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Newsletter

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Summer Projects and Events!

Many public projects are slated to commence this summer. Please be patient while bids are solicited and timelines are established. Some project components, like ductile iron watermain, still have supply issues. This could delay some of the planned street projects. However, work is budgeted and will occur as quickly as can be arranged. See local news, the city website, and future newsletters for details.

Under construction now is the Safe Routes to School sidewalk and paths. Out for bid in April or May will be the Miller Road rehabilitation (Morrish to Seymour), as well as Durwood, Norbury, Greenleaf, and Winshall watermain/streets. Stay tuned!

The Creek Community Is Investing in the Future

Swartz Creek City and DDA are now working with a community and economic development specialist to help bring new events, culture, recreation, and business to our town. We are actively working with the Michigan Economic Development Corporation to better market redevelopment sites of high interest in Swartz Creek! We're also exploring grant possibilities to add placemaking features downtown.

If you own a business or are interested in starting one, please feel free to reach out to our Economic and Community Development Director, Samantha Fountain. She'd be happy to hear about your business plans, problem solve with you, or direct you to resources.

Concerning events, a lot is planned for this summer in Swartz Creek! Jeepers Creekers is hosting monthly "Makers Markets" the second Tuesday of every month, May 9th, June 13th, July 11th, August 8th, and September 12th, 5-8pm at Holland Square. Contact JeepersCreekers@gmail.com if you're interested in being a vendor. See inside for details on the Summer Concert Series and Family Movie Nights.

Find the community calendar and service information online at: www.cityofswartzcreek.org

Call 911 For After-Hours Emergencies:

*Do so for water and sewer problems such as water main breaks or sewer backups.
Messages at the office are not checked on the weekends or after hours.*

Proper Medication Disposal for Water Quality

Never place expired pharmaceuticals down a toilet or sink, where they can enter our drinking water supply. Drop them off at one of the locations below:

Meijer Pharmacy #259, 4141 Morrish Rd.

Acesco Pharmacy, 5376 Miller Rd.

Flint Township Police Department, 5200 Norko Drive, Flint



2023 Family Movie Night

Swartz Creek Family Movie Nights are back and better than ever! We are moving it back to the Pajtas amphitheater, and are actively recruiting food trucks, ice cream, and sponsors for bounce houses and other fun activities. We also have a great schedule for this year with a lot of new releases. Shows start at dusk! Check community Facebook pages for updates!

June 16: Top Gun Maverick, 131m, PG-13

June 30: DC League of Super Pets, 110m, PG

July 14: Minions: Rise of Gru, 90m, PG

July 28: Shazam! Fury of the Gods, 130m, PG-13

August 11: Dungeons & Dragons: Honor Among Thieves, 134m, PG-13

August 18: Super Mario Brothers The Movie, 92m, PG

(Rain dates will be the following Friday)



If you are interested in helping volunteer with set-up, sponsoring the event, or something else to make this a great community collaboration, please reach out to Samantha Fountain at sfountain@cityofswartzcreek.org or (810) 922-5283.

2023 Swartz Creek Fine Arts Concerts

ALL SHOWS ARE TUESDAY EVENINGS 7:00PM START AT PAJTAS AMPHITHEATER
Follow the Swartz Creek Fine Arts Association on Facebook for up to the minute weather changes and other updates.

June 20, The Regulators - Classic Rock

June 27, Mandi Layne and Lost Highway – Country

July 4, Lolly & the Pops - Local Band, Blues, Country, Classic Rock

July 11, Rebel Line – Country

July 18, the Bridge- 1/2 Bluegrass and Half Classic Mix

July 25, Mike and The ‘Cudas” a 50’s and 60’s Show

Aug. 1, Major Dudes - Steely Dan Tribute

Aug. 8, Stone Street Revival Classic Rock Show

AUG. 15 AND AUG. 22 RAIN DATES AS NEEDED AND AGREED

SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

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RAIN POLICY – Every effort will be made to hold concerts on their scheduled night. Safety is paramount to our summer series. Concerts may be delayed beginning or stopped short of a full show and on-site announcements will take precedence over others. Rain dates are built into season schedule and are only used if bands and musicians are available to return for an alternate date performance. NO ALTERNATE LOCATION IS USED OR SCHEDULED FOR CONCERT SEASON.



Wood Chipping Guidelines

- ◆ Limbs must be 4” or less in diameter and under 48” long
- ◆ Stack cut ends facing the curb/road edge
- ◆ No lumber, tree removal, contracted jobs, or lot clearing jobs will be accommodated
- ◆ Pickup is limited to brush from onsite properties within the city limits only
- ◆ No vines, strings, wires, stumps, or other obstructions
- ◆ Arm load sized piles only

Greetings from your Metro Police Authority,

As outdoor activity increases significantly in the transition to warmer weather, we offer a reminder to drivers to please be aware and take caution for pedestrians, bicyclists, motorcyclists and construction zones. And, *please* do not text while driving! The reality of distracted driving can be horrific. We know. We see it.

The Metro Police Authority continues to recruit for our Metro Volunteer Program (MVP). It is a great way to partner with your Metro Officers to help make our community even better! If you are interested, please contact us at 810-820-2190.

Although it is early, please mark your calendar for Tuesday, August 1st when we host our annual National Night Out and Open House event at our headquarters. It is always a great event and we would be honored with your presence.

Be safe.

Matthew Bade
Chief of Police



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