CiTiRAMA 2019 in Springdale: Springrose Meadows

While driving through Springdale, have you noticed what is happening on Kemper Road behind CVS? A new single-family housing development, named Springrose Meadows, is currently under construction. Containing 50 new homes at prices starting around $300,000, this development will be the site of the 2019 CiTiRAMA Home Show from September 7th through 15th, put on by the Home Builders Association of Greater Cincinnati. Featuring a variety of architectural styles, the one-week show attracts thousands of visitors.

The development will include 50 new homes, associated infrastructure, and open space. Two new streets will be constructed in the development, one exiting onto Kemper Road and the other exiting onto Rose Lane. Two alleyways will also be built to allow access to the garages for the homes that face Kemper Road. Improvements to Smiley Avenue include converting the existing T-shaped turnaround into a more drivable cul-de-sac. Some of the roads will be dedicated to the City, while others will be maintained by the development’s homeowner’s association. Sidewalks will be installed throughout the development and along the north side of Kemper Road, east side of Rose Lane, and south side of Smiley Avenue. The community is being developed by Meierjohan Building Group and the home builders are Maronda Homes, Cristo Homes, and Fry Homes. Additionally, the Home Builders Association will construct its first-ever Demonstration Home to showcase construction materials and techniques.

It is common for developers of new subdivisions to use what is called a “Special Assessment” to pay for the new public infrastructure that is needed (like roads, utilities, and sidewalks). A Special Assessment is added to the property taxes of each home, typically for 15 years. Over the 15 years, the Special Assessment payments are used to pay off the money the developer borrowed to construct the public infrastructure. The Special Assessments for Springrose Meadows are estimated to be $4,950 per year.

In order to offset the impact of the Special Assessment, the City of Springdale has established a Community Reinvestment Area that provides a 15-year, 100% property tax abatement on the improvements to the lot – which are the homes themselves. As an example, take a hypothetical home in Springrose Meadows with a total value of $325,000, with $25,000 being for the land and $300,000 being for the home. The homeowner will continue to pay the normal property taxes for the land (estimated at $466 per year in this example) plus the $4,950 estimated Special Assessment. The $5,592 property taxes that would have been owed on the house are abated, leaving the owner with an estimated $5,416 payable each year. After 15 years, the Special Assessment will end and the property tax abatement will expire – returning the tax bill to the regular amount. To initiate the property tax abatement, a homeowner will need to complete and submit an application to the City of Springdale.

Springrose Meadows will present additional housing options to not only those hoping to relocate to Springdale, but also to current residents who are interested in a housing option that is not available anywhere else in Springdale. The City is excited to continue to make Springdale a great place to live, work, learn, and play. Additional information on Springrose Meadows and the property tax abatement can be found at www.springdale.org.

Smart911: Plan Ahead for Any Emergency

In February of 2018 the Hamilton County Communications Center began using a new program aimed at helping first responders. The program is called Smart911 and has seen great success across the country. Hamilton County was the first county in Southwest Ohio to utilize this program. Smart911 helps provide first responders with important information before an emergency occurs. This can include as little or as much information as the user would like; from Name and Date of Birth, to Medical History, Allergies, and Medications. When a participant calls 911 in the event of an emergency, dispatchers are notified that the caller is a Smart911 user via their phone number. This notifies first responders and gives them access to the medical information the user has provided ahead of time. This program is designed to be user-friendly and is extremely secure. Residents who wish to participate can go to the Smart911 website to sign up and create a profile. To sign up or to learn more about the program go to www.smart911.com. If you need assistance signing up or have further questions, please contact Jeff Bryant at the Springdale Fire Department (513-346-5580) and he will guide you through the process.
Earnings Tax Rate Increases to 2%

On May 7, 2019 residents voted to increase the Springdale earnings tax rate from 1.5% to 2%, effective July 1, 2019. Residents paying estimated taxes will want to review and increase the declaration to an effective rate of 1.75% for the 2019 tax year (since the first half of the year is a rate of 1.5% and the second is at 2%).

Estimated tax declarations were last mailed the week of June 3rd, 2019 with the tax payment due June 17th. The next estimated tax billing will be in early September, then in December. To increase your estimated 2019 tax declaration, please contact the tax department.

Tax Department Hours

The Tax Department regular hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00am until 5:00pm.

Questions

Questions can be directed to the tax office at 346-5715 or, in person, at the tax office at the Springdale Municipal Building.

Maintenance Coming to Neighborhood and Main Streets

Be on the lookout this fall as the City continues to work towards maintaining our streets. Routine maintenance operations such as the ones being performed are the least expensive means of prolonging the life of the City’s pavement.

The Oxford Hills Subdivision, the cul-de-sac streets off of Glensprings Dr., Chesterdale Rd. south of Valdosta Dr., W Kemper Rd. between Lawnview Ave. and Springfield Pike and Springfield Pike from Cameron Rd. to Sharon Rd. will have crack sealing performed.

Kemper Road from Princeton Pike to Chesterdale Rd. will have minor pavement repairs and crack sealing performed.

The Baldwin Subdivision will be crack and mastic sealed. The crack seal will seal the larger cracks while the mastic seal closes the smaller cracks and provides a uniform appearance to the road’s surface.

For a complete description of all work to be performed on each street, please refer to the City’s home page at http://www.springdale.org and look for the Neighborhood Street Repairs article near the center of the page.

Community Health Assessment Survey

The Springdale Health Department needs your input to complete our 2019 Community Health Assessment (CHA).

To take the survey, you can:

- Visit https://bit.ly/2XTQZhW to take the survey on Google Forms.
- Stop by the Springdale Health Department, Monday-Friday from 8am to 5pm, or pick up a survey at the Springdale Community Center front desk.

The survey will take only a few minutes to complete. Your response will assist our efforts in providing quality, targeted public health services for the community. Thanks for partnering with us to promote health in our community!

My house needs TLC too!

It seems there is never enough money to go around, so why spend it maintaining my home?

There are many reasons, but the best one is that it is an INVESTMENT that pays off! Home maintenance is not an expense, it IS truly an INVESTMENT. A properly maintained home has an essentially limitless lifespan! And a properly maintained home actually INCREASES in value. That is one of the reasons it is such a great investment.

For example, cars and trucks consistently decrease in value with age, regardless of their condition. You can slow the rate they depreciate with proper care, but they still lose value. Your home is just the opposite! A well maintained home grows in value!

Fall is a great time to tackle some outdoor home maintenance projects that may have been delayed by the rain in the spring or the heat in the summer. Yard cleanup, planting and painting are all worthwhile projects that are comfortably taken on in the fall. Most realtors will tell you that “curb appeal” is a really important factor in determining the value of your home. The retail home centers also feature a wide variety of DIY projects that can be accomplished on a budget.

The cumulative effect of proper home maintenance on property values within individual neighborhoods and the community as a whole is tremendous. Consequently, the City has established minimum property maintenance standards in the form of the Property Maintenance Code. The building department conducts periodic property maintenance inspections to insure compliance with minimum community standards. It is in EVERYONE’S best interest that every property is properly maintained to ensure the highest property values for the entire community.

For those home owners who qualify, there is financial assistance in the form of the Home Improvement Repair Program which can be used to pay for needed repairs to your home. For questions regarding the program, please contact the building department at 513-346-5730 or by emailing building@springdale.org.
Economic Development News

Mi Tierra Supermercado & Carniceria

Mayor Doyle Webster joined in the celebration of the Grand Opening of Mi Tierra Supermarket and Restaurant on March 29th at 401 W. Kemper Road. Mi Tierra is a full-service grocery store with produce, meat, dairy, dry goods, and freshly baked desserts. There is also a sit-down (or take-out) restaurant with authentic Mexican and Latin American food. Please don’t let your lack of fluency in Spanish keep you from enjoying this welcome addition to the City of Springdale – the staff is ready to help you in English or Spanish!

Kumon Math & Reading Center

Springdale Town Center welcomed Kumon Math & Reading Center on April 25th. Located at 11556 Springfield Pike, Kumon provides after-school/summer math and reading programs for preschool students through 12th grade. They are walking distance from Springdale Elementary and are ready to help any local families who want to improve their math and reading skills.

Springdale Commerce Park

Construction of Springdale Commerce Park on the former GE Park Property is in full swing. Two buildings are currently under construction and are coming out of the ground quickly. These are part of a four-building industrial park planned for the property. Take a drive down Crescentville Road for a great view of all the activity.

Springdale Citizens Police Academy

The Springdale Police Department will be hosting its 8th Citizens Police Academy beginning September 9th, 2019. The Citizens Police Academy is an 8-week program designed to give participants a working knowledge of the Springdale Police Department. It consists of a series of classes and discussions held once a week on Monday night from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. The class size is limited to approximately 15 students. There is no cost to enroll and attend the academy. The next class will start Sept 9, 2019 and will graduate Oct 28, 2019.

Students will be instructed in the areas of:

- Overview of the Police Department and Municipal Government
- Current Issues, Laws of Arrest, Search and Seizure
- Use of Force / Less Lethal
- Use of Force Practical Scenarios
- Patrol Tactics/OVI/Traffic Stops
- Criminal and Narcotics Investigations
- Crime Scene Investigation

Each student will be provided with an academy shirt and a training manual. Donated meals from within the city and the academy alumni will be provided prior to each class so students can build camaraderie amongst each other.

All students considered for the Springdale Citizen’s Police Academy must sign a waiver of liability prior to attending the academy and may be subject to a background investigation.

For more information contact Officer Keenan Riordan 513-346-5530, kriordan@springdale.org.

Welcome New Employee!

Mark DellaTorre

Mark DellaTorre has joined the Police Department as Custodian. He was born and raised in Cincinnati. After 30 years in the graphic arts as a printer, he used his maintenance & custodial skills at a Cincinnati Public charter school. He enjoys sports, playing board and video games and spending time with his family, including his 2 grandchildren.
Fall Leaf Collection Program Changes for 2019

The Public Works Department is once again gearing up for the annual leaf collection program which begins as soon as the leaves begin to pile up (typically during the second or third week of October). Collection starts on the west side of State Route 4 and alternates weekly to the City’s east side.

Inevitably the crews will fall behind schedule. When this occurs, crews will finish one side of the City before moving to the other side. This year residents will be permitted to bring leaves to the curb until Friday, November 29. Beginning Saturday, November 30, 2019, residents are no longer permitted to bring additional leaves to the curb. Leaves currently at the curb will continue to be collected but additional leaves must be bagged and placed at the curbside for regular trash collection.

New for 2019 will be a collection cutoff date of Friday, December 20, 2019. This will be the last day crews will be performing collection of leaves at the curb. All leaves that remain at the curb after this date must be collected by the residents for regular trash collection. The reason for this cutoff date is so that crews can ready the equipment for snow removal. We appreciate your cooperation in this new aspect of the program.

Please DO NOT place leaves in the street because stormwater flow and structures can be blocked, causing the potential for roadway flooding. Instead, leaves should be placed behind the curb, but not blocking sidewalks or covering fire hydrants. Leaves must be free of debris, such as litter, trash, limbs and branches. These items cannot be collected with the leaves, and piles containing these items will be left until the resident removes this unacceptable material. Limbs and branches which are stacked in a separate pile will continue to be collected by the city under the chipper program that continues to operate during leaf collection.

Garden Club News

Does walking through the front doors of the Community Center put a smile on your face recently? A resident stopped and asked Joan Knox if she was a Garden Club member. When Joan answered “Yes”, she was thanked warmly for planting the flower beds. The resident said it put a smile on her face just walking by the flower beds. This all happens with the help of the Parks Department employees. They supply the heavy lifting, planting of the shrubs and trees the Garden Club helps choose for this area and they help maintain the flower beds. The best part of being a member of the Garden Club is working with other City Departments who also make the City a beautiful and good place to live for all residents, young or old.

The Garden Club Fall calendar is full with activities to achieve their mission statement of “Knowing, Growing, Showing and Sharing”. Check out the calendar; remember that guests are always welcome at the meetings.

August 12th is the date of the Garden Club Salad Supper. They meet at a member’s garden and plan upcoming events for the year. Everyone gets to help choose a topic that they would like to learn more about. Then they find a speaker on that subject.

On September 7th, the Garden Club will have a booth at the Community Bash selling popcorn and juice boxes. Plus, they will display photos of this year’s Amateur Gardens Awards from our different neighborhoods. Next year be sure to suggest someone in your own neighborhood or yourself.

On September 9th the Garden Club will be bringing a floral design with a different interpretation of the theme” The World Traveler”. Topics are varied and will be critiqued by regional design chairperson, Naomi Ormes. She will give suggestions for improving our designs.

On October 14th, Terry Evans, member of the Dahlia society will give tips on growing and showing Dahlia.

On November 18th the Garden Club will be making Christmas swags and wreaths at the Fire Department. The Public Works Department helps by ordering the supplies from the wholesaler and delivering them. When completed, they are hung on the City’s “Welcome to Springdale” signs and community buildings. You don’t have to know how to do this, if you choose to help. The Garden Club members will teach any helpers. Just let Joan know in advance if you want to come.

Then in December, the Garden Club will treat themselves to a dinner out together to celebrate their work and start thinking about upcoming Spring events.

For more information about the Garden Club contact Joan Knox 674-7755 or e-mail joanknox99@fuse.net.
For program information, call the Springdale Community Center at 346-3910, or email goplay@springdale.org.

Community Center
Stay Connected to Parks & Recreation
Visit our website www.springdale.org/goplay, or sign up for our email list on that site to stay up to date on our programs, projects and activities.

Daily Hours of Operation
Monday - Friday .................. 9am - 9pm
Fitness center & indoor track open at 6 am
Saturday .................................. 9am - 5pm
Sunday .................................. 1pm - 9pm
Times are subject to change and will be posted at the Community Center.

Holiday Schedule
Labor Day ................................ Closed
Thanksgiving ............................ Closed
Christmas ................................ Closed

Parks & Recreation brings the community together!
Parks and Recreation is so much more than playgrounds, fields, and a Community Center. We introduce kids to youth sports in a fun, safe environment. We encourage seniors to build friendships through activities. We help you achieve your fitness goals and maintain a healthy lifestyle. We provide well-maintained places to picnic and play. We provide family programs you will remember for a lifetime. So, stop by often and try something new - there’s always something going on!

The last day of the swim season is Saturday, August 10.

YOUTH SPORTS

Winter Sports
Springdale Community Center Members (SCC) may register beginning September 1. SCC Activity membership requirement waived for residents participating in youth sports for their first time. Late registrations may be subject to additional charges (Non-resident fee is an additional $25 per child if space is available). Youth sports fees must be paid with cash or check. No credit card accepted.

Instructional Basketball
Children in kindergarten and 1st grade
Registration September 1 - September 30 • $20 ($35 beginning 10/1).

Basketball
Youth and teens in grades 2-12
Registration September 1 - September 30 • $40 ($55 beginning 10/1).

Cheerleading
Youth in grades 1-5
Registration September 1 - September 30 • $20 ($35 beginning 10/1).

Springdale Youth Boosters
The Springdale Youth Boosters: The group is a non-profit, volunteer-based organization comprised of Springdale residents working together to secure donations that help provide more affordable youth sports programs in Springdale. To join, contact Springdaleyouthbooster@yahoo.com.

ADULT & SENIOR PROGRAMS

Active Aging Week
September 30 - October 4
Active Aging Week is back! Join us as we celebrate active adults ages 50 and older and promote the benefits of leading an active, healthier lifestyle. Attend the Orientation session on Monday, September 30 at 11:30 a.m. to hear the ins and outs of all the activities we have planned for the week. Once we begin, your week will be packed full of eventful sessions to keep you busy. We finish Active Aging Week with a social where everyone is invited to enjoy games, give-a-ways, activities, and light appetizers. It’s going to be a fun, educational, fit week!

AQUATIC PROGRAMS

Goldfish Swim
Sunday, August 11 • 2:00pm
Pool Gate opens at 1:45pm
Spring and Dale along with 1,000 of their fishy friends are back swimming in the water of the Community Center pool! Who will help us catch them all? Remember, no nets, buckets or help from Mom or Dad. All fish must be caught by children under 12 years of age, with their bare hands. Everyone that enters the pool area must have a pool membership or pay the regular gate fee of $3.00. Pool will close directly after Goldfish Swim event.

Inside Scoop
The Scoop is a bimonthly adult/senior newsletter with two months of fun, educational programs, and activities planned to keep you engaged. Mailing is by subscription to active members age 55 and older. If you wish to receive the Scoop, call the Springdale Community Center (346-3910) and request to be added to our subscription list.

Club Rec is a community-based volunteer organization that provides organized activities and events for local youth. Activities are diverse and provide fun social interaction. For information, call 346-3910 or email jwagner@springdale.org.

Fall Fest
Saturday, October 5 • 6:00 - 8:00pm
Pumpkin spice and everything nice! Enjoy a fall themed evening of games and activities. End the night by cooking s’mores over the open fire.
Registration: September 10 - October 4

Freaky Friday Festivities
December, Friday THE 13 • 6:30 - 8:30pm
Solve the puzzles and crack the codes to figure out this freaky Friday fun mystery.
Registration: November 10 - December 12
SPECIAL EVENTS

Neighborhood Yard Sales
Saturday, August 10 • 9:00am - 2:00pm
Clean out the garage, attic and basement while earning some cash during this year’s Neighborhood Yard Sales. The best part of all, the sale is right at YOUR house. The City of Springdale will widely publicize the community-wide event with suggested hours from 9am to 2pm. Take advantage of the extra traffic of buyers who will cruise Springdale looking for your bargains!

Shred Sensitive Documents
Saturday, August 17 • 10:00am - 1:00pm
A mobile shredding unit will be on site at the Community Center on Saturday, August 17 from 10am - 1pm so that residents may safely destroy their unwanted sensitive documents and records. This is an opportunity to dispose of those old financial and medical records, past bank statements and other documents which you would not feel comfortable throwing away in the trash. All material will be shredded on site and recycled.

Junior Olympics
Saturday, August 24 • 10:00 - 11:30am
Children ages 10 and under will compete in 8 fun events, enjoy live entertainment, door prizes and an awards ceremony. This event will be held on the Community Center grounds. Registration begins August 1.

Movie in the Park
Friday, September 13 • Movie begins approximately at 7:45pm
Fun for the whole family! Each fall Springdale Youth Boosters hosts a family movie night at the Springdale Community Center in the Amphitheater. Bring chairs and blankets to get comfortable. Concessions will be open for a variety of snacks, hot dogs, drinks, and of course popcorn!

Father-Daughter Dance
Saturday, October 19 • 6:00 - 8:00pm
Fathers and their daughters will enjoy music, dancing, food, and making memories. Tickets will go on sale October 1 at the Springdale Community Center.

Monster Mania VII: Monster’s Revenge
Saturday, October 26 • 2:00 - 4:00pm
Come down to the Community Center where kids ages 2 through fourth grade will enjoy Halloween games, activities, treats, haunted room tours and a costume contest. Registration begins October 1.

Skills & Drills Basketball Clinic
Saturday, November 9 • 10:00am - 12:00pm
Participants 7-12 years of age will run through various fundamental drills to improve their technique and skills. Registration begins October 15.

Veterans Day Ceremony
Monday, November 11
Springdale Veteran’s Memorial
In honor of those who have defended freedom, many paying the supreme sacrifice, Springdale will present a special ceremony in commemoration of Veteran’s Day. Parking is available at the Municipal Complex. Groups interested in participating in this year’s tribute should contact Matt Beaty at mbeaty@springdale.org. Time and details to be announced.

Tree Lighting Ceremony
Monday, December 2 • 7:00pm
The tree at Springdale’s Municipal Building will be illuminated, officially beginning the holiday season in Springdale. Springdale Elementary students will sing carols with a visit from Santa, and refreshments to follow. The public is invited to this free event.

ACTIVE ADULTS

Co-ed Cornhole League
Tuesday Evenings
Register Now
Play Begins: September 2019
Price: $25 per two-person team

Co-Ed Racquetball
Days Vary
Registration Begins: November 1, 2019
Play Begins: January 2020
Price: $5

Women’s Volleyball
Wednesday Evenings
Registration Begins: November 1, 2019
December 1, 2019 (Non-SCC member teams)
Play Begins: January 2020
Price:
SCC Member Teams - $135
SCC Non-Member Teams - $235
Springdale businesses can register a team beginning November 1 for $135.

Food, Fun & Entertainment
3:00 - 9:00pm
There will be a series of three local bands performing in the amphitheater with music to appeal to a wide range of taste. At 3:00pm, one of the area’s most popular country bands, The Dan Varner Band will take the stage. The Dan Varner Band characterizes their music as traditional country, meets newer country, mixed with a little bit of rock and roll. Beginning at 5:00pm, The Remains cover band will hit you with decades of the high-energy popular classics from the 60’s, 70’s, 80’s through today’s current music. The Everyday People Band will take the stage at 7:30pm. The Everyday People Band is one of the most sought after bands in the area, providing a concert level performance. They offer Motown, R & B, Pop, Funk & Disco.

ComeUnity Bash on Saturday, September 7
Join your neighbors and community friends for a full day of wholesome family fun and entertainment at the Springdale ComeUnity Bash on Saturday, September 7. As the name would imply, the event is offered to provide an opportunity for people of all ages in the community to come together, socialize and enjoy life in Springdale.

Family MudQuest
1:00pm
Get down and dirty in the ‘Dale with your family and friends in the 7th annual Family MudQuest. Through mud pits, over hay bales, and down the slippery slope are just a few of the challenges in this messy and fun family event. The Family MudQuest will be held on Field #5 at the Community Center and begins at 1:00 pm. Registration begins Aug. 12. Space is limited.

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The Cincinnati Circus will present their amazing Big Show with performances scheduled for 4:30pm and 6:30pm. Each show will provide you with comedy, juggling, magic, aerial acrobatics, flying trapeze and more! There will be an abundance of other family friendly activities throughout the afternoon and evening, including a climbing wall, petting zoo and games for all ages, all free of charge. Our local service groups and organizations will have food and refreshments available for purchase. So come out and enjoy this year’s ComeUnity Bash!
INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

Barre Fit
Wednesday • 7:05 - 8:05pm
Kristi 907-8556
Improve posture, add muscle, lose weight, increase flexibility, and reduce stress in this fun fitness class.

H.I.I.T. Fit
Tuesday, Thursday • 5:55 - 6:55pm
Saturday • 11:00am - 12:00pm
Elaine M. 446-1839
This action packed high intensity interval training (H.I.I.T) class combines the benefits of kickboxing and strength training that’s sure to challenge your body and give you the results you need.

Hip-Hop Fit
Monday • 7:05 - 8:05pm
Markesha 885-6065
This high-energy, full-body workout is open to everyone who wants to burn up the dance floor and burn calories.

Jazzercise
Monday, Wednesday, Friday • 5:55-6:55pm
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday • 9:30-10:30am
Elaine S. 260-3604
A high-intensity mix of dance-based cardio and strength training for a calorie-crushing total body workout.

L.I.F.E. – Low Impact Fun(ctional) Exercises
Tuesday, Thursday • 11:00am - 12:00pm
Fitness Center Team 346-3910
This class promotes stronger bones, better balance, and healthier bodies that will help with everyday tasks.

Line Dance
Thursday • 1:00 - 2:00pm
Judy 520-2784
Open to singles and couples who want to learn to dance or expand your existing dance skills while having fun and exercising at the same time.

Red Cross Classes
First Aid/CPR/AED and Babysitting & Childcare training classes now available. Open to the general public and hosted at the Community Center. Call 1-800-RED CROSS or visit redcross.org and click “Find Classes” under Training and Certification for details.

SilverSneakers® Classic
Wednesday • 11:30am - 12:15pm
Melanie 324-6173
A low-impact strength and cardio class designed to improve muscular endurance, cardio, and flexibility.

Slimnastics
Monday, Wednesday, Friday • 9:15-10:15am
Sue 738-0361
A class for women that combines the best parts of dancing and aerobics into one to lower body fat and burn calories.

Tai Chi for Health
Monday • 1:00 - 2:00pm
Barbara 267-0409
A gentle, yet powerful exercise form that combines fluid movements, breathing, and stretching to improve muscle tone, balance, flexibility, and reduce stress.

Walking Poles
Tuesday • 7:05 - 8:05pm
Aux Gym
Join us for a high energy, fat burning workout designed to get you into shape quickly while having fun.

Zumba®
Tuesday • 7:05 - 8:05pm
Melissa 969-4772
Zumba combines high energy and motivating music with unique moves and combinations for a fun workout.

Electric/Bass Guitar Lessons
Adults: Tuesday, Thursday • 6:30 - 7:30pm
Youth: Tuesday • 4:00 - 5:00pm
This popular program is open to students’ ages 10 through adults. Students provide their own guitar, small amplifier and headphones. Cost is $96 for the 8-week session and is required when registering. Class size is limited to 12 students. Call instructor Ed Riley at 235-3766 for more information.

YOUTH PROGRAMS

Teen Fit
Sunday, August 11 • 1:30 - 4:30pm
Sunday, November 3 • 1:30 - 4:30pm
This award-winning hands-on class will cover the basics of cardio, strength training, and nutrition. Registration required. Ages 13-17.

Thank You Springdale!
On May 7th, we asked you the residents to approve an increase in our local Earnings Tax from 1.5% to 2%. You did so by a vote of 70% to 30%. This increase will enable the City to continue providing the outstanding level of services that you have come to expect. The previous increase lasted 15 years. We will continue to be good stewards of your money, and hopefully make this increase last even longer.

– Your Elected Officials

Chipper Program Continues to Operate
During the fall leaf collection program, the City continues to operate its Chipper Program. Residents are asked to place brush and limbs with the cut ends facing the road in a separate pile and away from the leaves. Keep in mind that the brush program only handles woody materials such as branches, limbs and logs, while the leaf program only handles leaves. All herbaceous landscape plant material must be bagged for regular Rumpke collection as this material cannot be handled by either the chipper or the leaf machine. Please have all acceptable material placed at the side of the curb by Monday morning at 7:00 a.m. in order to ensure timely collection.
Springdale’s Upcoming City Elections in November

This November, the following are up for election:
- Mayor
- Clerk of Council/Finance Director
- Three At-Large Council Seats

Springdale Elections are conducted by the Hamilton County Board of Elections. Petitions must be filed by August 22. Details can be obtained at http://boe.hamilton-co.org or by calling 632-7000.

Health Department Services

**Immunizations**
Uninsured, underinsured, and Medicaid insured children (ages birth-18 years old)
1st & 3rd Wednesday mornings
Appointment Required

**Cholesterol/Glucose Screening**
3rd Thursday morning
Appointment Required - $15 fee

**Blood Pressure Checks**
2nd Tuesday at Senior Meeting
3rd Tuesday at Fitness Center (10:30-12:30)
Also available in office by appointment

**Home Wellness Visits**
Call 346-5725 for more information.

**SOS Annual Euchre Tournament**
Saturday, October 5, 2019
6:00 - 11:00pm
Springdale Community Center

Garbage Collection Note – Thanksgiving Day

Rumpke collects trash on Thanksgiving Day. The Rumpke schedule for the week remains unchanged.

14th Annual Business Expo/Chili Cook-Off to be Held October 1, 2019

The annual Business/Community Expo & Chili Cook-Off is planned for Tuesday, October 1, at the Community Center from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm. Sponsored by the Springdale Chamber of Commerce, the Expo is open to all businesses as well as the public. The Expo is a free public event, complete with door prizes and free chili samples. If your business is interested in having a booth or in donating door prizes, contact Julie Matheny at 346-5712 or julie@kemperpondofficepark.com.

Annual Health Fair

Tuesday, October 1, 2019 • 12:00 - 2:00pm
Springdale Community Center

Services offered: adult flu vaccinations for $25 (some Medicare plans can be billed - bring insurance cards), free adult flu vaccinations for the uninsured, free vaccinations for children, free blood pressure checks, free hearing screenings, free diabetes screenings, and free BMI screenings. For appointments, call the Springdale Health Department at 346-5725.