



NEWS:

October 14th through October 18th - Hydrants will be flushed in town. You may experience discoloration and low pressure. Washing light colored laundry is not advised. Running an outside faucet can eliminate any discolored water or or in water lines.

Until further notice, the Center St. bridge is CLOSED for all vehicle and pedestrian traffic. It has been brought to the City's attention that the bridge is in an unsafe condition and should be stayed away from completely!! Please detour around the bridge.

If you haven't, please fill out **Questionnaire for Lead and Copper Survey**. Stop up at City Hall to grab yours, or email oxfordcityhall@southslope.net and we will email you back a copy to fill out.

Thank you to all who attended, participated, sponsored and had a hand in putting on the **Oxford Tractor Pull 2024!** See our Facebook page for pictures for all to enjoy!

UPCOMING:

October 5th - LUO Classic Car Cruise In 11AM

Oxford Public Library Fall Book Sale 10-3PM

October 12th - Movie in the Park & Crafts put on by Oxford Public Library and the City of Oxford starting at 5 PM. Come to the pavilion at Creekside Park at 5pm for a pumpkin craft, and stay for our double screening of Spookley the Square Pumpkin & Hocus Pocus. Pumpkins donated by *Stacies Greenhouse and Flower Shop*. Costumes are encouraged. Popcorn provided by *Hills Bank*.

October 19th - Oxford Methodist Church Annual Turkey Dinner. Dinner Served 4:30-6:30. Auction starts at 6:45. \$13 adults, \$10 Children 10 and under.

And as always our wonderful local shops are open! **ANNEX Tweaked Too**, **Bootleggers Vintage Market**, **Deja Brew Coffee House & Bakery**, **Mindy's Backroad Boutique** on the weekends.

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Oxford Library Happenings:

The library will be closed Wednesday, October 23rd as our director attends an offsite professional development workshop. Due dates set on this day will be extended. Please wait to turn in games, puzzles, kits, DVDs, etc. until you can come into the library to do so. Thank you!

Weekly Story Times are held at the library every Wednesday @10:30am. Bring the small kiddos and enjoy fun stories and songs. There will be no Storytime on 8/23.

Kids/tweens are welcome to the library every Wednesday early-out for **Wacky Wednesday** rotating activities and fun! In October, we'll feature LEGO, Tech, Movie, and Craft Day. Activities start at 1:30pm and run 1-2 hours (depending on the activity). Can't make it for the official activity? Our LEGO bins will still be out after the activity until close at 6pm. There will be no Wacky Wednesday on 8/23.

Programs:

- **10/5 @ 10am-3pm:** Come to the library during the LUO - Classic Car Cruise In for our **Fall Book Sale**. All proceeds will be donated to the library in support of upcoming programs for all ages. Books and DVDs will be available for free-will donation purchase. Cash & check only!
- 10/10 @ 5:30-7pm: Join our crafting group, **Sit 'N Stitch** as we come together for another month of connection and crafting. This group meets the second Thursday of each month with no expertise required.
- **10/12 @ 5-8pm:** Enjoy a spooky screening and craft night with the **Movie & Crafts in the Park** event! Located at the pavilion at Creekside Park, bring the family to paint a pumpkin, get glitter tattoos, and watch a double screening of Spookley the Square Pumpkin and Hocus Pocus. Popcorn, M&ms, and drinks will be available. Attendees are expected to bring their own blankets, chairs, etc. to enjoy the movies and costumes are encouraged! Activities will be available while supplies last. Thank you to Stacie's Greenhouse and Flower Shop for providing pumpkins and Hills Bank for providing the popcorn! This event is in collaboration with the City of Oxford.
- **10/17 @ 7pm:** Join the **Table of Context Book Club** as we discuss Master Slave Husband Wife: An Epic Journey from Slavery to Freedom by Ilyon Woo. If you'd like to join this discussion via Zoom, please send us a message for the link.
- **10/24 @ 7pm:** Join the **After Hours Book Club** as we discuss our October pick. If you'd like to join this discussion via Zoom, please send us a message for the link. Browse our Facebook page or website to learn more about the book chosen for October.
- **10/28 @ 4:30-5:30pm:** Join us at **Plum Spooky**, a Halloween event hosted by the Johnson County Historical Society at the Plum Grove Historic Home. Ms. Lauren will be holding a Story Hour outside of the historic home full of songs, seasonal stories and fun! To find out more about the entire event, visit the Johnson County Historical Society's Facebook page.

Keep an eye on our website/Facebook page for our announcement of the October **Dungeons & Dragons** session! Meeting one Saturday at 12pm each month, this is a FREE group to join for both seasoned players and beginners. Registration is required and players must be 14 years and up.

Thank you for reading!

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