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Lowes' Heroes Program Supports Ballwin Parks

On Monday, August 26 Store Manager Eric Parker and nine of his store associates descended on Ballwin parks to help the city spruce up a bit. Lowes provided all materials and manpower to create a new perennial garden in the playground area at Vlasik Park as well as adding landscaping to the island at New Ballwin Park. The Lowes' Heroes Program embraces teamwork as a core value and a key ingredient in maintaining an engaged work force while helping to transform lives of those they serve in the community.



West St. Louis County Rotary Club Donation to "Exploration Playground"

Parks and Recreation Director Linda Bruer accepted a \$3,700 donation from the West St. Louis County Rotary Club President Mike Mertens for the purchase of a new drinking fountain to be installed in the new "Exploration Playground" scheduled for construction this fall in Ferris Park. This marks the fifth drinking fountain the Rotary Club has purchased for Ballwin parks with proceeds from community events such as Ballwin Days.

The play area will include interactive play for children ages 2-12 years of age, a "creek-like" water play feature, and a small pavilion. Dedication of the area is anticipated for spring 2014. Ferris Park is located approximately two miles south of Manchester Road on New Ballwin Road.

Curbside Leaf Collection

STARTS OCTOBER 28

Ballwin Public Works Department will begin its free residential curbside leaf collection program on October 28. Leaves raked sooner can be put in appropriate yard waste bags or containers for pickup on yard waste collection days by the City's contracted waste hauler.

Unlike trash collection, we cannot guarantee which day of the week your leaves will be collected. This year crews will be collecting leaves Monday through Friday, on both sides of Manchester Road. Crews will begin each day where they ended the day before. Once leaves have been collected on all streets they will begin another pickup cycle. There will be NO pickup on November 28 and 29 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Due to weather conditions and sheer volume your leaves may NOT be collected on a weekly basis or the same day of the week. This service may be curtailed due to adverse winter weather conditions.

The final week will begin December 2. However, to assure your leaves are collected during the final week you should rake the leaves to the curb no later than Sunday, December 1.

Please do not park on top of or in front of leaf piles. Leaves that are not accessible cannot be collected until the next cycle through the City. Crews cannot return to missed piles.

To minimize leaves washing into the sewers or becoming saturated during rainfall do not put them in the gutter. For safety reasons, leaves will only be vacuumed from the passenger side of the truck. Drivers are prohibited from driving in the wrong direction towards oncoming traffic. Therefore, leaves cannot be vacuumed from cul-de-sac islands or median islands. Also, leaves cannot be vacuumed if vehicles are parked on or in front of the leaf pile.

As a reminder, this service is only provided to customers of the City's contracted waste hauler. Properties that have a separate contract are excluded from the City's curbside leaf collection. Residents are also reminded leaves will be picked up by the trash hauler as part of their yard waste collection provided they are put in yard waste bags or separate containers.

For the safety of the workers and the equipment, sticks, plants, root balls, metal objects, bricks, logs, and animal waste must be kept out of the leaf pile. Piles of leaves with such debris will NOT be collected to avoid injuries and equipment damage which will cause delays. Also, do not block fire hydrants, storm drains, or mailboxes.

Deer Hunting Within The City Of Ballwin

The Ballwin Police Department would like to remind residents about the City of Ballwin Deer Control Policy and Hunting Regulations in effect in accordance with City of Ballwin Ordinance #12-37 (Codified as Chapter 18, Article V, Sections 18-90 through 18-94).

Deer archery hunting will only be permitted in the City of Ballwin from September 15, 2013 to November 15, 2013, and November 27, 2013 to January 15, 2014 in accordance with Missouri Department of Conservation Regulations. Longbow and compound bow are the only permissible methods to be used. All hunters must be at least 18 years of age.

Hunting is only permitted on private property parcels consisting of one (1) acre or more where the property owner has given permission for the hunting to occur. Full details of setback requirements, distances, and restrictions can be found in Sec. 18-92 of the full ordinance.

Property owners who wish to allow hunting must submit to the Ballwin Police Department the following items prior to commencement of hunting:

- A completed and accurate Notification of Intent to Hunt form with signatures from all property owners.
- Documentation showing the completion of an archery device hunter safety course as approved or provided by the Missouri Department of Conservation for each hunter.
- Proof of coverage by liability policy and/or indemnity bond providing a minimum of \$2,000,000 per occurrence coverage, insuring and/or bonding the property owner and/or hunter for any damage resulting from negligence in the hunting activity on said property.

Property owners are advised to allow at least one (1) business day when submitting the required documents before commencement of hunting on their property. This recommendation is to ensure no hunting activity occurs on a property in violation of ordinance should a submission not meet the requirements set forth in Ballwin Ordinance #12-37. All submissions will be reviewed for deficiencies or disqualifying factors upon receipt.

A packet containing the complete ordinance, guidelines for hunters and property owners, and required forms can be picked up from the Ballwin Police Station during business hours or can be downloaded by visiting http://www.ballwin.mo.us/docs/Ballwin_Deer_Hunting_Packet_10162012.pdf.

All deer harvests must be reported to the Ballwin Police Department within two (2) business days by calling during normal business hours or by delivering written notification to the Chief of Police. Each harvested deer report must include the hunter's name, location of the harvest, and sex of the deer.

For questions, inquiries, or to report harvests, please contact

P.O. Shaun Doerr of the Ballwin Community Affairs Unit at 636-207-2318 or by email sdoerr@ballwin.mo.us.

PARKS AND RECREATION

For your convenience, we are offering activity registration online! Go to www.ballwin.mo.us and click on the activity registration starburst. The City offers a wide variety of athletic, youth and adult programs such as Lunch & Bingos, fitness programs, swim lessons and other fun programming.

SPECIALS

October

Canned Food Drive for the Circle of Concern

at The Pointe - Donate 10 items of canned food/dry

food and you will receive one free guest pass to The Pointe at Ballwin Commons.

November

Personal Training discounts on packages-5% off 5 visits, 10% off 10 visits and 15% off 20 visits.

Group Fitness and water aerobics swipe card special-Purchase either one of these cards and receive two additional visits.

PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES

Lunch & Bingo

Oct 2 and 30, Nov 7 and 20, Dec 4 and 20
starts at 11a.m. • VIP/Reg \$6 • Ages: 21 and up

Join us for lunch, fun, BINGO and prizes at The Pointe! Pre-register by the Sunday prior to the program to avoid a \$2 late fee.

Family Campout

October 5, check in begins at 4pm • VIP \$30/Reg \$40/tent

Join us at Vlasik Park for exciting activities and camping. Set up your campsite, cook your hot dogs and join others in Halloween themed activities. Compete in a tent decorating contest, make a wood project provided by Lowes and finish the evening watching "The Goonies" under the stars.



Ameristar Casino Trip

October 16 from 10-4pm • VIP \$25/Reg \$28

Enjoy a fun day at the Ameristar Casino! Time inside the casino is 11a-3p. Cost includes transportation.

Zombie Chase Trail Run

October 19 beginning at 9am • VIP/Reg \$25

Ages 8 and older. A fun filled race that will be held at Castlewood State Park. Participants must reach each checkpoint on the map while avoiding being caught by zombies. Registration fee is \$30 after October 5.

Family Hayride

October 19 beginning at 5:30pm • VIP \$10 Reg \$12

This annual event begins with an exciting hayride through the forest and ends on the banks of the Meramec River at Castlewood State Park. After enjoying a scenic ride, eat dinner under the stars followed by a campfire!

Indoor Swim Lessons

VIP \$49/Reg \$59

October 22-Nov 9, Dec 13-19, Tuesdays/Thursdays

Check the website www.ballwin.mo.us for times. All levels for all ages.

Kids Night Out

Oct 25, Nov 22, Dec 20 • VIP \$10/Reg \$12 Ages: 7-12, from 6-9:45pm

Drop the kids off for a fun night at The Pointe! Bring a swimsuit and towel. Pizza and drinks will be provided as a snack.

Health and Wellness Day

October 30 from 1-5pm. • Free

The Pointe at Ballwin Commons is hosting its Annual Health Fair. Visit our local vendors and flu shots will be administered from 3-5pm. If you are interested in participating as a vendor (\$25/table) please contact Fitness Manager Matt Struempf at 636-227-8950.



Midnight Howl 5K Run/Walk

November 8-11pm • \$25/entrant

Join in the fun on this 5K run through the streets of Ballwin ending at the Wolf Public House for awards and refreshments. Pre-registration deadline is Oct. 23, after deadline \$30.