



Winter 2021-2022

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Mayor Masick Honored At November JCLC Annual Dinner

Each year representatives from participating member Cities attend the Jefferson County League of Cities (JCLC) annual dinner. Mayor Mary Masick, Commissioner Ben Jackson, Commissioner Bill Leavell, Commissioner Norb Hancock, and their guests, represented the City of Hurstbourne in



Event Speaker Heather-French-Henry, Hurstbourne Mayor Mary Masick, and Jeffersontown Mayor Bill Dieruf pose for a picture after Mayor Masick is honored

good fashion. Furthermore, Hurstbourne Mayor Mary Masick was honored along with 23 other women Mayors in the Jefferson County area.

The theme of the evening was a celebration of the 101^{st} anniversary of the 19^{th} amendment to the constitution.

What does the 19th amendment mean in simple terms? It gives a person the right to vote, no matter their sex. ... "The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of sex."



The evening was well attended and noteworthy as Ms. Heather-French-Henry gave an impassioned speech honoring women in leadership roles in Jefferson County and throughout the Commonwealth.

Keep A Close Watch On Your Elderly Neighbors

We would like to encourage you to be aware of those older neighbors who may be living alone. It takes only a few minutes to check on them, and they may need some assistance. Winter season can be hard on the elderly so, let us take time out of our day to keep a watchful eye.



Tree Removals And Replacements

Every year we experience the removal of numerous dying and declining trees throughout the City and, understandably, residents are unhappy when they see mature trees in the medians and the bridle path along Shelbyville Road removed. But, when trees have declined to the point that they are hazardous and/or diseased and dying, removal is the only choice.

Overall, the Hurstbourne tree population is aging. Furthermore, disease, insects, blight, and storm damage are also taking a toll on the City tree stand. On some occasions, trees must be removed because they present a potential hazard to vehicle and pedestrian traffic or are simply overgrown. The City of Hurstbourne is known for its streetscapes that contain a variety of trees and various plant materials. By replanting a wide variety of trees, the hope is to prevent a single disease or a single pest species from destroying a considerable number of trees at one time.

The City has an ongoing tree replacement program supervised by the contracted City Arborist. The upcoming year will be no exception as a number of trees will be planted to replace dead trees throughout the City.







Snow Removal Plans in Place for the Winter Season

Each year, the City prepares for winter season with yearly irrigation shutdowns, seasonal pruning, and other maintenance. Another important service provided by the City is snow removal. A comprehensive system of treatments is used to remove snow, sleet, and ice – all in concert to keep our streets clear and safe.

Commonly used street surface treatments are liquid brine, bulk salt and plowing. Brine and bulk salt are used depending on weather conditions. Unfortunately, much like prediction of the weather itself, it is difficult to determine the exact ingredients of each winter storm. Temperature, duration and the mix of precipitation all play into how a particular storm will impact us. With each storm, the City will employ the best-matched remedies on hand to clear our streets.



Keep Streets, Medians, Gutters and Storm Grates Clear

The City picks up leaves in and around the medians. Unfortunately, leaves do not respect property lines and they travel to medians, curbs, and gutters. Whenever possible, please keep the storm water grates in front of your property free of debris. When blowing leaves, please avoid the road, curbs, and gutters.



Leaves travel from Curbs and Gutters to Storm Drains



Leaves blown into the street

Do Not Blow Leaves Into Street and Medians

Unfortunately on many occasions during the fall and winter season, a number of residents blow leaves into the street and medians. While the City maintains its medians and green spaces, it does not care for or maintain individual properties.

Each year the practice of blowing leaves from private properties into the streets, medians, curbs, and gutters seems to occur more often. Please be advised City Officials will issue notices of violation, citations, and fines to those openly engaged in these activities.

The City of Hurstbourne is a very special community. One important reason is our pride of ownership, both personally and collectively. Let's all do our part in keeping Hurstbourne in the pristine condition it is known for.

2021-2022 SANITATION WINTER PICK-UP SCHEDULE



Christmas Day: Saturday, Dec. 25, 2021 No delays

New Year's Day: Saturday, Jan. 1, 2022 No delays

President's Day: Monday, Feb. 21, 2022 No delays

Memorial Day: Monday, May 30, 2022 Service will NOT occur on Monday, May 30 Service will be delayed one day during the rest of the week

Independence Day: Monday, July 4, 2022 Service will NOT occur on Monday, July 4 Service will be delayed one day for the rest of the week

Labor Day: Monday, Sept. 5, 2022

Service will NOT occur on Monday, Sept. 5 Service will be delayed one day during the rest of the week

Columbus Day: Monday, Oct. 10, 2022 No delays

Veterans Day – Friday, November 11, 2022 No delays

Thanksgiving Day - Thursday, November 24, 2022

Tuesday service will NOT be affected by Thanksgiving Friday service will be delayed one day

Christmas Day – Sunday, December 25, 2022 No delays

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HURSTBOURNE CUB SCOUT DEN PRESENT COLORS AND LEAD PLEDGE



Cub Scouts prepare to present Colors



Cub Scout Pack 8 Members pose with Commission

The City Commission and others were treated to a special presentation at the December 14 Commission meeting. Second graders from the Wolf Den representing Cub Scout Pack 8 attended the meeting to perform a flag ceremony and lead the pledge of allegiance to open the meeting.

Cub Scout Pack 8 is made up of a group of Kindergarten through Fifth Graders that attend Lowe Elementary and meet at Hurstbourne Christian Church. Cub Scout volunteer leaders work with kids and their families to improve their communities by enriching the lives of the families who live there. Cub Scout leaders support and strengthen families by providing fun-filled, worthwhile programs that teach values. Once-a-week meetings are held during the school year where Den Members are led in a series of activities that foster personal and community awareness resulting in individual growth for all.

If you have a son or daughter that has an interest in scouting, feel free to contact Hurstbourne resident – Brandon Bailey at (502) 494-7442 or by email at brandon@baileyremodel.com

NEW TO THE CITY?



WELCOME TO HURSTBOURNE!

Are you a new resident of our City? Valuable information such as the City directory, sanitation schedule, ReachAlert mass communication network, City Ordinances, Codes, and important public service agencies are good to have in hand.

If you need any of the above, contact the City website at www.hurstbourne.org, call us at (502) 426-4808 or stop by City Hall at 200 Whittington Parkway.



Tenant Office Space Available At City Hall

Office space is available for lease at the City Hall building. For questions or additional information, contact C.A.O. Jim Leidgen at (502) 426-4808 or by email – jim@hurstbourne.org.

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TWO CITY PICNIC EVENTS A HIT WITH RESIDENTS

City Family Picnic - For the first time in recent memory, the City of Hurstbourne held distinctly different picnic events at two separate locations. The first was a traditional Whole-Family-Style picnic held at the Lowe elementary school playground. The premise was to offer a little bit of everything for Kids, Parents, and Grandparents. A month later, in keeping with the long-standing tradition of holding picnic and concert events at the city park, the City hosted the *Octoberfest in the Park*.

FAMILY PICNIC AT LOWE ELEMENTARY

Back on Sunday, September 19th the "City Family Picnic" was held on the grounds of Lowe Elementary School. In short, the event was a success. The picnic was well attended by Hurstbourne Residents as the City provided food, beverages, and entertainment. As intended, "Kids" of all ages showed up to participate in the festivities. Music was provided by John Laswell and his band. The school grounds proved to be the perfect venue for young ones to experience. In fact, at one point during the event, the entire playground was in full use. The weather also cooperated long enough for everyone to fully enjoy themselves. Many attendees visited with each other under the big-top tent while listening to music and watching young ones play. As an extra treat for the kids, face painting provided by Linda Brooks was available. The menu was also a big hit thanks to Momma's Barbeque. Their team dished up barbeque, pulled pork, chicken and other "fixings" including potato salad, baked beans, chips, and cookies - all to be washed down with either lemonade or tea. Leftovers were delivered to the Franciscan Shelter House for serving in their soup kitchen.





OCTOBERFEST IN THE PARK

Four weeks later on Sunday, October 17th the "Octoberfest in the Park" was held at the City Park. Once again, music, food and festivities will be provided by the City of Hurstbourne. The season brought exceptional bright weather for the fall concert in the park. In addition to music provided by John Laswell and his band, attendees enjoyed cony-dogs, chips and cookies served up by Hurstbourne business, Skyline Chili. There was plenty of room under the big-top tent to dine, watch, listen and visit with others. The kids (and some adults too) also stood in line to receive a free caricature portrait drawn by artist Denny Whalen.



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