

## Greenville Police Department

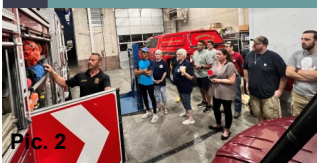
Chief Smith presented Sergeant Maloy with a Life Saving Award last week (Pic. 1). Sgt. Maloy took action on a call for service, and those actions taken were directly responsible for the saving of a human life. Congratulations and great work!



Pic. 1

## Greenville Fire-Rescue (GFR)

GFR staff spent time at the Sunoco Fuel Terminal in Caddo Mills for Facility Response Plan Training for potential large discharge spills. The facility stores gasoline, diesel, ethanol, and butane. In the event of a large incident, we would likely be called out on mutual aid for discharge containment to help prevent contamination of ground and water supplies. This is one way we practice community risk reduction by being proactive with emergency response preparedness.



Pic. 2

The first week of the Citizen's Fire Academy (Pic. 2) went well, with Chief Powell providing an overview of the department and the 3A-shift crew providing a detailed station tour for the class. The second week of the CFA met Thursday night at the Police Department, where attendees learned about Communications and how our telecommunicators work to direct emergency response in an often chaotic environment. These crews are the "first" first responders who send out police, fire, and EMS to your emergencies. We appreciate our dispatchers very much!

### Upcoming Events:

<a href="#">GENTRI</a>	Sept 16
<a href="#">Cotton Patch Challenge</a>	Sept 17
<a href="#">Farmer's Market</a>	Sept 17
<a href="#">Lee Street Jamboree</a>	Sept 17
<a href="#">Steve Wariner</a>	Sept 17
<a href="#">John Ford Coley, Tony Raney, &amp; Joel Weaver</a>	Sept 18

## Public Works

**Wastewater Collections Division:** Crews worked on installing new sewer taps in the 3000 block of Wellington Street. Crews also flushed and rodded sewer mains in the 3100 block of Horsley Street.

### Engineering Division:

**Stanford Street:** Concrete is being placed at the Moulton and Stanford intersection on the north side of the roadway. The contractor is also placing storm lines at the Houston Street intersection.

**Washington Street:** The contractor is placing curbs and gutters along with street intersections at Williams, Ullis, and Jackson.

**Walnut Street:** The contractor is connecting side roads for the 12" water line to remove the old cast iron line.

**St. Morgan Street:** The contractor is addressing this location for all communications to be relocated for the proposed roadway expansion.

**Water Distribution Division:** Crews worked on replacing water valves in the 3100 block of Mustang Crossing and at the 4000 block of Division Street.

**Streets Division:** Crews continued to repair potholes and street sweep in various areas within the city.

**Drainage Division:** Crews mowed in the Peniel area and cleaned ditches along 7th Street.

**Traffic Division:** Crews continued to place NO PARKING signs in several areas of the city. Traffic control devices were placed for this weekend's events.

**Utility Construction Division:** Crews are starting work on Bourland Street to connect water to Speedway in lieu of Walnut utility connections.

## W. Walworth Harrison Public Library

We had two fun and educational activities for kids at the library on Monday, September 12! Our Homeschool Hour program allows kids of all ages to use a variety of technologies (Pic. 3); located in our Digital Arts Learning Lab. Also, we hosted our TNT Zone Cupcake Warz, which allowed kids ages 10-17 to create and devour sweet treats. We appreciate Caddo Creamery for providing the awesome cupcakes and sponsoring the event.



Pic. 3

Our Computer Basics workshops for adults will be presented in English on Friday, September 16, at the library at 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. There are door prize drawings at each workshop! Join us for the Authors' Club on Saturday, September 17, at 10:00 a.m. It is a great group to help writers perfect their work and learn about the world of book publishing. It meets every Saturday at the same time.

We will have our Madden 23 Tournament on Saturday, September 17, starting at 11:00 a.m. You may drop by the Information Desk or go to the library's Facebook page for a link to register for this event. Our Adult Craft and Connect program will happen on Tuesday, September 20, starting at 6:00 p.m. Please bring the project you are working on and connect with new friends.

You may contact us at (903) 457-2992, follow us on Facebook, or drop by the Information Desk!

## Farmer's Market

The [Farmer's Market](#) will be open Saturday, September 17, from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Expected produce includes eggplant, collard greens, squash, zucchini, black eyed peas, cucumbers, okra, tomatoes, peaches, plums, peppers, potatoes, onions, microgreens, and herbs. Other expected items are beef, chicken, pork, honey, eggs, jams, jellies, baked goods, and more.

## Main Street

The [Texan](#) will host John Ford Coley, Toney Ramey, and Joel Weaver in a song-swap benefit show on September 18 at 2:00 p.m.

Landon Winery hosts [Elotes & Wine](#) on September 23.

## Convention and Visitors Bureau

Twelve more tourism letters went out this week. In their most recent editions, Texas Monthly and County Line Magazine have represented us as well. This weekend is the Lee Street Jamboree downtown! The CVB is working with Main Street and Parks to support this annual event by organizing the musicians. Be sure to come out and listen, eat, and shop this Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

## Greenville Municipal Auditorium (GMA)

It's another full weekend at the GMA. On Friday night, the Texan Theatre brings GENTRI (The Gentlemen Trio) to the GMA for a concert. This trio of singers will blow you away with their talent! Don't miss an evening with Steve Wariner on Saturday night at the GMA. Steve will play a solo concert and tell stories about his long career. This unique event will make for a great evening of entertainment! Both events will offer cash-only concessions, and the Saturday night show will also offer beer and wine for our patrons.



## Parks and Recreation/Greenville Sports League

**GSL:** We're continuing with our Monday-Tuesday flag football and volleyball practices. Both began their season games on Thursday, September 15.

**Parks Maintenance:** We have winterized our Splash Pads. We continue to work on respective parks' turf, right-of-ways, downtown cleaning schedules, and the irrigation at our police department. Some of our guys are lined up to help with this weekend's Lee Street Jamboree!

**Golf:** Our team continues to maintain our golf course, including working on golf carts, sprinklers, mowing, and spraying.

**Reecy Davis:** We had a great turnout for our Before You Go planning seminar. Don't forget to join us for our September Senior Birthday Celebration on September 21, from 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

We would like to remind everyone that our Ballet and Tap Class registrations end on September 27. Tai Chi classes started last week. Did you know you could drop in to a class for only \$10? Join us on a meditation journey every Sunday at 4:30 p.m.

**Special Events:** We hosted our quarterly billiards tournament this Saturday, with a record number of participants. Our sponsor was Baker's Ribs, and the champion was Jason Forbes.

## Bike Ride and Jamboree

The annual [Cotton Patch Challenge](#) bicycle ride, a fundraiser for the Rotary Club of Greenville, begins at 8:00 a.m. on September 17. Riders may choose routes ranging from six to 74 miles, with all rides beginning and ending at the courthouse square. Following the bicycle ride, enjoy the Lee Street Jamboree from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. with merchandise vendors, a kid's zone, and musicians performing simultaneously on four different blocks. Lee Street Jamboree is hosted by the City of Greenville CVB, Parks and Recreation, Engagement Coordinator, and Main Street divisions.

