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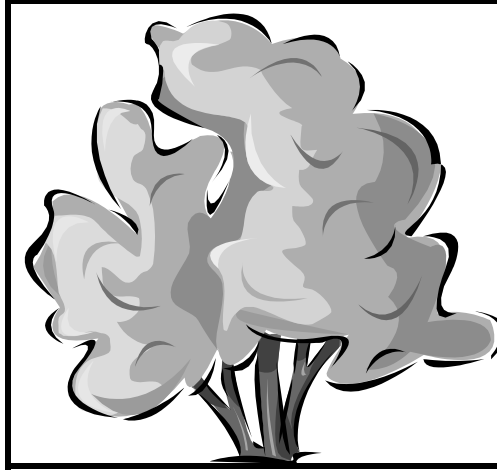
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Your Elected City Officials	Kingsley Calendar
<p>Mayor: Rebecca Beld452-6478</p> <p>Commissioners:</p> <p>Chris McCoy (Trash collection, lights)456-2705</p> <p>Jayne Schneider (Special events, street signs)459-2358</p> <p>Paul Stratman (Streets, sidewalks, e-mail)459-6045</p> <p>Beryl Ward Brown (Facebook)552-2555</p> <p>Other Contacts</p> <p>City Clerk: Marilyn Whisler458-7398</p> <p>Treasurer: Tom Schlindwein548-1834</p> <p>Tree Board: Phyl Breuer452-2515 Susan Melcher.....459-0802</p> <p>Police: Emergency.....911 Non-Emergency 574-2111 option 5 House Checks and Parking Violations ..432-8900</p>	<p>All City Council & Tree Board meetings are held in the First Capital Bank of Kentucky, 2732 Bardstown Road, unless noted otherwise.</p> <p>July 5 City meeting, 7:00pm Tree Board meets at 6:30</p> <p>August 2 City meeting, 7:00pm Tree Board meets at 6:30</p> <p>September 6 City meeting, 7:00pm Tree Board meets at 6:30</p> <p>September 9 City Picnic 3:00-6:00pm</p> <p>October 4 City meeting, 7:00pm Tree Board meets at 6:30</p> <p>October 28 Halloween Parade 7:00pm</p> <p>November 1 City meeting, 7:00pm Tree Board meets at 6:30</p>

Special Acknowledgements

We would like to thank Daren Ferguson for the Dogwood Tree he donated in memory of his father, to the Kingsley Green.

Additionally the Tree Board would like to thank Raymond Augustus for his assistance with improving the Kingsley Green's appearance.



Kingsley Courier

Fall 2012

www.cityofkingsley.org

Brightside Cleanup

The Operation Brightside Fall Community-Wide Cleanup was held October 27, 2012 at 9:00 am. A number of Kingsley residents gathered at the flagpole, then fanned out through Kingsley picking up litter from the streets and easements. Operation Brightside tee shirts were given to the volunteers, whose time and effort to help keep Kingsley clean were greatly appreciated. If you were unable to join us for the fall cleanup, please consider joining us for the next cleanup which will be in the spring. It only takes about an hour, and supplies are provided.



Halloween Parade

Kingsley's annual Halloween Parade took place on October 28th at 7 pm. Once again, we met the trick or treaters and their parents at the flagpole in the park. Thanks to all who helped collect and prepare the candy and glow sticks for the costumed characters, and created a fun and safe environment for our parade. And, of course, thanks to all the families who joined us on the 28th.

Snow Removal

The City Board will be reviewing the snow/ice removal contract in the November Meeting. As with past winters, we ask all residents to cooperate by parking their vehicles in their driveways instead of the roadway. This allows the contractor to clear the entire roadway rather than steering around parked vehicles.



Permits

Remember when planning to do general construction or tree removal* you need to contact the Mayor or one of the Commissioners IN ADVANCE. Applications for permits, with bonds and fees paid must be submitted to the Board and approved BEFORE activity begins. *There are certain emergency tree removal situations when a permit is not needed in advance.



The application forms are available on the City's web site (cityofkingsley.org).

Neighborhood Security and Asset Protection Report

The contract started July 1,2012. Through the end of September 2012, there have been 28 warnings and 50 citations/tickets issued, including 1 arrest. There have been additional motorist assists and just getting to know the resident's conversations during patrols. Each month Lt. Cabrera runs the reported criminal activity reports [types, time of incident]in surrounding areas to tailor the schedule for the upcoming month. He also reviews the release of felons to watch for future activity. When we become aware of unusual activity in the neighborhood it is forwarded to him. When appropriate he provides the information to the Fifth District Officers



Tree Board Meetings

An Ordinance changing the beginning time of the monthly Tree Board Meeting was passed by the City Commissioners on November 1, 2012. The new start time is 6:00 PM. See ordinance below.

Ordinance No. 5, Series 2012

An Ordinance Regarding The Time/ Location of The Tree Board Meeting

Whereas, the Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Kingsley, Kentucky, have the authority pursuant to statute to enact Ordinances relating to the City, and

Whereas, the Mayor and Commissioners deem it necessary to establish the time/location of the meeting of the Tree Board,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF KINGSLEY, KENTUCKY THAT:

Section 1. The Tree Board will meet the first Thursday of each month, at _____ PM, at the First Capital Bank of Kentucky building, located at the corner of Gladstone Ave. and Bardstown Rd, Louisville, Kentucky, before the regular meeting of the City Council which meets at 7:00 PM

This Ordinance shall be effective upon passage and publication.

First Reading: 10/4/2012

Second Reading: 11/1/2012

Mayor: Rebecca Beld City of Kingsley

Attest: Marilyn Whisler, City Clerk, City of Kingsley

Safety/Security Tips

Some of the following information was obtained from an insurance company's web site.

"Thieves target homes that are temporarily unoccupied either while the homeowners are at work, running errands, or enjoying a vacation.

Before you leave home, take steps to try to make your home appear occupied.

- Lock all doors, including screen and storm doors. For screen and storm doors, consider installing one that has a mail slot. Even if you are just working in the yard, lock your doors. Lock the garage door and disconnect your garage door opener, if applicable. When running an errand close the garage door.
- Keep driveway and yard gates closed.
- Keep the driveway active. Ask a neighbor to park in your driveway.
- Be sure mail and newspaper deliveries are handled. You can either temporarily stop them or ask a neighbor to collect them for you.
- Do not announce your absence on your answering machine or Face Book page or other social networks. Thieves sometimes call to see if a house is empty.
- Keep up the outside appearance of your home. Arrange to have snow shoveled or grass cut.
- Use automatic timers to turn lights on and off."
- Close your blinds/curtains to prevent someone from looking inside your home to see whether there is any activity in the house.

- Consider the installation of a Security/Monitoring system. There are systems you can watch activity within your home.
- Consider glass block windows to replace the old single pane basement windows.
- Request a house check when you are going to be gone for an extended period.
- If you should see something [or someone] in the neighborhood that just " doesn't look right"
- Call the police { 574 2111,option 5, or 911 if it is an emergency }.
- While out walking carry your cell phone, have the police number on speed dial and call them
- If you see something that needs to be checked out. A recent possible breakin attempt was prevented when an alert resident called the police.

One of the best crime prevention methods are observant residents.

City of Kingsley Annual Picnic

There was a good turnout for the September 9, 2012 event. Approximately 151 people attended. Lt. Cabrera and his family were present. He had an opportunity to meet some of Kingsley's residents.

Activities were scattered around the Kingsley Green. Honey Hill Farm was there with the ponies and petting zoo. This year the children actually got to 'ride' around the Green.

Johanna Schreck and Sarah Quinker Carter kept busy doing face painting. The children could select the design.

The Louisville Metro Police were there with two of the mounted policemen and steeds. They did patrols around the Green. They also brought a police all terrain vehicle.

Mark Richardson [Kingsley resident] and John Bugard performed classic rock 'n roll and other favorites. Their performance was sponsored through a cooperative agreement with the Louisville Musician Organization and Louisville Metro Council (Tom Owen).

Paul Stratman and Chris McCoy once again manned the grill that was provided by LG&E, while Tom and Nan Schlindwein and Marilyn Whisler oversaw the food tables.

First Capital Bank supplied the cake and Republic Bank provided bottled water. Park Credit Union gave out pop corn and other give-aways.

The Tree Board had a table with handouts including information related to Plea For The Trees and the Bowman Field/FAA Air Safety proposed changes.

Arthur and Jayne Schneider handled the registration table.

Prior to the Prize drawing the Mayor read the Arbor Day Proclamation and also honored all first responders in remembrance of the 11th anniversary of 9/11.

Numerous donations were provided by: Seneca Animal Hospital, Le Relais Bistro The Plant Kingdom, Wallitsch's Landscaping and Nursery Center, First Capital Bank of Kentucky, Park Credit Union, Republic Bank, Bellarmine, U of L, Belle of Louisville, Bernheim Forest, Louisville Zoo, Louisville Bats, Mega Caverns, Kentucky Derby Museum,

Age appropriate door prizes were provided for the children.

We want to thank everyone who stayed at the conclusion of the picnic to help clean up and stack the tables and chairs.

