

Greentree Festival 2019 - Thank You!

Thank you to everyone who attended this year's Greentree Festival. We had record crowds this year, possibly due to the great weather. Thank you to our sponsors and to all the volunteers who make this work every year. Next year's festival will be held September 18, 19, and 20.

The 2019 Greentree Festival Planning Committee:

Matt Barthelma (Chair), Bob Mosby, Linda Ross, Bill Burckhalter, Katie Burckhalter, Dan Graham, Devin Graham, Jim Biekert, Joe Walsh, Debbie Zisser, Peggy Childress, Lloyd Todd, Gerry DeWulf, Debbie Stream, Mary Hussman, Carol Carpenter, April Barthelma, Carrie Ernst, Kate Zisser, Becky Engelbrecht, Pat Jones, Cindy Coombs, Stephen Hall, Vesta Johnson, Scott Barthelma, Todd Barthelma, Rob Ernst, Kathy Barthelma, David Hufford, Mary Loida, Kirk Hutchinson, Meg Lauber, and Alvin Reid.

Members of the 2019 Greentree Festival Planning committee posed for a photo at the end of the day on Sunday.



KIRKWOOD CALENDAR

ART AT THE STATION PRESENTS SHERRY SALANT IN OCTOBER

Sherry Salant's work will be on display in October at Art at the Station, at the Kirkwood Train Station, 110 W. Argonne Drive. Sherry



creates organic mixed media pieces using alcohol inks, acrylics, and photography. Her website is www.sherrysalant.com. Pictured: "St. Louis Flow" (mixed media). Exhibits are free and open to the public. Artwork may be viewed when the Station is open for passengers. This will be the last Art at the Station exhibit for 2019. A 2020 schedule will be announced soon.

COME MEET YOUR FIREFIGHTERS AT AN OPEN HOUSE ON SEPTEMBER 28

The Kirkwood community is invited to an Open House at Fire Station #1 in Downtown Kirkwood on September 28. Come learn all about the Station and the services provided by the Fire Department, and meet the firefighters who serve your neighborhoods! Donuts and coffee will be served in the morning, and hotdogs will be on the agenda in the afternoon, plus tours of the station and fire trucks. Fire extinguisher training will also be offered. When: Saturday, September 28, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Where: Fire House #1, 137 W. Argonne Drive, in Downtown Kirkwood.

ST LOUIS COUNTY CHARTER COMMISSION FORUM

St. Louis County will host a community forum on the Charter Commission process on Saturday, September 28, 9:00 a.m., at the North County Recreation Center, 2577 Redman Avenue, 63136. The forum is intended to keep the public informed about proposed changes to the County's Charter currently under consideration. To learn more, visit www.improvestl.com.

KIRKWOOD POLICE DAY OUT AND OPEN HOUSE OCTOBER 5

The Police Department will once again hold a "Day Out" and Open House on Saturday, October 5, at the Police Department, 131 W. Madison, in the lower level parking lot. Thank you to the Mungenast Automotive Family for partnering with us to bring you a host of hands-on, fun-filled activities. KlaasKids will be here to provide digital child identification kits to parents. Refreshments will be served. Other participating organizations include: Gym Guyz, Powder Valley, Magic House, Texas Roadhouse, Fresh Thyme, Raising Cane's, Operation Rail Safety, Kirkwood Parks and Recreation, Kirkwood Park Rangers, Kirkwood Electric and Fire Departments, and more! Plus: Police Station Open House and Bike Rodeo.

HANDS ON KIRKWOOD OCTOBER 5

The annual Hand-on-Kirkwood community volunteer day will be held on Saturday, October 5, in locations all over the city. Food collection bags will arrive on residents' doorsteps the first week in October. These will be collected on October 5, and the items will go to KirkCare. A clothing, toy, and bookstore will be held at Kirkwood Baptist Church, 211 N. Woodlawn, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Anyone in need of clothing, toys, or books is invited to come "shop" for these items. Other activities include:

- Electronics Recycling: 9:00 a.m., to 12:00 noon, St. Louis Community College-Meramec. Free. Older-style TVs and some monitors will have a cost.
- Document Shredding: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, at Enterprise Bank and Trust, 1052 S. Kirkwood Road. Bring up to two boxes of confidential documents to be shredded on site.
- Winterize Car Check: 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon, Kirkwood Baptist Church. Volunteers will inspect cars and provide a list of items for follow up. Windshield wiper fluid will be topped off.

COMMUNITY DAY IN THE PARK OCTOBER 19

The City will sponsor a Community Day in the Park on Saturday, October 19, at Meacham Memorial Park, 323-345 Meacham Street, from 10:00 a.m. to noon. This is your chance to meet with and talk to City Council members and City staff. Bring your questions and comments, or just stop by and say hello. See you there!

FALL HARVEST CONCERT IN KIRKWOOD PARK

The Kirkwood Arts Commission's final Making Music concert of the 2019 season will be held in Kirkwood Park, at Walker Lake, on Saturday, October 12, and will feature the music of the Missouri Rounders. The concert will start at 3:00 p.m., and run to about 5:30 p.m. Please bring chairs or blankets to sit on. The Missouri Rounders perform bluegrass, country, and Americana music. Concerts are free and open to the public. Donations are welcome.

HALLOWEEN WALK & CITY HALL TRICK-OR-TREATING

The annual downtown Halloween Walk will start at 5:00 and run to 7:00 p.m., on Thursday, October 24, throughout downtown Kirkwood. The Halloween Walk is sponsored by the Downtown Special Business District. City Hall trick-or-treating will run 4:00 to 5:00 p.m., on October 24, immediately preceding the Halloween Walk.

AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER IN OCTOBER:

- **October 12 and 13:** Mississippi Valley Train Show, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Saturday and 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, Adult admission is \$7. Children and students 25 and younger are free with ID.
- **October 26:** Annual Halloween Hamfest, 7:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon. For information: halloweenhamfest.org
- **October 27:** Model Car Show, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. For information or a table, call 636-294-7676.

PUBLIC POWER WEEK IS OCTOBER 7 THRU 13

Public power utilities across the country celebrate Public Power Week the first full week of October, to help customers and stakeholders understand how they can better engage with their community-owned utility and benefit from all its offerings. Kirkwood Electric, your hometown public utility, provides homes, businesses, and local government agencies with reliable, efficient, and cost-effective electricity, employing sound business practices designed to ensure the best possible service at not-for-profit rates. Kirkwood Electric celebrates Public Power Week along with more than 2,000 community-owned utilities providing power to 49 million Americans.

New Trash Carts Scheduled For Delivery Week of October 14

New trash carts will be delivered to residents the week of October 14 on your regular collection day. For example, if your trash and recycling are collected on Mondays, then you will receive your new cart on Monday. On the day of delivery, please place your trash bags out in the morning as usual.

Please place your recycling cart at the curb even if you don't have recyclables to be collected. Sanitation workers will be placing new stickers on recycling carts. Please leave the recycling cart out until your new trash cart arrives and the stickers have been affixed to the recycling cart.

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City Clerk: Laurie Asche. To reach the City Clerk or Council, call 314-822-5802. To reach a City department, call 314-822-5800 and choose from a list of extensions. For additional information, news items, and a full calendar of events, visit the City's Website: www.kirkwoodmo.org.

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OCTOBER 2019 MEETINGS CALENDAR

- 10/2 Planning & Zoning Commission, 7pm
- 10/3 City Council 7pm, WS 5:30pm
- 10/4 Citizens' Finance Cmte, 7am
- 10/7 Architectural Review Board, 7pm, WS 6pm
- 10/8 Human Rights Commission, 6:30pm
- 10/8 Municipal Court
- 10/9 Landmarks Commission, 7pm
- 10/10 Council Work Session, 7am
- 10/11 Citizens' Finance Cmte, 7am
- 10/14 Aquatic Advisory Council, 6:45pm, at Community Center
- 10/14 Board of Adjustment, 7pm
- 10/16 Library Board, 5:30pm, at Library
- 10/16 Planning & Zoning Commission, 7pm
- 10/17 City Council 7pm, WS 6pm
- 10/18 Citizens' Finance Cmte, 7am
- 10/21 Architectural Review Board 7pm, WS 6pm
- 10/21 Park Board, 7pm, at Community Center
- 10/22 Arts Commission, 5pm, at Community Center
- 10/22 Urban Forestry Commission, 7pm
- 10/25 Citizens' Finance Cmte, 7am
- 10/28 Zoning/Subdivision Code Steering Cmte, 5:30pm
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Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held at Kirkwood City Hall, 139 S. Kirkwood Road. Agendas are posted at City Hall and on the City's website.