



Overbrook Police Department –Updates

Women's self-defense class- The police department will be holding a FREE self-defense class for women of all ages to attend. The class will be held on Oct. 14th it starts at 6pm-7:30pm at the library. This class will be held by Enso Self Defense and MMA. Please call (785) 665-7230 with any questions.

The Overbrook Police Department will once again sponsor the **Halloween Safety Contest!** All interested children are invited to participate. Each week in October, children will have small tasks to complete to learn about health and safety. The tasks will include: eating healthy, completing homework, no timeouts or disciplinary issues at home or school and asking a police officer or teacher for a safety tip.

All children who successfully complete the weekly tasks will receive a glow stick and have the **opportunity to be escorted in a police car for trick or treating in Overbrook on October 31st!**

Heading out of town? The Police Department is happy to swing by your house and keep an extra eye on things while you're away. If you'd like this service, just stop by City Hall or the Police Station to fill out a quick form before your trip.

The Police Department urges **citizens to never give out personal or financial information** to suspicious callers or respond to unsolicited texts. Scammers are increasingly targeting elderly citizens. If you believe you have received a scam text, call us at (785) 665-7230 before responding.

Tips and Tricks-

Please remember to empty all liquids from containers before placing them in the trash. Liquids leaking from garbage trucks can cause spills on our streets, and your help prevents this issue.

Community Events-

Overbrook Bible Church- October 9th from 5-8pm Chili Feed, chicken noodle soup, cinnamon rolls, and pie! The event will also feature a lively **bazaar auction** and **silent auction** with plenty of treasures to bid on. Everyone is welcome—come hungry and bring a friend!

Overbrook Fall Festival: Saturday October 11th from 10am-3pm at the fairgrounds. There will be arts and craft vendors, Food trucks, touch a truck and live music! Fall in love with Overbrook at the fall festival!



Overbrook Community Halloween Event/Trunk or Treat - Friday, October 31st 5 -7 pm | Overbrook City Lake | Trunk or Treat (please be in place by 4:45 pm; no registration required) plus other Halloween activities! Have questions? Contact Jessica Frye: 785-231-4355 or jessicafrye26@yahoo.com

The Overbrook Veterans Memorial: Will be hosting their annual breakfast at the American Legion Post 239 on Saturday, November 8, 2025 from 7:00 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. Thank you Veterans! They are currently seeking **volunteers** to help with weeds at the Veterans Memorial for Spring 2026. They can contact Jena Ortega at 785-817-5586.

Overbrook Historical Society-

You're Invited to Fiesta on the Trail -Saturday, October 4th from 4 to 7 p.m. (or until we sell out of food!) on the corner of Maple and Santa Fe Trail streets. The suggested donation is \$10 per plate. That includes 2 tacos (chicken or beef, soft or hard shell), rice & beans, chips & salsa, and water or tea.

Join the Overbrook Historical Society for an unforgettable evening of great food, community spirit, and local history in the making! Back by popular demand, Victor and Laura Alvarez-Fernandez, former owners of Los Vaqueros Mexican Restaurant, will be serving up their famous, mouth-watering tacos and sides.

All proceeds benefit the Overbrook Community Foundation on behalf of the Overbrook Historical Society & Museum — and thanks to a generous 50% match from the Patterson Family Foundation, your donation goes even further! Help us bring our downtown Overbrook Museum to life. Every plate brings us closer to our goal.

Addendum Text:

*Lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. **City of Overbrook** is responsible for providing high quality drinking water and removing lead pipes but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components in your home. You share the responsibility for protecting yourself and your family from the lead in your home plumbing. You can take responsibility by identifying and removing lead materials within your home plumbing and taking steps to reduce your family's risk. Before drinking tap water, flush your pipes for several minutes by running your tap, taking a shower, doing laundry or a load of dishes. You can also use a filter certified by an American National Standards Institute accredited certifier to reduce lead in drinking water. If you are concerned about lead in your water and wish to have your water tested, contact **City of Overbrook 785-665-7328**. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.*

*The Revised Lead and Copper Rule requires water systems to develop and maintain a Service Line Inventory. The service line is the underground pipe that supplies your home or building with water. To view the Service Line Inventory, which lists the material type(s) for your location, you may view the inventory at: **Overbrook City Hall 401 Maple Street Overbrook, KS 66524**.*

Submit Your Newsletter Items Do you have information or events for your non- profit organization or group that you'd like to share in the monthly newsletter? Contact Bailey at City Hall by phone at **785-665-7328** or email her at blang@overbrookks.com. The deadline for submissions is usually the 22nd of each month by noon, so be sure to send your items on time!

Overbrook Parks and Recreation

Monster Movie Night & Costume Contest

Join us for a spooktacular evening at the park on October 25th, 2025!

- Costume Contest begins at 6:00 PM – Show off your best Halloween look! Winners will receive a goodie bag prize.
- Movie starts at dusk – We'll be showing the animated hit "Hotel Transylvania".

Candy provided by: Overbrook Police Department, **Free popcorn** provided by: Osage County Sheriff's Office, **Screening provided** by: Osage County Rural Fire District #4 and Overbrook Parks and Recreation, **Concessions available** for purchase: Provided by OPR

Dry Event – This is an **alcohol-free event**. Please keep all your "spirits" at home and help us keep the night family-friendly and fun for everyone. Bring your blankets, lawn chairs, and cozy up for a night of costumes, community, and laughs!

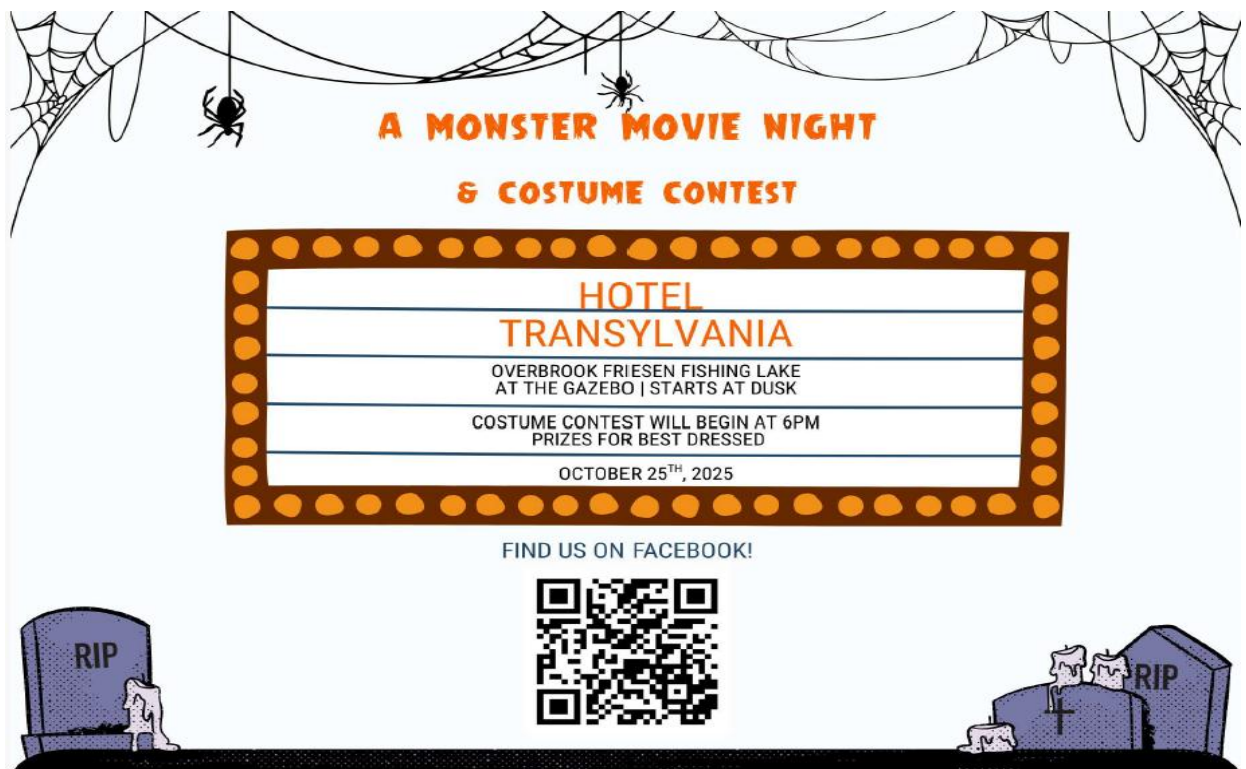
Youth Basketball Recreation League

Registration for our Youth Basketball League opens in October!

Deadline to register: November 12th, 2025, Practices begin: December, Games begin: January 2026, Saturday mornings, hosted across towns in Osage County.

- Divisions: Separate teams for girls and boys, grades 3rd–6th

This is a recreational league focused on fun, teamwork, and community. All skill levels are welcome!



Overbrook Calendar of Events for October 2025



October 6	Recycle Day
October 8	City Council at 6pm
October 20	Recycle Day
October 21	Newsletter Deadline (noon)
October 31	Trunk or Treat 5-7pm

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The First & Third Monday	- Overbrook Fire Department Meeting at the Fire Hall at 7 pm
The Second Monday	- Overbrook American Legion Post #239 Meeting at 7:30 pm at the Post
The Third Monday	- Overbrook Library Board Meeting 6 pm at the library
The last Monday	- Public Safety Committee at 9:00 @ Rock Creek
Every Other Monday	- Growth Committee at 6pm at City Hall (Oct. 6 & 20 th)
Every Tuesday	-Overbrook Rotary 7am at TJ's. -Hot meals at the Housing Authority Community Center 200 Oak St 11:30-noon
The First Tuesday	- Overbrook Fire Board Meeting at the Fire Hall 7:30 pm
The Second Tuesday	- Park and Rec. Meeting at 7 pm at City Hall
The Third Tuesday	- Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting at 6 pm at City Hall - Library Book Club meeting 7 pm first Meeting Room at the Library -Tuesday Table (Supper) @ 5:30 at the Overbrook United Methodist Church.
The Fourth Tuesday	-Friends of the Library at 6:00 pm at the Library Conference Room (Jun, Aug & Oct.)
Every Wednesday	-story time at the library at 10am
The Fourth Wednesday	- Infrastructure Committee at 6 pm at City Hall
The Second Wednesday	- City Council meeting at 6:00 pm at City Hall
Every Thursday	-Hot meals at the Housing Authority Community Center 200 Oak St 11:30-noon
The Third Thursday	- Overbrook Historical Society 6:30 pm at the library - Overbrook Community Foundation meets at 4:30 pm at the Overbrook Pubic Library -City Court 10:30am at City Hall.
Every Saturday	- TOPS Meeting at the Methodist Church at 7:30 am. For information Contact Mary Anderson 785-806-5613.
The Third Saturday	- Overbrook PRIDE Meeting 8 am at City Hall - Overbrook Community Game Night at 6-9 pm at the United Methodist Church