

KIRKSVILLE CITY COUNCIL **NEWSLETTER . . .**

Mari E. Macomber, City Manager
April 18, 2014

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DATES TO REMEMBER

4/21 – Council Study Session – 4:30 pm; Council Meeting – 6 pm

4/29 – MML Training w/Council – 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

4/29 – MML Regional Meeting in Canton – Dinner at 7 pm

4/30 – NEMO Regional Planning Solid Waste Management Council Meeting in Edina

4/30 – NEMO Regional Planning General Membership Meeting in Edina

5/5 – Council Study Session – 4:30 pm at EDA; Council Meeting at City Hall – 6 pm

5/13-16 – Auditor’s Visit

5/18 – Naming of Kirksville/Jesse Kirk Stone Setting Dedication -2 pm

5/19 – Council Study Session – 4:30 pm; Council Meeting at City Hall – 6 pm

5/21 – City Blood Drive in Honor of David Hall 12 pm – 6 pm Fairgrounds

MML TRAINING WITH COUNCIL

Stuart Haynes, Policy and Membership Associate of the Missouri Municipal League, will stop at Kirksville on his way to Canton on April 29 to meet with the City Council from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm. Stuart will cover the Do’s and Don’ts as a Councilmember. This will also be an opportunity for the Council to ask questions.

MML REGIONAL MEETING

Please let Vickie know as soon as possible if you plan to attend the Regional meeting of the Missouri Municipal League in Canton on Tuesday, April 29, 2014. The meeting will be held at Saints Avenue Cafe, 1703 Oak St, Canton. Registration and social hour will begin at 6:00 p.m. The buffet dinner will start at 7:00 p.m. The registration fee for the meeting (including the dinner) will be \$15 per person (tax and gratuity included). Following dinner, Bob Fleet, Health and Government Markets Manager at American Fidelity Assurance Company will provide a presentation.

JESSE KIRK PROJECT

The Jesse Kirk Project is making progress. Kirksville R-III Schools Superintendent Pat Williams has tapped the third grade classes to assist with a penny drive fundraising campaign, due to the fact that third graders are receive instruction in local history. The stone setting dedication ceremony is set for Sunday, May 18, from 2 pm at the grave site.

PARK BLOCK PARTIES

This summer the Parks and Recreation Department will be offering block parties in each of the neighborhood parks – Memorial Park June 7, Jaycee – June 21, PC Mills – July 19 and Brashear – August 2. The Department will have activities for attendees. This would be a good opportunity, if the Council were interested to use these as a way for the City Council and Department Managers to get out and meet with the citizens in these areas to meet, greet and learn if there are ways that we can assist the residents or improve our services. Would the Council like to take advantage of these four dates? The time for each event will be 6 – 8 pm. For more information and to see what other activities are being planned for this summer, see the Parks and Recreation Program brochure attached to this Newsletter.

PARKS & REC. SPRING DINNER THEATRE

The Parks and Rec. Division's Spring Dinner Theatre, *Maybe Baby, It's You*, is currently underway and is being well received. Dates and times for the show were / are Wednesday, April 16 through Saturday, April 19 with the performance starting at 7 PM.

AQUATIC CENTER FLOOR

The project to replace the floor in the Aquatic Center began Friday, April 18 as the areas to be replaced were cleared of furniture. Work to replace the floor will begin Monday, April 21 and will be completed by April 28.

PARKS & REC. EASTER EGG HUNT SATURDAY, APRIL 19

The Parks & Rec. Division is holding their annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 19, at 10 AM on the Quad of Truman State University. The Easter Bunny will be there, so bring your camera!

MREIC PITCH COMPETITION & ROUNDTABLE

The Missouri Rural Enterprise and Innovation Center (MREIC) held a Pitch Competition on Friday, April 11, at 6 PM on the campus of Truman State University with four area

entrepreneurs pitching their business ideas. Then Wednesday, April 30, at 8 AM in the EDA Building, MREIC will be hosting an Entrepreneurial Roundtable with Rick Duree as the speaker. Duree, a native of Missouri, is the award-winning business owner of the successful textbook rental store, Book-X-Change based out of St. Charles, Missouri.

COMPLIMENT TO KIRK-TRAIN DISPATCHER KARI ROLSTON

KIRK-TRAN Dispatcher Kari Rolston has received numerous complimentary letters for her kindness to the riders of KIRK-TRAN. Copies of two of those letters have been included as attachments to this newsletter.

MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY ASSOCIATION KICK-OFF

Members of the Kirksville Fire Department participated in a Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) kick-off for the Fritz family. Pictures from the event have been included as attachments to this newsletter.

ADAIR COUNTY SB40 & ADAIR COUNTY FAMILY YMCA PARTNERSHIP

Adair County SB40 and the Adair County Family YMCA have partnered together to construct an all-inclusive playground via the Northeast Missouri Inclusion Project. They are applying for a Land and Water Conservation Fund grant through the National Park Service. The City of Kirksville is providing a letter of support for their grant application along with assistance in designing the playground and an inspection once the construction is complete.

LETTERS FROM AN AIRPORT TOUR

A group of area children recently toured the Kirksville Regional Airport. Airport Director Glenn Balliew forwarded letters that he received from the children following their tour. Those letters have been included as an attachment to this newsletter.

K-REDI MEMBERSHIP SURVEY

K-REDI is conducting a membership survey, and would like to remind the City Council to fill out their survey. For more information, or for a copy of the survey, please contact the K-REDI /SBTDC/MREIC Administrative Assistant Sara Stubbart at (660) 665-2003.

“BARK PARK” DOG PARK

The Kirksville Dog Park Committee is actively raising funds and is approximately \$2,000 away from their \$20,000 goal. Public Works Director Allan Griffiths is working with the Committee to address their concerns regarding certain design aspects of the park.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DROP OFF

The City is currently accepting Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) drop off appointments for all City residents. HHW may be dropped off from 9 AM to 12 PM, on the following Saturdays: April 19, July 19, and September 20. Citizens must call the Public Works Complex at 660-627-1291 to schedule their appointments. The press release announcing HHW Drop Off has been included as an attachment to this newsletter.

WALKING SCHOOL BUS

The Kirksville R-III School District is working with PedNet to schedule a Walking School Bus workshop in the near future as the City and School District continue to make progress on this program.

BATTLE OF KIRKSVILLE PINS & COMMEMORATIVE BOOKLETS

As part of the sesquicentennial celebration of the Battle of Kirksville, a written account of the 1862 battle was compiled into a commemorative booklet and a pin was designed depicting the Adair County Courthouse which was used as a fort by the Confederates and riddled by Union guns during the Battle. The Courthouse burned in 1865. The date of the Battle, August 6, 1862, is also inscribed on the pin. The commemorative booklet and Battle pin are available for \$1.00 each in the Administration Office of City Hall.

FEE ASSISTANCE FOR PARKS & REC. PROGRAMS

The Kirksville Women of Today are offering fee assistance for Parks and Rec. Division programs. For more information, please call (660) 627-1485.

TAXI CAB LICENSES

Recently concerns have been raised regarding the condition of local taxi cabs. The "Vehicle For Hire Check List / Inspection" document has been included in this newsletter as an attachment. Anecdotally, Adair County SB40 has an agreement to utilize the services of one of our local taxi cabs.

WATER METER TAMPERING

With the installation of the new water meters, we are starting to see that some of the meters are being tampered with and damaged. Please be aware that this action is not allowed and that we will begin pursuing the negligence of residents who damage these meters. If a water meter has been tampered with, or damaged in any way, the customer will be billed for the repairs necessary to successfully read the meter, per Sec. 25-41 of Ord. No. 10911, § 2, 4-2-90.

GROSS RECEIPTS PROOF

The Finance Department has been requiring proof of gross receipts in the form of sales tax remittance from those businesses required to pay gross receipts. We have learned that some businesses, typically small business operators may not remit sales tax but once a year. We would like to either amend policy or modify city ordinance to allow those businesses that report sales tax less frequently, that Finance be allowed to tailor the reporting requirements to avoid extra work on the part of the business operator.

There are other business types, like service businesses, who do not collect sales tax and would not have proof of sales until they complete their income tax return. We want to resolve these particular situations to minimize extra work and better cooperation between the City and our business community.

Attachments

Compliments To KIRK-TRAN Dispatcher Kari Rolston
Muscular Dystrophy Association Kick-Off

Letters From An Airport Tour
Household Hazardous Waste Drop Off
Vehicle For Hire Check List / Inspection
MML Training With Council
Humane Society March Report
Dental School Ground Breaking Invitation in St. Louis
Kirk Tran Thank You Letter

POSTED: April 15, 2014 – 3:00 p.m.

**NOTICE OF
COUNCIL TRAINING SESSION
- OPEN MEETING –
-TENTATIVE -**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE KIRKSVILLE CITY COUNCIL WILL ATTEND A TRAINING SESSION FROM 2:00 pm TO 4:00 pm ON TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 2014. STUART HAYNES OF THE MISSOURI MUNICIPAL LEAGUE WILL MEET WITH THE COUNCIL TO COVER AGENDA TOPICS AS LISTED BELOW.

LOCATION: 2ND FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM
CITY HALL
201 SOUTH FRANKLIN STREET
KIRKSVILLE, MISSOURI

TENTATIVE AGENDA:

- DO'S AND DON'TS AS A COUNCILMEMBER

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT: City Hall at 627-1225

Equal Opportunity Statement

The City of Kirksville does not discriminate in its decisions on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, age, disability, or on any other basis that would be in violation of any applicable federal, state, or local law. Furthermore, the City of Kirksville will make reasonable accommodations for qualified individuals with known disabilities unless doing so would result in an undue hardship.



Ms. Beverly J. Moore
303 E. Elm St.
Kirksville, MO 63501-3009

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Oats NE Region
3006 Jim's Road
Macon, MO 63552

% Sherree Webb

Dear Sherree,

I would like for Kari, the Adair County Oats Dispatcher, to be recognized for her friendly, efficient, and awesome personality when answering the phone for Kirk - Iran appointments.

Even when I know it is a hectic day, she never gets "out of sorts" in her manner of response. She is a super lady in my book. Thanks

Beverly Moore

Kari,

4-14-14

How nice of rider Beverly Moore to take the time to recognize the amazing job you do.

Every time I am in your office I see the hospitable manner in which you handle phone calls. No matter what all is going on around you, you manage to display a genuine & enthusiastic interest in the caller & they appreciate it.

Kari, thank you for proactively seeking ways to anticipate & satisfy the needs of both riders & drivers. You are "Key" to our success!

Sherree



April 1, 2014

Bear airport workers

I thank you for letting
us come. I loved seeing the metal
detector it was awesome I liked when
we got to see the truck shoot
water. I also loved seeing the
cool stuff that was not allowed. When
we saw the airplane it was
awesome. I think that me and
my class had a blast. We wanted
to go inside the plains but we
couldn't. I thought that the
plains were awesome. We wanted
to stay but we had to go.

the End

Your friends Logan and
Archie

April 2014

Dear Airport workers

Thank you for letting us come by
to see what you do there. I loved
the plane. How are you so good at
what you do. Is it hard to drive
the plane. I will miss you when I
go to 3 grade! I will miss you
to! we love the he jeon yellow
Firefinger it was so awsome. can we
come again next year.
I didn't what to go I was so sad when
I had to go. I was sad to. I hope
you have a good class next year. it
will be fine if I could
ride on the plane

Lynik warren,

Rebecca

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April 3, 2014

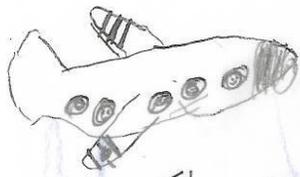
Dear Epele Aig,

Thank you for providing
fast transportation, thank you
for showing us the
planes. Thanks for taking me
and my grandma to Florida. It
was fun to have
the badge. Thanks for
loading our luggage.

Yours sincerely,

Carter and

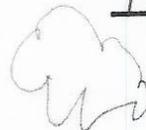
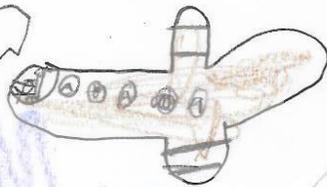
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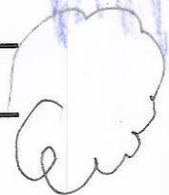
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Dear Flying,

Thank you for giving
us jr flying badges. They are cool!
It was fantastic!!! The
made it better was cool!!! I liked
seeing the airplane but they
were little planes. I wish
we could go in the planes. But
if we rode in one I
would pick the big one.
Oh yeah thank you for
the mints.



Your friends,
Anna and Averi





For Immediate Release

April 9, 2014

For More Information Contact:
Alan Griffiths
Public Works Director
(660) 627-1291

**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW)
DROP OFF DATES**

(Kirksville, MO) -- The City of Kirksville is currently accepting Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) drop off appointments for all residents of the City of Kirksville. HHW may be dropped off from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., on the following Saturdays: April 19, July 19, and September 20. Citizens must call the Public Works Complex at 660-627-1291 to schedule their appointments. Scheduled drop off appointments are required to ensure that qualified staff are available to assist citizens with disposal of eligible items. The facility is housed at the Public Works Complex, located at 2001 N. Osteopathy. The program is limited to household waste from citizens who live within the City limits and does not include disposal of any commercial hazardous waste.

Household Hazardous Waste is a broad term that applies to any leftover household products that contain corrosive, toxic, ignitable, or reactive ingredients. Items that will be accepted at the Kirksville collection site include: Aerosols, Antifreeze, Batteries-nicad, Batteries-alkaline, Batteries-lead acid, Batteries-lithium, Batteries-button, Ballasts, Bulbs-fluorescent, Bulbs-shattershield, Bulbs-HID, Bulbs-U-Shaped, Bulbs-crushed/broken, Cleaners-water based, Cleaners-ammonia-based, Corrosives, Cylinder-fire extinguishers, Fertilizers, Oil-cooking, Oil-used filters, Oil-motor, gear, lube, Paint-oil-based, Paint-lead based, Pesticides/Poison-Pesticides, Herbicides, Insecticides, Rodenticides, Miticides, and Fungicides. Latex and Water-Based paints will no longer be accepted.

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VEHICLE FOR HIRE CHECK LIST/INSPECTION

Name of Business _____

Name of Applicant _____

Business Address _____

Phone # _____

CHECKLIST

Not more than 5 passenger capacity; not including driver _____

Mechanically safe operating condition. State Inspect Seal _____

Properly identifiable as a Taxicab-appropriate signs attached on each side of cab _____

Color distinctly different from other Licensed Taxi cabs _____

Rate Card displayed readily visible to and readable by any occupant _____

Permit displayed while on duty with photo of Driver _____

Valid Missouri Drivers License _____

Certificate of Insurance with City of Kirksville listed as an additional insured for all coverages. (Required coverage is as follows per state statute: \$25,000 minimum for **one person** because of injury or death in any one accident, \$50,000 minimum because of injury or death of **two or more persons** in any one accident.) _____

ADAIR COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY

P.O. Box 481

Kirkville, Missouri 63501

April 7, 2014

REC'D APR 14 2014

TO: Kirkville City Manager
FROM: Adair County Humane Society
RE: March Shelter Report

Brought In (City)	Dogs	10
	Cats	16
	Puppies	0
	Kittens	0
Euthanized (City)	Dogs	3
	Cats	12
	Puppies	0
	Kittens	0
Brought to Shelter Dead	Dogs	0
	Cats	0
	Kittens	0
	Others	5

Jackie Eaton, Treasurer

GROUNDBREAKING
Ceremony
A.T. STILL UNIVERSITY | ATSU



Craig M. Phelps, DCO, President
A.T. Still University of Health Sciences (AHSU)

and

Christopher G. Hildeslag, DDS, MEd, Dean
Missouri School of Dentistry & Oral Health (MSDOH)

invite you to a groundbreaking ceremony for ATSU-MOSDOH's new
dental education and oral health clinic - a pioneering collaboration with
Grass Hill Health Center Inc.

Friday, April 25, 2014 | 1:30 p.m. | 1500 Park Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63104
(At the corner of Truman Parkway & Park Avenue)

Please click here to RSVP by April 16, 2014, to communications@atsu.edu

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KIRK-TRAN
KIRKSVILLE'S PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM
P.O. Box 593, Kirksville MO 63501

REC'D APR 17 2014

April 15, 2014

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Linda Bowers
Director
Kirksville Regional Office
1702 East Lallarpe
Kirksville, MO 63501

Dear Linda,

I want to personally thank you on behalf of Kirk-Tran and its patrons for the recent commitment letter for payment of \$10,000 from the Missouri Department of Mental Health for Kirk-Tran services.

Kirk-Tran is extremely fortunate to have such a long standing relationship with you and your agency in addition to our partnerships with the City of Kirksville, United Way, Adair County SB 40 and OATS, Inc.

As you are aware, a significant number of individuals with disabilities rely upon Kirk-Tran as a primary source of transportation. Heather Scott serves on the Board of Directors of Kirk-Tran and thus receives ridership reports on a regular basis. However, if you need additional documentation, please let me know.

The Kirk-Tran system remains accessible, affordable, and integrated and this success is only possible through partnerships like yours. Many thanks for your commitment to Kirk-Tran and for improving the lives of individuals with developmental disabilities.

Sincerely,

Terry Combs

Terry Combs
Treasurer
Kirk-Tran

Copy:
Patti Preston, Kirk-Tran President
Mari Macomber, City Manager
Heather Scott
Lari Coones
Penny Muta
Becky Klingsmith