

# Noteworthy

City of Wentzville news, information, important dates and more!

## Keep E-Waste Out of the Landfill

Do you have electronic waste – old phones, broken laptops, worn out power tools? You can recycle them all during the City's Electronics Recycling Event scheduled for Aug. 17 from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Acceptable items can be taken to our NEW 2019 event location, Wentzville's Holt High School, which is located at 600 Campus Dr.

This FREE\* drive-thru and drop-off event is open to individuals and families, no businesses please. Accepted items include printers and keyboards, laptops, hard drives, cell phones, VCRs and DVD players, power tools, kitchen appliances, and much more. Some items, including TVs and items containing Freon, will incur a fee. Please note, certain items will not be accepted, including any kind of liquid, light bulbs or hazardous materials. To see a full list of accepted (and not accepted) items, please visit [bit.ly/acceptedelectronics](http://bit.ly/acceptedelectronics).

Please note: There will be no secure document shredding at this event; however, a second 2019 event is planned for Nov. 23, which will include personal document shredding.

## Fireworks Ordinance Reminders

City ordinance allows fireworks to be discharged ONLY on July 3 and July 4, between the hours of noon and 11 p.m. each day. Outside this time frame, a summons may be issued and fireworks may be confiscated.

Please note, fireworks are not allowed to be set off on any property owned by the City, including any streets and cul-de-sacs or any park within the City at any time.

Please take precautions when shooting off fireworks and be mindful and courteous of your neighbors. To report illegal firework use, please call the Police Department at (636) 327-5105.

To read the ordinance in its entirety, including the types of fireworks permitted to be discharged only on July 3 and July 4, please visit [bit.ly/fireworksord](http://bit.ly/fireworksord).

## Opt-in to Curbside FIBER Recycling

Beginning this summer, Wentzville residents can opt-in to a convenient curbside FIBER collection program. FIBER will be collected curbside every other week at a rate of \$2.50 per month. When you sign up for the curbside FIBER collection program, you will receive a smaller cart (35 gal) for your weekly RIGID pickup and the hauler will convert your current recycling cart (65 gal) to a FIBER-only cart. RIGIDS (plastics and metals) will be picked up every week, while FIBER (cardboard and paper) will be picked up every other week.

To sign up for the curbside FIBER collection program, please visit [bit.ly/curbsidefibersignup](http://bit.ly/curbsidefibersignup). In lieu of curbside collection, Wentzville residents are encouraged to recycle glass and FIBER at the City's drop-off sites. To learn more, please visit [bit.ly/recyclinginwentzville](http://bit.ly/recyclinginwentzville).

## Water Division Awards Scholarships

In celebration of National Drinking Water Week, Wentzville School District seniors participated in a scholarship contest sponsored by the City of Wentzville's Water Division. Creatively implementing the designated "Dr. Seuss" theme, the students painted fire hydrants to be displayed throughout Historic Downtown Wentzville.

Three students from Holt, Liberty and Timberland high schools were awarded \$1,000 scholarships for their creative fire hydrant designs. This year's first-place winners include seniors Stephanie Tauser (Holt), Savannah Hayton (Timberland) and Courtney Harmon (Liberty).

To honor the students' creative efforts, the artistic fire hydrants will be displayed throughout Historic Downtown Wentzville until early fall.

*St. Charles*  
**COUNTY FAIR**  
 July 23-27 at Rotary Park in Wentzville



# Upcoming Events



## National Night Out: Aug. 6

Again this August, as part of the National Night Out event, residents from roughly 15,000 communities nationwide will join together to send a message to criminals that they are organized and fighting back against crime.

On that night, Wentzville residents are invited to turn on their porch lights, go outside and join with neighbors in block parties, cookouts, flash-light walks and other activities. Making a point to meet and get to know your neighbors can take a big step toward combating crime.

This year, National Night Out will be celebrated on Tuesday, Aug. 6, from 6 to 9 p.m. During that time, City officials, along with representatives from the Wentzville Police Department and Wentzville Fire Protection District will circulate throughout the community visiting neighborhood National Night Out celebrations. If your neighborhood would like to request a visit from elected officials or if you need more information or suggestions about how to plan your own National Night Out activities, please call Officer Mainieri at (636) 639-2171. For more information and ideas, please visit [www.NNO.org](http://www.NNO.org).



Join us on Sept. 3 at  
Splash Station. Find more details  
at [bit.ly/poochplunge2019](http://bit.ly/poochplunge2019).

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## Car Cruise

Be sure to stop by the Rod Run for a unique car-cruise experience. The last Rod Run of the summer will be held on Friday, Aug. 2 from 6-9 p.m.

This City-sponsored event benefits the D.A.R.E. program and is hosted by Harris Automotive. With a \$10 donation, car enthusiasts can cruise down Pearce Boulevard. Registration takes place right before the event near Pearce Hall, located at 317 W. Pearce Blvd. Grab a lawn chair, and come out and enjoy the fun!

*Please note: During the Rod Run events, Pearce Boulevard will be closed between Pearce Hall and Luetkenhaus Boulevard.*

## Rod Run Aug. 2

