

DERBY

NEWS

October 2016

Explore Derby During the Fall Parade of Homes

Oct. 1 & 2 | 8 & 9 | 15 & 16
Noon to 6 p.m.

We invite you to see the community while you're out and about during the Fall Parade of Homes.

Stop by the Derby Public Library (1600 E. Walnut Grove) and Derby Recreation Center (801 E. Market) for a tour. Pick up a Parade of Homes flier at one of the Derby homes on the tour and redeem it for a welcome gift at each location. These are just two of Derby's great amenities you should see if you are thinking about moving to or relocating within Derby. Both facilities close at 5 p.m. on the weekends, so get there early!



To view the list of five Derby homes on the tour, visit www.DerbyKS.com/POH.

Cleaning Up After the Floods

Derby has experienced historical amounts of rainfall over the past few months. Here are a few resources that may be helpful when cleaning up after a flood:

Free Bulky Waste Coupons

Residents receive two bulky waste coupons through Waste Connections good for two bulky items picked up curbside each year OR one free item curbside and one free pickup truck load at the Waste Connections Transfer Station, 4300 W. 37th St. N. Call 838-4920 in advance to request a coupon or schedule a curbside pickup.

More information is available at www.derbyweb.com/recycling.

Permit Fees Waived

The Derby City Council voted to waive building permit fees for work related to flood damage. Recent rainfall events resulted in damage to local properties, many of which did not have flood insurance.

Some repairs related to flood damage require permitting and inspection by the City. Here are examples of improvements that require a permit and inspection:

- Removal and replacement of sheet rock in excess of 100 sq. ft.



- Plumbing modifications, such as addition of water-powered or battery-backup sump pumps.
- Foundation modification and repairs.
- Replacement of furnaces, air conditioning units and water heaters.
- Electrical modifications and repairs.

If you have questions, call City Hall at 788-1519.

SBA Loans Available

Low-interest federal disaster loans are available to Kansas businesses and residents affected by the severe storms and flooding that occurred between Aug. 19 and Sept. 11, 2016.

The Disaster Loan Outreach Center is located at Cowley College, 410 E. Main St. in Mulvane. It's open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Learn more at www.sba.gov/disaster.

Upcoming Events

Pumpkin Patch Block Party

Saturday, Oct. 29, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Rock River Rapids, 1900 E. James St.

Weigand Realty and Verus Bank invite you to the Pumpkin Patch Block Party at Rock River Rapids.

This is a great event for kids 12 and under. Here's what to expect:



- Free pumpkins, while they last
- Hot dogs and treats
- Princess Pros Entertainment
- Lions Club Vision Screening Van
- Derby Police & Fire vehicles and equipment and Fire Safety House

Fraud Talk

Can We Talk?

Oct. 11 at 5:45 p.m.
Derby Welcome Center, 611 Mulberry Rd.

Can We Talk? is a new monthly lecture sponsored by the Derby Senior Center designed to help educate seniors and their children and even grandchildren on topics relevant to seniors.

This month, Avery Eloffsson, senior assistant district attorney for Sedgwick County, will teach you how to protect yourself from fraud. Learn about scams, contests, charitable solicitations, telemarketing fraud and other unethical business transactions.

A light dinner will be served. Registration required. Please R.S.V.P. by Oct. 7 by calling 788-0223.

Chip Site Hours Change Nov. 1

Mon./Wed./Fri., 7:15 a.m. to 3:45 p.m.
First Saturday of the month
8 a.m. to noon

Passports Available at the Library

The Derby Public Library, 1600 E. Walnut Grove, has just been designated an official Passport Acceptance Facility by the U.S. Department of State and is now accepting applications.



Applications are accepted seven days a week:

Monday - Thursday	9 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Friday	9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Sunday	1 to 4 p.m.

All passport application forms are available at the library. Some forms must be filled out prior to submitting the application. When applying for your passport, you must provide passport photos at the time of application. The library does not offer photo services, but the Derby Walgreens is happy to help you with your photo needs.

Register for Operation Holiday

Derby Operation Holiday has provided holiday assistance in the areas served by Derby Public Schools for 32 years. Assistance for qualifying families includes boxed and canned foods, food vouchers for turkeys and perishable items, and toys for children 14 and under.



If you are a qualifying resident of USD 260, program registration will be held Nov. 7-11 at the following locations:

Oaklawn Community Center

2937 E. Oaklawn Drive

Nov. 7	1 - 6 p.m.
Nov. 8	11 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Nov. 9	1 - 6 p.m.
Nov. 10	10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Nov. 11	11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Derby Public Library

1600 E. Walnut Grove Rd.

Nov. 7	4 - 7 p.m.
Nov. 8	1 - 5:30 p.m.

To qualify, provide:

- Proof of identification (photo ID).
- Proof of address (bill or letter from the last 30 days). *Must live in the Derby School District.*
- Legal proof of Social Security numbers for all family members registering for assistance (tax return, legal ID card, work visa, green card or birth certificate).
- Birth dates of all family members.
- Proof of income for all members of the household for the past two months.
- Telephone number or number where a message can be left.

Thrift Shop

The Woodlawn Thrift Shop, 103 N. Baltimore, provides quality used clothing and small household items at affordable prices.

The thrift shop works closely with USD 260 social workers, providing them with clothing vouchers to ensure that no child in our school district is without basic clothing, coats, and new shoes. Profits are donated to the schools.



The shop operates on community donations. Operating hours are Wed. thru Sat. from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. If you have donations, please drop them off during regular business hours.

K-15 Closure

K-15 Hwy just north of MacArthur will be closed Friday, Oct. 21 at 6 p.m. through Monday, Oct. 24 at 6 a.m. for rail line repairs. Traffic will be detoured east of K-15 to Oliver St.

Completion of this project will provide a smoother rail crossing for motorists and a better rail connection for Spirit AeroSystems as they ship their products.



If you have questions, call Tom Hein with the Kansas Department of Transportation at 660-4990.

FOOD, FUN & AUCTION
A TASTE OF DERBY
MONSTER MASH

OCTOBER 27, 2016 AT 6:30 PM
MADISON AVENUE CENTRAL PARK
512 E. MADISON

\$40 INDIVIDUAL TICKET
\$300 PACK OF 8 TICKETS

Tickets available now at the
Derby Welcome Center
(611 N. Mulberry, Ste 200)
 or online at www.derbychamber.com