

NEWSLETTER

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The inaugural Motors & Monsters Car Show is coming up on October 10 in downtown Edgerton.

Motors & Monsters Car Show to be held in Edgerton

Rev your engines and bring the whole family out for a spooktacular day of classic cars, cool rides, and a Halloween Trunk-or-Treat at the Motors & Monsters Car Show on Saturday, October 10th!

Kids are invited to wear their costumes for a trunk or treat and costume contest! Each car will be given candy to hand out to the kids. Participants are encouraged (but not required) to decorate their vehicles for a Halloween twist. Our young trunk-or-treaters will be voting for their favorites.

Kids are invited to an owl show from Operation Wildlife at The Greenspace at 11 a.m. A food truck will be available all afternoon. After the owl show, there will be live music and cool cars parked along Nelson Street for the trunk-or-treating. The event will end with the car show awards in 18 different categories, including People's Choice and the Ray Braun Best in Show at 3:30 p.m.

See the full schedule at edgertonks.org/motors-monsters

Road Closures and Parking Restrictions

Parking in neighborhoods around the event will be limited on Saturday beginning at 7 a.m. until after the car show ends.

Nelson Street will be closed to thru traffic from 8 a.m. until 6 p.m. on October 10.

Questions about the event? Call The Greenspace at 913-893-6801.

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Keep your trick-or-treaters safe on October 31!

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Our annual Street Preservation program made lots of progress in 2026



Important Contact Information

EMERGENCY.....911

Non-Emergency.....913-782-0720

City Hall.....913-893-6231
Animal Control
Public Works
Municipal Court
Planning and Zoning

The Greenspace.....913-893-6801

JCCFD #1.....913-764-7635

Edgerton Post Office.....913-893-6784

Eco-Waste Solutions.....913-856-3851

JoCo Library.....913-826-4600

City Hall is located at 404 E Nelson Street. Hours are 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

City Council meetings are held on the second and fourth Thursdays of every month at 7 p.m. in City Hall.

Planning Commission meetings are held on the second Tuesday at 7 p.m. in City Hall.



Edgerton Food Pantry

5K to Raise Money for Food Pantry

The Edgerton Community Food Pantry is hosting a Steps to Stock Shelves 5K Fun Run in October to raise money to provide food for local families in need. The run will be held at Martin Creek Park on October 10 at 8:00 a.m.

Registration is \$35 for adults, \$20 for children ages 6-11 and kids five and under are free.

The Edgerton Food Pantry is available to all families in the USD 231 district. October's food distribution will be on Saturday, October 17 at New City Church from 10am-12pm.

HALLOWEEN

SAFETY TIPS



Costume Safety

Make sure costumes are non-flammable, easy to move in, and don't obstruct your vision or breathing.



Look Both Ways

Look both ways before crossing a street. Drivers need to be extra cautious while driving through neighborhoods after dark.



Be Visible

Bring flashlights and add reflective tape to costumes or use glow sticks to help make sure others can see you.



Stay in Groups

Always stick with friends and avoid wandering off alone to ensure safety in numbers.



Code Enforcement

Don't Feed Stray or Wild Animals

As temperatures start to drop, it's natural to feel a little more concerned about animals outside. You may see a stray cat looking for a meal or a wild animal passing through your yard, and it can be tempting to put out some food.

We understand the good intentions; however, food left outside can attract more animals, including rodents, raccoons and other wildlife.

Edgerton has an ordinance that prohibits placing food or other items outside for the purpose of attracting or keeping wild or unlicensed animals. Keeping food outside for your pets can also create a nuisance by attracting other animals or rodents. Wild birds are not included in this restriction.

If you see a stray animal that appears to need help, contact the City's animal control during normal business hours at 913-893-6231. If it is outside of normal hours, please call the Johnson County Sheriff's Office at 913-782-0720.

Community

Trivia Night Coming Up November 6

The annual Trivia Night benefit for the Mayor's Christmas Tree Fund is coming up on November 6.

Not only will you enjoy an evening full of laughter, friendly competition, and holiday spirit, but you'll also be giving back to local families in need. Bring your own snacks and enjoy local wine and beer from our friends at White Tail Run Winery.

Tables are \$100 for up to six people. Register your table on the City's Parks and Recreation portal or by calling 913-893-6801. Sign up today!



Nov. 6
6:30 PM

THE GREENSPACE
303 E. NELSON ST
EDGERTON, KS 66021



Public Works

Street Projects Wrapping Up for 2026

The City of Edgerton completed all phases of the 2026 Street Preservation Program. This year, new curbs and gutters were installed, pavement markings were refreshed, and several streets received a new chip-seal surface to prolong the life of the roadway. Each of these projects help make our roads last longer and increase safety.



Concrete curb & gutter repairs



Chip-seal road treatment



New pavement markings

2nd Street/Edgewood Reconstruction Project

The final punch-list items for the 2nd Street/Edgewood Reconstruction Project will wrap up this month. Railing will be going in along the drain structure between Meriwood and Rankin on 2nd Street in October. Any sod that needs replaced after this hot summer will also be scheduled to be replanted.

From JCCFD#1: Charge Into Fire Safety

Most of the electronics we use in our homes every day are powered by lithium-ion batteries. In fact, most everything that's rechargeable uses this kind of battery. Lithium-ion batteries store a lot of energy in a small place. These batteries can overheat, start a fire, or explode if overcharged or damaged. By learning how to buy, charge, and recycle these batteries safely, you can help prevent a fire in your home.

Questions? Contact Johnson County Consolidated Fire District #1 at 913-764-7635.

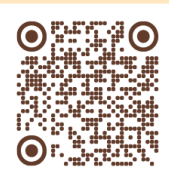


- Buy only listed products that have a safety-certification mark like UL, ETL, or CSA.
- Charge devices safely by using the cables that came with the produce to charge it. Follow instructions.
- Charge your device on a hard surface. Don't overcharge your device. Unplug it when its charged.
- Stop using your device right away if the battery smells weird, gets too hot, makes popping noises, or changes in shape or color. Call 9-1-1.
- Recycle lithium-ion batteries. Don't throw them in the trash because they could start a fire.

FALL BREAK STEM CAMP

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Scan the QR Code
for more details
and to sign up!



Day 1

Mad Science: Countdown
to Launch

Day 2

Marble Rollercoasters
Lego Skyscrapers

Day 3

Field Trip to Kansas City Zoo
+ WAY MORE FUN!

**OCTOBER
14-16**

7:45AM-5:30PM

AGES 6-12

FREE

October Events

Public Meetings are held in-person in City Hall. Anyone wishing to speak must sign up upon arrival. Meetings start at 7pm.

Want to get meeting agendas, parks and recreation info, or other City announcements emailed directly to you? Sign up at edgertonks.org or by calling City Hall at 913-893-6231.

There are a lot more activities happening from Edgerton Parks and Recreation. Find out more at edgertonks.org/parks-and-recreation.

- **October 1** - Yoga (every Thursday in October)
The Greenspace
- **October 8 - City Council Meeting**
Edgerton City Hall
- **October 10:** Motors & Monsters Car Show and Trunk-or-Treat
Downtown Edgerton
- **October 13 - Planning Commission Meeting**
Edgerton City Hall
- **October 14-16** - STEM School Fall Break Camp
The Greenspace
- **October 22 - City Council Meeting**
Edgerton City Hall
- **October 23** - Outdoor Movie Night
The Greenspace Lawn