



The Barbourmeade News



JUNE 2010

Mayor's Notes

Grant Awarded to Barbourmeade:

The City of Barbourmeade has received a Safety Grant from the Kentucky League of Cities in the amount of \$1387.50. Barbourmeade applied for this grant to help with the cost of installing a sidewalk through the entrance island at Barbour Lane and Barbourmeade Road. This sidewalk has greatly improved the safety of those wishing to walk along Barbour Lane. Thanks goes to Commissioner Dan Streit for his efforts in applying for and securing this grant.

Filing Deadline for

Candidates: Any resident wishing to run for Barbourmeade Mayor or City Commissioner should file with the Jefferson County Board of Elections no later than August 10, 2010. A \$20.00 filing fee does apply. Filing by this date allows your name to be placed on the ballot. You must also be a Barbourmeade resident for one year or more and be at least 25 years of age.

Beautification News

Summer flowers and new mulch have replaced the winter pansies and the roses are blooming. Grass cutting and grass and bush trimming are underway and hand weeding is being done in an attempt to keep up with the weeds. The entrance signs and islands are all in peak condition.

Please be a good neighbor and cut your grass and clean your yard before it becomes unsightly or dangerous. We are beginning to notice bushes, weeds, and tree sprouts growing around the base of trees near intersections which blocks the vision of drivers. An accident and several near misses have occurred because of these impediments.

Please continue to report any entrance lights that are out as well as any vandalism you see to beautification@barbourmeade.org

REMINDERS

Rumpke's policies on setting out your yard waste:

- Place yard waste loosely in 30-35 gallon cans or PAPER or PLASTIC clearly labeled "yard waste" (stickers are available if you contact Lisa Crockett or Rumpke)
- Brush and branches should be tied in 4ft. lengths weighing no more than 75lbs. For your convenience, a 95 gallon waste wheeler for YARD WASTE ONLY can be leased by individual homeowners for \$2.50/month. This cuts down on bag usage and allows Rumpke to move through our City faster. Please call Rumpke at 568-3800 to lease a waste wheeler.

ANNUAL BARBOURMEADE YARD SALE

The Gallalee Team Realtors are once again sponsoring their annual Barbourmeade/Barbour Manor Neighborhood Yard Sale! The date is **June 26th from 8:00am to 2:00pm.** The Gallalee Team will place an ad in the Courier-Journal and post signs at our entrances. Also, look for a "Yard Sale" sign in your paperbox as they will deliver these for us to place on our mailboxes. These signs will identify which homes are participating in the sale.

Safety News

DO NOT open your door to strangers. Also, for your safety, close and lock all your doors and windows, provide good outside lighting and keep your valuables out of sight. If you experience a home or car break-in or vandalism, PLEASE file a report with the Meadow Vale Police Department. Also, please use the Meadow Vale **Hot Spot Traffic/Ordinance/Criminal Activity Form** found on the City's website if you would like to report any problem situations in writing.

Also, PLEASE observe the following:

- Snow Parking: Do not park on the street during snowy weather as the snowplow needs ample room to clear the street
- Do not place yard waste or garbage cans on the street as they impede traffic
- Do not speed or run stop signs, citations will be written – 24 citations written in recent months
- Do not impede traffic when parking on the street and park with the passenger side on curb. Guests should be on one side of the street only
- Do not park within 30 feet of a STOP or Yield sign
- Please call LG&E for the following: street light outage – 589-1444; electric trouble – 589-3500; gas trouble – 589-5511
- Have a visible house number and good outside lighting
- Our Police will check your house when you go out of town upon request
- Other important numbers:
 - Louisville Metro Sheriff's Dept. (call 1st): 574-5471
 - Louisville Metro Police (non-emergency): 574-2111
 - Meadow Vale Police (answering machine): 412-5500
 - Worthington Fire Dept.: 425-2711
 - American Red Cross: 589-4450
 - Commissioner Dan A. Streit: 426-4323

City of Barbourmeade Commission

Members:

Mayor:

- Kim Holsclaw, 412-8268
mayor@barbourmeade.org

City Commissioners:

- Tom Budniak –
Beautification, 425-0750
beautification@barbourmeade.org
- Bryan Coomer – Roads & Maintenance
and Animal Control, 327-6230
roadmaintenance@barbourmeade.org
- Lisa Crockett – Sanitation, 426-9811
sanitation@barbourmeade.org
- Dan A. Streit –
Insurance & Safety, 426-4323
safety_insurance@barbourmeade.org

City Officials:

- City Clerk – Kellye Green, 339-1802
cityclerk@barbourmeade.org
- City Treasurer – Andrew Alvey, 894-8432
citytreasurer@barbourmeade.org
- City Attorney – L. Stanley Chauvin III,
584-6394, cityattorney@barbourmeade.org
- City Engineer – Robert Trautwein,
425-2742, cityengineer@barbourmeade.org

City Website: www.barbourmeade.org

Special Note: Please be advised that some Commission Members' personal e-mail addresses have changed. Please contact all Commission Members using the above city e-mail addresses.

*****IMPORTANT*****

Insurance Taxes

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Your insurance company should list on the policy declarations page the premium liability charge, state surcharge and premium tax. The premium tax should designate Barbourmeade. If it does not, PLEASE call your insurance company AND advise Dan Streit. Premium tax is charged on liability insurance such as auto, boat, homeowners or renters, personal umbrella and first years life insurance premium. PLEASE check all policies. These tax dollars should come to Barbourmeade to benefit you. This fiscal year we have received over \$57,000. PLEASE have your insurance mailing address as Barbourmeade, KY – using your nine digit zip code. Thank you – Dan Streit, 426-4323