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# City of Kirkwood E-Newsletter

**Kirkwood E-News**

**July 8, 2010**

## FAMILY NIGHT AT THE KIRKWOOD AQUATIC CENTER: FRIDAY NIGHT!

Come join us for Family Night at the Kirkwood Pool this Friday night, July 9, 7:45 to 9:15 p.m. Admission will be **half price**. We will have music, swimming, and fun!! Bring the whole family!

## Kirkwood Public Library to Close July 11 for a Week

Kirkwood Public Library is returning home. In preparation for the move, the temporary location at 200 S. Kirkwood Road will shut its doors at 5:00 p.m., Sunday, July 11, so that all books and materials may be reallocated to the newly refurbished library. **The library will remain closed July 12-16.**



The outside book drop will be moved the morning of July 12, re-positioned to its permanent location at 140 E. Jefferson, and available for use later that day. Please allow some time for the movers to get the book drop to its new home.

Materials placed on hold that come in during this transition will be available for five days following the July 17 opening. You may still get a call from the automated system during this time. In addition, any materials that are due during this transition may be returned fine free from July 12-31.

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Volunteers will be on hand at both locations during this transition phase to assist you with questions and concerns. Your patience during the transition is greatly appreciated.

## New City Website is Live!

The City's new Website went live late on Wednesday, July 7. There are still some glitches to be worked out, and your patience for the next few days is appreciated. Be sure to visit the new site and send us your feedback on its usability, appearance, and content. Send all comments to the City's Public Information Officer Beth von Behren at [vonbehen@kirkwoodmo.org](mailto:vonbehen@kirkwoodmo.org) or give her a call at 314-822-5894. Thank you!!



## Kirkwood in Bloom - City Hall Plantings

You may have noticed the beautiful flowers and plants that are blooming in front of City Hall this



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summer. As usual, Kirkwood in Bloom volunteers have done a great job of designing a seasonal display that is not only pleasing to the eye but is also good for the planet. This year, the focus was on building a garden to feed butterflies and hummingbirds. The following plants are now on display in the "Butterfly & Hummingbird Delight" garden at the west entrance to Kirkwood City Hall:



**CENTER PLANTING "Thrillers" (tall/upright/spiky):** Asclepias curassavica (Scarlet Milkweed - to attract the Monarch butterfly); Canna (hummingbird); Pennisetum (Ornamental Millet); Salvia (hummingbird); Ruellia brittoniana (Mexican Petunia - hummingbird).

**CENTER PLANTING "Fillers" (round/full):** Begonia; Celosia (butterfly); Cuphea (Mexican Cigar Plant - hummingbirds); Lantana (butterfly); Parsley; Rudbeckia (butterfly); Salvia (sage - hummingbird); Zinnia (butterfly).

**BORDER PLANTING "Spillers" (low/trailing):** Dorotheanthus (Livingstone Daisy); Tradescantia pallida (Purple Heart).

Plants for this display sponsored by: **Summit Produce & Nursery** at *Kirkwood Farmers' Market*.

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