

CRESCENT SPRINGS CONNECTION

CITY NEWS



Open Burn Ban

Please note that Kenton County is a "nonattainment" county. This means you cannot burn from May to September. The Kentucky Division of Air Quality sets these regulations and violators face fines up to

\$25,000. By Crescent Springs ordinance, there are exceptions to the rules for homeowners. Simply put, back yard fire pits are permitted anytime on ground level. Portable fire pits, chimineas, patio hearths and fire tables shall be elevated from the ground and constructed from steel, concrete or other non-combustible material. It needs to be placed on a non-combustible surface. You may burn seasoned firewood only. Please note that if your fire does not meet the standards for recreational or cooking fire, it may be considered a bonfire and require a permit. Yard waste may be burned October-May if you have obtained a proper burn permit from the fire department.

BBQs or other cooking fires have different specifications. Cooking fires must be in a device or structure made for cooking food. Please note that BBQs and grills are NOT permitted on balconies or under any overhanging portion of any building or structure or within 10 feet of any structure. It does not matter if the structure is privately owned or rented/leased.

Construction materials, plastics, trash or rubbish may not be burned as fuel for any recreation or cooking fires.

All fires must be burned with consideration of wind, property lines and placement of other combustible materials in the vicinity.

The specifications in regards to these various fires are too great to include in this newsletter. If you have any questions, we urge you to contact Crescent-Villa Fire Authority at (859) 341-3840. You may also visit their website at www.csvfd.com.

Music Fest & Fireworks

The public is invited to be part of the second annual **Music Fest**, which will be held on Saturday, September 29, 2018 from 5-10:30pm at the Crescent Springs Community Park, 800 Buttermilk Pike.

This is a collaboration between the cities of Crescent Springs and Villa Hills and provides a venue for family fun and entertainment for all ages. Enjoy the sounds of **The Everyday People Band** and **The Naked Karate Girls** while sitting in the Beer Garden and enjoying some of the best firehouse food around, prepared by our own Crescent Springs / Villa Hills Fire Department. There will be local vendors, fun for the kids and food available.

The evening will end with a fireworks show sponsored by **Crane Training and Certification of the Midwest Inc.** Located in Cincinnati, OH, CTCM Inc. offers heavy equipment training and certification.



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OFFICES CLOSED Nov. 22 & 23
Dec. 24, 25, 31 & Jan. 1

2018 COMMUNITY EVENTS

Saturday, September 29

Music Fest 5 –10:30 p.m.

Join us for music by
The Everyday People Band
and the *Naked Karate Girls*.

There will be food, beer and vendor booths.

We have a fireworks display sponsored by Crane Training and Certification of the Midwest to end the evening.

Saturday, October 20 Halloween in the Park TBA

Sunday, November 4 Veteran's Day Service

Saturday, December 1 Christmas in the Park



LWCF Grant

The City has applied for and was awarded a Land and Water Conservation Grant in order to construct a second restroom facility near shelter #3 and the main entrance to the park. Construction has begun! You will see City Public Works Department on the job, working to get this addition to the park up and running soon!

Thank you, Shirley Hartfiel!

For the past 14 years, Shirley has put an abundance of care and attention into the city flowerbeds and landscaping. She is hanging up her garden gloves to spend more time doing the things she loves. She will continue to work with the city in other capacities. Thank you, Shirley, for bringing so much beauty to Crescent Springs!



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Kentucky Veterans Hall Of Fame

The City is now officially a Kentucky Veterans Hall of Fame City! You may notice the streets signs that will soon be up! If you know of a veteran that has lived in the state for a minimum of 5 years and has served their community well after discharge, please contact the city offices to nominate them! Posthumous nominations will be considered, as well.

School is Back in Session!

Road safety is very important all year round but during the back to school months, we ask that you use extra caution. Please watch for children and buses!

Charters of Freedom

A project is currently underway in the Crescent Springs Community Park to place a new structure to praise The Charters of Freedom. This monument will be erected in honor of the documents that have secured the rights and freedoms that we enjoy today as American citizens: The Declaration of Independence, the Constitution and the Bill of Rights.

To find out more information about the Charters of Freedom, please visit their website at www.chartersoffreedom.com Donations are still being accepted for the Charters of Freedom. Donations can be mailed to Crescent Springs – Charters of Freedom at 739 Buttermilk Pike, Crescent Springs, KY 41017. Checks should be made payable to "Crescent Springs - Charters of Freedom". All donations are 100% **tax deductible.**

