

Overbrook City News and Events June 2019

Town Hall Meeting about Your Water – Your elected City Council Members and Mayor have been working hard to develop options for improving Overbrook's Water System. The desire for quality drinking water and fewer water main breaks have driven their search for solutions. They'd like to open up a discussion with the community and share what we know with you. What are your wants and needs? Your input is important. Please join the Mayor and Council Members at a Town Hall Meeting on **June 5**th at 7:00 pm at the Library Community Room. Kramer Engineering will be in attendance to help answer questions.

Public Hearing – A public hearing will be held on Wednesday, **June 12**, at 7:00 pm at City Hall prior to the regularly scheduled City Council Meeting. The public is invited to attend this hearing about the City of Overbrook's water system.

LMI Surveys – Governmental Assistance Services (GAS) will be conducting a door to door Low-to-Moderate income survey on behalf of the city of Overbrook beginning the week off May 28. The purpose of this survey is to ensure the city of Overbrook is eligible to receive Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds through the Kansas Department of Commerce. The city has utilized CDBG funds in the past to help offset the costs of infrastructure improvements and may submit an application for a 2020 CDBG grant in the water and sewer category. You will recognize representatives from GAS by their clipboards. The financial information obtained is confidential and will not become public or be shared with the Overbrook City Council. Thank you for participating in this survey process.

Happy Birthday Kansas State Bank! - 130 Years!

Park and Recreation – Overbrook Park and Recreation is looking for a new Park and Rec Director to start at the beginning of the soccer season. If you are interested in the position, please call Overbrook City Hall at 785.665.7328, or e-mail Jim Koger at cityclerk@overbrookks.com

Tuesday Table Changes – Summer is here and the United Methodist Church will be hosting Tuesday Table, a free community meal, on each Tuesday at noon from **June 4**th to **July 23**rd. We are grateful for this opportunity they provide to our community.

Rumble on the Trail — On Saturday, June 8, the 300 block of Maple Street will be closed from 11:00 am until 11:00 pm in preparation for and celebration of the Overbrook Osage County Fair Board's Car Show and Street Dance. Free registration for the Car Show is from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm with the show running from 12:30 pm to 3:00 pm. Then, starting at 7:00 pm, come join the Street Dance featuring live music by Lonesome Jake. There will be a \$5.00 cover charge. TJ's Mainstreet Grill will sponsor a Beer Garden.

Police Department – The rainy season is here now and with it brings tall grass, weeds, and creepy crawly things. With the heavy rains we have received recently, we understand it's difficult to keep the grass/weeds mowed down. If you receive a notice for tall grass/weeds and need more time, please contact the Police Department at 785-665-7230 and we will be happy to work with you. Please use caution when cleaning up these problem areas by wearing gloves, long pants and boots. We don't want anyone getting bit by a snake or spider. Thank you and have a safe summer. Chief Terry Hollingsworth

The Landon Trail – Scott Averill and group have reported that the Landon Trail is now clear all the way down to 181st and when we get some dry weather they will be out there putting some more screenings down. Also they have begun clearing south of 181st and have just about a ½ mile left to go until they get down to 189th. Scott will be in touch regarding a future work day when the rain stops! Michigan Valley here they come!

Overbrook Public Library – Overbrook Public Library has officially kicked off its summer reading program. You can bring your kids in, age 3-8th grade to register. Kids track their reading time to earn prizes. Ask for their schedule of weekly special events.

New City Mural – Progress is being made toward the new city mural on the maintenance building near the Overbrook Attendance Center. The Rotary Club power-washed the building, which was repaired by a mason to get it ready for the new mural. Bob Von Stein organized the priming of the wall. It is thought that, weather permitting, the artist will start painting soon and conclude her work sometime in June.

Overbrook Calendar of Events for June 2019

Monday, June 3 Wednesday, June 5 - Overbrook Fire Department meeting at the Fire Hall at 7pm

Saturday, June 8

- Town Hall Meeting: Water System Discussion at 7pm at Library Community Room

Car Show: 12:30pm to 3pm downtown OverbrookStreet Dance: 7pm downtown Overbrook

Monday, June 10

- Overbrook Fire Board Meeting 7:30 pm

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

- Recycling Pick-Up Day

Wed, June 12

- Monthly City Council Meeting at City Hall 7 pm

Friday, June 14

- Flag Day

Saturday, June 15

- Overbrook PRIDE Meeting 8 am at the American Legion, 102 Maple

Sunday, June 16

- Father's Day

Monday, June 17

- Overbrook Library Board Meeting 6 pm at the Library

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

Tuesday, June 18

Planning Commission Meeting: 7pm at City Hall
Summer Begins

Friday, June 21 Monday, June 24

- Recycling Pick-Up Day

Tuesday, June 25

- Friends of the Library 6:30pm at the Library Conference Room

Every First Tuesday

 Overbrook Senior Citizen Potluck 12:00pm at Brookside Community Room. For information contact Emery Elliott 665-7159

Every Tuesday

- Tuesday Table Free Community Meals, 12:00 pm. Hosted by the United Methodist, June 4 through July 23

Every Wednesday Every Fourth Wed.

Every Saturday

- Overbrook Library "Story Time": 10:15 am at the library

- Veterans' Service Representative at Overbrook Public Library 1pm to 3pm

- TOPS Meeting at the Methodist Church at 7:30 am. For information call Mary Anderson 785-665-7352

Looking Ahead ...

Thursday, July 4 July 24-27 - Overbrook Independence Day Celebration 10pm at Overbrook City Lake

- Friends of the Library Book Sale

(If your group or organization wants to appear on the City Calendar, please contact Overbrook City Hall at 665-7328)

Overbrook FAMILY DENTISTRY

Overbrook Family Dentistry will be celebrating 10 years in business on June 15th!

Michael Shaw, DDS is a graduate of UMKC and offers general dentistry for your whole family. They are located at 306 Maple Street and are open Monday thru Friday 7:45am-5:00pm. News patients are always welcome and most insurance is accepted at filed for you. Dr Shaw has a highly trained staff with many years of experience. He has two registered Dental Hygienist, Kimberly Knowland and Lindsay Wigger and two chairside assistants, Hannah Brown and Nancy Musick. The office manager is Stacey Herrick who is also a certified Dental Assistant. Their website is www.overbrookdentist.com and they are on Facebook as Overbrook Family Dentistry. You may contact them by calling (785) 665-7311, texting (785) 222-0077 or emailing werbrookdentist@gmail.com.



They are our local community connection for high quality foods, household items, friendly service, and great prices. Their family-owned store offers a convenient one-stop shop where you can find everything you need from everyday essentials to specialty items. Their friendly staff is here to help you find exactly what you're looking for and to offer you assistance regarding all the products they carry. They take pride in our community and appreciate your business. They know that you have many options for food purchases and want you to know that they're working hard each day to continue to earn your business. If you would like to find more about them, visit https://overbrook.mythriftway.com/ today!





Overbrook Historical Society and Museum

An effort is underway to create a museum in Overbrook that will collect, display and preserve the rich history of our community, and we need your help.

The Overbrook Historical Society and Museum was formed in the spring of 2018 "to preserve the history of Overbrook, Kansas, and its residents for future generations." It is our mission to open and maintain a museum in Overbrook to house our community's historical treasures.

There are several ways you can help. Our committee needs funds to purchase a museum facility, and we ask you to consider making a donation if you have not already done so. We also welcome your contributions to the museum collection, whether it be stories, journals or historical artifacts pertaining to the Overbrook community.

We have set a fundraising goal of \$100,000, which we intend to raise through grants and the kind support of the Overbrook community, including the proud graduates of Overbrook Rural High School and Santa Fe Trail High School.

We also encourage every family with ties to Overbrook to create a notebook of family history that might one day become part of the library's collection. Every family has a story, and we intend to hear them all. Finally, and most critically, it's going to take the whole village to create this museum. Please consider making a donation to our cause. You may send your checks to:

Overbrook Historical Society P.O. Box 344 Overbrook, KS 66524

Our application as a charitable organization is underway, and we fully anticipate that any donations to the historical association or museum will be tax-deductible.

Thank you for allowing us to share this news with you. We are blessed to live in this community. The people of Overbrook have always risen to the occasion when help is needed.

As our motto states, Don't Overlook Overbrook!

Best regards,

Our Mission:

To preserve the history of Overbrook, Kansas, and its residents for future generations.

Send donations to:

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We welcome your comments or questions. Please call Joyce Dillon at (785) 231-4341.