

Greenville Police Department

Chief Smith had the privilege of awarding Lieutenant Robertson (Pic. 1), Officer Hamilton (Pic. 2), and Officer Williams (Pic. 3) a Life-Saving Award last week. Their actions during a call for service saved the life of an individual. These officers go above and beyond every day and deserve to be recognized. Congratulations!



Pic. 1



Pic. 2



Pic. 3

Greenville Fire-Rescue

GFR conducted Forcible Entry training with our crews this week. Being able to breach a door safely and quickly when an emergency dictates it is a crucial skill for all first responders to know. We are fortunate to have a training prop to practice these skills (Pic. 4).

We kicked off our 10th annual Citizen's Fire Academy this week with a full class! Chief Powell provided an overview of the department with a history of how it started, budgeting, administration, and the various divisions it takes to provide emergency services to our residents. Attendees also got a tour of the station by the Station 3-B Shift crew.



Pic. 4

Public Works

Wastewater Collections Division: The Cedar Street project is complete; all services will be tied in this week.

Engineering Division:

Stanford Street - Atmos is relocating gas lines so the contractor can continue replacing storm sewers on the east section. Stanford's west side continues to be paved from Johnson to Stonewall. Paving is 40% complete.

Washington Street - The contractor continues to lay asphalt and replace curbs, gutters, and driveways.

Walnut Street - The contractor is working on the water tie-ins; and marking locations for the sanitary sewer connections. The next step will be to replace sanitary sewer lines on the southern side of this project.

Water Distribution Division: Crews installed water and sewer taps on Spencer Street.

Streets/Drainage Divisions: Crews are working on various pothole repairs in the northern part of Greenville.

Traffic Divisions: Crews are working on the new street signs for the new home developments.

Utility Construction Division: The Templeton Street project is complete; crews will tie in services and complete clean-up.

W. Walworth Harrison Public Library

The W. Walworth Harrison Public Library will be closed for a Staff Development Day on Friday, September 9. We will reopen on Saturday, September 10, with two great programs. *The Author's Club* program starting at 10:00 a.m. is for writers at all levels and all ages. *The Author's Club* will meet every Saturday at the same time. Our second new program on Saturday will be our *Computer Basics* workshop in Spanish starting at 3:00 p.m. The same program will be presented in English at 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on September 16! Door prize drawings will be at each workshop!

Monday, September 12, features two more great programs! Join us at 5:30 p.m. for our *TNT Zone Cupcake Warz* for ages 10-17, sponsored by the Caddo Creamery at Caddo Mills. If you are looking for a book discussion club, join us for the first meeting of our *On the Same Page Book Club* starting at 6:00 p.m. The book club will meet on the second Monday of each month!

Celebrate Mexican Independence Day with us on September 15 between 6:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Please check out our book display, which features books about Mexican history and culture for all ages.

Please drop by the Information Desk, call the library at (903) 457-2992, or follow us on Facebook for information about library programs and services.

Upcoming Events:

Max & Heather Stalling	Sept 9
Farmer's Market	Sept 10
Through the Years with the Kenny Rogers Band	Sept 10
Before You Go Planning Seminar	Sept 14
Mexican Independence Day Celebration	Sept 15
GENTRI	Sept 16
Lee Street Jamboree	Sept 17

Farmer's Market

The Farmer's Market will be open on Saturday, September 10, from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Produce expected this week includes watermelon, cantaloupe, peaches, okra, eggplant, collard greens, kale, garlic, green onions, spinach, squash, zucchini, cucumbers, tomatoes, and herbs. Other items expected are pork, beef, chicken, honey, jams, pickles, and a variety of baked goods.

Main Street

The [Texan](#) hosts Max and Heather Stalling on September 9, and GENTRI on September 16.

Convention and Visitors Bureau

This week we sent out another 35 tourism letters across the country and one to Canada. We're closing in on the annual Lee Street Jamboree, so make plans to be downtown between 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, to enjoy lots of live music, great food, and vendors from our region.

Greenville Municipal Auditorium (GMA)

Love Kenny Rogers's music? This weekend is a fantastic opportunity to hear the band that toured with Kenny for decades, with Don Gatlin singing all the classics you love. Through the Years starts at 7:30 p.m. this Saturday, and tickets are available through the Greenville Entertainment Series. This local group has brought entertainment to Greenville for decades, and this show is the first of their season. Grab season tickets now to see all six shows!



Parks and Recreation/Greenville Sports League

GSL: Due to the Labor Day holiday, flag football and volleyball practices were held on Tuesday and Thursday this week. Games will begin late next week.

Parks Maintenance: Our team continues to work on respective parks turf, right-of-ways, and the downtown cleaning schedules. We're getting the city ready for the Lee Street Jamboree!

Golf: We had 40 players for Bo's Tuesday morning Scramble! Don't forget to join us on Tuesdays at our 9:00 a.m. shotgun start.

Reecy Davis: Our Tai Chi classes for September started on Sunday. We currently have open gym volleyball on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Make sure to stop by Reecy Davis to practice or start a casual game with friends. Don't forget our Before You Go Planning Seminar on September 14 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Reecy Davis Activities for September 11-17:

Senior Fun:

Senior Walk: Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Pickleball: Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Line Dancing: Tuesday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Billiards: Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to noon.

Bingo: Wednesday from 10:30 a.m. to noon.

Open Gym:

Basketball: Sunday from 1:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday from 1:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Indoor Walk: Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Pickleball: Tuesday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Volleyball: Monday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Special Events: We hosted our first Labor Day Luau (Pic. 5 & 6). Greenville families stopped by Ja-Lu Community Park to enjoy the last day of splash pad fun. This event marked the end of our splash pad season until Memorial Day next year.



Pic. 5



Pic. 6

Monthly Statistics

Social Media	Municipal	Police	Fire	Parks	GMA	Library
Facebook	9,869	21,540	8,970	10,436	5,198	2,986

Public Works-Water

Untreated	Finished/Treated/Pumped
221.640 Million Gallons	208.095 Million Gallons

Community Development

Residential New	Commercial New	Residential Multi-Family	Fence	Health Permit Temporary
33	3	1	23	2

Code Cases						
Health and Safety	Trash and Debris	Maintenance	Grass	Parking	Junk Vehicles	Misc.
8	27	11	203	33	13	44
Brush, Trees, and Shrubs	Dumping	Substandard Structure	Improper Storage	Zoning and Sign	Total Violations	Total
20	2	10	23	9	403	\$8,977.65

W. Walworth Harrison Library

Library Programming				Library/Computer Usage				
Type	Child	Adult	Outreach	Visitors	Study Rooms	Mtg. Room	CU: Adult	CU: Kids
Programs	4	16	2	5,431	56	3	695	105
Attendees	75	173	288					

Circulation				
Hardbk	eBooks	Audio	ILL Loans	Total
9,750	475	291	21	10,537

Customer Service				
Card	In Person	Phone	Tech	Fax
113	1,372	257	306	319

Greenville Police Department

Police Department Calls/Alarms				
Alarm Calls	False Alarms	Locations	Permits Revoked	Permits Suspended
96	94	71	n/a	n/a

Arrests		
Juvenile Arrests	Adult Arrests	Total Arrests
0	48	48

Case Type	Traffic	Non-Traffic	Total
Active Cases (08/01/2022)	652	886	1,538
New/Reactivated	245	60	305
Disposed/Deactivated	139	36	175
Active Cases (08/31/2022)	723	907	1,630

Greenville Fire-Rescue

Fire Operations								
Calls	Alarms	EMS	Special Rescues	Fires	HazMat	MVA	Public Service	Other
467	16	320	0	23	12	29	51	16

Fire Prevention/Investigations				
CO's	System Tests	Meetings	Fire Drills	Investigations
4	3	6	6	1
Social Media Community Engagement Posts	Social Media Community Engagement Reach	In Person Education/Outreach: # Programs	In Person Education/Outreach: # Residents Reached	Total Training Hours
21	66,163	10	427	13
Extinguisher Demos	Inspections	Building Plan Reviews	Burn Permits	Property Loss Value
0	174	7	0	\$3,455,160.00

Parks and Recreation/Greenville Sports League

Recreation Center						
Day Passes	New Memberships	Membership Check-Ins	Senior Attendance	Boys & Girls Club Attendance	Total Re. Center Attendance	Total Classes Offered
132	11	487	308	798	2,077	29

Greenville Sports League	
Adult Games	Youth Games
0	68

Wright Park Golf Course		
New Memberships	Total Rounds	Total Carts
0	818	800

Facility Rental	
Recreation Center Rentals	Park Rentals
3	22

Animal Control

Service Calls	Captures	Drop Offs	Adoptions
159	38	257	101
Transfers	Reclaimed	Road Kill	Remaining
113	8	21	89
Livestock Captured	Euthanized	Wild Animal Captured	Fees
7	64	6	\$8,719.00