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1. Early Voting Ends Thursday

So far, just 2.5 percent of registered voters have cast ballots in the City of Knoxville's Primary Election, which is now underway with early voting.

Through yesterday, 1,325 voters had gone to the polls, and 524 voters had submitted absentee ballots, for a total of 1,849 out of 74,650 registered voters, according to the Knox County Election Commission.

Early voting ends at 7 p.m. this coming Thursday, Sept. 24. The early voting locations are the City County Building, 400 Main Street; Downtown West, 1543 Downtown West Blvd.; Love Kitchen, 2418 Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue; New Harvest Park Community Center, 4775 New Harvest Lane; and South Knoxville, Suite E, 6510 Chapman Highway.

All polling locations will be open for Primary Election Day on Tuesday, Sept. 29. To find out if you are registered, and where you should vote, contact the Election Commission at 215-2480 or visit www.knoxvotes.org.

On the ballot are the offices of Mayor and four seats on City Council. Mayor Madeline Rogero is running unopposed on the ballot for her second four-year term, but there is a qualified write-in candidate by the name of Jack Knoxville.

City Council candidates are incumbent George Wallace, who is uncontested for At-Large Seat A; incumbent Marshall Stair and challenger Pete Drew for At-Large Seat B; incumbent Finbarr Saunders and challengers Kelly Absher, Paul Bonovich and David Williams for At-Large Seat C; and incumbent Mark Campen and challenger Jennifer Mirtes for the District 5 seat.

For the District 5 race, only the voters in District 5 will be able to vote in the primary, but the two top candidates run city-wide in the Nov. 3 general election. Candidates for the at-large seats run city-wide in the Primary, and the two top vote getters for each seat go on to the General Election.

In the Mayor's race, the contest will be decided next week if one candidate wins a majority of the votes cast.

2. Island Home Park Elects Officers, Directors

The Island Home Park Neighborhood Association has elected new officers and directors for the next two years.

The new officers are Nancy Campbell, president; Carolyn Williams, vice president; Mary Wiginton, treasurer; and Jeanne Fair, secretary. Jim Staub, who steps down as president, remains an officer as past president, providing continuity for the group.

The new board members and the areas of the neighborhood they represent are Bob Dziejulski, Spence Place West; Brian Douglas, Spence Place East; Joanna Pennoyer, Maplewood West; Marsha Hinde, Maplewood East; Mike Martin, Fisher Place and Willis; Nathan Hunter, Hillsboro Heights; Krista Wiegand, Island Home Blvd. South; Amy Brooks, Island Home Blvd. North; and at-large directors Jessica Rodocker and John Michael Scott.

Island Home Park's outgoing officers and board members are Greg Brown, Bobby Graham, Connie Vogt, Greg Congleton, Sue Wrisberg, Stephanie Welch, Chris Field and Nick Hamilton.

Island Home Park's bylaws require a geographical distribution of board members. See <http://ihpna.net/> and click on Board of Governors. While this requirement can sometimes make it difficult to find someone willing to serve from a specific street or section of the neighborhood, it does ensure geographical diversity. Thus no one part of the neighborhood can run the show.

Here is an eye-opening exercise for neighborhood organizations: Using a boundary map of the territory you represent, place a blue dot on the residence of every board member and a red dot on the residence of every member. What is your geographical distribution? Is your organization, in fact, representing the entire neighborhood? What are some steps you might take to achieve greater diversity?

3. Edgewood Park to Celebrate National Night Out

The Edgewood Park Neighborhood Association (EPNA) will be one of dozens of Knoxville neighborhood organizations observing National Night Out on Tuesday, Oct. 6.

EPNA will celebrate by honoring service providers who place the safety and welfare of citizens above their own. The event will begin at 6 p.m. at the Edgewood Park Pavilion and is being co-sponsored by the Cavett Station Chapter of the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution.

Honorees will include military service veterans represented by several organizations including Vietnam Veterans and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. In addition, other honorees include representatives of the Knoxville Police and Fire Departments and Emergency Medical Services.

Each organization honored will receive a certificate of appreciation for services rendered. The National Colors will be presented by a JROTC color guard from Fulton High School. A fire truck and other emergency service vehicles will be available for attendees to view up close. All are invited to attend the event. Refreshments will be served.

During National Night Out --- held in Knoxville on the first Tuesday of October each year --- neighborhood groups host potluck suppers, picnics, and other events to celebrate the strength of community and send a message to would-be thieves and con artists that neighbors keep an eye out for them and watch out for one another.

Register your event with the KPD Safety Education Unit by notifying Neighborhood Watch Coordinator John Morgan at jmorgan@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-1519. This will ensure that KPD schedules officers to attend your event. Be sure to give the name and phone number of your contact person and organization, the time your event will begin and end, and the exact location.

Post your event details in next week's issue of this newsletter by contacting Rebecca McIver at rmciver@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-3456.

4. Attend the Family Safety & Preparedness Fair on Saturday

Looking for something to do with the whole family this weekend?

Why not learn how to prepare for an emergency and have a little fun while you are at it?

A grass roots coalition --- composed of local government departments, faith-based organizations, other nonprofits and individuals dedicated to preparedness --- will be hosting the Family Safety & Preparedness Fair this Saturday, Sept. 26, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., at World's Fair Park.

The fair will include 60 booths with information, demonstrations, and resources to help you and your family. Booths include the Office of Neighborhoods, KPD, KFD, Red Cross, Knox County Health Department, YMCA, and Emergency Camping Gear.

Classes and demonstrations will range from canning and cooking to defending yourself and dealing with active shooter situations. Other features include activities for children, food trucks, and free goodies. More information can be found at <http://prepfair.org/>.

5. Save the Date: Neighborhood Awards & Networking Luncheon

Please mark your calendar to participate in the City of Knoxville's upcoming Neighborhood Awards and Networking Luncheon, which will be held Saturday, March 5, 2016, at the Knoxville Convention Center.

Citizens passionate about making their neighborhood a better place to live --- including leaders and active members of neighborhood organizations --- will find this gathering extremely beneficial.

This event will feature the presentation of the Diana Conn Neighbor of the Year Award, as well as Neighborhood Achievement Awards. Information about submitting nominations for these awards will be featured in this space in a few weeks.

If you are interested in volunteering to locate door prizes for this event, please contact Debbie Sharp, assistant neighborhood coordinator, at dsharp@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-4382.

The Neighborhood Awards & Networking Luncheon should not be confused with The Neighborhood Conference, which occurs every other year, also at the Convention Center. The last conference, held this past March, drew 700 participants. The next conference is scheduled for March 11, 2017.

6. City Auctions 83 Tax-Delinquent Properties

The City of Knoxville auctioned 83 tax-delinquent properties at a tax foreclosure sale last week and ended up as high bidder on all but 25 of them.

Of the 25 properties that received at least the minimum required bid, 11 were purchased by a single individual --- Robert Baxter, an operator of a large number of rental housing units in the city and county.

Here is the list of properties that made it into the auction and the auction results: http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/UserFiles/Servers/Server_109478/File/Finance/t9.pdf

Under the auction rules, anyone who wishes to increase the final bid on any of these properties has ten days --- or, in this case, until 4 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 25 --- to contact Chancery Court with the higher bid. The bid must be at least ten percent higher than the final bid at the auction. If the bid is raised, and the court directs a resale of that particular property, the resale will be held starting at 10 a.m. Tuesday, September 29, 2015, in the Small Assembly Room of the City County Building.

For a more detailed explanation of the tax sale process, see: http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/city_departments_offices/Finance/property_taxes/property_tax_sale_info/

The properties acquired by the city in any tax sale may later be sold by the city for less than taxes owed, through a public auction process.

7. Summit to Address Independence, Quality of Life, Accessibility

“Making our communities livable for all ages, all abilities” is the theme of the Knoxville Livability Summit, which will be held Thursday, Nov. 12, from 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m., at the Rothchild Conference Center, 8807 Kingston Pike.

Session topics will include affordable and accessible housing, adequate mobility options, and engagement in civic and social life. Phil Stafford, director of the Indiana Institute on Disability and Community, is the keynote speaker.

Community leaders, the business and design community, people with disabilities and older adults are all urged to participate. A full agenda will be available soon at www.tn4lifetime.org, but registration is open now. The \$25 registration fee includes both breakfast and lunch.

Sponsors are the City of Knoxville, the Knoxville-Knox County Office on Aging, and the Tennessee Commission on Aging and Disability. For more, contact Stephanie Cook, ADA Coordinator for the City of Knoxville, at 215-2034 or scook@knoxvilletn.gov.

8. Group Hosts Inner City Basketball Clinic

[Harbor's Gate](#), a nonprofit "neighborhood peace corps" in Knoxville, is holding its third annual Inner City Basketball Clinic at Maryville College from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday, October 3.

Designed for youth ages 5-18, the clinic provides free transportation and food to participants, but parents must register their children by contacting Aly Taylor at 865-588-5550 or ataylor@metrodrug.org no later than Friday, Sept. 25. Also, parents must attend a one-hour parent orientation in order for their children to participate.

9. Second Harvest Seeks Volunteers, ChiliTeams

Second Harvest Food Bank of East Tennessee is seeking volunteers and participants for two fund-raising events this fall.

If you have yet to make plans for Halloween this year and want to help Second Harvest, they are looking for volunteers for their first-ever Halloween for Hunger concert, which will take place at 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 31, at World's Fair Park.

If costumes and concerts aren't your thing, they are also looking for volunteers to help with the 10th Annual Chili Cook-off the following day, Sunday, Nov. 1, from noon to 6 p.m., also at World's Fair Park.

Your group can also enter to be in the Chili Cook-off. They are looking for teams of four members from neighborhoods, families, or local businesses to see who can make the best chili in Knoxville.

For details on these events, see www.secondharvesttn.org or contact Blaire@secondharvesttn.org.

10. Correction

An article in the Sept. 8 issue of this newsletter stated incorrectly that Knoxville Police Department Officer Ricky Gallaher, formerly in charge of the neighborhood watch program, has become a school resource officer at Bearden Middle School. In fact, he is posted at Austin-East High School.

11. Neighborhood and Government Calendar

Include your neighborhood-related event or meeting in this space. Call 215-4382.

Visit <http://knoxvilletn.gov/calendar> for a complete list of meetings of various city boards and commissions.

If you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation in order to attend a City of Knoxville public meeting, please contact Stephanie Brewer Cook at scook@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-2034 no less than 72 hours prior to the meeting you wish to attend.

For an English interpreter, contact Joshalynd Hundley, Title VI Coordinator, at 865.215.3867 or at jhundley@knoxvilletn.gov.

Tuesday, September 22 – Thursday, September 24

EARLY VOTING

City Primary Election

(Mayor, City Court Judge, and Four Seats on City Council)

Knox County Election Commission

215-2480 and <http://knoxcounty.org/election/>

Tuesday, September 22 --- 6 p.m.

Inskip Community Association / Asociación Comunidad Inskip (ACI)

(Fourth Tuesdays)

Inskip Baptist Church, 4810 Rowan Rd

Betty Jo Mahan, 679-2748

Wednesday, September 23 --- 9 a.m.

Infill Housing Design Review Committee (Fourth Wednesdays)

Re: infill housing in central city neighborhoods with IH-1 overlay

<http://www.knoxmpc.org/zoning/infill.htm>

Jeff Archer, 215-3821, jeff.archer@knoxmpc.org

Wednesday, September 23 --- 9 a.m.

Transportation Planning Organization (**TPO**) Executive Committee

(Fourth Wednesdays, Jan.-Oct., and Third Wednesdays, Nov.-Dec.)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

Agenda: <http://www.knoxtrans.org/meetings/execagen.htm>

Dori Caron, 215-2694, dori.caron@knoxmpc.org

Thursday, September 24 --- 9 a.m.

Special Events Community Meeting (Fourth Thursdays, January-October)

“Meet with city services that may assist in planning your event.”

Civic Coliseum Ballroom, Third Floor

Free Parking available at Civic Coliseum Parking Garage

Office of Special Events, 215-4248

Thursday, September 24 --- 3:30 p.m.

Better Building Board

(Last Thursday, January-October. First Thursday, December)

Small Assembly Room, City-County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards_commissions/better_building_board/

Cheri Hollifield, 215-2119, chollifield@knoxvilletn.gov

Thursday, Sept. 24 --- 6-8 p.m.

20th Annual Ice Cream Social

Enjoy Mayfield's ice cream. Bring a topping to share.

Old North Knoxville Inc.

Old North Knoxville Park, 416 E. Oklahoma
Lauren Rider, 524-4267

Thursday, Sept. 24 --- 6:30 p.m.

Savings in the House Workshop: Tips to Cut Your Utility Bill
SEED, Morningside Center, 1617 Dandridge Avenue
CAC, 244-3080

Friday, September 25 --- 9:30 a.m.

Public Officer Hearing – Neighborhood Codes Enforcement
(Usually held on the Friday following Better Building Board meetings)
The PO considers action on violations of city's building codes.
Small Assembly Room, City County Building
http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards_commissions/better_building_board/
Cheri Hollifield, 215-2119, chollifield@knoxvilletn.gov

Saturday, September 26 --- 9 a.m. until last person is heard

“Coffee with the Councilman”
(Usually the Last Saturday of Each Quarter)
Vice Mayor and First District City Council Member Nick Pavlis
Bring your concerns or stop by to chat; open to all city residents.
Roundup Restaurant, 3643 Sevierville Pike
Nick Pavlis, 851-6671

Saturday, September 26 --- 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Medication Collection Event
Bring any old, unwanted, or unused medications to be destroyed safely.
Belew Drugs, 2021 N. Broadway
http://www.knoxcounty.org/solid_waste/medication_collection.php

Saturday, September 26 --- 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Family Safety and Preparedness Fair
World's Fair Park
VOAD, Red Cross, KEMA, Knox Co. Health Dept. and other agencies
<http://prepfair.org/>
Mary Beth Birge, 584-2999

Saturday, September 26 --- Noon-5 p.m.

Happy Hollerpalooza
North Central Street between Baxter Ave. & Scott Ave.
Amber Lamance, thejunkery@ymail.com or 679-8228

Monday, September 28 --- 11:30 a.m.

Central Business Improvement District (CBID) Board Meeting
Knoxville Chamber, 17 Market Square
<http://www.downtownknoxville.org/>
Michele Hummel, 246-2654, mhummel@downtownknoxville.org

Monday, September 28 --- 2 p.m. (zoning at 5 p.m.)

Knox County Commission
(Fourth Mondays, January-October. Third Mondays, November-December)
www.knoxcounty.org/commission
Agenda: Click on “Information” and then “Commission Agendas”

Public Forum held at start & end of meeting

Tuesday, September 29

ELECTION DAY

Tennessee District House Seat 14 General Election
and City of Knoxville Primary Election
(Mayor, City Court Judge, and Four Seats on City Council)
Knox County Election Commission
215-2480 and <http://knoxcounty.org/election/>

Tuesday, September 29 --- 6:30 p.m.

Chilhowee Park Neighborhood Association (Last Tuesdays)
Chilhowee Park Office, 3301 Magnolia at Beaman Street
Enter park at Beaman & E. Fifth Ave. Park at picnic shelter.
Take sidewalk to upper entrance of the Chilhowee Park office.
Paul Ruff, 696-6584

Tuesday, September 29 --- 7 p.m.

City Council (Every Other Tuesday)
<http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citycouncil>
Agenda: <http://knoxvillecitytn.iqm2.com>

Thursday, October 1 --- 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Annual Chili-Dog Fest
All are invited. Bring a side dish.
Cumberland Estates Recreation Center, 4529 Silverhill Drive
Cumberland Estates Neighborhood
Anna Compton, 599-0724, amcompto@gmail.com

Saturday, October 3 --- 1 p.m.

Boright Area Neighborhood Watch (Quarterly)
3004 Boright Drive
Lola Alapo, 525-1520, BorightGroup@gmail.com

Monday, October 5 --- 1 p.m.

East Knoxville Community Meeting (First Mondays)
Burlington Branch Library, 4614 Asheville Highway
Michael Covington, 274-7958, mdecov@hotmail.com

Monday, October 5 --- 4 p.m.

Love Towers Fellowship Association (First Mondays except holidays)
Love Towers Community Room; 1171 Armstrong St.
Bill Jackson, 221-4402

Monday, October 5 --- 6-8 p.m.

Wesley Neighbors Community Association
(First Mondays, even-numbered months)
West Knoxville Branch Library, 100 Golf Club Rd.
John Heins, 297-7045

Monday, October 5 --- 6:30 p.m.

Parkridge Community Organization (First Mondays except holidays)
Cansler YMCA, 616 Jessamine St.
David Anderson, (803) 259-6289, dander19@utk.edu

Monday, October 5 --- 6:30 p.m.

Community Meeting
Phase II Restoration Plans for Talahi Park
Sequoyah Hills Presbyterian Church, 3700 Keowee Avenue
Kingston Pike – Sequoyah Hills Association
Lisa Walsh, lbwalsh74@gmail.com or 278-0842

Monday, October 5 --- 7 p.m.

Oakwood Lincoln Park Neighborhood Association (First Mondays)
Community Club House, 916 Shamrock Ave. at Henegar St.
Bill Hutton, 773-5228, s_wlhutton@yahoo.com

Tuesday, October 6 --- 11:45 a.m.

Agenda Review, Metropolitan Planning Commission
(Tuesday before MPC's monthly meeting)
Small Assembly Room, City County Building
Agenda: <http://agenda.knoxmpc.org>

Tuesday, October 6 --- 4:30 p.m.

Dandridge Avenue Neighborhood Watch (First Tuesdays)
Beck Cultural Exchange Center, 1927 Dandridge Ave.
Lawrence Washington, 524-4498

Tuesday, October 6 --- 6 p.m.

Mechanicsville Community Association (First Tuesdays)
Fairview Recreation Center, 1628 Dora St.
Charles Wright, 637-1802

Tuesday, October 6 --- Late Afternoon and Evening

National Night Out Events (city-wide)
Neighborhood Organizations & Watch Groups
Knoxville Police Department
To register your group, contact:
John Morgan at jmorgan@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-1519

Wednesday, October 7 --- Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. Meeting - 8 a.m.

East Towne Area Business & Professional Association (First Wednesdays)
Neighborhood Residents and Leaders encouraged to attend
New Harvest Park Community Building
Chair, Justin Sterling, JSterling@simon.com

Thursday, October 8 --- 1:30 p.m.

Metropolitan Planning Commission (Second Thursdays)
Large Assembly Room, City County Building
<http://www.knoxmpc.org>
Agenda: <http://agenda.knoxmpc.org>

Thursday, October 8 --- 6 p.m.

Lonsdale Homes Resident Association (Second Thursdays)
Community Building, 1956 Goins Dr.
Phyllis Patrick, 323-7224

Thursday, October 8 --- 7-8 p.m.

Colonial Village Neighborhood Association

(Second Thursdays except December and January)
South Knoxville Church of God, 5623 Magazine Road
Terry Caruthers, 579-5702, t_caruthers@hotmail.com

Friday, October 9 --- 7:45 a.m. and 8 a.m.

North Knoxville Business & Professional Association (Second Fridays)
Breakfast at 7:45 am, Meeting at 8 a.m.
Open to North Knoxville Residents, Neighborhood Groups, Business Owners
Meeting location varies. Check Website for location. <http://northknoxvillebpa.org/>
Becky Dodson, becky.dodson@hma.com, 545-6750.

Friday, October 9 --- 6 p.m.

Beaumont Community Organization (Second Fridays)
Community Room, Solid Waste Transfer Station, 1033 Elm St.
Natasha Murphy, 936-0139

Saturday, October 10 --- 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

Lonsdale Multicultural Community Market (Second Saturdays)
Pavilion, Lonsdale Park, 1317 Louisiana Avenue
Latino Task Force and **Lonsdale United for Change**
Emma Cosigua, 201-207-8801, or Rosie Noriega, 865-405-0931

Sunday, October 11 --- 2 p.m.

Historic Sutherland Heights Neighborhood Association
(Second Sundays, even-numbered months)
Marble City Baptist Church, 2740 Sutherland Avenue
John Yates, 588-8883, john.a.yates1950@gmail.com

Monday, October 12 --- 1:30 p.m.

Montgomery Village Residents Association (Second Mondays)
4600 Joe Lewis Rd. #175
Ronnie Thompson, 604-6492

Monday, October 12 --- 3 p.m.

Northgate Resident Association (Second Mondays)
Social Hall, 4301 Whittle Springs Rd.
David Wildsmith, 219-0417

Monday, October 12 --- 5-6 p.m.

Cold Springs Neighborhood Watch (Second Mondays)
Michael Meadowview Neighborhood Watch (Second Mondays)
CAC East Neighborhood Center, 4200 Asheville Hwy.
Michael Meadowview: Marian Bailey, 525-5625
Cold Springs: Terrell Patrick, 525-4833

Monday, October 12 --- 6 p.m.

Lyons View Community Club (Second Mondays)
Lyons View Community Center, 114 Sprankle Ave.
Mary Brewster, 454-2390

Monday, October 12 --- 6 p.m.

Vestal Community Organization (Second Mondays)
South Knoxville Community Center, 522 Old Maryville Pike

Katherine Johnson, 566-1198

Monday, October 12 --- 6:30 p.m.

Community Potluck

Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization (Second Mondays)

Central United Methodist Church, 210 Third Ave.

Liz Upchurch, 898-1809, lizupchurch1@gmail.com

Monday, October 12 --- 6:30 p.m.

Historic Old North Knoxville (Second Mondays)

St. James Episcopal Church, Parish Hall, 1101 N. Broadway

Andie Ray, 548-5221

Monday, October 12 --- 7 p.m.

Belle Morris Community Action Group (Second Mondays)

City View Baptist Church, 2311 Fine Ave.

[http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/Belle Morris](http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/Belle_Morris)

Rick Wilen, 524-5008

Monday, October 12 --- 7 p.m.

Lake Forest Neighborhood Association

Lake Forest Presbyterian Church, Lower Level, 714 Lake Forest Drive

Molly Gilbert, 209-1820 or mollygilbert@yahoo.com

Tuesday, October 13 --- 9 a.m.

Transportation Planning Organization ([TPO](#)) Technical Committee
(Second Tuesdays)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

Agenda: <http://www.knoxtrans.org/meetings/techagen.htm>

Dori Caron, 215-2694, dori.caron@knoxmpc.org

Tuesday, October 13 --- 4-5 p.m.

City of Knoxville Greenways Commission

(Second Tuesdays, even-numbered months)

Larry Cox Senior Center, 3109 Ocoee Trail

http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards_commissions/greenways_commission/

Lori Goerlich, Parks & Recreation Dept., 215-2807

Tuesday, October 13 --- 6 p.m.

Brown Avenue Neighborhood Watch (Second Tuesdays)

Hoitt Ave. Baptist Church, 2121 Hoitt Ave.

Jimmy Ramsey, 637-0243

Wednesday, October 14 --- 10:00-11:30 a.m.

Food Policy Council

(Second Wednesdays but check website for confirmation)

Knox County Health Department, 140 Dameron Avenue

<http://www.knoxfood.org>; info@knoxfood.org

Wednesday, October 14 --- 11:30 a.m.

Community Forum (Second Wednesdays)

Bearden Branch Library, 100 Golf Club Road

Sue Mauer, 690-0269

Wednesday, October 14 --- 4:30 p.m.

Neighborhood Advisory Council, City of Knoxville
(Second Wednesdays except December)
Cansler YMCA, 616 Jessamine St.
<http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/neighborhoods>
David Massey, 215-3232

Thursday, October 15 --- Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. Meeting - 8 a.m.

East Knoxville Business & Professional Association (Third Thursdays)
Open to Neighborhood Residents and Leaders
Meeting location varies
Doug Minter, Dminter@knoxvillechamber.com, Knoxville Chamber, 637-4550
<http://www.eastknox.org/>

Thursday, October 15 --- 8:30 a.m.

Historic Zoning Commission (Third Thursdays)
http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards_commissions/historic_zoning_commission/
Kaye Graybeal, 215-3795, kaye.graybeal@knoxmpc.org

Thursday, October 15 --- 12 noon

KUB Board of Commissioners (Third Thursdays, except July)
Historic Miller's Building, 445 S. Gay St.
See www.kub.org. Click on "About Us" at top of the page.

Thursday, October 15 --- 4 p.m.

City Board of Zoning Appeals (Third Thursdays)
Small Assembly Room, City County Building
Pre-Agenda Meeting: 3 p.m. in Room 511
http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards_commissions/board_of_zoning_appeals/

Thursday, October 15 --- 4:30 p.m.

Pond Gap Area Neighborhood Association (Third Thursdays)
Coop Café, 3701 Sutherland Ave.
David Williams, dawill64@yahoo.com

Thursday, October 15 --- 6 p.m.

PARC - Police Advisory & Review Committee
Cansler Family YMCA, 616 Jessamine St.
Avice Reid, 215-3869 or areid@knoxvilletn.gov

Thursday, October 15 --- 7 p.m.

"Third Thursday in Edgewood Park"
Free, music, treats, and fun; bring a blanket to sit on; no alcohol
Edgewood Park, 3109 Ocoee Trail
Edgewood Park Neighborhood Association
Peter Pallesen, 200-8311, www.edgewoodpark.us

Thursday, October 15 --- 7 p.m.

Old Sevier Community Group
(Third Thursdays, January-November)
South Knoxville Elementary School Library, 801 Sevier Avenue
Gary Deitsch, 573-7355, garyedeitsch@bellsouth.net

Saturday, October 17 --- 10 a.m.

South Haven Neighborhood Association (Third Saturdays)
Hillcrest United Methodist Church, 1615 Price Ave.
Linda Rust, 679-9924, rstyldy1965@yahoo.com

Sunday, October 18 --- 4 p.m.
Forest Heights Neighborhood Annual Picnic
Highland Hills Pocket Park, 411 Highland Hills Rd, 37919
Bring a side dish or dessert and chair; BBQ, water and lemonade provided
Rain date: Sunday, October 25
For more, Amy Midis agmidis@comcast.net

Monday, October 19 --- 6:30 p.m.
Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization
Board Meeting (Third Mondays except January)
"Birdhouse"/Fourth & Gill Center, 800 North Fourth Avenue
Liz Upchurch, 898-1809, lizupchurch1@gmail.com

Monday, October 19 --- 7 p.m.
Alice Bell Spring Hill Neighborhood Association
(Third Mondays except June, July, December)
All are welcome to attend.
Alice Bell Baptist Church, 3305 Alice Bell Road
Ronnie Collins, 637-9630

Tuesday, October 20 --- 6:30 p.m.
Lonsdale United for Change (Third Tuesdays)
Lonsdale Recreation Center, Stonewall Ave.
Steve Ritter, 973-0877

Tuesday, October 20 --- 7 p.m.
Edgewood Park Neighborhood Association (Third Tuesdays, except December)
Larry Cox Senior Center, 3109 Ocoee Trail
Peter Pallesen, 200-8311, <http://edgewoodpark.us/>

Wednesday, October 21 --- 12 Noon
Eastport/Lee Williams Neighborhood Watch (Third Wednesdays)
Lee Williams Senior Center, 2240 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave.
Sylvia Cook, 206-3433, sylviacook5901@comcast.net

Wednesday, October 21 --- 6:30 p.m.
Lindbergh Forest Neighborhood Association (Third Wednesdays)
Graystone Presbyterian Church, 139 Woodlawn Pike
Kelley DeLuca, 660-4728, kellydeluca@gmail.com

Saturday, October 24 --- 2-9 p.m.
ARToberfest
Art, Crafts, Music, Beer Garden, Family Activities
Morgan & Gratz Streets, Fourth & Gill neighborhood
Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization
<http://artoberfestknox.com/>

Sunday, October 25 --- 1-4 p.m.
Open Streets Knoxville
Street closure for walkers, bicyclists, performances, etc.

Central Avenue from the Old City to Happy Holler
<http://openstreetsknoxville.com/>
Kelley Segars: 215-3815 or kelley.segars@knoxtrans.org

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215-2480 and <http://knoxcounty.org/election/>

Monday, November 9 --- 6 p.m. and 7 p.m.
Fountain City Town Hall (Second Mondays)
Board Meetings: 6 p.m. Monthly
General Membership Meetings: 7 p.m., February, April, September, November
Church of the Good Shepherd, 5337 Jacksboro Pike
Jamie Rowe, 688-9525, ombroligo@aol.com

Monday, November 9 --- 7 p.m.
Town Hall East
(Second Mondays in September, November, January, March and May)
Fellowship Hall, Eastminster Presbyterian Church, 409 Asheville Highway
Eston Williams, 406-5412

Thursday, November 12 --- 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
Knoxville Liveability Summit
"Making our communities liveable for all ages, all abilities"
Rochchild Conference Center, 8807 Kingston Pike
City of Knoxville, CAC Office on Aging, TN Commission on Aging & Disability
Stephanie Cook, 215-2034, scook@knoxvilletn.gov

Tuesday, November 17 --- 6 p.m.
Delrose Drive Neighborhood Watch
(Third Tuesdays in January, March, May, July, September and November)
Riverview Baptist Church, 3618 Delrose Dr.
Corina and John Buffalow, 523-0102

Monday, November 23 --- 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m.
South Woodlawn Neighborhood Association
Bi-Monthly Meeting (Fourth Mondays, odd months, except holidays)
Woodlawn Christian Church, 4339 Woodlawn Pike
Shelley Conklin, 686-6789

Monday, December 7 --- 6 p.m.
Downtown Residents Meeting
(usually Second Monday, Third Month, Each Calendar Quarter)
Knoxville Chamber, 17 Market Square
Central Business Improvement District (CBID)
<http://www.downtownknoxville.org/>
Michele Hummel, 246-2654, mhummel@downtownknoxville.org

Saturday March 5, 2016 --- 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
Neighborhood Awards & Networking Luncheon
Knoxville Convention Center

Debbie Sharp, 215-4382, dsharp@knoxvilletn.gov

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