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Mayor's Report

by Mayor John D. Link

The Home Decorating Contest this year was a hard one for our judges. We had some wonderful displays and would like to thank all that participated. The listed finalists are on our website, Facebook and Twitter accounts. Go check them out!

Our Fire Chief **Chris Amon** retired as of November 30th, 2019. He has served our city for over 20 years, with 12 of those years as Chief. Chris will sincerely be missed and we wish him the best in the coming years. Effective December 16th, Assistant Fire Chief, **Tom Dickman** was promoted to Fire Chief. Tom has served our City for the last 17 years. If you are out and about please wish both of these men the best for their thankless jobs. Thank you to the both of you!

Service Line Warranties of America of Chattanooga, Tennessee has sent out information in promoting their water and sewer line protection program that we the City do endorse. This is an optional service but has a very beneficial resource when needed by our residents.

With the winter weather knocking at our door steps, the **Reach Alert notification service** is a free service to all our residents that alerts you of any emergencies, recreation events, crime alerts, road and snow conditions, and other announcements. To sign up, please visit our website www.edgewoodky.gov and click the Reach Alert icon. As the colder weather approaches, please check on your neighbors who cannot get out in the inclement weather to make sure that they are alright.

The 2020 Census is coming in March. As a U.S. Census Partner, the City of Edgewood is trying to raise awareness about the upcoming census. Your responses are important for you and your community. The census data determines the distribution of over \$675 billion in federal monies back to the states each year. Please see www.census.gov for more information.

The Recreation Department has a number of up and coming events for us to enjoy in the 2020 season (see enclosed calendar). I look forward to seeing you at one or more of these great events. Come out and enjoy the events with a neighbor, friend, and your family members.

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Recreation Corner

with Hannah Centers
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2020 Recreation Calendar



The recreation department has issued their 2020 calendar. Please save the enclosed flyer for easy reference through June. Another flyer will go out for July through December. New programs may be added at a later date and some current dates may change during the year. Information about all activities will be in future newsletters, on our city sign, our website at www.edgewoodky.gov, on Facebook at www.facebook.com/CityofEdgewoodKy or on our Twitter account @EdgewoodKY.

Edgewood Night at Town and Country



Edgewood Night is Sunday, January 19th from 6:30-9 p.m. at the Town and Country Sports Complex in Wilder, Kentucky. The night will include unlimited aero ball, tubes and tunnels, junior gym, junior exercise equipment, two indoor warm water pools with two indoor slides, large basketball court, sports wall, game bikes, viper rope and dance, dance revolution. Direct parent supervision is required for all activities. The concession stand will be open for snacks and drinks. Please bring a towel for the pool

and wear tennis shoes and socks for the land activities. This event is for Edgewood residents only. Residency will be checked at the door. Parental liability waivers will have to be signed.

Edgewood Day at Lazer Kraze

Edgewood Day at Lazer Kraze in Erlanger is Monday, January 20th from 10 a.m.-noon.

The event is free to Edgewood residents ONLY with proof of residency. Event includes at least one Lazer Kraze mission and entrance to trampoline room. This is a timed area with your color-coded bands at the door and socks will be provided for the jump zone area. Limit 100 residents! Parents must accompany every child in attendance at the event. Parental liability waivers for Lazer Kraze can be signed before event on their website and are good up to a year from the dated form. Edgewood will have a waiver at the door to be signed for all participants under the age of 18 for the day of the event or visit www.edgewoodky.gov to print a waiver form under the Parks/Recreation tab. For more information on Lazer Kraze and complete their waiver form visit their website at www.lazerkraze.com.



Spring Field Reservations

Anyone interested in reserving a field for spring of 2020 should submit a field request form to Hannah Centers by February 3, 2020. The field request form can be downloaded from www.edgewoodky.gov under the Parks/Recreation tab. Please include the coach's complete address, including work, home and cell phone numbers and email, day of week needed (list 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice), time of day, anticipated number of weeks needed, starting date, league and age of players, the field name you are requesting and submit with a complete roster with addresses and phone numbers. Incomplete field request forms or forms submitted without complete rosters will NOT be accepted. Permits will be issued mid-February. Procedures for field usage and the issuing of permits may change at anytime. All city leagues and special events will have



field priority. You can email your field request form with complete rosters to hcenters@edgewoodky.gov, drop-off request forms at the city building, fax to (859) 331-5912 or mail to City of Edgewood, 385 Dudley Road, Edgewood, KY 41017.



Flower Canvas Painting Class

Come out of an evening of fun and creativity. Each participant will be provided with a canvas and painting supplies by RMD Arts on Tuesday, February 11th from 6:30-8:30pm. The cost is \$30 for residents and \$35 r non-residents. You MUST pre-register. Register at www.edgewoodky.gov under parks and rec – event registration.

A Day at DEFY

Ages 3 and older are invited to come join us for a fun day of jumping at DEFY extreme air sports on Monday, February 17, from 1-3 p.m. Please complete the enclosed registration form and return it to the city building by February 11th. You must pre-register to receive the group discount. The cost is \$15 per person. This event is for Edgewood residents only. Residency will be checked at the gate. LIMITED TO 30 PEOPLE. DEFY and city liability waivers need to be signed for all participants. For more information on jumping, or to download the DEFY liability waiver, please visit www.defy.com. The city waiver may be downloaded at our website www.edgewoodky.gov or email Hannah Centers at hcenters@edgewoodky.gov for further information. Register at www.edgewoodky.gov under parks and rec – event registration.



R.A.D. / Self-Defense Class

Learn how to defend yourself in the event of an attack and avoid dangerous situations. The self-defense classes will be held on February 18, 20, 25 & 27th from 6-9pm at the Edgewood Senior Center. Attendance is required at ALL sessions. This is a 12-hour course. The class is open to women only, ages 12-99. The classes are offered for FREE. This class is sponsored by the Edgewood Police Department. Register at www.edgewoodky.gov under parks and rec – event registration or contact Hannah Centers at hcenters@edgewoodky.gov



Mystery Dinner Theatre

The annual Mystery Theater Dinner, "The Game of LIFE", will be held at the Edgewood Senior Center, 550 Freedom Park Drive, on Saturday March 7, at 6:30 p.m. Join us for an evening of fun, adventure, and murder. Play a part in the mystery or just play a part in solving the crime. Call now and reserve your spot for the show and let us know if you'd like to be cast; parts and spots will go fast! The cost is \$25.00 per person and includes the mystery, a catered dinner, dessert and non-alcoholic drinks. Please see enclosed flyer for more information about how to register.



Snow Emergency Information

The City has an ordinance that prohibits all motor vehicles from parking on any street in the City during a Snow Emergency. A Snow Emergency may be declared by the Mayor anytime driving conditions are deemed hazardous. It is automatically in effect when there is a snowfall of two or more inches. We notify radio and television stations of declared Snow Emergencies, but they do not always broadcast the notice. These notices are not required and you may receive a citation without prior notification. Also, your car may be towed if it creates a hazard on your street. Snow Emergencies are put into effect for your safety as well as the City's. It allows the Public Works Department to plow and salt the thoroughfares without the additional hazard



COUNCILMAN BARLAGE'S

Edgewood History



"Shopping center seeks quality and professional tenants – not fast food outlets. Pleasing variety of buildings that would reflect American heritage" The Kentucky Enquirer stated on Sunday morning February 8, 1976. Architecturally it was intended to be more than Williamsburg, it would be English, Irish, German, Italian and French Renaissance all wrapped into one. You likely know what I am talking about by now....The Heritage International Specialty Shopping Plaza and Professional complex. The epitome of what one might now call "Bicentennial Chic", and for several years it was! Located on 7.3 Acres that were originally part of a Revolutionary War Land Grant. The new development was exciting for Edgewood and a huge step up from the neighboring shopping districts of the K-Mart plaza and the nearby Van Leunen's. The courtyard once hosted Greek Festivals, Art Shows and Concerts. You could withdraw some money from Charter Oak Federal, hit the Barber Shoppe, the Sweet Shoppe, the Dentist, the Orthodontist, The Fisherman's Warf, the insurance Agents, the Candle Shoppe, Coach Light Gifts, The Coach Light Inn, The Oriental Wok, Sterling Cut Glass, The Flower Path, Giuseppe's Pasta Place, The White Horse Tavern, Cancun Mexican, El Coyote and finally, if you were feeling a bit over-served ... The Diet Workshop. This curious list of establishments does not even begin to do justice to the long list of tenants throughout the years. For many it represented a great evening out on the town. For others merely a short cut to K-mart. For a brief shining moment, it was Edgewood's very own city center.

of parked vehicles. If it is snowing, or if snow is predicted, please remove your car(s) from the street. Let's all work together to keep our streets clear and safe for everyone. Happy Holidays!

Fireman Mike Says...

by Firefighter Michael Constantino

I hope everyone had a great holiday and are ready to start the new year off fire safe. Home fires occur in the winter more than any other season. Half of all home heating fires occur in the months of December, January and February. Heating equipment is involved in 1 of every 7 reported home fires and 1 of every 5 home deaths. Keep anything that can burn at least 3 feet from any heat source like fireplaces, wood stoves, radiators or space heaters. Plug only one heat-producing appliance, such as space heaters, into an electrical outlet at a time. Also, please be more attentive when cooking, make sure furnaces and chimneys are professionally cleaned and smoke detectors are properly maintained. As you stay cozy and warm this winter season, be fire smart!



Next, I'd like to congratulate the seven Edgewood students that were winners in the Northern Kentucky Junior Fire Marshal Poster Contest. All are from R.C. Hinsdale: Danica Jennison, Olivia Cross, Prudence Smith, Phoebe Harmon, Nino Cioffi, Logan Hawkes and Rosanna Koons. Congratulations to all of you!

Continue making Edgewood a safe place to live. For more information regarding fire prevention please contact Fireman Mike at mconstantino@edgewoodky.gov.

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