

Overbrook City News and Events April 2021



COVID-19 Safety - The City Council strongly encourages all residents to follow the Osage County Face Covering Protocol. Please wear masks in public, observe social distancing, and wash hands frequently. Wearing a mask not only protects you, but it protects others as well. Be kind and thoughtful as we all strive to stay well.

Overbrook Police Department – Citywide Cleanup Day, Saturday, April 17th. Dumpsters will be brought in and placed in different areas of the city to make it as convenient as possible. This is a great opportunity to clean up unused items around the house, both indoors and out before the Citywide Garage Sale the following weekend. *Please note* Tires, old refrigerators and air conditioners are NOT allowed due to freon still being in the system. This is also a great opportunity for civic groups, youth groups or anyone else to volunteer to pick items up from those people who may not be able to bring items to the drop off points. For more information, please call Chief Hollingsworth at 785-665-7230.

Tree Limb Pick-up – On Saturday, April 17th, Rotary Club and PRIDE volunteers will pick up limbs that are left curbside throughout the city of Overbrook from 9am to noon. Limbs must be cut to a manageable size and stacked at the curb. Volunteers are welcome to participate; meet-up is scheduled for 8am @ KSB. If you burn leaves, check with City Hall for “Burn Bans” before you burn. Let’s get our town ready for City Wide Garage Sales!

City Wide Garage Sale – Overbrook PRIDE will be hosting the annual April city-wide garage sales coming up April 24th! Email overbrookcitywide@gmail.com or find the event on the Overbrook PRIDE Facebook page to submit your sale for the map. Deadline to be on the printed map is April 18th and maps will be distributed online, via the website ([bit.ly/citywide 20](http://bit.ly/citywide20)) and at high-traffic sponsoring locations on April 22. \$5.00 listing donations can be made at City Hall or via PayPal to @OverbrookPride.

Overbrook Farmers Market - The Overbrook Farmers Market will begin on Memorial Day! Please join us for a special Opening Day Market on Monday, May 31st, to help us celebrate the start of our third season! You can find us in the same location (5 blocks South of 56 HWY at the intersection of Maple and Market Streets) at the same time (4:30-6PM), every Monday from Memorial Day to Labor Day. Jaimie Needham.

Appreciations from Citizens of Overbrook – Many thanks to numerous citizens of our great city who show their appreciation of the city workers for their dedication to restore access to water after the recent spell of freezing weather. Additionally, a big Thank You to helpers from neighboring communities that offered their assistance during this struggling time. Citizens provided food and snacks to all the helpers! A big Thank You also to citizens who made monetary donations to our upcoming water project!

Overbrook Park and Rec – Overbrook Park and Rec is still taking registrations for Baseball and Softball; the deadline is April 7, 2021. Registration Forms are available at City Hall. The cost for baseball is \$40.00, softball \$35.00 and T-ball is \$25.00. Scholarships are available for players upon request. For more information, please contact Ross Miner at 785-219-9810 or email rossminer77@gmail.com.

Friends of the library – Friends of the library are now taking new and renewal memberships for the year 2021. Though COVID has slowed us down, we continue to be active in supporting the library. Friends of the Library are accepting book donations for the annual book sale to be held on July 28, 29, 30, 31. Masks are required while dropping off donations.

Pet Owners – If you own dogs or cats within the city limits of Overbrook, please remember according to City Ordinance # 408, it is required to annually tag your pets over 6 months of age. A license year runs from January 1 to December 31. Registration requires proof of current rabies vaccination. Fees for “neutered” tags are \$5.00 and for “non-neutered” tags are \$10.00. Pets found at large without a tag may be impounded and owners may be fined.

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

Overbrook Calendar of Events for April 2021

- Thursday, April 1 - April Fool’s Day
- Friday, April 2 - Good Friday
- Sunday, April 4 - Easter
- Monday, April 12 - Recycle Trash Pick-up
- Saturday, April 17 - City Wide Cleanup Day
- Saturday, April 24 - City Wide Garage Sale
- Monday, April 26 - Recycle Trash Pick-up



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Please note: The scheduled meetings, listed below, may be held virtually, or postponed due to COVID-19. Please contact organizers for up-to-date information.

- Every First & Third Monday - Overbrook Fire Department Meeting at the Fire Hall at 7 pm
- Every Second Monday - Overbrook Fire Board Meeting at the Fire Hall 7:30 pm
- Overbrook American Legion Post #239 Meeting at 7:30 pm at the Post
- Every Third Monday - Overbrook Library Board Meeting 6 pm at the Library
- Every Second Tuesday - Park and Rec. Meeting at 7 pm at City Hall
- Every Third Tuesday - Planning Commission Meeting: 7 pm at City Hall
- Library Book Club meeting 7 pm first Meeting Room at the Library
- Every Fourth Tuesday - Friends of the Library 6:30 pm at the Library Conference Room
- Every Fourth Wed. - Veterans’ Service Representative at Overbrook Public Library 1 pm-4 pm
- Every Saturday - TOPS Meeting at the Methodist Church at 7:30 am. For information call Mary Anderson 785-806-5613.
- Every Third Saturday - Overbrook PRIDE Meeting 8 am at the American Legion, 102 Maple

Looking Ahead

- Wednesday, May 5 - Cinco de Mayo
- Sunday, May 9 - Mother’s Day
- Monday, May 31 - Memorial Day

Community Note: Please be aware that large “shop like towels” are being deposited into the Overbrook City Sewer system. These towels are creating blockages and are negatively affecting the system by potentially short circuiting the treatment process and could lead to monitoring violations. The City is attempting to locate the source of these towels so that we can communicate with the business or individual to stop depositing these towels in the sewer system. The towels have been blue or white. Your help in assuring that the City’s sewer system is kept in top running order is appreciated.

We are also seeing an increased amount of trash in public areas of the City. Please put trash in its place. Your help keeping our town clean is greatly appreciated. Thank you!

We all use water every day! It is essential for drinking, bathing, cooking, cleaning and a whole lot more. However, a lot of water gets wasted due to water use habits and appliances that are not water-efficient. Leaky pipes and fixtures are also big water-wasters. Saving water has benefits that include saving money, saving energy and helping the environment. Conserving water now can mean we will have more to use in the future. Everyone in the family can help save water; if the whole family makes a few small changes in how they use water, hundreds or even thousands of gallons can be saved each year!

Call before you dig - It’s the law! Spring is in the air and many of us are planning on working in our gardens or yards. However, please call before you begin any excavation projects; even as small as planting a bush. The number to call is **811!** (In case of an emergency call 1-800-324-9696)



Overbrook Parks and Recreation Baseball/Softball Registration 2021

Registration Deadline: April 7, 2021

\$40 Baseball
\$35 Softball
\$25 T-Ball

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____, KS
Zip: _____
DOB: _____
Grade: _____

Send Payment/Form to:

Overbrook City Hall
Attn: Ross Miner
P.O Box 288
Overbrook, KS 66524

Shirt Size: _____ Adult/Youth
Coach Preference:

***Scholarships available for players upon request.**

Please contact Ross Miner.

P: (785) 219-9810

E: rossminer77@gmail.com

Primary Contact: _____
Parent/Guardian Name: _____
Phone: _____
Address: _____

Email: _____
Interested in Coaching: _____
Assistant Coach: _____

Emergency Contact
 Same as above
Name: _____
Phone: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ KS

Zip: _____

Circle One

Co-Rec T-Ball: 3 & 4 (can't be 5 before May)
Novice B / Novice G: 5 & 6 (can't be 7 before May)
Advanced B / Advanced G: 7 & 8 (can't be 9 before May)
Midget B / Midget G: 9 & 10 (can't be 11 before May)
Pee Wee /C girls: 11 & 12 (can't be 13 before May)
Little League/ B girls: 13-15 (can't be 16 before May)
Age groups may be adjusted at the March Flint Hills League Meeting

Equipment Required: Glove, Baseball Pants (boys)
hat (boys, will be provided), helmet WITH a strap