

## Rumpke Trash & Recycling



Rumpke trash information – residents can have two 95 gallon containers or one 95 gallon container and up to three (3) additional bags per trash pickup. Yard waste – if it doesn't fit in the trash container then it must be bundled in three foot sections in order for Rumpke to take it. If residents have larger items to dispose of such as furniture, residents must call Rumpke in advance at 859-472-7339 to arrange pick up. Mattresses and upholstered furniture must be wrapped in plastic before setting out to the curb.

For the most updated information regarding trash and recycling in our city, please visit [www.rumpke.com](http://www.rumpke.com). Rumpke trash – (859) 472-733, recycling 513-242-4401. If your trash has not been picked up and it is after business hours, please contact Rumpke at [southeast.municipal@rumpke.com](mailto:southeast.municipal@rumpke.com) to report a missed stop, etc after hours.



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CITY OF EDGEWOOD, KY

MAY/JUNE 2017

## Mayor's Report by Mayor John D. Link

Thanks to our residents, visitors and friends who supported our annual Friday Fish Fry's that were prepared by our Fire/EMS Department as well as our volunteers that made the evenings a huge success; you all did a great job.

The Memorial Day ceremony will be held Monday May 29th at Freedom Park beginning at 10 a.m. In case of rain, we will move into the Senior Center. So rain or shine we will have the ceremony. Again, this year the boy scouts will dispose of any worn or tattered flags, so bring them with you on Monday morning.

With the 4th of July just around the corner, our theme this year is "United We Stand - Proudly We Serve". Our grand marshal this year will be Mr. Frank Henn who has served our community since 1951. So, hitch up the trailer to the truck and bring the neighborhood into the parade. The 5K race starts at 7:30 a.m. at Presidents Park, parade starts at 9:30 a.m. from the Caywood Elementary & Turkeyfoot Middle School campus and the fireworks will be at Freedom Park at dusk.

As mentioned in our previous newsletter, the construction phase from Winding Trails to Catherine Drive has begun with the water and sanitation departments doing their preliminary work within the right-of-ways. We should be ready to go to bid by this fall with construction beginning in 2018. Some telephone poles will be relocated prior to the new pavement and curbs.

Please check inside this newsletter for more of the upcoming events such as the city wide yard sale, Friday Night Flicks for an evening under the stars, concerts in the park, shred event is returning to Freedom Park June 3rd, 9 am to noon. I hope to see you at one or more of our events; you will have a good time.

## Vacation Checks

Are you planning to go on vacation this summer? If so, let the Edgewood Police Department know about your travel plans. We'll perform regular checks on your residence while you are gone to help ensure there are no issues. If you don't have an alarm system in your home, we even have portable alarms that we can install for the duration of your vacation. Please call 859-331-5911 to set up a vacation check or to get more information. You can now set up your vacation check online at: <http://edgewoodky.gov/police/forms/vacation-house-check-form/>

## City Of Edgewood

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## Recreation Corner

with Michelle M. Frisch

### Freedom Park Yard Sale

The city is sponsoring the annual Freedom Park Yard Sale on Saturday, May 13 from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at Freedom Park. Residents may reserve a space at the park for \$20.00 spaces fill up quickly so reserve now. The cost includes one table, two chairs, a garage sale permit, and our General Services Department hauling away any unwanted items to charity. The Recreation Committee will be sponsoring concessions. Residents are responsible for their own setup, pricing and petty cash.

In addition to the Freedom Park Yard Sale vendors, other residents are **encouraged to have yard sales** at their homes on Saturday May 13. Residents will still need to apply for a \$5 permit at the city building and all regular rules apply. The benefit of having a yard sale the same day as the Freedom Park yard sale is that the city will have a listing of all the yard sales in the city on May 13 at the Freedom Park sale. This will give bargain hunters an opportunity to make a day of yard sale shopping in Edgewood.

### Memorial Day Ceremony



The annual Memorial Day Ceremony will be held at 10 a.m. at Freedom Park, on Monday, May 29. Boy Scout Troop 779 will be collecting tattered and worn flags to be properly disposed of at the ceremony. If you cannot make it to the ceremony you may drop-off your flags at the city building and we will make sure to give them to the scouts. If you have any questions about the ceremony please call or email Michelle M. Frisch at mfrisch@edgewoodky.gov.

### Friday Night Flick



The City of Edgewood will have its movie night on Friday, June 2, 2017 at Freedom Park on the soccer field. The movie "The Secret Life of Pets" will be shown on the soccer field at dusk. Kona Ice will be available for purchase. Family friendly games will be available to play starting at 8pm. Come out and enjoy a family movie night at the park!

### Free Shred Event

The City of Edgewood and the City of Crestview Hills will be offering a free shred event at Freedom Park on Saturday, June 3, 2017 from 9am – 12pm. Residents are allowed to bring up to five (5) brown paper bags of documents to shred. For more information, please go to [www.edgewoodky.gov](http://www.edgewoodky.gov).

### Summer Tennis Clinic



Tennis Pro Tim Mitchell will be offering two summer sessions of tennis lessons for all levels of ability and ages at Presidents Park starting in June and July. In-person registration will be held near the tennis courts on Saturday, June 3, 2017 and Saturday July 8, 2017 at Presidents Park from 9am – 1pm. Registration Deadline is Saturday, June 3, 2017 for Session I and July 8, 2017 for Session II – NO EXCEPTIONS. Please go to our website for registration forms at [www.edgewoodky.gov](http://www.edgewoodky.gov)

### Edgewood Day Brookwood Swim Club Saturday June 10th



Come enjoy Brookwood Swim Club for the day! Residents who show their ID will have free entrance to the pool all day on Saturday, June 10, 2017. Amenities include: a large swimming pool, separate baby pool, diving area, tennis courts, basketball court and a snack bar with reasonably-priced items.

### Tuesday Evening Summer Concert Series



The 2017 concert series begins on Tuesday, June 13 with the Acoustic Blue Band and runs through August 22. Mark your calendars to spend Tuesday evenings at Presidents Park this summer. All concerts begin at 7 p.m. and are free to the public. Noce's Pizza and Kona Ice will be available at all performances for purchase. **Special thanks to our sponsor Hummel Hatfield Insurance Agency.** Please see the enclosed flyer for a complete listing of performances.

### 13th Annual Amateur Gardener Recognition Award



The City of Edgewood is recognizing amateur gardeners whose personal dedication and love of gardening creates beautiful spaces, large and small, and are an inspiration to all who see them. The garden should be maintained and representative of gardening at its best. The nominee must agree to have his/her name submitted and to allow the judges to visit the garden to evaluate it. If the garden is professionally maintained it is not eligible as this is an amateur award. The deadline for nominations is June 16. Judging will take place the week of June 19 by the Edge of the Woods Garden Club. Send nominations to mfrisch@edgewoodky.gov.

## 40TH ANNUAL 4th of July Activities

### 5K Race

The 40th Annual City of Edgewood/Tri-State Running Independence Day 5K Race will begin at Presidents Park at **7:30 a.m. on Tuesday, July 4th**. The race includes divisions for both runners and walkers and a children's fun run. Anyone interested in participating can register online at [www.edgewood5k.com](http://www.edgewood5k.com). Pre-registration is recommended to avoid long lines on race day. Registration will end at 7:00 a.m. on the 4th of July. **Race will start promptly at 7:30 am. Pre-registered participants will be able to pick up shirts, numbers and chips at Tri-State Running, 148 Barnwood Drive.** Packet pick-up for the City of Edgewood/Tri-State Running Company 5K will be at the store on Wednesday June 28th – Thursday June 29th (10 to 8), Friday June 30th – Sunday July 2nd (10 to 6). Preregistration pickup closes Monday, July 3rd at 6pm.

**We need many volunteers to work the race, distributing water, timers, etc. Please call Michelle M. Frisch at 331-5910 or email at [mfrisch@edgewoodky.gov](mailto:mfrisch@edgewoodky.gov) if you can volunteer.**

### Parade

The parade will begin at the Caywood Elementary and Turkeyfoot Middle School campus at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, July 4th. This year's theme is "United We Stand – Proudly We Serve". The City is also celebrating the 56th Anniversary of the parade. Please visit our website at [www.edgewoodky.gov](http://www.edgewoodky.gov) for the parade route. **The route was altered due to construction on Lyndale Road. No walkers are permitted in the parade route, all participants must be mobile.** Plaques will be awarded to the Best Original Entry, Best Performing Entry and Best Entry Honoring the theme. Anyone interested in entering a float or vehicle in the parade must register online at: <http://edgewoodky.gov/4th-of-july-parade-form/> to reserve a spot. There will be a brief awards ceremony following the parade at the flagpole in Presidents Park.

### Free Concert in Freedom Park

Come early for the fireworks and enjoy the classic rock of "Red Idle". The concert begins at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 4th and will continue until the fireworks begin around 9:30 pm. Food Vendors and Kona Ice will be available for purchases of food and beverages.

### Rozzi Fireworks at Freedom Park

And of course we've saved the best for last! Rozzi's has a fabulous display in store for us. The fireworks begin around 9:30 pm on Tuesday, July 4th. Bring a blanket and come early! **Rain date for the fireworks is Wednesday, July 5th. Please save the enclosed flyer for a listing of all the activities.**

### We Need Recreation Committee Volunteers!



If you are interested in volunteering and want to come see what's involved

and meet some of our current volunteers, we will be having an informal "Check Us Out" on Tuesday, June 13, 6:00 p.m., at the Jefferson Shelter in Presidents Park. This is our annual summer family picnic meeting. There is also a concert scheduled for that evening at 7 p.m. We will be serving dinner, so if you are interested in attending or would like more information on meeting dates or what else is involved please contact Michelle M. Frisch at mfrisch@edgewoodky.gov to R.S.V.P. or for more information.

### Edge of the Woods Garden Club News



#### What's Happening....

The Garden Club members are in full swing with the early spring weather and have designed the arrangements and selected the color theme for this year. Around Mother's Day we will be planting for Spring/Summer with a beautiful arrangement of pinks, white, purple and deep yellow flowers. As you walk along the "Friendly Mile" of Dudley Road look for new trellises adorned with large pink Mandivilla blossom during the day and brilliant white Moonflowers that bloom in the early evening and through the night until touched by the morning Sun. You won't want to miss the sweet fragrance characteristic of the Moonflower!!! Other flower selections include Calibrachoa, Heliotrope, Alyssum, Supertunias and Zinnias with Vinca and Sweet Potato vines.

#### What's Needed.... VOLUNTEERS!!!!

We are a small group with big ideas which requires many hands to implement. This year our plans for introducing a Monarch Waystation to Presidents Park will come to fruition and we want to continue to maintain the tri-pots, large pots at then 4 entrances to the city, and we are working on improvements to the Clock Tower and Park entrance, BUT we need more people to lend their hands to continue to maintain and improve our beautiful city. If you are not already on the mailing list, please let us know you are interested please call 859-653-8776 if you are interested in joining us.

**Gardening Connections.** If you're like most home gardeners you probably have many questions and there are a lot of resources to help. For starters, the Kenton County Cooperative

Extension Services offers horticulture education & guidance, soil testing, etc. Contact Michele Stanton, Horticulturist at [Michele.stanton@uky.edu](mailto:Michele.stanton@uky.edu), phone 859-356-3155, or go to the website for a complete list of educational opportunities, resources, and gardening tips. ([Kenton.ca.uka.eu](http://Kenton.ca.uka.eu))

### Important Message from SD1:

**The catch basins and/or storm drains on the side of the road funnel rainwater to Northern Kentucky's creeks and rivers.**

It is important to remember that pollutants and debris washed into these basins when it rains are not usually carried to one of SD1's treatment plants for cleaning, but are conveyed to a nearby waterway. Once in our creeks and rivers – chemicals, yard debris, litter and dirt can degrade the quality of the water we rely on for drinking water and recreation. Basins and drains clogged by debris also can lead to storm property damage. Remember these tips to help protect public health, property and the environment:

- Sweep grass clippings, leaves and other debris off the street and away from storm drains.
- Properly dispose of all waste in trash receptacles or recycling bins.
- Use fertilizers and pesticides sparingly.
- Never dump, pour or wash oil, chemicals, paint, yard debris, trash or other substances down a storm drain.

Visit SD1's website for more helpful tips and information about how to prepare for heavy precipitation. [www.SD1.org](http://www.SD1.org)

### Fireman Mike Says...

#### by Firefighter Mike Constantino

Hopefully everyone remembered to change the batteries or replace your old smoke detectors back in March when moving the clocks forward. If not, it isn't too late, so do it now!

Thanks to all who stopped by and said hello at the Senior Expo in March. We had a great time and I hope the information we passed out was helpful.

I'd like to touch base on "Planning an Escape" from your home in case of a fire:

- MAKE a home escape plan. Draw a map showing the doors/windows and discuss with family members.
- KNOW at least 2 ways out of every room, if possible.
- HAVE an outside meeting place (tree, light pole, mailbox, neighbors house) a safe distance from the home.
- PRACTICE your home fire drill at night and during the day at least twice a year.
- PRACTICE using different ways out.
- TEACH children how to escape on their own in case you can't help them.
- CLOSE doors behind you as you leave. This is very important to slow down fire spread.

#### IF THE ALARM SOUNDS...

- If the smoke alarm sounds, GET OUT AND STAY OUT. Never go back inside for people, pets or anything.

- If you have to escape through smoke, GET LOW and GO under the smoke to your way out.
- CALL 911 (Fire Department) from outside your home.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Fireman Mike at [mconstantino@edgewoodky.gov](mailto:mconstantino@edgewoodky.gov) or call 341-2628.

#### Volunteers Needed.....

The Edgewood Fire Department is always recruiting volunteers, who want to make a difference in the community and make lifelong friendships. We want hardworking, dedicated, and team oriented people that will become the future of this department.

If you would like to be involved and like a challenge; we are here to provide the challenge. Will you step up and accept? Contact the Edgewood Fire Department for more information. Phone number is (859) 813-2628. Applications are currently being accepted until May 4th.

### Councilman Barlage's Edgewood History Notes:

Have you ever driven down Madonna Drive and wondered why each side street has an interesting conjunction for a name? This property was previously owned by the Carl and Marie Foltz Family. Madonna Drive when first constructed was on axis with St. Pius X's statue of the Virgin Mary, hence the name Madonna. Many of the streets along Madonna drive are named after Foltz children.

**Carimel** = Carl "Jumbo" Foltz and Imelda Foltz Deuchle.

**Marmil** = Mary Eva Foltz Merrick, and Mildred Foltz Guenther.

**Terebet** = Teresa Foltz Hellings, and Betty Foltz Busemeyer.

**Jerlou** = Jerry Foltz and Louise Foltz Bree.

**Marie Ln.** = Marie Foltz

**Carl Ct.** = Carl Foltz

Many Edgewood street names have an interesting past.

If you have any historical items related to our community, photographs, slides, 8mm movies or other paraphernalia depicting years gone by, we would be very interested in producing a copy for our archive. Please contact the City Building or Ben Barlage at [BenBarlage@aol.com](mailto:BenBarlage@aol.com)

### Street Repair, Resurfacing and Construction List for FY 2017-2018

**BROOKWOOD DRIVE** – Willow Brook to 3148 Brookwood Drive

**BRADDOCK COURT** – Prestwicke to Prestwicke

**STRAWBERRY HILL COURT**

**BARONS COVE**

**SENTRY COURT**

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**DUDLEY ROAD** – Winding Trails to Catherine

