

Summer 2012 Edition

# WHISTLESTOP

## The City of Erlanger Newsletter

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### MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR



Mayor  
Thomas L. Rouse

Summer is here! The humidity and scorching temperatures have made their way to our community, condemning many to their homes. At times such as this, it is important to stay hydrated and to check on elderly neighbors. Please remember that the ground is very dry and there is a state wide burn ban. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact our Fire Marshal at 859-727-2488.

Our children are also out of school for the summer. Please keep an eye out for them as they have more free time on their hands. Many are out riding their bikes, skateboarding, and having fun. They are not immune to dehydration, so please remind them to drink plenty of water as well.

You will notice a change in this edition of the Whistlestop newsletter. The City of Erlanger was approached by the Erlanger-Elsmere School District to join them in getting as much information out to the Erlanger community as possible. In doing this, you will find articles provided by their school district included in our newsletter, as well as articles for the City in their newsletter. This team effort will enable both organizations to reach more residents than before.

Many of you may have read in the newspapers about the 911 dispatch discussions between Kenton County and Erlanger. Our City currently dispatches for about 50% of the Kenton County residents and provides state of the art service. Some in Kenton County would like to combine County dispatch, Covington dispatch and Erlanger's PSCC under one roof. We are examining this concept, assisting the County in its efforts when asked, and trying to determine what will be in your best interests. Public safety is what we consider to be the overriding goal of emergency communication service. We know what we have here, but do not know what is being built by the county. We have asked many questions and issues remain unresolved. So, we continue to observe, assist, and inquire while the new dispatch operation is being built. In the meantime, Erlanger Public Safety Communications Center will continue to provide top of the line service to you and our neighbors until the other system is as good or better than what we currently operate. If you have questions or concerns about this issue, we would love to hear from you.

On a personal note, I took the oath of office on June 7, 2012 as the President-Elect of the Kentucky Bar Association. I am proud to not only serve Erlanger's residents as Mayor, but to serve many across the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Thank you for helping us make Erlanger the community that it is!

### MAYORS MEET STUDENTS

The enthusiasm of Erlanger-Elsmere students for their community was evident May 2 as they engaged the cities' mayors in dialogue. Erlanger Mayor Tom Rouse and Elsmere Mayor Marty Lenhof graciously met with the 10 students of the Superintendent's Advisory Group at Lloyd Memorial High School. Superintendent Kathy Burkhardt and the Advisory Group invited the mayors so the students could share their ideas for community projects in the cities.

The dialogue was dynamic. The students, empowered to move forward, now are eager to put their ideas into action.

The students are interested in community engagement and beautification projects, including a possible mural. In the lively dialogue, the mayors suggested other community activities, too, such as projects involving residential neighborhoods in Erlanger and parks and recreation activities in Elsmere.

The student Advisory Group now will formulate plans for moving forward with community projects and for engaging many Lloyd and Tichenor students in the community activities. There will be more meetings and dialogue with city officials, too.

The goal of the project is twofold: valuable service learning opportunities for the students and community engagement and enhancement for the cities.

Dr. Burkhardt formed the group of student advisors and participated in the May 2 meeting with the mayors. The Advisory Group includes Lloyd's representatives on the Northern Kentucky Youth Advisory Board, which involves students from 20 high schools in Northern Kentucky.

The nonprofit organization Children Inc. also is instrumental in the Erlanger-Elsmere students' venture. Julie Wharton, of Children Inc., is an advisor to the student group as part of Children Inc.'s Mayerson Service Learning Initiative. The mission of the Children Inc. initiative, which has served 23,000 students and their communities, is to empower youth and help them become active citizens today and valued community members for life.



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## ***Fire/EMS Summer Update by Lt. Justin Brinkman***

### **Firework Safety**

Every year people have fireworks to set off to celebrate. Every year there are also injuries that occur due to the misuse of fireworks and also the malfunction of fireworks. Property loss is also a big concern when people are using fireworks. With real dry, warm weather, comes the possibilities of grass fires, house fires, and other types of fires that are unexpected.

Injuries from fireworks can fall into a broad range of categories. They can be as small as a minor burn to a finger and go as far as death if a large explosion occurs. Several burn injuries occur from sparklers and lighters lighting the fireworks. Firework explosions can cause people to lose fingers or cause serious injury if they explode around someone. Keeping a close eye on the surroundings and who is doing the lighting and handling of fireworks may help limit injuries from occurring.

It is a safe practice to keep some sort of water available while lighting and using fireworks. A bucket of water can be useful when using sparklers. When finished, you can throw your hot sparkler into a bucket of water to cool them. A hose in the yard with the water turned on can possibly limit the chances of a small fire turning into a big fire. Limiting where you light the fireworks will help control the possibility of fire. Setting of fireworks on concrete rather than grass will allow a firework to not ignite the grass. Keep safety in mind throughout the remainder of the summer.

### **I Want a Blue Fire Hydrant**

Has anyone in the City of Erlanger wondered why the hydrants are painted different colors? People in the community have recently seen the fire department out in the area testing fire hydrants and will also see them out later on in the year. The fire department has been testing hydrants along with the Northern Kentucky Water District to ensure that the fire hydrant is properly working and can determine how much water can be obtained from that hydrant. Through calculations, the fire department can determine how much water is being flowed at given times. Each year the fire department also comes out and paints the hydrants to ensure that they look nice and are kept up. A lot of cities paint their hydrants and many of these hydrants have different colors on them. Some cities only use these colors as decoration to make the city look nice. Some cities, like the City of Erlanger, paint the hydrant to make it look nice but it also serves a purpose for the fire department.

The fire department assigns a color to the amount of flow from the hydrant. We use the calculations we obtain and match the color to the flow. Almost all hydrants will be yellow. The tops and sometimes the caps will be painted a different color to represent how much water is coming out. The colors that are used are Red, Orange, Green, and Blue. The fire department can easily approach a hydrant and look at the top color and determine how much water they should be getting out of that hydrant. All flows are based in gallons of water in one minute.

So if anyone has wondered why hydrants are different colors, they are to assist in letting fire apparatus operators determine how much water they can get into their apparatus. It also helps the firefighters determine how to handle the situation at hand and how much water they could possibly have on that scene. Residents can't just decide on what color they want. The colors have a meaning. The fire department also tries to stay on top of painting them to make our city look nice and presentable.

### **Keeping Vacation Safe**

A lot of people may be planning summer vacations this year. Even though people are on vacation, they need to keep a safety conscious mind while at a new location. Hotels or condos are still capable of having problems and some things should be thought about before something was to happen.

Consider some of the following prior to an emergency:

- Take time to familiarize yourself with the fire escape plans located on the back of the hotel room door. If you are in a condo or house take time to familiarize you and your family with some escape plans.
- Locate the two closest exits.
- Count the number of doors between your room and the exit.
- Check and make sure the smoke detectors are working properly in your room.
- Look for a stairwell to exit. Elevators should not be used in a fire situation, so look for the closest stairwells when preplanning an escape.

If an emergency does occur:

- Check your door for heat prior to opening. If the door is cool, get low and slowly open in case there is smoke in the hallway. If the door is warm, leave the door shut and get to the window or balcony. Also, place wet towels around the bottom of the door to help prevent smoke from entering. Turn off the air conditioning and fans in order to prevent pulling smoke into the room.
- If the smoke is still up high, stay low and crawl to the nearest exit that you found upon your arrival at the hotel.
- Most importantly if you are able to crawl to the exit use the stairwell instead of the elevator. Stairwells are mostly designed as a safe place and are rated long enough to let people exit the building.

Vacations are supposed to be a time to have fun and relax. Keep some safety things in mind when on vacation to ensure that nothing will ruin your vacation.



### **Erlanger's New Paramedics**

Recently two individuals have passed their National Registry testing for becoming a paramedic. Matt Schneider and Katie Klopp recently passed the testing to become paramedics. They have been in the paramedic program for almost a year and have recently completed the program. They are both part time employees with the City of Erlanger. With a little bit more training and ride time on our equipment to use the skills they have learned, they may shortly be utilized as paramedics. This will help in having more qualified personnel to assist with our Advanced Life Support program offered to our citizens and citizens in other cities. Congratulations to them both.



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## 2012 Lloyd Governors Scholars

Four students of Lloyd Memorial High School have been chosen to participate in the prestigious Governor's Scholars Program in Kentucky for 2012.

The Governor's Scholars from Lloyd, pictured below from left to right, are: **Dexter Smith, Nikolas Carter, Gracemarie Thompson and John Dashner.**

The four will be seniors in the 2012-2013 school year. They are attending the five-week residential scholars program this summer. As part of the honor as a chosen participant in the program, each scholar's tuition, room and board, and field trip expenses are fully paid by the program. The 2012 program is being held on the campuses of Bellarmine University, Centre College and Murray State University. About 1,000 students were chosen to participate at the program's three campuses this summer.

The Governor's Scholars Program is for outstanding high school students in Kentucky who are rising seniors. To participate in the program, students must be nominated by their high schools and then compete on a statewide level. Selection for the program is highly competitive, with an application process similar to that of prestigious colleges and universities.

The program originated in 1983 as a result of Kentucky leaders' concern that the state's "best and brightest" were leaving the state to pursue educational and career opportunities elsewhere without fully understanding the potential of their talents at home. The program's mission is to enhance Kentucky's next generation of civic and economic leaders. The Governor's Scholar Program provides academic and personal growth through the balance of a strong liberal arts program with a full co-curricular and residential life experience.



## Public Works Report by Director Bogard

Providing guidance for drivers and pedestrians alike, street signs and streetlights are a vital part of our everyday lives. With a multitude of street signs and streetlights throughout the City, we appreciate your help in identifying signs that have been damaged or need replacement and streetlights that are malfunctioning or in need of repair. The sooner we are aware of an issue with either of these two things, the sooner we can get it addressed.

To report street signs that have been damaged or need replacement, please contact the Public Works Department Sign Shop at (859) 727-7620 or visit the Public Works Department page at [www.ci.erlanger.ky.us](http://www.ci.erlanger.ky.us).

To report streetlights that need attention in the Duke Energy Service Area you may contact 1-(800)-544-6900 and for lights in the Owen Rural Electric service area you may contact 1-(800)-372-7612. If you are unsure of the service area that you live in please contact the Erlanger Public Works Department at (859) 727-3893 or visit the Public Works Department page at [www.ci.erlanger.ky.us](http://www.ci.erlanger.ky.us) to report the problem. Please make sure that you provide the following information: pole number/nearest physical address of the light, type of issue (out/flickering/burning during the day/etc.), and your name with a contact number.



Thanks in advance for your help!

## Did You Know?

The Sign Shop of the Erlanger Public Works Department is responsible for approximately 4,900 regulatory signs that are located on city maintained streets. In addition, they produce specialty signs/banners for various city events, produce property stickers for several city departments, take care of all issues regarding street lights and produce the graphics/lettering for all vehicles and equipment in the Public Works Department Fleet. It requires 220.5 man hours to mow one rotation of the Parks, Grounds and Right of Ways that the Public Works Department Mowing Team (4 personnel) are responsible for maintaining. When you combine these 40 different areas located across the city together, it adds up to a total of 53.3 acres of mowing. During the month of May; Public Works Team Members were very busy with Codes Remediation's as a result of citations issued by the Codes Enforcement Division of the Police Department. A total of 23 remediations were completed that required a total of 58.75 man hours of time.



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## *Lloyd's National Merit Scholar*

Anthony (Tony) Otten is the 2012 valedictorian of Lloyd Memorial High School and a National Merit Scholar.

Tony met the high academic standards, including completing rigorous coursework, and scored high on the SAT test to be named a National Merit Finalist earlier this year. Among his other accolades, Anthony is a published author, with his writing appearing in various magazines and journals and he has won national writing competitions.



Tony will be attending Thomas More College in the fall to participate in the prestigious James Graham Brown Honors Program with a full tuition scholarship.

Tony is the son of Anita and Anthony Otten of Erlanger.

### **About Lloyd Memorial High School**

Lloyd Memorial High School engages students in learning in a nurturing environment created by teachers with national class qualifications, guided by progressive leaders in education. Lloyd's mission is to provide all students with the educational skills that ensure a wide variety of choices to successfully accomplish future academic and career goals. Among Lloyd's faculty, 72 percent have a master's degree and 36 percent have earned Rank 1, the highest status in Kentucky. Lloyd's student to teacher ratio is 21 to 1. The school has an exceptionally diverse student population, with many ethnicities that contribute uniquely to its success. Lloyd ranks No. 6 out of all high schools in Northern Kentucky and No. 30 out of 229 high schools across the state, based on academic test scores. Graduating its first class in 1929, Lloyd Memorial High School is the signature high school of the Erlanger-Elsmere School District.

## *Help Tim Beet(em) Cancer*

Our friend and Public Works employee, Tim Beetem, was diagnosed with cancer in late June 2012. Tim is married with two daughters and a grandchild. There will be a benefit to raise money to help Tim and his family. The Dixie Club has generously offered their assistance. So, on Friday, July 13th, 2012, we ask that you stop by the Dixie Club Café (Dixie at Commonwealth) between the hours of 8 pm and 2 am and support this worthy cause. There is a \$10 cover charge that includes appetizers. In order to help Tim, you must enter and purchase your drinks upstairs. The main bar is for Dixie Club customers. If you cannot attend and wish to help, donations can be delivered to Erlanger Fire/EMS (515 Graves Ave, Erlanger).



## *Prescription Drug Disposal Program*

Several months ago, the Erlanger Police Department partnered with the Kenton County Alliance and joined many other Northern Kentucky Agencies in a program aimed at getting expired and unused prescription pills out of the homes, off the streets and out of the hands of children. This program, know as the Prescription Drug Disposal Program has been huge success so far.



Citizens can bring these medicines to the main office at 505 Commonwealth Avenue during regular business hours, Monday thru Friday 8am – 5pm. You will be asked to sign a form acknowledging the drop off. The pills will then be placed in a secure box until they are taken to the county incinerator where they are disposed of.

Just recently the police department took 308 pounds of discarded medications to the incinerator for destruction.

Other Drop Off Locations include:

- Kenton County, 11777 Madison Pike, Independence (392-1940)
- Villa Hills, 719 Rogers Road, Villa Hills (341-3535)
- Park Hills, 1106 Amsterdam Road, Park Hills (431-6172)
- Ft. Wright, 409 Kyles Lane, Fort Wright (331-2191)
- Edgewood, 385 Dudley Road, Edgewood (331-5911)
- Campbell Co., 8774 Constable Drive, Alexandria (547-3100)
- Florence, 8100 Ewing Dr., Government Center, Florence (371-5491)
- Boone Co. Sheriff's Office, 3000 Conrad Lane, Burlington (334-2175)
- Highland Heights City Building, Highland Heights
- Ft. Thomas, 130 N. Ft. Thomas Ave.
- Newport, 998 Monmouth St.

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## 21st Annual Heritage Day Celebration

This year's annual Heritage Day Celebration will be held on Sunday, September 15, 2012 from 1:00p.m. to 5:00p.m. at the Railroad Depot Park on Crescent Avenue in Erlanger.

Classic automobiles, storytelling, martial arts demonstrations, horse & wagon rides, and Civil War re-enactors are just some of the things you will experience at this year's celebration! You will also get to hear music from a live band, while enjoying booths of food & drinks, arts & crafts, antiques & collectibles, and much more. There will also be a petting zoo for kids to enjoy!

The City of Erlanger Fire/EMS will present a Search & Rescue Dog Demo and the Erlanger Police, Fire/EMS, and Public Works Department will have vehicles on display so make sure to bring your cameras.

Once you've experienced all there is to see outside, be sure to stop in and take a tour of the Depot Museum! The Depot Museum will be open for viewing from 1:00p.m. to 5:00p.m. and is full of Erlanger artifacts and memorabilia.

If you are interested in setting up a booth please contact Patricia Hahn with the Erlanger Historical Society at 859-727-8959 or Faith Woods with the City of Erlanger at 859-727-2525, #1.

You can find vendor forms and details about the event soon on the City of Erlanger's website, [www.ci.erlanger.ky.us](http://www.ci.erlanger.ky.us), and the Erlanger Historical Society's website, [www.erlangerhistoricalsociety.org](http://www.erlangerhistoricalsociety.org).

The Annual Heritage Day Celebration is brought to you by the Erlanger Historical Society and the City of Erlanger.



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Railroad Depot Park

Crescent Avenue, Erlanger, KY 41018

## New Administration Department Hours

The City of Erlanger's Administration Department, located at 505 Commonwealth Avenue, will have new hours of operation starting Monday, July 16, 2012. **These hours are 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.**

Due to this change, **passport processing hours will be from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.**

## Engaged Erlanger Employees

**Becky Hopkins**—The Northern Kentucky Chamber of Commerce is comprised of businesses and volunteers who are "...working together toward common goals that benefit a broader community." The Chamber has various areas of focus and offers various trainings. Two of the classes center on leadership. Applications and nominations are required for participation in these classes. The Chambers' Steering Committee reviews applications, nominations and then selects its members for each class. The "Leadership Northern Kentucky Class" officially announced the 2013 winners that includes Becky Hopkins, Director of Information Technology.



**Sherry Hoffman**—Sherry will be representing Erlanger and the Northern Kentucky Clerks on the Kentucky Municipal Clerks Associations' Legislative Committee. The mission of this committee is to work with the Legislators of the Commonwealth to promote legislative issues that will support municipal governments and attempt to defeat proposed legislation that would be detrimental to our communities.



## Welcome to Our Board

Long-time Board of Adjustment member Pat Gettys resigned on April 30, 2012 with over 18 years of service to the City of Erlanger. After being interviewed by Building and Zoning Administrator Mark Stewart, Mayor Rouse appointed Doug Conley (pictured) to the position with Council's approval at the June 12th Council Meeting. Mr. Conley was sworn in by receiving the Oath of Office on June 15th. His first line of business will be to begin his required training. Mr. Conley has been a long time Erlanger resident and is very qualified to serve in this position. Let us welcome Doug Conley!



## Fall Edition of the Whistlestop...

The Fall Edition of the Whistlestop Newsletter will be mailed to your residence. Also included will be a Waste Collection Survey for all Erlanger residents to complete and return to the City. The City of Erlanger is interested in your thoughts about the current trash collection service with Republic Services/CSI. We value your opinion and completing the survey would help determine if the City should renew the current contract with Republic Services/CSI or to go out to bid.

Please look for this survey, which will be included in the next edition of the Whistlestop Newsletter.

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## ***PARKS AND RECREATION UPDATES*** by Faith Woods

### **Amazing Race Scavenger Hunt - The Results**

On May 19<sup>th</sup> teams raced around Erlanger for a fun-filled night on the town! These brave individuals conquered impossible, funny, and bizarre tasks such as: posing as Turkeys in front of the Tewes Poultry Farm sign, being handcuffed to an Erlanger Police Officer, River Dancing at Locust Park, skipping down Commonwealth Avenue, and acting out the "Balcony Scene" from Romeo & Juliet at Flagship Park's jungle gym. Yes, these teams stayed the course through these daunting tasks, knowingly embarrassing themselves in public, all for the sake of fun (I'm sure the cash prize had nothing to do with it).

The champion of the 2012 Amazing Race and Scavenger Hunt (and owner of bragging rights)...for the third year in a row was...Tom Cahill's team!!! Can no one dethrone them?!



The City of Erlanger would like to thank the following businesses for their participation in this year's Amazing Race: All-In-Café, Colonial Cottage, Erlanger Putt-Putt, Snappy Tomato Pizza, Super Bowl Erlanger, and Tewes Poultry Farm. We would also like to thank the Erlanger Police & Fire Departments for their participation as well and helping make this event a great success!

### **Erlanger Community Night at the Ballpark**

Florence Freedom will be hosting Erlanger Community Night at the Florence Freedom ballpark on July 31, 2012. Erlanger residents can purchase discounted tickets off the City of Erlanger's website. A portion of the proceeds will go to Erlanger-Elsmere Independent School District's Family Resource Centers and Youth Service Centers. The centers are non-profit organizations that receive their funding from state grants and donations. These centers strive to help every child and family in Erlanger and Elsmere by breaking down barriers that interfere with a child's ability to learn. By removing barriers, they hope to have an impact on as many children as possible. Tickets must be purchased on the City's website in order for the Family Resource and Youth Service Centers to receive their portion of the proceeds. ([www.ci.erlanger.ky.us](http://www.ci.erlanger.ky.us)) Get there early and cheer on your favorite local heroes at the pre-game matchup between the Erlanger Police and Fire/EMS Departments. Help us to support the youth in our community. We hope to see you there!

### ***The Dixie***

### **FARMERS' MARKET**

Don't forget to stop by the farmers' market for your choice in fresh produce, sweet honey, homemade salsa, freshly baked breads, and much more!

Open every Thursday through

October 25, 2012

2:00p.m. - 6:00p.m.

Located at: Erlanger Baptist Church

116 Commonwealth Avenue

Erlanger KY 41018

### **8th Annual Friendship City 5K Walk/Run**

Sunday, August 26, 2012 at 8:00am

Race begins at 8:00am!

Join family and friends in the annual 5K Walk/Run, which begins and ends at the Erlanger Branch of the Kenton County Public Library and winds through streets of historic residential homes and the Erlanger Historical Railroad Depot. This race benefits the Step Forward Erlanger program, which is devoted to making Erlanger a more walkable community and helping our children fight obesity which is a national problem and a major issue in Kentucky.

One Free Family Membership to Silverlake Athletic Club will be given away and other nice door prizes will be given away at random.

Visit [www.ci.erlanger.ky.us](http://www.ci.erlanger.ky.us) to get more information.

### **New Toy Train at the Railroad Depot Park**

Have you been to the Railroad Depot Park recently?

If not, be sure to stop by to see a couple of improvements that have been made.

The Depot was closed for a couple of weeks in May to get a fresh coat of paint at the Historical Museum and to get in the new toy train brought to you by the City's Public Works Department for our residents to enjoy!



***All Summer Park Events are free to anyone who would like to attend, except for the Silverlake Swim Night. That event is reserved for Erlanger residents only. Erlanger residents can stop by the Erlanger City Building to receive free passes for their family. Proof of residency is required.***

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**CITY OF ERLANGER'S  
PROGRAMS OR SERVICES  
859-727-2525**

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

- ⇒ POLICE EXPLORER PROGRAM (14-20 years of age)
- ⇒ NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH GROUPS
- ⇒ CAR SEAT INSPECTIONS
- ⇒ PROPERTY SECURITY CHECKS
- ⇒ CITIZENS POLICE ACADEMY
- ⇒ VIPS (Volunteers in Police Service)
- ⇒ MEDICATION COLLECTION PROGRAM

**FIRE/EMS DEPARTMENT**

- ⇒ CPR, FIRST AID, AND FIRE EXTINGUISHER CLASSES
- ⇒ FIRE/EMS EXPLORER PROGRAM (14-18 years of age)
- ⇒ HOME AND BUSINESS INSPECTIONS
- ⇒ SENIOR CITIZEN SMOKE DETECTOR PROGRAM

**GENERAL GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT**

- ⇒ PASSPORTS
- ⇒ ERLANGER HARD BACK HISTORY BOOK \$25.00
- ⇒ ERLANGER/ELSMERE IMAGES OF AMERICA BOOK \$20.00
- ⇒ NOTARY PUBLICS (free service)
- ⇒ TANK BUS PASSES
- ⇒ ERLANGER & SURROUNDING AREA MAPS (free)
- ⇒ NO KNOCK POLICY-SIGN UP TODAY
- ⇒ DEPOT PARK RESERVATIONS (727-2525 #5)

**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

- ⇒ POTHOLE REPORTS (need location of pothole)
- ⇒ STREET LIGHT OUTAGE REPORTS (need location of light)
- ⇒ LEAF COLLECTION
- ⇒ CHRISTMAS TREE DROP OFF/MULCHING

**WEBSITE COMMITTEE**

- ⇒ FACEBOOK—CITY OF ERLANGER (NEW)
- ⇒ CITIZEN SERVICE REQUEST CENTER ONLINE
- ⇒ WEBSITE [www.ci.erlanger.ky.us](http://www.ci.erlanger.ky.us)

**ERLANGER-ELSMERE  
SCHOOL DISTRICT  
CONTACT INFORMATION**

**BOARD OF EDUCATION**

⇒ 859-727-2009

**ENSOR EDUCATIONAL ANNEX**

⇒ 859-342-2427

**BARTLETT CENTER**

⇒ 859-342-2460

**LLOYD MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL**

⇒ 859-727-1555

**TICHENOR MIDDLE SCHOOL**

⇒ 859-727-2255

**ARNETT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

⇒ 859-727-1488

**HOWELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

⇒ 859-727-1108

**LINDEMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

⇒ 859-727-1188

**MILES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

⇒ 859-727-2231

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The City of Erlanger allows businesses and organizations to **advertise** in our Whistlestop Newsletter. This is a quarterly newsletter that provides city information and updates for Erlanger businesses and residents. For Erlanger businesses or organizations the cost is **\$30.00 per issue**, this includes businesses located on “The Dixie”. Non-Erlanger businesses can also advertise for **\$40.00 an issue**. If you are interested in placing an advertisement, please contact Sherry at [sdhoffman@ci.erlanger.ky.us](mailto:sdhoffman@ci.erlanger.ky.us) or by calling (859) 727-2525, #1.

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# CALENDAR

## **Erlanger City Council Meetings**

Erlanger City Building  
First Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m.

## **Erlanger Historical Society Meetings**

Railroad Depot Museum  
Second Wednesday of every month at 7:00 p.m.

## **Erlanger-Elsmere School Board Meetings**

Board of Education Building (500 Graves Avenue)  
Second Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m.

## **Dixie Farmers Market**

(Applications for farmers on-line)  
Erlanger Baptist Church Parking Lot  
Every Thursday, starting April 26, 2012  
2:00-6:00 p.m.

## **General Government Offices Closed**

July 4, 2012

## **Fishing at Flagship Park**

July 12, 2012  
8:00-10:00 a.m.

## **Erlanger Night at Silverlake Recreation**

July 12, 2012  
6:30-9:00 p.m.

## **Cincinnati Zoo at Flagship Park**

July 19, 2012  
6:00-7:00 p.m.

## **Sunrock Traveling Pet Farm at Rainbow Park**

July 25, 2012  
6:00-7:00 p.m.

## **Erlanger Community Night at the Ballpark**

Florence Freedom Ball Park  
Proceeds go to the Erlanger-Elsmere School District's  
Family Resource and Youth Centers  
July 31, 2012  
5:30 p.m. for Fire/EMS vs. Police pre-game  
(please purchase tickets on City's website)

## **Park Event with Fire/EMS at Silverlake Park**

August 9, 2012  
6:00-8:00 p.m.

## **Erlanger-Elsmere Schools 1st Day Back for Students**

August 15, 2012

## **Friendship City 5K**

Erlanger Branch, Kenton County Public Library  
August 26, 2012

## **Erlanger Elsmere Schools - No School**

August 31, 2012  
September 3, 2012

## **Heritage Day**

Railroad Depot Park  
September 16, 2012  
1:00-5:00 p.m.



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