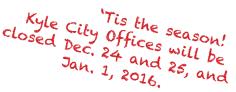




City of Kyle e-Newsletter



This weekly e-Newsletter 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.

There's still time to get your Blue Santa on!

Calling all Santa's helpers! Come join the fun with the Kyle Blue Santa team. Sponsored by the Kyle Police Employees Association, Blue Santa provides toy, bikes and other gifts to children in the Kyle area who otherwise might not have a very Merry Christmas. The group also put together 40 holiday meal boxes this year.

The big wrapping event is today (Friday, Dec. 18) from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. - then Santa arrives and helps distribute the presents until 9 p.m. Event



takes place at Wallace Middle School in Kyle. Volunteers of all ages are welcome to help sort and wrap gifts. Makes a great family volunteer outing!

Upcoming Public Meetings at City Hall

Kyle City Council Meeting Tuesday, Jan. 5, 2016 at 7 p.m.

Can't make a meeting? Kyle City Council meetings are **<u>Streamed Live</u>** on the Internet

Stay Connected:

Find meetings, events, news and more at www.cityofkyle.com

Don't forget to like us on Facebook and follow us on **Twitter** for the most accurate, up-to-date information about Kyle. And now we have pics on Instagram, too!



Notice of Deadline to File Applications for Place on the Ballot

Those interested in filing for a place on the May ballot for Kyle City Council must submit their application beginning Jan. 20, 2016. The last day to file is Feb. 19 by 5 p.m.

Mail applications to: City of Kyle P.O. Box 40 Kyle, Texas 78640

Hand deliver applications to: Kyle City Hall, 100 Center St., Kyle



Door decor around City Hall

Kyle employees made the holidays a little brighter by decorating doors around City Hall.

First place - Community Development



Second place -Jennifer Vetrano



Events & Happenings

Splash into 2016

This is your chance to ring in the new year in a fun, unusual way: with a Polar Bear Splash in Kyle Pool. It's free and freezing ... uh, fun, that is. Free and fun.

For an extra special good time, join the Polar Bear Club! It's open to everyone and costs just \$15. Register by Dec. 24 for a \$2 discount.

Polar Bear Club members receive:

- Polar Bear Shirt
- Name on 2016 Polar Bear Club Plaque
- Door Prize ticket
- Bragging rights valid for one year

Register online or at the event. Complete your registration before Dec. 18 to guarantee shirt size at www.cityofkyle.com/recreation/polar-bear-splash.



Schedule of Events, January 1, 2016:

1:00 p.m. - Pool Gates Open 1:25 p.m. - Line up

1:30 p.m. - Polar Bear Splash!

1:45 p.m. - Polar Bear Club Door Prize Drawings

2:30 p.m. - Pool gates close until Memorial Day Weekend

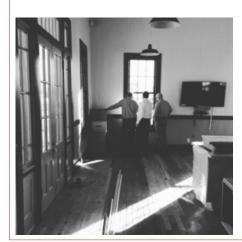
Questions? Contact dflores@cityofkyle.com

Historic Train Depot restoration chugging along

After many years, there is light at the end of the tunnel. The restoration of the Historic Train Depot in downtown Kyle is on its way to completion. While no date has been set for the grand re-opening, city officials say the remodeling should be completed in early 2016.

The depot will serve as a museum and history center, which will be operated by the Hays County Historical Commission.

Stay tuned for more information!





Kyle Road Bond Updates

What's happening with the 2013 Kyle road bond program? Here is a brief update; for additional detail see link below.

Marketplace extension - Road construction began Sept. 8. The project is 47 percent complete as of Dec. 10.

Goforth Rd. - The plans are 99 percent complete. Construction is slated to begin in March 2016. Bunton Creek Rd. - All parcels were acquired. Utility providers (PEC, Verizon, etc.) are developing plans. Construction should begin August 2016.

Want even more information? Visit <u>www.cityofkyle.com.</u>



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