# SHIVELY BULLETIN

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With Mayor Chester-Burton Saturday, October 9th @ Shively City Hall, 9 am -10:30am



## Community Wide Clean Up

Saturday, October 2nd, 10 am – 2 pm Volunteers Needed! To volunteer please contact Shanell Thompson, Shanell.thompson@shivelyky. gov, or call 502.449.5000 to leave your contact information.

## **Greetings Community Members,**

I pray this message will find you and your family safe and healthy. I know that last year was difficult to endure. Covid-19 continues to have a huge impact on all of us emotionally, physically, socially and financially.



However, today we are present and able to embrace life as we know it, in spite of set backs that have occurred. Today, we know that listening, as well as showing compassion and kindness to others will help us to understand and appreciate the differences of our neighbors, co-workers, friends and families. Today, we know that

having "unity in our community" is vital to exist in our society.

To those who have followed the CDC (Center of Disease Control) guidelines by wearing their masks and respecting the space of others through social distancing and those who helped their kids with virtual school, postponed or forewent events and activities to keep our community safe with hopes of returning to a normal life someday, I respect and applaud you. It is because of your efforts that there is hope for a better future for all of us.

I would like to thank the community members who volunteered and have pulled together to help our senior citizens, youth and each other through these trying and unbearable times. I have witnessed your dedication first hand and you are the "heroes" to many whose lives you have touched in monumental ways and you will not be forgotten. I salute each of you.

In the challenging last 17 months the Covid-19 virus has conquered so many lives of our loved ones. Many are still suffering the long-term effects of the disease. Just when we thought there might be some relief, we are now being faced with another strand called the Delta variant. Therefore, I urge those who are unvaccinated to get the vaccine.

As we reflect on the previous year, we must also think about the present and focus on the future. The next generation that will shape the community will be our children, grandchildren, nieces and nephews. We must commit to doing our part to allow them a chance to reach their full potential. Since we have access to the vaccine, let's get vaccinated to give future generations a chance to "live and lead." Remember, the children today, will be the leaders of tomorrow. Please help keep our community safe. I did my part for my grandson, "Kingston."

Wishing you blessings, happiness and good health,

## Beverly Chester-Burton, Ed.S.

Beverly Chester-Burton, Ed.S. Mayor of Shively

#TogetherWeWin

#Communityofpeaceandunity

## \$\$ Win a Million Dollars \$\$

Team Kentucky's Shot At A Million provides a great incentive to Kentuckians to get their shot of hope: a COVID-19 vac-



cine! The drawings also raise awareness of how Kentuckians can obtain an appointment for one of the safe and effective vaccines.

Permanent residents of Ken-

tucky who have received at least the first dose of the Pfizer or Moderna COVID-19 vaccines or the one dose of the Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine are eligible. Permanent residents of Kentucky are eligible even if they received the vaccine in a different state.

Entry into the drawing must be completed at here. Entry requires your name, birthdate, email address, phone number, home address and the name and location of the place that provided you with the vaccine. Entry also requires agreement to the official rules of the drawing and agreement to allow the Kentucky Department for Public Health to verify your vaccination information

Winners Will Be Announced: Friday, August 27, 2021

### SHIVELY COUNCILWOMAN MARIA JOHNSON PRESENTS



Thursday, November 4, 2021 From 5:30 - 7:30pm Shively Community Building (now The Heritage) 1901 Park Road

Registration is required and space is limited. Call Councilwoman Maria Johnson at 502.409.0401 to reserve your spot!

## MASKS UP SHIVELY!



#### **COVID NEWS!!**

All Kentuckians age 12 and over are eligible to be vaccinated The COVID virus still poses risks and unvaccinated people still need to take steps to protect themselves by wearing masks and

getting vaccinated as soon as possible.



#### **Norton Healthcare:**

Call 502-861-4499 for assistance Register Online

U of L Health: 502-681-1435 Register Online

Baptist Health: Register Online

#### Walgreens:

800-Walgreens (1-800-925-4733) Register Online

**Kroger:** Register Online

CVS: 800-746-7287 Register Online





Future Site of the Wade-Braden Peace Park











Governor Andy Beshear declares Juneteenth with Proclamation to the Wade Family







Groundbreaking ceremony of the Wade-Braden Peace Park









### "Your View"

First thursday of each month @7pm to 8 pm via zoom video or call in. Visit <a href="https://www.shivelyky.gov">www.shivelyky.gov</a> for link to the zoom meeting.

Open communication to hear your view about the happenings in Shively and share up to date news. Register to participate at any time by contacting council member, Sharon Baker, Sharon.Baker@ShivelyKY.gov., and you will be sent a zoom invite. The invite will give you instructions on how to connect either by computer/laptop or by phone.



Residents of the city are the eyes and ears of the Police Department. When you are observant and report suspicious activity you are being a good neighbor. Do not hesitate to report suspicious persons, vehicles or activity in your neighborhood or near your place of business. You can remain anonymous when you call. The Police Department would rather hear about suspicion and have a chance to make sure everything checks out instead of dealing with a crime that you, a neighbor or co-worker may be victim to if your suspicions were correct but not reported. Too often witnesses report suspicious activity a day after seeing something unusual which can be too late to prevent crimes from happening. TIP: Do not keep valuables in plain sight in your cars. Remove items nightly or when leaving the vehicle (visible items that tempt thieves include: GPS, Apple products, Laptops, handheld electronic devices, golf clubs/sports equipment, guns, money, briefcases, tote bags, etc.) Remember, in an emergency or anytime you need an officer to respond, do not hesitate to call 9-1-1. To reach a dispatcher for a nonemergency situation you may call 448-6181. When you call 9-1-1 the dispatchers are trained to quickly get essential information from you. They may seem abrupt and may even interrupt you in an effort to get help on the way as quickly as possible. When you call 9-1-1 the dispatcher will ask the location you are calling from and what number they can call back (for more information or in case the call is disconnected.) TIP: Your Police Department does vacation checks for residents. Forms are available at <a href="http://shivelyky.gov/police/">http://shivelyky.gov/police/</a> or simply stop by the police department at 1800 Park Road during regular office hours and fill out a form requesting the vacation check with pertinent information (the dates, contact information, people at the house, etc.). While officers patrol your neighborhood they will be on alert to be especially observant of the homes where a vacation check has been requested. It's also a good idea to stop at the post office or online at <a href="https://holdmail.usps.com/holdmail/">https://holdmail.usps.com/holdmail/</a> to have your mail held if you'll be away for an extended period. Visit us online; police@shivelyky.gov or shivelyky.gov.



A new fire department partnership was launched on July 1 to provide better protection across Louisville. Called "Plus One", it's an agreement between

Louisville/Shively and suburban fire departments, with the goal of arriving at scenes faster. Previously, a department could only respond to a fire if it was in their district, even if another station was closer. Under the new partnership, Louisville and suburban fire departments will dispatch at least one fire truck from the closest firehouse to the scene of an emergency, in addition to the department that would normally respond. "I'm excited to know that the citizen's of Shively will get the closest emergency help (Fire Suppression, Auto-Extrication, and CPR) needed regardless of the name or color of the truck, says Col. Mucker."

#### **General Requirements for Open Burning**

- Unless it is in an approved fire pit, you must obtain a permit for any recreational or agricultural burn;
- Recreational fires should be no more than 3 feet long by 3 feet wide;



- Always have water nearby to put out your fire;
- Use only clean, dry firewood
- No accelerants should be used to start the fire
- Do not burn on Air Quality Alert days, or when there is a county, regional or statewide burn ban in effect.
- Do not burn if the wind is expected to exceed 15 MPH.

Col. Charles D. Mucker Fire Chief Shively Fire Department



## COMING SPRING 2022! CITY OF SHIVELY

#### \*\*\* About the Shively Community Police Academy \*\*\*

The Shively Community Police Academy will be an educational program designed to create better understanding and communication between police and the residents they serve. The intent of the program will be to make participants aware of how the Shively Police Department operates and its role in the community. Participants will be given an opportunity to increase their understanding of how police officers are trained and to experience the working environment of a police officer.

Topics will include: police hiring, legal considerations, use of force, mental health and crisis interventions, homelessness, community outreach, investigations, the K9 unit, and patrol operations.

## GRAND OPENING! HERITAGE ADULT DAY CARE 1517 CRUMS LANE





**City Schoolhouse** is a new school that was recently moved from Portland to Shively. We are currently located in the Chapel Park Baptist Church building.

Our Mission: City Schoolhouse works to strengthen children and families by empowering them through active and individualized education, fostering a love of learn-

ing, and renewing their community through its people.

Our Vision: Building families and communities where boundless learning is walkable.

City Schoolhouse is a neighborhood microschool where students come from a walking distance away to learn academic, social, and practical life skills. Class sizes range from 10-15 students with two teachers. We teach in developmental age groups and our teaching is inspired by successful Montessori teaching techniques as well as other best practices for hands on learning. We incorporate day to day practical living skills that our students often do not learn at home in our daily curriculum.

We want all our students to be in a place where, despite their circumstances, they are treasured -- a place where they know they are created by God for a purpose. *Ryan Jeffers / Head of School* 

502.202.2438

http://www.cityschoolhouse.org/rjeffers@cityschoolhouse.org



Saturday, August 21st

is

### National Senior Citizens Day

Please join us at City Hall 12- 2pm for a Senior Citizens Cook- out!

## CODE ENFORCEMENT TOP 10 + 1 CODE VIOLATIONS

**TRASH.** All trash and garbage left outside one's residence awaiting pickup must be stored in containers with lids at all times. Bagged trash and/or cardboard boxes may not be left sitting next to the approved blue trash bins, it will not be picked up.

#### MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY MAINTENANCE VIOLA-

**TIONS.** Includes a variety of code sections regarding the maintenance of the exterior structures (e.g. broken windows, falling down sheds, tarps on roofs, trees growing out of gutters, gutters falling off, roofing)

UNREGISTERED/INOPERABLE MOTOR VEHICLES. Unless stored in a fully enclosed structure, all motor vehicles are to be properly registered and operable at all times. Placing a tarp or cover over the vehicle does not cure the violation.

DEBRIS. Junk, debris, furniture, tree branches/stumps, and other items are prohibited from being stored on the exterior of all residential properties.

**HIGH WEEDS & GRASS.** Grass and weeds are always to be maintained at a height of 8 inches or less.

**PARKING ON GRASS.** Vehicles may not be parked on the grass or dirt of properties. All vehicles, trailers, boats, etc. are to be parked or stored on a hardened surface.

**VACANT, UNSECURED HOMES.** Any vacant home or business must be maintained as if it were being occupied (e.g. grass cut, shrubs trimmed, exterior of structure in good repair, and any doors and windows secured to prevent unauthorized entry into the dwelling).

**BUILDING WITH OUT PERMITS.** Building permits are required for most types of construction and many types of home improvement projects (e.g. plumbing, heating, decks, some sheds, garages, additions, adding an additional driveway etc.). Contact Planning & Design, (502) 574-6230, 444 S. 5th Street, 8am – 5pm.

**USE OF GRAVEL.** From and after July 1, 2009, parking pads, driveway construction or driveway extensions shall be constructed of either concrete or asphalt.

**YARD REPAIR.** Any property that has damage from parking in yard/ditch line or driving through the yard/ditch line will be responsible for repairing damage left in the yard.

**LEAVES.** All property owners are responsible for raking leaves on your property, even if you do not have a tree in your yard. Leaves commonly block storms drains, gutters, and the pipes under driveways causing water problems all over the city.

TO REPORT VIOLATIONS OR TO REQUEST MORE INFORMATION CALL CITY HALL AT 449-5000, code@shivelyky.gov OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.SHIVELYKY.GOV.



#### **THE WORKS DEPARTMENT NEWS**

To start off with the works department would like to thank all the residents of Shively. We appreciate the positive comments from our residents. Summertime is our busiest time in Shively for the works department.

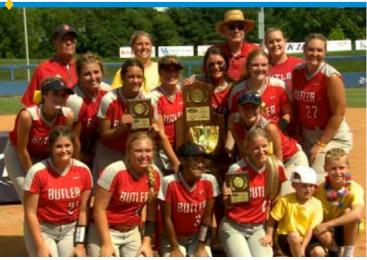
Yes, it has been raining and we have had a few storms. We continue to clean up areas that have been affected. Storm water from these types of storms rise quickly in our drainage infrastructure, sometimes overwhelming the system. The good thing is the water goes down quickly when the rain stops.

We continue to work on drainage projects and try to alleviate any problems.

Just a reminder, trash and recycle needs to be in your Totter. Any trash that is outside the can will not be picked up. Totters that are filled over the top of the totter will not be picked up. Tree limbs need to be bundled and tied. Bundles shall be no longer than four feet and not weigh more than fifty pounds. Yard waste cans should not exceed fifty pounds.

During the summertime the Shively City Park is enjoyed by many of our residents. The works department installed a charcoal grill next to one of the pavilions. Please use care when grilling and dispose of charcoal properly. Littering is always a problem for the park. Any help with keeping the park clean will be greatly appreciated.

Enjoy your summer and be careful! Jeff Early



#### **BUTLER GIRLS SOFTBALL STATE CHAMPIONS**

Butler softball won its first state championship. Kyndal Tinnell hit a grand slam in the sixth inning as Butler defeated Daviess County 13-2 in the KHSAA state title hosted in Lexington.

After three scoreless innings, Sadie Werner singled home Butler's first run in the fourth inning.



Daviess County scored two runs in the bottom of the fifth inning to tie the game, but Butler answered with a game-clinching rally in the following inning.

Butler plated a go-ahead run before Tinnell's grand slam that extended the lead to 7-2 in the sixth inning. Tinnell, who went 3 for 5 with six RBIs, was named the state tournament's Most Valuable Player.

The Bearettes added six runs in the seventh inning to complete an impressive postseason run. After defeating Iroquois 16-0 in the 22nd District final, Butler cruised to its third straight Sixth Region title.

Butler defeated Bullitt East 8-0 in the regional final before topping McCracken County, Lafayette and Green County to reach the state championship game.

## **KY DRIVER'S LICENSE CHANGES**

#### Online renewal launched

On June 14, KYTC launched their new online platform for drivers to renew current standard licenses and REAL IDs via the web (as long as the driver's name or address hasn't changed). Visit <a href="https://dlrenewal.ky.gov/">https://dlrenewal.ky.gov/</a>

#### **KYTC Regional Offices**

Drivers now can visit ANY KYTC Driver Licensing Regional Office, regardless of where they live. For a list of all KYTC Regional Offices across the Commonwealth, visit <a href="https://drive.ky.gov/Driver-Licensing/Pages/Regional-Offices.aspx">https://drive.ky.gov/Driver-Licensing/Pages/Regional-Offices.aspx</a>. For more information, visit Drive.Ky.gov or DriveJefferson.com.

For information regarding the Office of the Circuit Court Clerk, visit <u>JeffersonKyCourtClerk.com</u>.







The City of Shively Dance Program is signing up dancers from ages 6 to 18 for the "Team Perfection" hip-hop dance team. The participants will showcase their talent at an end of the year performance. This experience will truly enrich the development of our youth. The program is FREE and spots are limited. All practices are held on Fridays from 5:30pm-7:30pm. Call Councilwoman Maria Johnson at 502-409-0401 to reserve your spot.

**WHAT?** "Team Perfection" Hip-Hop Dance Team (founded in 2013) WHEN? Starts Friday, October 15, 2021

WHERE? Shively City Hall, 3920 Dixie Highway

WHO? Ages 6 to 18

**HOW MUCH? FREE** 

**Shively Farmers &** 

**Artisans Market** 

SATURDAYS 9AM - 1PM

AUGUST 7<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 21<sup>ST</sup>

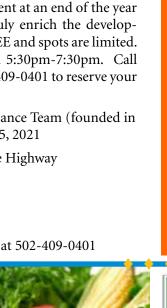
SEPTEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup>
SEPTEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>
OCTOBER 2<sup>ND</sup>
OCTOBER 16<sup>TH</sup>

OCTOBER 30<sup>™</sup>

Contact us: 502.449.5000 ShivelyFarmersMarketKY@gmail.com

#### **CONTACT:**

Shively Councilwoman Maria Johnson at 502-409-0401









## Congratulations!! AJ and Tish Mendez

2321 Burrell Drive

(Received a \$50 Meijer's gift card)



## SHIVELY PARK OR YOUR HOME SATURDAY, 9/4/21

Register with sharon.baker@shivelyky.gov

## **HOME SWEET HAUNTED HOME**

Halloween will be "creeping" up on us soon it's time to proudly display your cobwebs and spiders. The City of Shively will be sponsoring the "25th Annual Halloween Decorating Contest". The contest is open to any citizen of Shively who thinks they have done the "Best Job" of decorating the outside of their house for Halloween. To enter please call Shively City Hall, 449-5000. We



will need your name, address and a telephone number. Applications will be accepted until close of business day Monday, October 25th. Judging will begin Tuesday, October 26th, 7:00 p.m.

Judging Criteria: Unique design and creative use of lights and decoration – display and placement of decorations, overall presentation.

Contest Rules: Judging will be based on "curb appeal" as viewed from the street – Judges will not enter the property to view – Participants should ensure that all lights, animations, and decorations are in place and activated Tuesday, October 26th .



Shively City Hall 3920 Dixie Hwy. Shively KY 40216 (502) 449-5000 www.shivelyky.gov Prsrt Std U.S. Postage Paid Louisville, KY Permit No. 742

## IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Shively Police Dispatch (502) 448-6181

Crime Tip Line (502) 930-2773

#### **Shively Fire Department 911**

Shively City Hall (502) 449-5000 Mon – Fri 8 – 4:30 pm

Shively Public Works Department (502) 449-5010 Mon – Fri 6:30 – 3 pm

Shively Public Library Mon. – Thurs. 10 am – 9 pm Fri., Sat. 10 am – 5 pm Sunday Closed (502) 574-1730

Shively Post Office 3131 Crums Lane Mon. – Fri. 8 am – 5 pm Sat. 9 am – 1 pm Sunday Closed 502-449-2657



TAX PAYMENTS
ARE DUE
SEPT. 30, 2021

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**Beverly Chester-Burton, Mayor** 

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#### **AARP Fraud Alerts - How to confront scammers!**

Tuesday, September 28th @ City Hall 11am – 12:30pm Reserve your seat with sharon.baker@shivelyky.gov

# SHIVELY FIRE DEPARTMENT PRESENTS...



### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8th 4:30pm-7:30pm

@ the Heritage, 1901 Park Road Prizes awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd winners