



Overbrook City News and Events July 2023



4th of July Celebration – Overbrook Pride is sponsoring the 4th of July Festivities on the 4th. 10:00am Kids bike parade, 1-5pm free swim at the Overbrook pool, 6pm evening activities begin at the lake, food trucks, free water slide, face painting, Kayak races and rides, DJ, free watermelon, sidewalk chalk art and free mini flags. Fun for the whole family. Fireworks begin about 10pm.

Freedom Festival 2023 – July 3rd at Grace Community Church: Car Show at 4:30, Food at 6:30, Music at 7:30, Honoring Veterans and the Flag at 7:45, Fireworks at dark.

Shredding – The city has bins available for the public to bring their documents that need to be shredded. We will continue to have these bins available for the month of July. You may bring items in during regular business hours. Monday-Friday 8-5 closed from 12:30-1:30 for lunch.

Overbrook Police Department- "The Overbrook Police Department will distribute free OPD sunglasses, stickers and flashlights to all kids participating in the bicycle parade on July 8th!
Did you know the Overbrook Police Department offers jump start and vehicle lock out service? Call (785) 665-7230 to reach an on-duty officer if you need one of these services."

Overbrook Parks and Rec Ball Season is coming along great, and Overbrook will be hosting the 6U boys Tournament 7/10 - 7/14 having games every night that week! Thank you all for a great Season! Summer Camp has begun, and we have enjoyed pool days and the summer reading program at the library. If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact Jess Caylor, Parks and Rec director at 785-219-9060.

Overbrook Swimming Pool- Water Aerobics schedule has changed. Classes will be from 5-6pm Monday - Thursday. There will be NO aerobics from 8-9. The 4th of July will be a free swim for all! Hours will be from 1-5pm. The pool is also holding night swims every Thursday from 8-10pm.

The Overbrook Historical Society - The Overbrook Historical Society will be sponsoring a sidewalk chalk painting contest at the Kids Pond at Overbrook City Lake on the Fourth of July. There will be prizes for the best designs. Visit our Facebook page for details and to pre-register. We will have a table at the park on the Fourth. Stop by to check out our merchandise and learn about our upcoming events. Your TRIVIA QUESTION for the month: In what year did Overbrook host its first Fourth of July celebration? Get the answer and read our special report on Fourth of July in Overbrook's Early Years on our Facebook page.

Friends of the Library – Friends of the Library Book Sale will be held July 26-29 in the library community room. The hours will be Wednesday 10am-6pm, Thursday 10am-7pm, Friday 10am-6pm, and Saturday 9am-1pm. Friday and Saturday are "Bag Sale Days" A bag of books for \$3, bring your own bag.

5K Run – There will be a 5K run on July 8th. A Fund raiser for the Community Christian School Playground. For more information contact Hannah Powell via Facebook Hannah Gloss Powell.

Nutrition Program – The Overbrook Growth Committee in conjunction with the East Central Kansas Area on Aging (ECKAAA) is offering a Nutrition Program dedicated to meeting nutritional needs to citizens 60 years and older in Overbrook. We currently provide hot meals on Tuesday's and Thursdays; the meals are delivered to the Overbrook Housing Authority Community Center at 200 Oak, where participants pick up their meal. Donations of \$3.50 per meal are encouraged; however, no one will be denied if unable to donate. For more information,

please contact Hanna Smith at 1-785-393-2246 or by email hanneuiu@hotmail.com or stop by the Overbrook Housing Authority Community Center on Tuesdays or Thursdays between 11:30 am and 12:00 pm.

Business of the Month Showcase – We will be showcasing local brick and mortar businesses as well as homebased businesses in our newsletter this coming year. If you would like to get on our Overbrook business list, please contact us at city hall at 785-665-7328 or email Ben at btrotter@overbrookks.com

Summer Employment - The city has employed many high school students to help run the amazing programs we have this year, from lifeguards, to umpires, to concession stand workers and maintenance workers, we really appreciate the hard work these kids are putting in to make our programs run efficiently and our town look beautiful! Next time you see one of them say thanks for their work!

Santa Fe Trail Schools Enrollment - Santa Fe Trail's new and returning student registration for the 23/24 school year will open online on July 5th, 2023. We will have a selection of support staff available for those who need technology and assistance on August 1 & 2 at the District Office/Scranton School from 4-7pm. Please see our district website for additional information. www.usd434.org

Vacation Bible School: Bible Church July 30-Aug 1, 6:00-7:30 "Discover the untamed nature of God", Wild Wood Forest. Grace Community Church July 24th-28th 6-8pm. "Zip for Kids" Preschool to 5th grade.

Are you tired of slow or no internet?- Every Kansan needs reliable internet. Help bring strong, reliable broadband to your community and take the quick speed test at broadbandks.com. Test often to report accurate results for Overbrook!

If your group, organization, or non-profit event would like to appear on the City Calendar, Newsletter or Website, please contact Overbrook City Hall at 665-7328.

Overbrook Calendar of Events for July 2023

July 3rd

Recycle Day

July 4th

Independence Day (Offices Closed)

July 17th

Recycle Day



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Every First & Third Monday

- Overbrook Fire Department Meeting at the Fire Hall at 7 pm

Every Second Monday

- Overbrook Fire Board Meeting at the Fire Hall 7:30 pm

- Overbrook American Legion Post #239 Meeting at 7:30 pm at the Post

Every Third Monday

- Overbrook Library Board Meeting 6 pm at the library

- Public Safety Committee at 7 pm at City Hall

Every Other Monday

- Growth Committee at 6pm at City Hall.

Every Second Tuesday

- Park and Rec. Meeting at 7 pm at City Hall

Every Third Tuesday

- Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting at 7 pm at City Hall

- Library Book Club meeting 7 pm first Meeting Room at the Library

- Tuesday's Table Lunch at 12:00 pm at the United Methodist Church

- Every Fourth Tuesday - Friends of the Library at 6:30 pm at the Library Conference Room
- Every First Wednesday - Infrastructure Committee at 6 pm at City Hall
- Every Second Wednesday - City Council meeting at 6:00 pm at City Hall
- Every Third Thursday - Overbrook Historical Society 6:30 at the library
- Every Fourth Thursday - Overbrook Community Foundation meets at 5:30 pm at the Overbrook Public Library
- Every Fourth Friday - City Council Work Session @ City Hall @ noon
- Every Saturday - TOPS Meeting at the Methodist Church at 7:30 am. For information Contact Mary Anderson 785-806-5613.
- Every Third Saturday - Overbrook PRIDE Meeting 8 am at the American Legion, 102 Maple
- Every Third Saturday - Overbrook Community Game Night at 6 pm at the United Methodist Church

Upcoming Events: July 4th Celebration at the City Park, Food, Games, Kayak races Activities start at 6pm

July Businesses of the Month Showcase

Copper Moose Market (Eclectic Thrift Store) –313 Maple Street, Overbrook, KS 66524

(785) 230-9532 www.coppermoosemarket.com

TJ's Mainstreet Grill - 311 Maple St. Overbrook, KS 66524 (785) 665-3395

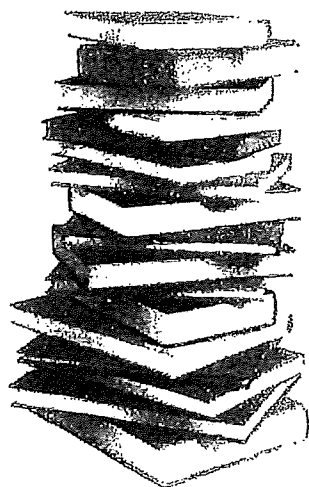
Craig's Welding and Tree Service – (785) 665-7719

The Shop - 126 W. 1st St., Overbrook, KS 66524 (785) 665-0145

email: theshopks@gmail.com

The Feed Bunk – Food Truck - (785) 230-9972

Books, Puzzles, Movies,
Games, and MORE . . .



THE
OVERBROOK
PUBLIC LIBRARY

annual Friends of the Library

BOOK SALE

July 26—July 29

(Sale is held in the Library Community Room)

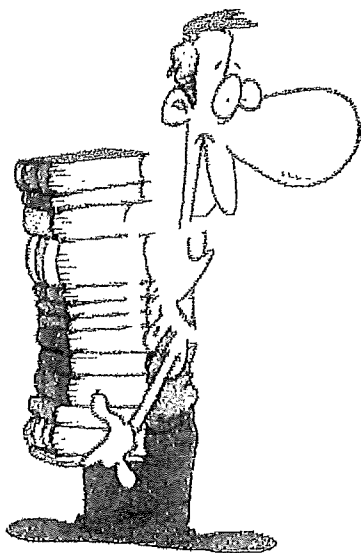
Book Sale hours:

Wednesday	- 10am to 6pm
Thursday	- 10am to 7pm
Friday	- 10am to 6pm
Saturday	- 9am to 1pm

- Both Friday and Saturday are "Bag Sale Days" -
Get a paper grocery bag full of books for only \$3!

Bring your own bag!

THANKS FOR SUPPORTING
THE FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY!



All proceeds are used to support the Library!



..... *City of Overbrook*

4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

TUESDAY, JULY 4, 2023 | OVERBROOK CITY LAKE

10am Kids' Bike Parade

Free hot dogs and root beer floats

1-5pm Free Swim at City Pool

6pm Evening Festivities

Six food trucks, free waterslide, face painting, kayak races and rides, DJ, free watermelon, sidewalk chalk art, free mini flags

10pm Fireworks (approximate time)



Grand 4th of July CELEBRATION

JULY 3



At OVERBROOK!

Good Speakers, Cornet Band, Orchestra, Glee Club, Ball Game, Swings, Foot Races, Basket Dinner, Refreshment Stands, Good Water, Finest Grove in the Country. See Bills.

(Ad from 1897)