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August City Alerts

Food Truck & Live Music

Al Najma food truck will visit Bancroft on Thursday, Aug. 19 from 5 until 7 p.m. The menu and prices are below. It will be set up on Maira Court. Musician <u>Stephen Gould</u> will also provide live music. Feel free to pick up dinner and bring it back home, or bring a chair or blanket and take this opportunity to gather with neighbors and relax. We have plans to bring additional food trucks to the city in the coming months.



Thanks for coming!

Thank you to everyone who participated in and attended our first Bancroft 4th of July Bike Parade. We had a great turnout, including many neighbors who lined the street to cheer on the participants. This is something we hope to continue in future years.



July Notes from the Mayor

I want to begin with a reminder that JCPS begins school on August 11. Please drive slowly and carefully. Since we are in close proximity to three JCPS schools, Bancroft traffic increases early in the morning and in the midafternoon. Some students walk to school so it is important to be careful as you drive in Bancroft during these times.

Last month, we returned to in-person city commission meetings. That will continue unless directed otherwise by a new statewide emergency declaration. Our city commission meetings will be held at the Churchill Downs Building, 600 N. Hurstbourne Parkway, near the UofL Shelby Campus, in the <u>first-floor</u> conference room (600 Room). We have a commitment for that location through December. The meeting is not available by Zoom. I do not anticipate any decisions by the Governor to restrict in-person governmental operations, but in the event that happens, we will return to using Zoom for city commission meetings, in accordance with Kentucky law.

Last week, Bancroft received \$66,293.50 in federal grant funding under the American Rescue Plan Act (ARP). There are limitations on the use of the funds. The funding can be expended for eligible uses over the next four years. In the coming months, we will be exploring our options for expenditures. At the end of

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the grant period, any unused funds must be returned to the federal government.

If you have not seen Chief Mudd in his police cruiser lately then you most likely have seen him on his police bicycle. The police cruiser is at the dealership for warranty repair of a transmission problem. Hopefully, the repair will not take much longer and he once again will be patrolling in his cruiser and by bicycle. When not on his police bike, Chief Mudd has been working on a much-needed complete revision of the Bancroft Police Department Standard Operating Procedures (SOP). In the past, we took a more piecemeal approach to policy revisions. This time we took a more comprehensive approach. Using the Kentucky League of Cities (KLC) model policies as a guide, the proposed revisions are ready for consideration for approval by the city commission. There will be more needed additions to SOP in the near future to make it a more comprehensive document. This may seem like a considerable amount of work for a one-officer police department, but having legally defensible police policies is important regardless of the size of the department.

Mayor Jeff Magers

June Meeting Minutes

Police News

HOW CAN WE CONTACT THE

POLICE?

For immediate police assistance:

- 1. Emergency: Dial 911
- 2. Non-emergency police assistance: **Dial 311**

For non-urgent neighborhood concerns:

 Call our police line at (502)
263-3663. Leave a voicemail with your name and

CRIME PREVENTION

Here are a few of his simple crime prevention tips.

- Turn on your porch lights and exterior lights at night.
- Keep your doors locked, even in the daytime.
- Lock your car doors and remove valuables from your cars, even if locked.
- Keep your garage door closed, especially at night.
- If you see something suspicious, then say

phone number. Chief Mudd will call you back when he is onduty.

something.

• Call 911 if you see a prowler.

For your safety, please call 911 or 311 to have police dispatched. If Chief Mudd is working, then they will dispatch him to help you, otherwise, they will dispatch a Metro police officer. Do not personally seek out Chief Mudd to get assistance for an emergency.

Trash Services

RECYCLING

August 16 August 30 September 13 September 27

YARD WASTE

Every Monday

Questions? Contact Rumpke 1–800–828–8171

Have a New Neighbor?

Let them know about our mailing list. Contact Clerk <u>Shannon Tuthill</u> to add them to the email list and directory.

NEXT COMMISSION MEETING

Thursday, August 12 7 p.m.

Churchill Downs Building

600 N. Hurstbourne Parkway Room 600

August Meeting Agenda

House Watch

If you are going to be away from home for any length of time, it is important to let Chief David Mudd know as soon as possible. You may <u>fill out the form on the City of</u> <u>Bancroft website</u>. Or, email Chief Mudd at <u>chief@cityofbancroft.org</u> with the following important information:

- Name
- Address
- Emergency phone numbers
- Is anyone supposed to be there while you are away
- When you are leaving and when you plan to return

Rental Property Registration

Renting your home? Bancroft Ordinance requires you apply for a permit. This will ensure Chief Yeager knows who to contact in case of an issue or emergency. <u>Rental permits can be found on the City of Bancroft website.</u>

Visit our City Website

City of Bancroft Commission

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Join the City of Bancroft Facebook group!



Reminder: To join you have to answer the prompt: Which street do you live on. This ensures only those approved to join live in the neighborhood. We do allow some residents who live just outside Bancroft city limits to join as well.

> Our mailing address is: 4949 Old Brownsboro Road, #243 Louisville, KY 40222