North Little Rock School District—First Day of School *Monday—August 13, 2018*

Back-to-School Tips for Parents found at www.pbs.org/parents/education/going-to-school

Starting the new school year can be a time of great excitement...and anxiety. Help calm your child's fears (and your own) with these teacher-approved tips.

Meet the new teacher. For kids, one of the biggest back-to-school fears is "Will I like my new teacher?" Breaking the ice early on is one of the best ways to calm everyone's fears. Take advantage of your school's open house or back-to-school night. Some teachers welcome phone calls or e-mails — another great opportunity to get to know each other before the year begins.

If personal contact with the teacher isn't possible, try locating the teacher's picture on a school website or in a yearbook, so your child can put a name with a face. If your child's teacher sends a welcome letter, be sure to read the letter together.

Tour the school. If your school hosts an open house, be sure to go. Familiarizing your child with his/her environment will help avoid a nervous stomach on the first day. Together you can meet the teacher, find your child's desk, or explore the playground.

With an older child, you might ask your child to give you a tour of the school. This will help refresh his/her memory and yours.

Connect with friends. A familiar friend can make all the difference when heading back to school. You might try calling parents from last year's class and finding out which children are in your child's class this year. Refresh these relationships before school starts by scheduling a play date or a school carpool.

Tool up. By now you should have the class supply list and hopefully taken your child shopping!

Having the right tools will help students feel prepared. While keeping basic needs in mind, allow for a couple of splurges like a cool notebook or a favorite-colored pen.

These simple pleasures make going back to school a lot more fun!

School supply lists also provide great insight into the schoolwork ahead. Get your child excited about upcoming projects by explaining how new supplies might be used. Let him/her practice using supplies that have not been used before — such as colored pencils or a protractor. This will help your child be comfortable with their supplies before using them in class. *Continued on page 5...*

North Little Rock School District School Hours

Building	Start time	End time
Elementary Schools		
All Elementary Schools (K—5 grades)	7:50 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Crestwood Elementary—After School Program	2:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Early Childhood Programs	7:30 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
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Pike View Early Childhood Extended Day		ul.
Before School	7:00 a.m.	7:30 a.m.
After School	2:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
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Secondary Schools		
NLR Middle School	8:17 a.m.	3:35 p.m.
NLR High School	8:19 a.m.	3:27 p.m.
NLR Academy	8:30 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
NLR Academy Breakfast	7:50 a.m.	8:25 a.m.
NLR Academy Extended Day	3:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m.



North Rock **Animal Shelter** more information call 501-791-8577

Top 10 Reasons to

Spay or Neuter Your Pet

Found at WebMD Veterinary Reference from the ASPCA Whether you've recently adopted a pet or you're considering it, one of the most important health decisions you'll make is to spay or neuter your cat or dog. Spaying removes the ovaries and uterus of a female pet. It is a veterinary procedure that requires minimal hospitalization and offers lifelong health benefits. **Neutering** removes the testicles of your male dog or cat. This will vastly improve your pet's behavior and keep him close to home.

Top 10 Reasons to Spay or Neuter

- 1. Your female pet will live a longer, healthier life. Spaying helps prevent uterine infections and
 - breast cancer, which is fatal in about 50 percent of dogs and 90 percent of cats. Spaying your pet before her first heat offers the best protection from these diseases.
- 2. Neutering provides major health benefits for your male. Besides preventing unwanted litters, neutering your male companion prevents testicular cancer.
- 3. Your spayed female won't go into heat. While cycles can vary
 - female felines usually go into heat four to five days every three weeks during breeding season. In an effort to advertise for mates, they'll yowl and urinate more frequently-sometimes all over the
- home. An intact male will do just about anything to find a mate. That includes digging his way under a fence and making like Houdini to escape from the house. Once he's free to roam, he risks injury in

- traffic and fights with other males.
- Your neutered male will be much better behaved. Neutered cats and dogs focus their attention on their human families. On the other hand, unneutered dogs and cats may mark their territory by spraying strong-smelling urine all over the house. Many aggression problems can be avoided by ear-Iv neuterina.
- Spaying or neutering will not make your pet fat. Don't use that old excuse. Lack of exercise and overfeeding will cause your pet to pack on the extra pounds...not neutering. Your pet will remain fit and trim as long as you continue to provide exercise and monitor food intake.
- 7. It is highly cost effective. The cost of your pet's spay/neuter surgery is a lot less than the cost of having and caring for a litter. It also beats the cost of treatment when your unneutered tom escapes

and gets into fights with the neighborhood stray.

- 8. Spaying or neutering your pet is good for the community. Stray animals pose a real problem in many parts of the country. They can prey on wildlife, cause car accidents, damage the local fauna and frighten children. Spaying and neutering packs a powerful punch in reducing the number of animals on the streets.
- Your pet doesn't need to have a litter for your children to learn about the miracle of birth. Letting your pet produce offspring you have no intention
- of keeping is not a good lesson for your childrenespecially when so many unwanted animals end up in shelters. There are tons of books and videos available to teach children about birth in a more responsible way.
- 10. Spaying or neutering helps fight pet overpopulation. Every year, millions of cats and dogs of all ages and breed are euthanized or suffer as strays. These high numbers are the result of unplanned litters that could have been prevented by spaying or neutering.





One Female Dog

theoretically produce over

PUPPIES

and her offspring can

in seven years!

One Female Cat

and her offspring can theoretically produce over

KITTENS in seven years!

4. Your neutered male won't want to roam away from

Need a new addition to your family? Call 501-791-8577 ...we've got the

perfect companion for you!

Our shelter is full of dogs, cats, puppies and kittens in need of a forever home. Please consider adopting a shelter pet for your next pet. Please Don't Litter Spay or Neuter Your Critter



Support spaying and neutering in Arkansas by getting your own Arkansas Specialty Please Spay or Neuter License Plate at any State Revenue Office.



North Little Rock Fire Department Importance of address numbering for First Responders

Ordinance 7093 dated December 22,1997 states the following: The owner of each residential or commercial building shall cause to be displayed the street number of the property somewhere upon the building or property in a fashion to allow identification of the property from the nearest right-of-way. The numbers shall be no less than 3 inches in height for residential structures and six inches in height for non-residential structures. The color of the numbers shall contrast the background to promote visibility. Street addresses printed on a curb shall not be sufficient to meet this requirement.

The ordinance goes on to state that the reason for this ordinance is that it is beneficial to the citizens of NLR and persons traveling in the City by allowing rapid identification of buildings; and public health and safety are enhanced by the display of street addresses by allowing public safety personnel to quickly identify specific houses or buildings. Having visible house numbers saves precious seconds when our First Responders are called. Many of our calls (Police, Fire and Ambulance) come in at night or early morning hours when it is dark. Having contrasting numbers or reflective numbers is a great help in identifying your home.

Not all of our homes are sequentially numbered so it is vital that your home be identified by the address number. Remember that the numbers should not match the color of the background, this makes it extremely hard to recognize, especially at night. Address numbers should be a contrasting color and/or reflective. The minimum height is 3 inches for residential homes. This does not mean you can't have larger numbers. Larger numbers are easier to recognize and are recommended. Just think if your loved one needed emergency medical care and the Paramedics were delayed because they could not recognize your address? Or you needed the Police quickly? Or your loved one was trapped in a fire? Wouldn't you want our First Responders to be able to arrive as quickly as possible?

So, help us help you by making sure your address numbers are legible and visible. Hopefully, you won't need us but if you do, we can only help you if we can find you! *Information provided by NLR Fire Marshal John Pflasterer*.

Highlights from some City Departments



Mayor Joe A. Smith holds a monthly department head meeting. Department heads provide a report of activities, projects and accomplishments. Below are a few highlights from the last meeting (June events).

Hays Center—72 new members. 11,315 visits for the month. Activities included: Baptist Health followed up with members who participated in a diabetic class to see what progress had been made, held monthly Member Vendor Day, Annual 4th of July luncheon, U of A Extension taught "Flavors Around the World" healthy cooking class, participated in Cereal drive, featured Tai Chi class on KATV's Good Morning Arkansas. Transported Public Senior Housing residents to medical appointments and grocery store, Bean Bag Baseball teams traveled to Sherwood and Lonoke for "away games. Mayor's Office of Volunteer Services volunteers logged 1,426 hours.

Electric Customer Service—Direct contact—lobby payments, 14,744, Drive-thru payments, 8,395. Total payments received: 48,347 (Electric—36,077, CAW 7,631, Centerpoint 4,639).

Sanitation—Collected and disposed of 2,200.05 tons (4,400,100 lbs) of household garbage/rubbish. Yard Waste crews collected and disposed 108 loads:

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2,967.4 cubic yards of green waste. Picked up 391 tires.

Traffic Services—approved 80 barricade applications for permits. Repaired or replaced 273 signs and posts, marked 5 city vehicles with logo, 88 Arkansas One Call location requests.

Police—May numbers show decreases in the following areas: Robberies— down 24%, Property

crime down—20%. Burglary/Breaking and Entering of Buildings and Vehicles continued to show significant decreases. However, these may increase during the summer months. Residents are encouraged to continue to lock their vehicles and homes, close garage doors and not leave valuables in automobiles. Third Annual Summer Youth Camp had 25 participants. Annual Fish with a Cop was held. 21st Annual Blood Drive was held at the Hays Center—60 units were collected. Summer Cereal Drive resulted in 1,000 boxes of cereal being collected. Walgreens (JFK/McCain) announced the installation of a permanent drug takeback box.

Fire—Total incidents—1,021 Total Unit Responses—1,706 Residential Fires—16 Other fires—0 Vehicle Fires—9
False Alarms/Malfunctions—52
Rescue/Emergency Medical—575
Mutual Aid—1
Hazardous Material Response—10
Structure Fire fatalities—0
Vehicle fire fatalities—0
Training hours—4,045
Total Building Surveys—212

Office of Emergency Services/911—

Total incoming calls: 15,116

Non-911 calls: 6.771

Wired 911: 799 Abandoned Wired 911: 99 Wireless 911: 6,708 Abandoned Wireless: 618

Total dispatch computer entries: 11,284

Planning—reviewed 1 new commercial project — Biscoe Development, 501 Northshore Drive (permit average \$1,430,978). Issued 13 new single family residence permits (permit average \$215,102). Issued 9 Sign permits and 1 Banner permit. Inspectors completed 778 inspections and covered 4,228 miles: 288 Electric; 155 Building; 192 Plumbing; 143 HVAC.

Electric Department—38,577 customers, Peak Power—235,029 KW, Territory— 60 square miles, miles of wire—555.1 miles, # Transformers—11,252, Street lights—11,058 (330 repaired), Security lights—4,261 (14 repaired), Smart meters—39,401, Revenue—\$8,595,451. Major outages (over 1,000 customers) 6-

7-18 Westgate 2,530 customers, failed PT/CT— out 50 minutes. 6-23-18 1,027 customers, tree on primary at ABF— out 3 hours 3 minutes. 6-23-18 2,060 customers out 2 hours 45 minutes, 374 out 5 hours 45 minutes due to tree on primary.

Code Enforcement—153 assigned calls, 481 initiated calls, 46 citations, 546 violation notices,

35 vehicles tagged, 101 structures inspected, 30 rental inspections, — food service inspections, 3 search warrants, 4 houses demolished by city, 5 houses demolished by owner. Code Maintenance—252 assigned calls, 146 vacant lots cleaned, 57 lots with structures cleaned, secured 0 vacant houses, vacant lots mowed—139, lots with structures mowed—56.

North Little Rock Convention & Visitors Bureau—Visitors Information Center in Burns Park had 1,367 visitors in June. Downtown RV Park had 654 reservations with an average stay of 2.1 days and a total of 1,361camping days. The Arkansas Inland Maritime Museum hosted the USS Darter (SS-576) Boat Reunion and Miss Arkansas Contestants. Museum Ships on Air Amateur Radio Event made 382 contacts from the USS Razorback Radio Room. Sea Cadets from Tulsa, Oklahoma toured.

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North Little Rock Animal Control

Incoming animals—219/YTD-1,110

Adoptions—63/YTD-364

Reclaimed—13/YTD-129

Euthanized—122/YTD-545

Citations issued—21/YTD-169

Dogs/cats sterilized—30/YTD-270 Calls for service—706/YTD-3,736

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Pulaski County (accepted at NLR) Incoming Animals—150/YTD-546

Adopted—18/YDT-130

Reclaimed—8/YTD-46

Euthanized—118/YTD-311

YTD=Year to date

Non-adoptable animals are those that are sick, injured, unweaned (puppies and kittens), vicious, court ordered or by owner request.

NLR Animal Shelter houses and adopts out animals from within our city limits AND the entire unincorporated parts of Pulaski County!

Reminder! Please consider adopting from a shelter! Shelter pets make great additions to any family! This month alone, the shelter had to euthanize 240 adoptable animals. **PLEASE spay or neuter your pets!**

Finance—June Revenues (MTD)

Taxes	\$ 550,202.77
Licenses/Permits	\$ 158,275.25
Fines/Forfeitures	\$ 204,917.45
Local Option Sales Tax	\$2,821,392.78
Intergovernmental-State	\$ 72,392.98
Franchises	\$ 161,981.67
Investment/Misc	\$ 39,533.70
User Fees	\$ 79,950.41
Utility Transfer	\$ 55,261.87
Grants & Other	\$ 107,744.20

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Chat about today's events and tomorrow's plans. While it is important to support learning throughout the summer, don't spend the last weeks of summer vacation reviewing last year's curriculum. All kids need some down time before the rigors of school begin. For some kids, last-minute drills can heighten anxiety, reminding them of what they've forgotten instead of what they remember.

Ease into the routine. Switching from a summer to a school schedule can be stressful to everyone in the household. Avoid first-day-of-school mayhem by practicing your routine a few days in advance. Set the alarm clock, go through your morning rituals, and get in the car or to the bus stop on time. Routines help children feel comfortable, and establishing a solid school routine will make the first day of school go much smoother.

	Transfer from Electric	\$1	,384,620.00
	Total Revenue:		5,636,273.08
	Expenditures		
	Administration	\$	143,045.21
	Animal Shelter	\$	60,039.51
•	Special Appropriations	\$	568,753.05
	City Clerk	\$	25,166.40
	Emergency Services	\$	142,156.70
	Finance	\$	56,106.82
	Fire	\$1	,639,402.31
	Health	\$	6,983.07
	Legal	\$	54,579.51
	1st Court	\$ \$	37,946.48
	2nd Court	\$	33,441.77
	Public Defender	\$	58.51
	Human Resources	\$	51,320.47
	Commerce	\$	22,403.00
	Planning	\$	65,438.38
	Police		2,190,703.43
	Code Enforcement	\$	76,503.73
	Public Works	\$	67,714.70
	Neighborhood Services	\$	13,016.01
	Sanitation	\$	331,548.95
	Vehicle Maintenance	\$	77,133.02
	Senior Citizens Center	\$	75,463.67
	Communications	\$	7,699.86
	Fit 2 Live	\$	10,943.57
	Total Expenditures:	\$5	5,757,568.13

After School Checklist

Unpack Backpack ¢ Lunch Bag Eaf a Snack Do Homework Reading

Chores

Clothes and Shoes Ready for Tomorrow

Bath or Shower Taken

in Bed on Time



North Little Rock Laman and Argenta Branch Library

Our Summer Reading Challenges for all ages run through August 3. Stop by or go online to register or report, and you'll be entered for prizes!

Main Branch Children - Music & Movement @ 10:30 a.m. on Mondays throughout August, Storytime @ 10:30 a.m. on Tuesdays, Wacky Wednesdays @ 3:30 p.m., and the Homeschool Group explores South Africa on Thursdays @ 1 p.m.



Baron Wolman and the Early years of Rolling Stone Backstage Pass:

Argenta Branch Children: Coloring from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Tuesdays, Creation Station Crafts from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Thursdays, and an outdoor story posted in time for ArtWalk on August 17.

Argenta Branch Teens/Tweens - Bomb Squad @ 4 p.m. August 8, Jenga @ 4 p.m. August 15, Mini Dungeons & Dragons @ 4 p.m. August 22, and Super Nintendo @ 4 p.m. August 29.

Main Branch Teens - Fortnite IRL @ 2 p.m. August 9, the initial meeting of the Teen Planning Committee @ 4 p.m. August 16, DIY Slime @ 4 p.m. August 21, Green Screen Pictures @ 4 p.m. August 23, and X-Men Nerd Night at 4 p.m. August 28.

Main Branch Adults - Stop by to enjoy Backstage Pass: Baron Wolman and the Early Years of Rolling Stone photos before the free exhibit ends on August 10 and Bingo @ 1 p.m. August 14.

Argenta Branch Adults - Join us for photographer Rita Henry's new exhibit opening reception during ArtWalk on August 17.

Library August Anniversaries

MCFARLIN, LILITH MAE 1 year ROBERTS, JASMINE 2 years ROZARIO, EMILY 1 year SMITH, AG 2 years



Library August Birthdays WILLIS, MARILYN CHURCH, MICHAEL RHODES, HANNAH







We had the July Birthdays and Anniversaries, but forgot to include them! So here they are...better late than never!

Library July Anniversaries

THEILG, RICHARD 19 years

DELASHAW, JULIE 9 years

McEWEN, CORY 2 years

Library July Birthdays

WEBB, JONATHAN 17 McEWEN, CORY 19 NELLIS, STACY 21 SANDALL, TONI 22









SAVE A LIFE

Bleeding Control Basic (BCon) Course

Learn the Basics of Bleeding Control

Date: When it is convenient!

Location: Your group's meeting place!

Contact Information: 501-301-1408

For more information or to schedule training for your Neighborhood Association, Church Group, Civic Club, etc., please call the number above. MEMS will provide training to groups of 10 or more participants. Each class is about 2 1/2 hours. MEMS has training scheduled for September 1 at 1121 W 7th Street, Little Rock.







Recognizing and treating a migraine

By Dale Carter, M.D.

Found in City & Town, July 2018, Vol. 74, No. 07 Of course, it is the incredible pain, but it is also the blurred or spotty vision, the inability to concentrate, the irritability.

Dealing with a migraine headache is not easy and it is something millions of Americans face. According to the Migraine Research Foundation, more than 38 million people experience migraines and about two or three million have them chronically.

What causes a migraine?

Migraines can be caused by a host of circumstances. It is all about meeting the individual threshold for a migraine. This is different for everyone. Some have a lower threshold and others have a fairly high one, but once the threshold is crossed, a migraine ensues.

Sometimes it can be caused by inadequate sleep

paired with an argument at home or the office. Other times, it could be what I call "computer neck."
This occurs when too

much time is spent at the computer with bad posture that can stretch the muscles in the neck.

Dramatic changes in the weather or barometric pressure can also trigger a migraine. It does not matter whether it's cold to hot or vice versa, fast changes

can bring on a migraine. Sinus infections, allergies, and any other inflammatory or infectious condition can also work to meet our individual migraine threshold.

Migraines tend to be contained to one side of the head, but if they go on long enough, the entire head can be encompassed. As a result, migraine sufferers find it hard to concentrate at work or home, they become more irritable and sensitive to light and sound. Nausea and vomiting are common with migraines.

It is possible to see one coming. A portion of migraine patients report neurological symptoms before migraine, including spots or flashes in their vision and blurred peripheral vision. Other times, a migraine can happen with no warning at all.

How do I treat a migraine?

The most important step if you're experiencing frequent headaches or migraines with no relief is to seek out a headache specialist. Relying on over-the-counter medications can be a slippery slope.

No matter the medication, whether BC Powder, ibuprofen, Tylenol, Aleve, Excedrin, or another popular medication, over reliance on these drugs can end up creating a worse situation. As your resistance to the medication builds, you are forced to consume more to treat the migraine and run the rusk of developing ulcers. Eventually, the medicine's effectiveness could provide no relief.

These medications can be used sparingly, usually once a week. However, if you are experiencing two or more headaches a week, it is important to seek help. A daily preventive, such as a beta-blocker or anti-seizure

medication, could help raise your threshold and stave off your migraines. Speak to a headache specialist about all your options.

Lifestyle changes may help

Changes in your daily routine can be huge. Many are chronically dehydrated and unaware. As your body adapts to being dehydrated, your thirst receptors become less active. Drinking large

lack of sleep exercise odors smoking straining travel neck pain stress heat fatigue weather alcohol noise bright lights foods menstruation sexual activity

amounts of coffee or soda only makes the situation worse and can trigger a migraine.

Limiting caffeine intake to about 16 ounces a day and drinking plenty of water can help avoid migraines. Obesity is another risk factor for migraines as it is usually associated with high cholesterol, high blood pressure, and other issues that can cause strain on the body and result in a migraine.

Dealing with a migraine can be a helpless feeling, but it does not have to be. Seeking out a headache specialist, in addition to certain lifestyle changes, can help you avoid migraines and enjoy life more.

Dale Carter, M.D., is assistant professor, College of Medicine Department of Neurology, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences.

2018 Sales Tax Holiday——This weekend!!!!

Beginning at 12:01 a.m. on Saturday, August 4, 2018, and ending at 11:59 p.m. on Sunday August 5, 2018, the State of Arkansas will hold its Sales Tax Holiday. State and local sales tax will not be collected during this 48-hour period on the sale of:

- (1) Clothing and footwear if the sales price is less than on hundred dollars (\$100) per item;
- (2) Clothing accessories and equipment if the sales price is less than fifty dollars (\$50) per item;
- (3) School Supplies;
- (4) School art supplies; and
- (5) School instructional materials.

All retailers are required to participate and may not charge tax on items that are legally tax-exempt during the Sales Tax Holiday.

For more information, call 501-682-7104 Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

To view the complete list of exempt items, go to the following website: https://www.dfa.arkansas.gov/images/uploads/exciseTaxOffice/HolidayItemized.pdf.



Bargains Galore on 64

it can be dangerous to follow the vehicle in front of you too closely because of sudden stops, slow-downs, and possible foot traffic.

Remember to DRIVE FRIENDLY...use your seatbelts and turn-signals; no matter how great a treasure you've spotted from the road, DO NOT STOP suddenly. Also, please DO NOT make illegal U-TURNS when you see something you might be interested in. Take the time to go to the next available spot to turn around. The item will probably still be there. With your help, this will be a SAFE and HAPPY event for everyone!

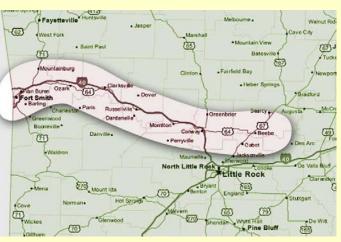
Bargains Galore on 64 August 9 to 11, 2018

160 miles of yard sales, antiques, collectibles, and flea markets from Fort Smith past Conway to Beebe, Arkansas.

The River Valley of Arkansas is proud to host this yard sale extravaganza which is held the second weekend in August.

Designated a "Travel Treasurer" by Southern Traveler Magazine, the event draws family vacationers and dealers, buyers and sellers alike, who "treasure" the great bargains and friendly atmosphere. Come join in the fun of selling or buying along this antiques and "stuff" shop-aholics' highway of vendors with bargains galore!

Rules of the Road. Use extreme caution when traveling on Highway 64 during Bargains Galore. Due to the nature of the sale,



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Peddlers Permit City of North Little Rock

Issued to: Mel Dun Issued: 7/2/18 Expires: 10/1/18



Height: 15 hands

Employer: Equine sunglasses

Type of Goods Sold: Sunglasses for horses

City Clerk and Treasurer Diane Whitbey
By: _SAMPLE ONLY—
only valid with signature

Deputy City Clerk / Treasurer, Revenue

Question: If someone comes to my home selling Newspaper subscriptions, are they required to have a door-to-door peddlers permit?

Answer: Yes. *Anyone* going door to door in the North Little Rock City Limits is required to have a peddlers permit and ID issued by the City Clerk's Office. Other examples include newspapers, pest control, alarm systems, home improvements, etc.

Reminder to residents:

If someone comes to your door, you do not have to answer or let them in. If someone comes to your door and makes you uncomfortable please call the police. If someone comes to your door and is unable to produce an ID issued by the City of North Little Rock City Clerk and Treasurer's Office (similar to the example on this page), please call 501-758-1234.

In all cases, if you call please provide a description of the person, location and vehicle description and license number if possible. You can also call the North Little Rock City Clerk/Treasurer's Office Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m. to verify any business license or peddlers permit in our city at 501-975-8617.

North Little Rock History Commission



If you or someone you know has items of a historical interest (photos, newspaper clippings, keepsakes, etc.) to City of North Little Rock, please consider donating them to the NLR History Commission.

For more information, call 501-371-0755 or email nlrhistory@comcast.net.

Effective July 2, the penalty for not renewing or doing business in the city since January 1, 2018 is 50% of the total amount due.

Reminder—ALL businesses doing business within the city limits of North Little Rock are required to have a current Business/Privilege License. Businesses that are not licensed are subject to a citation (and court appearance) for operating a business without a license.

Please contact 501-975-8617 with any questions regarding North Little Rock Business License requirements and fees.

The North Little Rock Convention & Visitor's Center wants to know about your upcoming events!

To submit events, visit www.NorthLittleRock.org or call Stephanie Slagle, Public Relations Representative at 501-758-1424.

As of July 31, 2018, the following door to door peddler was licensed in the city of North Little Rock.

Legal Shield—Melvin H. Jackson Expires 10-5-2018

Alder Holdings LLC—all expire 10-2-18

Dean Calamia, Raymond Maggard, Zachary Mortensen,

Dalston Wells

Smart Home Pros—all expire 10-5-18

Austin Hekking, Avery Goeckeritz, Brooks Goeckeritz, Chandler Goeckeritz, Jed Goeckeritz, Chase Lima, Hunter Walker, Jacob Lords, Nathan Lords, Lief Paulsen, Michael Weichers, Mut Tulow, Parker Bailey, Santiago Valencia, Spencer Divver and Wade Fielder

Edward Jones — expires 10-9-18

James Griffin

To see a list of issued permits, visit the city website at www.nlr.ar.gov, then click on City Clerk/Treasurer, followed by Licensed Peddlers.

To see an individual ID/Permit, click on the person's name. All licensed door to door peddlers are required to have the ID issued by the City Clerk's Office with them at all times.

North Little Rock City Council Schedule

The North Little Rock City Council meets the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month at **6:00** p.m. in the City Council Chambers in City Hall (300 Main Street, North Little Rock). For more information, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 501-975-8617 or email Diane

Whitbey at Dwhitbey@nlr.ar.gov.
The City Council Agenda can be found at www.nlr.ar.gov, then click on the

Government tab, followed by Council Agenda.

City Offices located at 120 Main

IS/Data Processing, Kathy Stephens	975-8820
Finance, Karen Scott	975-8802
Information	975-8888
Human Resources, Betty Anderson	975-8855
Planning, Shawn Spencer	975-8835
Purchasing, Mary Beth Bowman	975-8881
Utilities Accounting, Terrell Milton	975-8888

City Council Members

Ward 1	Debi Ross Beth White	753-0733 758-2738
Ward 2	Linda Robinson Maurice Taylor	945-8820 690-6444
Ward 3	Steve Baxter Ron Harris	804-0928 758-2877
Ward 4	Murry Witcher Charlie Hight	835-0009 758-8396

Other Elected Officials

Mayor Joe A. Smith	975-8601
City Clerk/Treasurer Diane Whitbey	975-8617
City Attorney Amy Fields	975-3755
District Court Judge Randy Morley	791-8562

North Little Rock Curbside Recycling schedule for the month of August

District Court Judge Paula Juels Jones 791-8559



Aug 1—3 NO Aug 6-10 Recycle Aug 13-17 NO Aug 20-24 Recycle Aug 27—Aug 31 NO

Utility Payment Assistance and Other Numbers

and Other Numbers
Central AR Development Council501-603-0909
Little Rock Catholic Charities501-664-0640 ext 459
Saint Francis House501-664-5036
Watershed501-378-0176
Helping Hand of Arkansas 501-372-4388
River City Ministries501-376-6694
Arkansas Metro501-420-3824
Arkansas Food Bank501-565-8121
American Red Cross501-748-1021
Salvation Armv501-374-9296

Telephone Numbers for City Hall

Mayor's Office	501-975-8601
Joe A. Smith	
City Clerk & Treasurer	501-975-8617
Diane Whitbey	
Communications	501-975-8833
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Back to School Photos!













See if you can name these City Hall employees in their Back to School photos...





Information regarding employee anniversaries and birthdates is provided by HR the prior year (i.e. 2018 was provided in 2017). So if an employee name is on the list that has retired or resigned, please disregard. Also, typos happen! Please let me know if a name is spelled wrong and a correction will be included next month! For employees who leave the city and come back in a different capacity or department, your length of service may change as well. Example, I worked in the Mayor's Office 10 years, then was elected City Clerk. I have been in the City Clerk's Office 18 years. My total service with the city is 28 years. If this scenario applies to you, please email me at least one month before the month of your anniversary month so I can include your total service to the City of NLR! Diane (Dwhitbey@nlr.ar.gov)

August Anniversaries

Name	Dept	# Yrs	Name	Dept	# Yrs	Name	Dept	# Yrs
THOMAS, KATELYN	City Clerk	6	TUBBS, TANNER	Fire	2	CROSS, JUSTIN	Police	7
PETTY, LAURA	Code	4	RHOADS, LORETTA	First Court	3	BARBER, MATTHEW	Police	6
BLACK, BILLIE	Planning	8	WALLACE, JAMIE	HR	24	CAMP, CHEREON	Police	6
REAVIS, TIMOTHY	Planning	3	MCFADDEN, DANIEL	Legal	8	CHEATHAM, ERIC	Police	6
SMITH, AMY	Commerce	19	SCOTT, DANIEL	Neighbor Srv	23	EMARY, ROBERT	Police	6
DANIELS, ROBERT	Electric	37	MONROE, CHERI	OES/911	14	DAVIS, CORDELL	Police	6
HARRIS, ROCKY	Electric	26	WOODS, SHATORIA	OES/911	3	EVANS, PHILIP	Police	6
ALLEN, KAREN	Electric	20	CRAMER, SHANE	OES/911	1	THRELKELD, JOSHUA	Police	6
STEWART PEREZ, VEDA	Electric	18	MARTIN, TEMEKA	Parks & Rec	15	MOORE, DAVID	Police	5
FINCH, MARK	Electric	16	COWAN, SUSAN	Parks & Rec	1	BLANKENSHIP, JOHN	Police	5
OWEN, DARREN	Electric	14	EBERLE-WILKINS, JANET	Parks Admin	48	SHIRLEY, AMON	Police	5
HIGHFILL, KENNY	Electric	13	FISCHER, BRIAN	Parks Golf	7	WILLIAMS, WILLIAM	Police	5
MANN, WILLIAM	Electric	12	PEREZ, VINCENTE	Parks Golf	3	STANLEY, MICHAEL	Police	5
HARRIS, JOHN	Electric	11	CAPLINGER, JEFFREY	Parks Spec Pr	14	BORNHAUSER, SARAH	Police	5
HARTWICK, RYAN	Electric	9	GRIFFIN, ROBERT	Police	28	WEBB, HEIDI	Police	5
HUGHES, ROBERT	Electric	8	BARRIERE, DIRK	Police	26	RAMIREZ, EDGAR	Police	3
HEINTZ, GREGORY	Electric	6	BRANCH, CAROLYN	Police	18	TENSLEY, SHAMILLE	Police	2
RAGLAND, MATTHEW	Electric	6	WHITNEY, IRA	Police	13	BAKER, ALEXANDER	Police	2
KRAUSS II, GLENN	Electric	6	DAVIDSON, BRANDON	Police	13	GRANT, TYLER	Police	2
BROWN, ISAARIA	Electric	2	LUNA, DIANA	Police	13	HENDERSON, CHRISTOPHER	Police	1
MURPHY, DEBORAH	Finance	39	GARTRELL, RUSTY	Police	13	GARVIN, BELINDA	Public Wrks	7
PRITCHARD, DAGNY	Finance	6	EDWARDS, CHADWICK	Police	12	SWAFFORD, MICHAEL	Public Wrks	3
HOOKS, JAMES	Fire	28	COVINGTON, JEREMIAH	Police	12	JACKSON-SHELTON, GLADYS	Sanitation	21
PFLASTERER, JOHN	Fire	23	OSBORNE, MICHAEL	Police	12	ABBOTT, RICHARD	Sanitation	20
ROBINSON, JERRY	Fire	23	LEASE, ZACHRY	Police	12	OFFORD, TINA	Sanitation	14
JORDAN, MICHAEL	Fire	21	WEAVER, CHRISTOPHER	Police	10	GIUSTI, DANTE	Sanitation	8
BENNETT, JEFFREY	Fire	21	MADISON, JOSEPH	Police	10	WATSON, CURTLAND	Sanitation	8
WILLIAMS, GARY	Fire	18	HARTON, SCOTT	Police	10	BAILEY, JAMES	Sanitation	4
MATTHEWS, RICHARD	Fire	17	SIMS, CHAUNCEY	Police	10	HEIRD, DONNA	Sanitation	4
WILLIAMS, HEATH	Fire	13	BARNES, BLAKE	Police	10	WHITE, JEFFREY	Street	17
WOLFE, NATHAN	Fire	12	FLIPPIN, RANDY	Police	8	DELANEY JR, TOMMY	Street	3
BRYANT, JASON	Fire	12	THOMAS, RODNEY	Police	8	WAID JR, TOMMY	Street	3
WHILLOCK, TOLIVER	Fire	12	DAVIDSON, RYAN	Police	8	WILLIAMS, TOMMIE	Street	3
REED, JEREMY	Fire	12	STOCKMAN, ERIC	Police	8	ABEL, KENDALL	Street	3
HUNT, MATTHEW	Fire	12	ELENBAAS, JEFFREY	Police	8	JONES, CHRISTOPHER	Street	2
COMBS, JOSHUA	Fire	12	SCOTT, WILLIAM	Police	8	DEVINE, DEIDRA	Traffic	20
FREY, NICHOLAS	Fire	11	BROWN, CHRISTOPHER	Police	8	REESE, CODY	Traffic	6
STATON, JONATHON	Fire	5	CHRISMAN, JASON	Police	7	LOR, CHONG	Traffic	5
SHOSHONE, RICKY	Fire	2	PEACH, MATTHEW	Police	7	STEPHENS, KATHERYN	UAD	28
						JOHNSON, SHANNON	UAD	5

August Birthdays

Name	Dept	# Yrs	Name	Dept	# Yrs
ROARK, JORDAN	OES/911	2	BROWN, WILLIAM	Legal	15
POE, WILLIAM	Fire	2	BAILEY, JAMES	Police	15
SCALES, CASSANDRA	First Court	2	WIRT, ANGELA	Hays Center	15
RATHEY, JHAILAN	Police	3	SHAW, ROBERT	Fire	16
KING, CARLOS	Parks Maint	3	FLETCHER, KAREN	UAD	16
ALBERS, RICKY	Fire	4	BAUGH, DARREN	Police	16
KLAMM, MICHAEL	Public Works	4	KING, ERICA	OES/911	18
LEE, CLIFFORD	Street	4	ALLEN, CHAD	Electric	19
CARR, MICHAEL	Parks Golf	4	ROMES, WILLIE	Parks Maint	19
WALLACE, JAMIE	HR	5	PFLASTERER, JOHN	Fire	20
PRINCE, TROY	Parks Maint	6	BARNES JR, NAPOLEON	Street	20
JOHNSON, DAVID	Fire	7	REED, JEREMY	Fire	21
DIXON, MATTHEW	Fire	8	SHAHAN, MICHAEL	Police	22
MARBLEY, MICHAEL	Sanitation	8	NORMAN, THOMAS	Police	22
ROSS, DALE	Hays Center	8	ROBINSON, ANTHONY	Sanitation	22
CARTER, RONALD	Electric	9	BURNHAM, WILLIAM	Parks Maint	22
FLEMING, CAMILLE	HR	9	PEREZ, VINCENTE	Parks Golf	22
EVERETT, AUSTIN	Code	9	STEWART, SHANDRA	OES/911	23
EMARY, ROBERT	Police	10	PLATT, CHARLES	Fire	23
KING, COURTNEY	Police	10	COMBS, JOSHUA	Fire	23
PHILLIPS, ANTHONY	Sanitation	10	ROBERTSON, WILLIAM	Vehicle Maint	23
STEELE, JASON	Street	10	FERRY, WILLIAM	OES/911	24
RIGGIN, RONALD	Electric	11	JOY, MICHAEL	Fire	25
FRANCISCO, KIMBERLY	Police	11	WATSON, CURTLAND	Sanitation	25
KNIGHT, KASEY	Police	11	THOMAS, CHARLOTTE	Admin	26
HARTON, SCOTT	Police	11	ROGERS, CLAYTON	Airport	26
CRANFORD, RICKY	Fire	12	WILSON, JAMES	Electric	26
WILBOURN, DAVID	Public Works	12	EBERLE-WILKINS, JANET	Parks Admin	26
REAGAN, SHAY	Electric	13	SNIDER, KATHRYN	Electric	27
GUNTHER, FREDERICK	Fire	13	BRYAN, ROBERT	Fire	28
TERRY, DUSTIN	Fire	13	ELLISON, NORITH	Electric	29
LEONARD, STACEY	HR	14	MCFADDEN, DANIEL	Legal	29
RILEY, PAUL	Police	14	WRIGHT, MARK	Police	29
NOEL, ASHLEY	Police	14	TINDALL, JAMES	Animal Shelter	30
CARR, GRALYN	Parks Maint	14	SCOTT, ROBERT	Police	30
ALEXANDER, JOHN	Animal Shelter	15	SPRINGER, SCOTT	Electric	31
TARKINGTON, SANDRA	Electric	15	HENRY, ISAAC	Fit2Live	1431