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KETTERING NEIGHBORHOOD PRIDE



The Kettering Neighborhood Pride Program enters its 28th year in 2016. Over the years, it has become a treasured award for Kettering residents. The Neighborhood Pride Program honors residents who have made significant improvements to their homes or who have maintained their properties impeccably year after year. Many properties are nominated by friends and neighbors, and you may nominate your own property as well. Each year, the program receives about 500 nominations with only 50 properties receiving the award.

Nominations can be made each year starting in May and continuing through August. Winners are selected each month June through August. To learn more [click here.](#)

CITY LAUNCHES ACCESS KETTERING



Click here to read the latest Contact with Kettering magazine online.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



Join us all summer as we celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Kettering's Fraze Pavilion.

Click here to learn more.

Kettering's Go 4th!
Monday July 4 at Delco Park
Click here to learn more.

Art on the Commons
August 14 At Civic Commons
Click here to learn more.

Taste of Kettering
September 1 at Fraze
Click here to learn more.

Holiday at Home



The *Access Kettering* tool, now available on the City of Kettering website, offers online access to many city services **24 hours a day, 7 days a week.** No more waiting for our offices to open to do business with the city. You can now apply and pay for a residential or commercial construction permit, report a property maintenance concern in your neighborhood, apply for a right of way permit, request a city service and more — all online at *your* convenience.



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KETTERING SUPPORTS PRESCHOOL PROMISE

KETTERING FIRE DEPARTMENT
INSPECTING FIRE HYDRANTS CITYWIDE

September 4 & 5
Click here to learn more.

KetterGreen Shred Day
September 17
Click here to learn more.

EMERGENCY ALERTS



Did you know that in addition to our Facebook page and Twitter posts the City of Kettering uses a system called Code Red to notify our residents of emergency incidents and critical community alerts?

Please take a moment to enroll by clicking here.

KETTERING LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

The Kettering Leadership Academy is a nine-month program designed for citizens to learn about every major aspect of Kettering community life through presentations, discussions and direct experience. Graduates go on to provide community leadership by becoming board members for local non-profit organizations, participating in community initiatives and serving as ambassadors for our City. Applications for the 2016-17 class are currently being accepted. Please contact the Volunteer Office at 296-2433 or click here for more information.



The Kettering Fire Department conducts inspections of fire hydrants citywide each summer. Hydrant testing takes place between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Mondays - Fridays.

The Kettering Fire Department will use the Code Red Community Alert System to inform residents when hydrants in their neighborhood will be inspected. Please take a moment to [register for Code Red Notifications](#) so that you receive these alerts.

During hydrant inspections, water may appear brown from the disturbance of mineral deposits. While these deposits pose no threat to health or safety, they could be alarming and they could also discolor clothing. The Fire Department suggests that if hydrants are inspected in your neighborhood, you should check water before starting laundry. If brown water is observed, simply run cold water until it clears.

For more information please [click here](#) or call 296-2489.

NEIGHBORHOOD BLOCK PARTIES



Having a block party is a terrific way to meet or get acquainted with your neighbors, build a sense of neighborhood pride, and celebrate holidays. The City of

KETTERING SENIOR ADULT SERVICES

The City of Kettering is a senior friendly community. We've earned that reputation from our commitment to enhancing the quality of life for seniors in our City. Because of this commitment we offer the Kettering Connection, a one stop service and referral center for Kettering seniors and their families, at Town and Country Shopping Center. Kettering Connection is located in the hallway between Figlio and Artisan's Group and the center does remain open during ongoing shopping center construction.

Vickie Carraher, the City's Senior Services Coordinator, is available at Kettering Connection to help seniors and their families connect to resources and services that prolong their independence and enhance their enjoyment of later years.

In addition, many individuals and families struggle with questions about when to make lifestyle changes for seniors when safety becomes a concern. The Senior Services Coordinator is prepared to discuss these concerns and available options.

Kettering does allow block parties on selected residential streets. Having a block party is just the kind of event that makes Kettering a great place to live. For more information on planning a block party in your neighborhood [click here](#).

COOL OFF AT ADVENTURE REEF!



Did you know that Kettering residents and pass holders have early admission privileges from noon to 12:30 p.m. at our Adventure Reef Water Park?

Admission Fees:

Youth: \$4.25 resident; \$8.50 non-resident
Adults: \$4.75 resident; \$9.50 non-resident
CIL Members: \$4.50 resident ; \$9 non-resident

Hours of Operation*:

Monday - Saturday Noon - 8 p.m.

*Residents and pass holders have early admission privileges from noon -12:30 p.m. General admission begins at 12:30 p.m.

Sunday Noon - 6 p.m.

Residents and pass holders only (with the exception of special holiday admission dates).

WALK BIKE KETTERING CHALLENGE

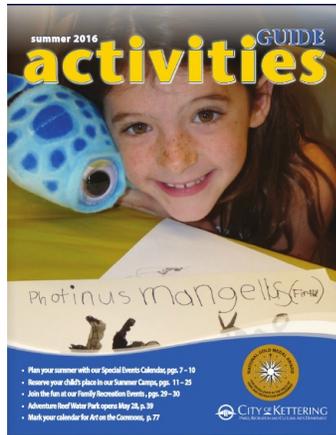


Join us for our Walk-Bike Kettering community initiative taking place May through September! Track your steps and/or miles to reach weekly, monthly, and total initiative goals. To learn more [click here](#).

CITY CONSTRUCTION UPDATES

To learn more about our city services for seniors please click [here](#).

PRCA SUMMER ACTIVITIES GUIDE



Click [here](#) to view the new PRCA Summer Activities Guide online.

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Donald E. Patterson

Contact Kettering City
Council

Report a Property
Maintenance Concern

Learn More About Job
Opportunities at the City
of Kettering

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The City of Kettering is committed to investment in projects aimed at preserving our infrastructure and meeting the commercial and residential needs of our citizens.

Work is now complete on the section of Stroop Road from South Dixie Drive to Dorothy Lane. The East Stroop Road portion of the project is underway and will include the construction of a 10 feet wide sidewalk from Glengarry Drive to Wilmington Pike plus asphalt resurfacing along East Stroop from Dorothy Lane to Shroyer Road. Thank you for your patience - we know this major roadway project has impacted your travels.

We completed several repaving projects this spring and summer including Lincoln Park Boulevard from Far Hills to Ackerman, Delco Park Drive, Gateway Circle and numerous residential neighborhoods. We will also focus on curb, drive approach and sidewalk repair in select neighborhoods. To learn more about road construction projects [click here](#).

In the coming weeks construction will begin on the Prugh Woods residential development located at the intersection of Dorothy Lane and Prentice Drive near the Kettering Recreation Complex. The initial work will involve the clearing of the property to allow for construction of the access road and preparation of residential lots for home construction.

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