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Kirkwood *newsletter*

PERFORMING ARTS CENTER UPDATE

Do you want to be one of the first Kirkwoodians to see the inside of the new Performing Arts Center (KPAC)? Want to hear about its schedule and possible usage during the uncertain pandemic months? Of course you do! Very soon, the General Manager of the facility will be opening the venue for masked tour groups of 10 or less. (Safety first, always!) Covid-19 has slowed the number of large-scale productions possible but that doesn't mean we aren't busy behind the curtain! Look for your tour opportunity at www.kirkwoodmo.org/recreation/arts-and-music/performing-arts-center.



KIRKWOOD HOLIDAY CLOSURES & EVENT CANCELLATIONS

City Hall & most City offices will be closed on **Monday September 7, 2020 in observance of Labor Day**. All sanitation routes will be delayed by a day all week. Additionally, due to St. Louis County restrictions on large gatherings and current social distancing guidelines, the following events have been canceled.

Making Music Concert featuring Southside Creole Playboys – Canceled

August 8, 2020 at 7 p.m.

Kirkwood Park Lions Amphitheater

Making Music Concert featuring the Roadhouse Kings – Canceled

August 22, 2020 at 7 p.m.

Kirkwood Park Lions Amphitheater

Greentree Festival – Canceled

September 18th -20th 2020

Kirkwood Park

PURCHASE A ONCE IN A LIFETIME GREENTREE 2020 T-SHIRT

The Greentree Festival may be cancelled this year, but you can help support the efforts of the Greentree Committee and Kirk Care by purchasing this once in a lifetime T-shirt. Get your Limited Edition 2020 Greentree Festival T-shirt by visiting <https://stores.talkingink.com/kirkwoodgreentree/shop/home>. For every shirt purchased, a \$5 donation will be made to Kirk Care, a local Kirkwood charity.

KIRKWOOD
GREENTREE FESTIVAL
STAY HOME
2020
STAY SAFE



See you next year!

ROLLS OF BLACK TRASH BAGS AT CITY HALL

The City will not be delivering black trash bags to residents this August as in previous years. The City is discontinuing this program and will no longer be selling rolls of black trash bags at City Hall within the next year.

The Finance department will continue to sell the remaining bags we have in stock, but we expect that supply to be depleted within the next several months.

Residents can purchase similar type commercial grade 30-gallon trash bags suitable for your trash carts in bulk at local hardware stores and home improvement stores such as Home Depot, Menards, Sam's Club and Office Depot.



REMINDER: FACE MASKS ARE REQUIRED FOR ENTRY INTO ALL CITY FACILITIES INCLUDING CITY HALL, THE POLICE DEPARTMENT, THE TRAIN STATION, THE FARMERS MARKET AND THE AQUATIC CENTER.

*Help preserve the icon
of our community*



Architect's rendering of restored train station

The mission of the Historic Kirkwood Train Station Foundation is to seek ongoing funding sources for the needed maintenance and construction projects to preserve our community's treasured icon.

Thanks to many generous donors, the Foundation has raised nearly **\$600,000 of the \$3.8 million** needed for the planned restoration of the city's historic icon to better serve the community and the thousands of train travelers who pass through its doors each year. Originally built in 1893, the station was last renovated in 1941.

We need your financial support to reach our fundraising goal.

RESTORATION PROJECT INCLUDES:

- Design & preliminary engineering
- New roof
- New geothermal heating/cooling system
- Tuckpointing
- Window & door restoration
- Restrooms, expanded & ADA-compliant
- Interior restoration (flooring, walls, ceiling, lighting, etc.)
- Site improvements & utilities
- New ancillary storage building
- New covered platform
- Outdoor plaza & landscaping

TOTAL ESTIMATED COST: \$3,800,000

"The Kirkwood Train Station is so important to the history and the current City of Kirkwood that it was easy for us to contribute to the Capital Plan for its restoration."

— Ron and Hanna Evens

**THE HISTORIC KIRKWOOD
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Online donations by credit card can be made at:

<https://KirkwoodTrainStationFoundation.org/donate-now/>

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