

July 2018



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### Upcoming Events

7/2	Planning Commission 6:30 PM
7/4	Independence Day (City offices closed)
7/4	Fireworks at Schrock Park 9:30 PM
7/9	City Council Meeting 7:00 PM
7/11	Tri-City Joint Chamber Luncheon at Newcastle High School Fieldhouse 11:30 AM
7/16	Cemetery Advisory Board 5:30 PM
7/23	City Council Workshop Meeting
8/3-8/4	Tuttle Rodeo

### Helpful Numbers

Animal Shelter	405-381-8565
Area Chamber	405-381-4600
City Hall	405-381-2335
Code Enforcement	405-381-3872
Library	405-381-8586
Fiber	405-381-8920
Police-Fire-EMS	405-381-4467
Public Works	405-381-5902
School Administration	405-381-2605
OEC	405-321-2024
PSO	888-216-3523

### Trash & Recycling Reminders

7/2-7/6	No Delays/Changes for Trash & Recycling Service
7/9-7/13	Recycling Week
7/16	Bulk Trash (Everyone)
7/23-7/27	Recycling Week

## OUTDOOR WATER RESTRICTIONS

The City of Tuttle owns and operates twelve water wells across Tuttle as our primary water source. These wells are able to meet Tuttle's typical daily water needs. However, when the rains decrease and the heat begins to build, we know that lawn watering will increase while the water table level decreases. When this occurs, it becomes necessary for Tuttle to purchase water from City of Newcastle and the City of Blanchard. Both Newcastle and Blanchard purchase their water from the City of Oklahoma City. As of 2015, all of Oklahoma City and its customers, including Newcastle, Blanchard, and all other central Oklahoma communities, have permanently implemented odd-even water rationing. When we purchase water from Newcastle and/or Blanchard, we are also required to implement the same water restrictions.

Currently, Oklahoma City is using the odd/even method of water rationing. Properties with an odd last number of the building address (1, 3, 5, 7, 9)

may water on odd-numbered days. Those properties with an even address (0, 2, 4, 6, 8) may water on even-numbered days.

Water conservation signs will be placed across Tuttle when it is necessary to implement additional water rationing. Tuttle's rules will be the same as Oklahoma City's unless it becomes necessary to implement further restrictions due to local conditions. Rationing rules will apply to all water users, including those using private water wells. Please note that Ordinance #2011-17 prohibits the waste of all water, regardless of source, at all times.

For more information regarding the City of Oklahoma City's watering conservation measures, including what the triggering criteria is for additional water restrictions, visit <http://www.okc.gov/departments/utilities/squeeze-every-drop/water-conservation-program/water-conservation-measures>.

## 2018 ICE CREAM FESTIVAL A GREAT SUCCESS!

The 2018 Tuttle Ice Cream Festival was again a successful event! This year we added several new events and attractions. This year you could see Rapunzel and Spiderman interacting with the kids as well as pom and cheerleaders from both the University of Oklahoma and Oklahoma State University. Boomer was also at the festival representing OU. The day kicked off with vendors and food trucks. Local acts performed on stage throughout the day. The City of Tuttle would like to thank Addie Lingle, Shelby Marple and The Children's Acting Guild for performing at the festival. This year there was some intense competition at both the ice cream eating contest and the turtle races!

The 2018 Ice Cream Festival would not be possible without the generous contributions from the following sponsors:

- Title Sponsor - Braums Ice Cream and Dairy
- Diamond-Elite Sponsor - M & T Septic and Backhoe Services
- Gold-Level Sponsors - Tinker Federal Credit Union, Great Plain Bank, First National Bank and Trust Co. and Sooner State Bank
- Silver-Level Sponsors - Norman Reginal Health Systems
- Bronze-Level Sponsors - Al's Heat and Air, P & C Sales, Country Equipment

- Friends-of-the-Festival Sponsors - Walker Oil, Legacy Bank, Movie Central, Flower Boutique and Tuttle Family Eye Care

We would also like to recognize and thank the Tuttle Area Chamber of Commerce for their significant time contributions, and to Tuttle Christian Church, the First Baptist Church of Tuttle, Tuttle Public Schools, and Sevier Funeral Home for the use of their land and facilities.

We are seeking input from you to help us plan for next year's festival. Please take a few moments to take our festival survey at [www.cityoftuttle.com](http://www.cityoftuttle.com) or on the City of Tuttle App, available for download onto your phone or tablet.

## FIREWORKS LEGAL JUNE 27 THROUGH JULY 4

Dates and times for discharge of fireworks inside Tuttle are June 27 through July 3 from 2:00 PM to 10:00 PM daily, and on July 4 from 9:00 AM to 11:00 PM. A responsible adult must be present at all times to supervise children. Pay attention to possible dry conditions. Any burn bans issued by Grady County or the Governor will be posted at [www.cityoftuttle.com](http://www.cityoftuttle.com). Enjoy the Fourth of July holiday and Happy Birthday America!!

## 2018 INDIVIDUAL SAFE ROOM REBATE PROGRAM

Do you live inside the Tuttle City limits? Do you own your home? Are you interested in peace-of-mind when tornadoes threaten? If you answered "yes" to all three of these questions, you may be eligible to apply for a rebate of 75% of costs to install a new safe room.

We are getting ready to open the 2018 cycle of the City of Tuttle ISR program for applications. Applicant meetings will be held 11:30 AM and 6:30 PM on Thursday, August 9, 2018, at Tuttle City Hall. Applicants who applied in previous years that were not awarded will receive priority in the awardee selection process if they re-apply.\* Applicants who attend one of the applicant meetings will receive preference in the awardee selection process over those who do not attend.\*

\* Assuming the City receives an award for the program from FEMA.

## SUMMER FIRE DANGER

July and August are fast approaching. We are coming into the dog days of summer which means high-temperature and low-humidity days. Combine that with the missing link of high winds and we have a volatile wildfire situation. Please be aware we are in a near-drought condition and wildfires can spread at very rapid speeds under these extremely dry conditions. It would be a great help to your Fire Department if everyone would be vigilant in their attention to detail and exercise extreme caution when dealing with open fires or other outside ignition sources. Help us help you!

Please remember to first call the Fire Department at 405-381-4464 prior to any controlled burns.

## CAMPAIGN SIGNS

Campaign signs are permitted in Tuttle, but please keep these basic rules in mind:

- Signs should not be located on anyone's property without their permission;
- Signs should not be removed from anyone's property without their permission;
- Signs should be located at least 10 feet from the curb or edge of the pavement;
- Signs should not be located within the "sight triangle" of any intersection; and
- Signs should not be located on public property, including medians, city hall, and parks.

City crews will remove all signs located on the highways and roads. Thank you for helping keep our community clean!

## PRINCESS PAGEANT WINNERS

The Ice Cream Princess Crowning ceremony started with a surprise video for the princesses' fathers in honor of Fathers' Day. They were asked if their father was a superhero who would he be, what would his super power be and why.

Emma Riley the 2017 7-8 year-old Princess performed a cheer routine and Clara Jean Lingle the 2017 Grand Talent Princess sang "Dear Future Husband" before crowning this year's winners. Samantha Hennigh, the 2017 Overall Most Beautiful Princess, was there to crown her successor as well.

The 2018 Winners are:

- Ultimate Ice-Cream Princess - Harper Markcall
- Overall 5-up Princess - Savahana McCaslin
- Overall 0-4 Princess - Rilynn Suttles
- Overall Most Beautiful 5 & up - Jayden Brown
- Overall Most Beautiful 0-4 Jozey Hess
- People's Choice Princess - Annabelle Lingle
- Overall Talent Winner - Marlow Folsom
- Director's Choice - Bella Christopher
- 19-35 Month Princess - Kate Hardesty
- 3-4 Princess - Pypier Kiegel
- 5-6 Princess - Sophia Rodriguez
- 7-8 Princess - Josie Lingle
- 9-10 Princess - Harmony Hughes
- 11-12 Princess - Casi Colvin

The Pageant director Debbie Cluck would like to thank our sponsors. Without them the girls would not be able to compete and I know they appreciate your support.:

Alpha Construction, Big Dog Pilot Car Service, Cliff Marical Homes, Flower Boutique, JMTF Investments, Kyle Brown Real Estate, Movie Central, Oh Happy Day Video & Photo, Ross Henderson CPA, TLC Express Car Wash, Tony's Car Wash in Tuttle and all the family and friends of Tuttle that came out and supported the girls this year. We appreciate you all so much!

## FARMERS' MARKET OPEN SATURDAY MORNINGS

Make sure to support your local farmers by buying local! The Farmers' Market, located at 410 W Main St, will be open from 7:30 AM to 11:00 AM Saturdays.

Be sure to like and follow us on Facebook for updates on the market. For more information please contact Amber Riley at City Hall.

## CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Public Works construction activities anticipated in month of July:

- Construction crews will be placing handholes in some neighborhoods along Highway 37 in preparation of the fiber conduit being placed.
- A gas line extension to feed phase II of the Covenant trails addition is planned for installation.
- Crews will be doing some finish grading in the River Ridge addition drainage channel.
- Crews will likely begin doing some grade work at the soccer complex to prepare for the trail extension and new restroom facility.
- A contractor will begin work to rebuild the roads in the west section of Rock Creek Addition.
- A contractor will begin work to repave roads near the schools. Streets include:
  - SE 1st St, SE 2nd St, SE 3rd St, SE 4th St, SW 1st St, and SE 2nd St between Main St and Oak St
  - Bond St, Maple St, and Locust St between SW 1st St and SE 4th St
  - Oak St, between SW 2nd St and SE 4th St

## EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Tuttle Emergency Management is recruiting to meet the EM needs of our growing community! If you're at least 18 years of age, have a clear criminal background, and are interested in helping to make your community stronger and more resilient, visit [emttuttle.com](http://emttuttle.com) for more!

## ENROLL FOR NEW TRASH & RECYCLING TEXT REMINDERS

Please visit [www.cityoftuttle.com](http://www.cityoftuttle.com) or use the City of Tuttle App, available for download onto your phone, to see when your new trash and recycling days are.

The text-reminder system has been set up to provide a reminder notice the evening prior to your trash and recycling day. Everyone MUST re-enroll in the text reminder system based on the color zone on the trash route map on our website and the Tuttle App. The Tuttle App will not be used for weekly trash-service reminders.

To enroll for text reminders, text one of the color zones, based on where you live, to 95577:

- Text GREENZONE if you live in the green zone,
- Text PURPLEZONE if you live in the purple zone,
- Text REDZONE if you live in the red zone,
- Text BLUEZONE if you live in the blue zone, or
- Text YELLOWZONE if you live in the yellow zone.

Call City Hall at 405-381-2335 if you need help setting up the reminder.