



City of Sedalia, Missouri

Moving Forward

Public Newsletter for April 2015

April 2015 Meetings

City Council Meeting

April 6

Park Board Meeting

April 9

Public Library Board

Meeting

April 13

Citizens for Smart Growth

Meeting

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City Council Meeting

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Public Works Board

Meeting

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Bothwell Regional Health

Center Board of

Trustees Meeting

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Your Shoes Were Made for Walkin'

On Wednesday, April 1, 2015, Mayor Stephen Galliher met with the members of the Citizens Committee for Smart Growth and the Trails Subcommittee to encourage "Get Out and Walk Day," an annual event held on the first Wednesday of April. Get Out and Walk Day emphasizes the City of Sedalia's efforts to encourage physical activity as an important, healthy lifestyle component for all citizens. Sedalia offers many indoor and outdoor walking areas to help you succeed in your activity goals.



With the onset of warmer weather, the Trails Subcommittee hopes you will take advantage of the walking trails in Sedalia, including the Katy Trail and many walking paths winding through our beautiful Sedalia parks.

Once you're on the path to success, it's great to be able to share your good news. The Trails Subcommittee has created a **Get Moving Sedalia** Facebook page just for you! Got questions? Got a gorgeous picture from your morning walk? Be sure to like the **Get Moving Sedalia** Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/sedaliasmartgrowth?fref=ts>

Way to Grow, Sedalia!

The City of Sedalia, with the assistance of community partners, will be launching a Yard of the Month contest for the 2015 growing season! More information will be provided soon!

Sedalia Fire Department Firefighter I & II Class

The City of Sedalia Fire Department will be offering Firefighter I & II classes starting in September of this year and continuing through late March of 2016.

The classes will be taught at the new Headquarters station on west Sixteenth Street. The department has twelve state certified instructors who will be teaching the classes. Class schedules will be two evenings per week and a minimum of two Saturdays per month.

Students who successfully complete the class will be eligible to test for the internationally recognized certification, regulated by the State of Missouri Division of Fire Safety and the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress.

The cost of the class is set at \$1,200.00 per student, which includes all textbooks, log book, a polo shirt and some tee shirts. Students will be required to purchase a pair of 9 Pkt. uniform pants and must provide a full set of turnout gear. For those students who do not have access to the turnout gear we are in contact with a company from which they can rent the gear. At the very most students should be able to attend the classes for no more than \$2,100.00.

The department has made every effort to keep the cost as low as possible and schedule classes so students can train without having to leave their current employment.

To achieve the Fire Department's goal of this program being self-sustaining, a minimum enrollment of 10 students is needed. As of April 1, 2015 we have had 16 letters of intent submitted. The application period started on Tuesday April 7, 2015. Anyone interested in information about the class should contact Firefighter Daniel Shaw by calling 660-826-8044.



How About Those 'Bots?

On Thursday, April 9, Mayor Galliher joined Smith-Cotton High School's Robotics Team, Team SCREAM, to declare April 4-12, 2015, National Robotics Week in the City of Sedalia. Sedalia Police Lieutenant Bill Chapman serves as a mentor for Team SCREAM. While this still new robotics team is currently in the midst of their third season, they have already won the opportunity to compete in the World Championships in St. Louis, Missouri!



National Arbor Day 2015

On Friday, April 10, Mayor Galliher, City Staff and members of the Citizens Committee for Smart Growth will hold an Arbor Day Celebration at the Smith-Cotton High School.

This event will be held at 4:00 p.m. near the Smith-Cotton High School sign. Several trees will be planted in memory of Steven Gooch, a SCHS Social Studies teacher who passed away in March 2015.

Playin' at the Park!

YOGA

All levels welcome! All you need is a yoga mat.
\$64 per session

Register at the Parks Office before session begins
SUNRISE YOGA

Mondays & Wednesdays 7:30-8:30 a.m.

April 6-29

EVENING YOGA

Tuesdays & Thursdays 5:30-6:30 p.m.

April 7-30

TINY TOTS PLAY PARK

Tuesdays & Wednesdays 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Convention Hall Gym

\$1.50 per child per class

Or purchase a \$10 Punch Pass (10 visits)

Parents must supervise their own children during this special play group. Open to children who have not yet entered school (age 5 and younger). Participants **MUST** pay (or show their punch pass) in office before entering the gym.

WE WILL NOT MEET APRIL 7

Program ends April 29 (program returns in September)

SUMMER SOFTBALL (ADULT)

Open Registration ends April 10

Monday Co-Ed Recreation or Intermediate

Tuesday Men's Recreation or Intermediate

Thursday Co-Ed Recreation

Leagues are 8 games, \$300 per team

Doubleheader leagues are 12 games; \$400 per team

See registration packet on website for full details

DADDY & ME DATE NIGHT

Saturday, April 25

6:00-8:00 p.m.

Girls age 3-12 with dad, grandpa, uncle, etc.

\$30 per couple, \$10 additional daughter

Light dinner, dessert, and dancing

Register by April 17

SUPERHERO PARTY

Ages 2-7

Friday, May 1

6:00-7:00 p.m.

\$8 per child

Register by April 24

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