

Overbrook City News and Events March 2022

Daylight Saving Time – Be sure to grab some extra sleep in the next few days! On Sunday, March 13, we will lose an hour of sleep as we "spring forward" our clocks. So, adjust your watches, clocks and whatever doesn't change by itself, and remember to change the batteries in your smoke detectors, too!

Biscuits and Gravy – Come to the Overbrook American Legion for a warm breakfast of biscuits and gravy on Saturday, March 5th from 7am to 10am. This will be the last breakfast for this season. These breakfasts are a major source of fundraising for the Legion, and all profits go to keep the Post operating and to support community events.

Food Truck License Application – are available at the Overbrook City Hall or online. All Food Trucks must have a Food Truck Permit; permits can be applied for at any time during the year. The permit does not limit where a Food Truck can be located as long as the Vendor has permission from the property owner and the food truck is legally parked. There are penalties for offenses; If you have not completed the application, please be aware that they are overdue. For more information, please visit the Overbrook City website.

Grace Community Church – is having some interesting events coming up! On Sunday, March 6th starting at 5pm, there will be a chili and cinnamon roll dinner along with the movie Sabrina, tortured for Christ, the Nazi Years. On Saturday, April 2nd Aspire is a one-night women's' event full of laughter, learning, stories and music with three ladies taking the stage – 1 Bible Teacher – 1 Comedian – 1 Musician. Join us for an amazing girl's night out! Tickets can be purchased anytime M-F between 8am and 4:30pm at the Church office or call 785-670-6456 to reserve tickets. The Bible Church, Grace and the Community School is working on "The Joshua Project", April 6 to May 11, 2022, register for free at ccs.kansas@gmail.com.

The Overbrook Initiative – A grass Roots Project for community Actions currently consists of four different committees: Infrastructure (sidewalks, streets, use of buildings, broadband, fiber internet); Growth (how do we envision Overbrook thriving in the future); Public Safety (neighborhood watch, raising funds for new volunteer fire department building); Personnel (made up of city employees and elected officials). These committees meet at different times and citizens are welcome to join the meetings. For questions regarding meeting times and place, please visit the Overbrook City website or contact Jim Koger at 785-665-7328 or email at cityclerk@overbrookks.com

Overbrook PRIDE – Overbrook PRIDE is inviting the community to join their meetings; they meet in the back of the American Legion building every third Saturday of each month at 8AM. They are accepting donations for the 4th of July fireworks.

Water Distribution Project Update - The contractors have completed a large portion of the new water line to the city which will replace the original 4 "cast iron line from the wells east of the city. As many of you may have noticed the road right of way and some of your lawns are covered in marking paint and little flags. As the project moves into the city, we will face some challenges during this construction so please have some patience. We expect to have substantial completion of the project in September of 2022. This project will be replacing almost all water mains in the city and will also include replacement of all service lines (from the main to the meter) and meters. Please see the enclosed project map. The contractor is potholing to locate existing utilities in Sections 2, 3, and 4. They are also doing some of the line bores in these sections as well. We will be scheduling a town hall meeting to address more specific question about the project, so please watch for the date. Right now, we are looking at a date in early April for the town hall meeting. Thank you! Jim Koger, Overbrook City Clerk

Overbrook Police Department – As warmer weather slowly approaches; we often see an increase in criminal activity in and around Overbrook. Some of the activity is relatively minor but, we also get more serious ones as well. Most vehicle

burglaries are crimes of convenience. People leaving the vehicles doors unlocked with valuables inside. I know some argue that they don't want windows broken out, but the vast majority of criminals don't want to take a chance on breaking out windows and people hearing the noise. It's so much simpler to find car and truck doors unlocked. Victims often leave purses, wallets, even firearms in vehicles. Every vehicle stolen from Overbrook had the keys somewhere inside, including the ignition. If you see someone out lurking around or suspect something may be up, call 911. They will contact either the officer on duty or myself. I've heard people say that they don't want to call 911 and it not be anything. Every officer or deputy in the county would rather follow up and check the call out than have someone break into a car, home or business. Lastly, posting on Facebook is not reporting a crime. Call 911 or if you are not sure but still want to report something, call 785-665-7230, this is the number to the Police Department and the non-emergency number to the Osage county Sheriff's department is 785-828-3121. Thanks, and be safe. Chief Terry Hollingsworth

If your organization wants to appear on the City Calendar, please contact Overbrook City Hall at 785-665-7328.

Overbrook Calendar of Events for March 2022

Tuesday, March 1

- First Day of Woman's History Month

Saturday, March 5

- Biscuit & Gravy Breakfast at the American Legion

Wednesday, March 9

- City Council Meeting

Sunday, March 13

- Daylight Savings Time starts

Monday, March 14

- Recycle Trash Pick-up

Thursday, March 17

- St. Patrick's Day

Monday, March 28

- Recycle Trash Pick-up



First Saturday

Every First & Third Monday

Every Third Monday

Every Third Tuesday

Every Second Tuesday

Every Fourth Tuesday

Every Fourth Wed.

Every Saturday

Every Second Wednesday

Every Second Monday

- Biscuit and Gravy Breakfast at the American Legion 7-10 am, serving through March

- 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

- Park and Rec. Meeting at 7 pm at City Hall

- Planning Commission Meeting: 7 pm at City Hall

- Library Book Club meeting 7 pm first Meeting Room at the Library

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

- City Council meeting at 6:00 pm at the Library Community Room

- Veterans' Service Representative at Overbrook Public Library 1 pm-4 pm

- TOPS Meeting at the Methodist Church at 7:30 am. For information

call Mary Anderson 785-806-5613.

- Overbrook PRIDE Meeting 8 am at the American Legion, 102 Maple

Every Third Saturday

Looking Ahead

- April Fool's Day April 1

- Good Friday April 15

April 17 Easter Sunday

April 18 - Tax Day