## Overbrook City News and Events October 2023

Overbrook Police Department- The Overbrook Police Department will be handing out glow sticks at the "Fall in Love with Overbrook" Fall Festival on October 14th. In October, the Overbrook Police Department will once again be selling pink ribbon hats to raise money for breast cancer research. Hats are \$10 and all funds go to Susan G. Komen for the Cure. Trick or Treaters will be out on Halloween night, remember to wear reflective clothing, stay within lighted areas, carry a flashlight and stay in a group, adults are recommended to travel with children.

**Overbrook Parks and Rec-** Soccer is underway Overbrook has a total of 6 teams participating this year! Overbrook will be hosting games October 7th and a tournament October 28th. The city will be hiring a new Parks and Rec director in October. You can pick up an application at City Hall. Thank you, Jessica, for getting our programs off the ground, good luck in your next adventure.

The Overbrook Historical Society - The Overbrook Historical Society will be selling T-shirts, mugs and cookbooks from our table at the Fall In Love with Overbrook event from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 14 at the Overbrook Fairgrounds. We're not only in love with Overbrook; we're exclusive, and it's getting pretty serious. We hope to see you at the event. We also hope you will join us at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 11 in the Overbrook library's community room for the premiere screening of "Overbrook Remembers JFK: 60 Years After the Assassination." This film tells the story of that day through interviews with local residents who will never forget where they were on Nov. 22, 1963.

Overbrook Pride – Is continuing our fundraiser of engraved bricks for additional improvements to our city park. "Leave a Legacy, buy a brick". Information about purchasing the bricks can be found on the Overbrook Pride facebook page, or at City Hall. Pride will sell the bricks until the end of 2023.

The Overbrook Farmers Market: - will be hosting our "Fall in Love with Overbrook" fall festival. Come out and join the fall festivities. We will have crafters, bakers, artists, food trucks, games, pumpkin patch, decorated hay bales, live music and an aerial performance. Saturday October 14th 10am-4pm at the Overbrook Osage County Fairgrounds 510 N. Cedar Street in Overbrook KS

\*\*\* WE ARE STILL ACCEPTING VENDOR APPLICATIONS FOR LIVE ENTERTAINMENT, CRAFTERS, BAKED GOODS AND NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS\*\*\*

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 <a href="mailto:hanneuiu@hotmail.com">hanneuiu@hotmail.com</a> or stop by the Overbrook Housing Authority Community Center on Tuesdays or Thursdays between 11:30 am and 12:00 pm.

Facts, myths, and legends -In today's connected world it is sometimes difficult to determine accurate information. There are many rumors and misinformation through some of these platforms. If you have questions regarding activities within the City of Overbrook official information will be provided through

the City of Overbrook's website, Facebook page and newsletter. We would also welcome you to contact City Hall if these communications do not answer your questions. Together we can continue to prosper as a community. 785-665-7328

Overbrook Veteran's Memorial Committee – Save the Date! Veteran's Committee will be hosting a breakfast for Veterans and their families on Veteran's Day Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>.

**Tuesday Table**- Free Community Meal on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month starting at 5:30pm until food runs out. Overbrook United Methodist Church, 1005 N. Maple Street.



**Halloween Event/Trunk or Treat** - Tuesday, October 31st from 5 - 7 pm at the Overbrook City Lake. All are welcome to pass out candy and decorate "trunks" in the parking lot by the Veteran's Memorial. We do ask that all vehicles be in place by 4:45 pm for the safety of the families who will be participating. No registration is required however you can contact Jessica Frye at 785-231-4355 or jessicafrye26@yahoo.com if you have any

questions.

**Overbrook Small Business Fair** - Saturday, November 25th from 9 am to 2 pm at the Overbrook United Methodist Church. If you are a small business or crafter and would like to register please fill out the form here: https://forms.microsoft.com/r/raRkYtGPJB

The event can be found on Facebook here: <a href="https://facebook.com/events/s/overbrook-small-business-satur/841490603848653/">https://facebook.com/events/s/overbrook-small-business-satur/841490603848653/</a>

**Harvest Meal** - Sunday, November 12th from 5 pm - 7 pm (or while food is available) at the Overbrook United Methodist Church. Free will donation. Come enjoy an early Thanksgiving dinner!

**Holiday Market and Chili Cookoff**: Saturday, December 9 will be the 2nd Annual Holiday Market and Chili Cook-off hosted by Overbrook Community Foundation. If you are interested in being a vendor at the Holiday Market contact the Overbrook Community Foundation facebook page or Overbrookcf@gmail.com.

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 <a href="mailto:btrotter@overbrookks.com">btrotter@overbrookks.com</a>

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

## Overbrook Calendar of Events for September 2023

Sept 29 SFT Homecoming Parade in Overbrook

@ 1:00

October 9 Recycle Day
October 23 Recycle Day
October 31 Halloween



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Every First & Third Monday Every Second Monday

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

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

- Overbrook Library Board Meeting 6 pm at the library

- Public Safety Committee at 7 pm at City Hall

Every Other Monday Every Second Tuesday Every Third Tuesday

Every Third Monday

Growth Committee at 6pm at City Hall.Park and Rec. Meeting at 7 pm at City Hall

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 Dinner 5-7 pm or until food runs out, at the United Methodist Church

Every Fourth Tuesday Every First Wednesday Every Second Wednesday

**Every Third Thursday** 

**Every Third Saturday** 

**Every Saturday** 

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

Infrastructure Committee at 6 pm at City HallCity Council meeting at 6:00 pm at City Hall

- Overbrook Historical Society 6:00 pm at the library

- Overbrook Community Foundation meets at 4:30 pm at the Overbrook Public

Library

- TOPS Meeting at the Methodist Church at 7:30 am. For information Contact Mary Anderson 785-806-5613.

- Overbrook PRIDE Meeting 8 am at City Hall

- Overbrook Community Game Night at 6 pm at the United Methodist Church

## September Businesses of the Month Showcase

Santa Fe Trail Meats- 206 W. 1st St. Overbrook, KS 66524 (785) 665-7713 https://www.santafetrailmeats.com/

FAWL Ag sales – Matt Fawl (785) 819-6070

Rock Creek Café - 101 E. 8th St. Overbrook, KS 66524 (785) 213-0424

First Security Bank - 312 Maple St. Overbrook, KS 66524 (785) 665-7155 https://www.firstsecurityks.com/

Flowers on the Trail - 105 Elm Street Overbrook, KS 66524 https://www.flowersonthetrail.com/