student Fun Day
May 21st	CGJH Graduation 7PM
May 22nd	Awards Day/Field Day and Last Day of School
	*Kdg Graduation- 10:30 AM and Academic Assembly
	*11:15AM Lunch and Recess Time
	*12:30 PM Field Day