



City of Sedalia, Missouri

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September 2015 Meetings

- Sept. 3**
Park Board Meeting
- Sept. 7**
Labor Day Holiday
City Offices Closed
- Sept. 8**
City Council Meeting
- Sept. 14**
Public Library Board Meeting
- September 14**
City Council
Informational Tour
Airport and Cemetery
- Sept. 16**
Citizens Traffic Advisory Board Meeting
- Sept. 17**
Citizens for Smart Growth Meeting
- Sept. 17**
CBCD Meeting
- Sept. 22**
Bothwell Regional Health Center Board Meeting
- Sept. 23**
Board of Public Works Meeting
- Sept. 28**
City Council Meeting

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Public Newsletter for September 2015



Community Involvement Spotlight: Recreation Supervisor Zach Patton

Every few months, a member of City staff will be featured in our City newsletters, showcasing the many ways our employees personally give back to our community.

Sedalians showed how much they really enjoy the beautiful parks, facilities and activities provided by the Sedalia Parks and Recreation Department through their responses on the 2015 City of Sedalia Citizens Survey, accruing a consistently solid 75-76% good to excellent score for the third year in a row.

The City believes these praise-worthy results are directly tied to the hard work of the Parks and Rec staff who go out of their way to make sure Sedalians are provided the opportunity to live the healthiest and happiest lifestyle possible.

Among the Parks and Recreation employees is Zach Patton who has been employed as the Recreation Supervisor for just over a year. "I really like this job, especially on the days when I'm able to get out in the field." said Patton. "While

our office hours are generally from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on weekdays, I still like to attend many of the events and visit with the league members. I think the participants appreciate seeing us out making sure everything is running smoothly."

Zach chooses to use his free time participating with an organization called the Sedalia Young Professionals, a group of men and women between the ages of 21 and 40 who meet for the purpose of networking and philanthropy. The Sedalia Young Professionals group is affiliated with the Sedalia Area Chamber of Commerce and they are either Chamber members or employed by businesses who are Chamber members. Zach joined the Sedalia Young Professionals last year and since then has participated in many SYP events specifically held to help other Sedalia non-profits. In November and December 2014, the Sedalia Young Professionals held a food drive for Open Door, delivering well over 799 pounds of donated items!

Already in 2015, SYP helped restore a “pink” caboose back to its rightful red color. This caboose was originally located on the Missouri State Fairgrounds and then moved to its current spot next to the Katy Depot at 600 E. 3rd Street. Just recently, SYP members helped CACTUS sort school supplies that were later distributed to students in the Pettis County area.



For more information about the Sedalia Young Professionals, please check out their website at sedaliayoungprofessionals.wordpress.com or visit their Facebook page, Sedalia Young Professionals.

Zach may be found at the Sedalia Park Office at 1500 W. Third Street unless an important event is occurring; then it's probably best to check with the front office to find out exactly where he might be currently located on over 300+ acres of beautiful Sedalia Park grounds. *Photo Credit: Sedalia Young Professionals*

City Observes Labor Day Holiday

The City of Sedalia will be closed on Monday, September 7, 2015 in observance of the Labor Day holiday. City offices will re-open for normal business hours on Tuesday, September 8, 2015.

City trash collection for the week of September 7th will be adjusted as follows: Trash normally collected on Monday will be collected on Tuesday, trash normally collected on Tuesday will be collected on Wednesday and Thursday and Friday trash collection will occur as normal.

Veterans Appreciation BBQ

The annual Veterans Appreciation BBQ will be held on the City Parking lot south of the VFW at 2nd and Ohio on Saturday, September 12, 2015 from 3:00 p.m.—6:00 p.m. Congresswoman Vicky Hartzler and Major John Schwent, USMC will be the guest speakers. The BBQ will include hamburgers, bratwurst, chips, dessert and soft drinks. Adults: \$5, children 10 & under: \$3. Veterans eat free! Live music will also be provided. Bring your lawn chairs and plan to come early and stay late!



Make Plans to attend the 5th Annual Queen of the Prairies Festival of the Arts

September 26, 2015 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
In Historic Downtown Sedalia



Sedalia Regional Airport Breakfast Fly-In & Air Show

The annual Fly-In Pancake Breakfast & Air Show will be held at the Sedalia Regional Airport on Saturday, September 26th from 8 a.m. – 2 p.m.

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.: All-you-can-eat Chris Cake Pancakes; \$7 Adults, \$5 for children 12 and under
9:00 a.m. : Johnny Rowlands helicopter rides - \$40 per person
Flight Simulator - \$10 for 5 minutes

10:00 a.m.: Team Vortex & Radial Rumble Airshow
Kansas City Dawn Patrol with WWI replica planes aircraft

Also starting at 10:00 a.m., the Sedalia Civil Patrol will be selling hot dogs, chips and pop for \$1 each.

Visitors will be able to check out an AirEvac Life-team Helicopter along with other displays from the Sedalia Fire Department. There will also be a new Pettis County Ambulance on display. *Watch for your chance to sign up for a Waterloo Tool Box give-away!*

CHS Center for Human Services & Bloomin' Gardens Greenhouse

OCTOBER 3RD
10AM-2PM
1500 1/2 Ewing Drive
Sedalia, MO
660-826-4400, Ext 310

FALL FEST

FALL FUN BOUNCE HOUSE
VENDORS FACE GAMES
yummy treats **PAINTING** **PUMPKIN** **PLAY MAKEUP**
informational booths **DECORATING**

Plums for sale and much more!!!



For the month of August, the Sedalia Animal Shelter was able to place 24 dogs and 13 cats into furever homes. 18 lost dogs were returned back to their owners and one dog was transferred to a rescue.

Mark your calendars for a special event on Saturday, September 12th at State Fair Community College for a bike rodeo where Sedalia Animal Shelter Staff will provide valuable information to kids about proper pet care, how to approach a pet you do not know, and over all safety around pets.

SAS Staff Pick



There's always that certain pet who consistently tugs at your heart and the Sedalia Animal Shelter Staff picked Lucy as September's featured pet for exactly this reason. Why, you ask? Simply look into those beautiful brown eyes and you'll find the answer.

Lucy is a four year old young lady who has already been spayed, is current on all her shots and has even had her rabies vaccine! She is ready to go at a moment's notice. For more information on Miss Lucy, please contact the Sedalia Animal Shelter at 826-5816 or visit the shelter at 2900 West Main Street, Sedalia, MO.

Playin' at the Park

Liberty Pool's schedule for the end of the season:

August 29 - September 7:
Saturdays: 1:00-7:00 p.m.
Sundays: 1:00-6:00 p.m.
Monday, Sept. 7 (Labor Day):
1:00-6:00 p.m.

DOGGIE DIVE – LIBERTY POOL

Tue. Sept. 8
6:00-7:30 p.m.
\$3 per dog (payable at gate)

THINGS THAT "GO!"

Saturday, September 12
9:30 – 10:30 a.m.
Liberty Park
Children can explore trucks of all shapes and sizes.
Free admission

YOGA

All levels welcome! All you need is a yoga mat & water bottle.

SUNRISE YOGA

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

EVENING YOGA

Tuesdays & Thursdays
5:30-6:30 p.m.
September 8-October 1
Register at the Parks Office before each session begins, \$64 per session
Drop-in rate for individual classes is \$10 per class, cash only

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Instructional league for grades K-6
Practices begin mid/late November
Games on Saturdays in Jan/Feb
Coaches & Sponsors needed
Early Bird Registration:
September 14-25: \$35
Open Registration: September 28-October 9: \$45

ZUMBA (new!)

Register by September 21, \$30 per session
Mondays September 28-November 2
OR Wednesdays September 30-November 4
\$30 per session
Drop-in rate for individual classes is \$7 per class, cash only



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