# Kirkwood Events, Festivals, and Programs in 2019

#### A Few Selected Events:

- March 14: St. Patrick's Bingo, Pool Tournament, and Luncheon
- April 6: Tween Egg Hunt in Kirkwood Park
- April 11-14: Kirkwood Youth Theatre presents Seussical, Jr.
- April 20: Dog Egg Hunt in Kirkwood Park
- May 18: Summer Reading Kick-Off at the Library. Experience a world of reading and fun for all ages at Kirkwood Public Library!
- August 17: Back-to-School Movie in the Park (Free)
- November 28: Kirkwood-Webster Turkey Day Run

# City Council Meetings

Kirkwood City Council meets at 7:00 p.m., on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month. Work sessions are held at 5:30 p.m., just prior to the regular meetings, and at 7:00 a.m., on the 2nd Thursday of the month.

# City Holidays When Most Offices are Closed:

New Year's Day: January 1

Martin Luther King Birthday: January 21

Washington's Birthday: February 18

Memorial Day: May 27 Independence Day: July 4 Labor Day: September 2

Thanksgiving: November 28 & 29 Christmas: December 24 & 25

Please visit the City website for information about sanitation collection on holidays: Kirkwoodmo.org/trash

# Series Programming:

Hotdog Dayz of Summer: Select Fridays in June, July, and August, at different Kirkwood parks. Food, games, and fun for the whole family. In 2019, the series begins on June 14 at Walker Park. Look for the full schedule on the City website: kirkwoodmo.org/HotdogDayz.

#### **Making Music Summer Concert**

**Series:** Select Saturdays each summer, in the Lions' Amphitheater in Kirkwood Park, starting at 7:30 p.m. (Note new start time.) In 2019, the series begins on June 15. For the full schedule, visit: kirkwoodmo.org/arts

For more information on any of these events or programs, please visit the City website at kirkwoodmo.org, or call 314-822-5855 (for recreation), 822-0084 (Downtown Kirkwood), 821-5770 (Library), or 822-5894 (general information). Don't forget to follow the City on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

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#### Festivals

**Route 66 Cars and Guitars Festival:** Join us on Saturday, June 8, for the 3rd annual Cars and Guitars Festival in downtown Kirkwood: Music, vintage cars, fabulous vendors, great food, and FUN! (Evening festival)

**Kirkwood Community Freedom Festival and Fireworks:** The skies over Kirkwood Park will light up on the evening of July 4. The festivities start at 7:00 p.m., with fireworks at dusk.

**Kirkwood Greentree Festival:** The 59th annual three-day festival in Kirkwood Park runs September 13-15, with live music, an assortment of food vendors, activities for kids, and more than 200 arts and crafts booths. Parade: Saturday, September 14, 10:00 a.m.

#### Dates to Remember—At a Glance:

January 24-25: Spring/Summer Recreation Guides mailed

February 1: Recreation registration opens for all programs (except camps)

February 1 to 20: Pool Season-Pass Anniversary Sale starts

February 8: Camp registration opens for residents (online only)

February 15: Camp registration opens for residents (phone/in person)

March 14: Police Pancake Supper March 19-21: Spring Break Camp

April 6: Kirkwood Farmers' Market opens for the season

May 11: Mayfest in Downtown Kirkwood

May 25: Pool Opens for the Season

June 6: Thursday night concert series starts at Station Plaza

June 8: Route 66 Cars and Guitars Festival

June 15: Making Music concert series starts in Kirkwood Park

July 4: Fireworks in Kirkwood Park

**September 13, 14, 15:** Greentree Festival **October 5:** Police Open House/Day Out

October 24: Halloween Walk in downtown Kirkwood November 16: Holiday Walk in downtown Kirkwood

