



City of Kyle E-Newsletter

For the week of February 24th, 2014

The Kyle E-Newsletter is sent weekly and contains pertinent information about events and happenings in the City of Kyle. To Subscribe, simply [click here](#) and put "Kyle Newsletter" in the subject line to be added to the distribution list.

The Plum Creek Watershed Clean Up Scheduled for March 1st



Plum Creek runs through hundreds of acres of park land and open space in Kyle and Hays County. Trash and debris washes into the creek during the rainy months of winter, much of which ends up along the banks of the creek and in the parks. Since 2004, this [award-winning clean up program](#) has greatly reduced the pollution levels in Plum Creek. The city parks that are involved during this event are Steeplechase Park, Lake Kyle, Waterleaf Park and the Plum Creek Preserve & Nature Trail.

The goal of this annual clean up project is to join with other communities across Texas to clean up

Texas's waterways and Keep Texas Beautiful. In past years the Kyle Watershed Clean Up has been an educational event bringing awareness to pet waste, recycling and being stewards of the Plum Creek Watershed that runs through the heart of Kyle.

The event is traditionally held the morning of the first Saturday of March. This year that day falls on March 1st. Volunteers are equipped with trash bags, small hand tools and other necessary equipment to clean up the banks of the Plum Creek. The clean up begins at 9:30am with volunteers checking in at the covered pavilion at Lake Kyle for their assignments.

Each year thousands of pounds of trash, some recyclable, get removed from the park land and trails. Dead trees and brush are removed and nature trails are groomed just in time for the busy spring and summer.

Get a group of your friends, co-workers or scout troop and head to Lake Kyle. All workers are rewarded with a pizza lunch upon conclusion.

City of Kyle Seeking Applications for Community Support Dollars *Applications due by March 31st*

The City of Kyle is taking [applications for community support dollars](#) to be considered as part of the City's budget deliberations for the FY 2014-2015 fiscal year. Applications will be available beginning February 20th, and must be submitted by March 31st, 2014.

The City of Kyle Community Relations Committee will review the applications and submit their recommendations to the city manager for inclusion in his budget submittal to the council in July. If approved, the grants will be awarded in October 2014 at the start of the City's budget year.

Application forms can be downloaded from the City of Kyle web site at www.cityofkyle.com. The forms are also available at the Kyle City Hall, Kyle Public Library or by requesting them by calling the City of Kyle at 262-1010

For more information, contact the City of Kyle Communications Department at 512-262-3921 or jhendrix@cityofkyle.com.

The City of Kyle is Now on Twitter and Facebook

Social Media users can now keep up to date with programs, news and announcements from the City of Kyle through the Twitter and Facebook social media application. The City of Kyle Twitter and Facebook pages will be used to keep followers apprised of official City activities, programs, meetings, and other relevant news.

[Click here for the City of Kyle Twitter page](#)

[Click here for the City of Kyle's Facebook page.](#)



City of Kyle Looking for Citizens to Serve on Committees

The City of Kyle has numerous committees that serve as advisory groups to the City Council. We are currently looking volunteers to fill spaces in these committees. You can now [complete the volunteer form online](#) and submit it electronically.

Submitting your application is easy. Simply look for the link of the City of Kyle home page and fill out the online form.

Your application will be reviewed and forwarded to the city council. If you are selected, you will be notified by a city representative for confirmation.

Your contributions will be greatly appreciated and your service will benefit our entire city. A complete list of committees is available on our committees web page at CityofKyle.com.

Keep Your CodeRed Emergency Alert Information up to Date



The City of Kyle utilizes the [Code Red Emergency Alert System](#) to send important messages to virtually every phone in Kyle.

The system can be used to deliver emergency messages to Kyle residents or, in some cases, other important information.

Visit www.cityofkyle.com and look for the Code Red link in the On-line Services pull-down menu.



**Public Meetings
for the Week of
February 24th, 2014**

**Planning and Zoning
Commission Meeting**
Tue, Feb 25th 6:30pm

**Public Works & Public Service
Committee Meeting**
Wed, Feb 26th 6:30pm

**Kyle Council Meetings
are now
[Streamed Live
on the Internet](#)**



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