

EVENTS

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Church

Sunday, May 18 at 4 p.m. Jan Kraybill returns to Dodge City to perform an organ concert FREE and open to the public!

Dodge City Civic Center

Friday, June 20 from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. Kansas

Shrine BowlTime

Wright Park

Thursday, May 22 at 1 p.m. Ford County LHEAT, Ford County Breastfeeding Coalition and Dodge City Area Chamber of Commerce celebrate the installation of a lactation bench with guest speakers and a ribbon cutting

Long Branch Lagoon Saturday, May 24 at 1

p.m. GRAND OPENING FOR THE 2025 SWIM SEASON!

United Wireless Arena

May 25 at 5 p.m. Storm vs. Washington Wolfpack

Saturday, June 28 at 7 p.m. An Evening with Larry the Cable Guy
Friday, July 25 I Want My 80s Tour featuring Rick Springfield, John Waite, Wang Chung and Paul Young

Downtown Dodge City

Friday, May 30 at 4 p.m. Final Friday! Enjoy inspiring art, refreshments, sales and more as historic downtown Dodge City comes alive.

Santa Fe Depot

Friday, May 30 at 6 p.m. Josh Roesener Exhibition!

Downtown Dodge City

Saturday, June 7 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Dodge City Main Street festival

sponsored by SWKS Radio!

The Depot Theater (Don Steele Theater)

June 13 to 28 SpongeBob: the Musical! Call the box office to order tickets. 620-225-1001 or go online depottheater.com

HorseThief Reservoir

Saturday, June 14 Father's Day Fishing Tournament (7 a.m. to noon) and Hamburger

Feed (11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.) brought to you by Friends of HorseThief Reservoir, United Wireless, Victory Electric and National Beef. Followed by Rock the Reservoir. Questions? Call 620-253-8464. Want to place an ad or sponsor an event for Dodge City Days? Contact Joni Wittman at 620-227-3119 or email jwittman@dodgechamber.com

AWARDS

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Soroptimist International is a global volunteer organization that provides women and girls access to the education and training they

need to achieve economic empowerment. The Dodge City club is proud to invest in dreams – locally and beyond.

This year members awarded two \$800 scholarships to Dodge City High School seniors Juliana Malinero and Litzy Andazola, and helped to facilitate the “Live Your

Dream Award.”

The “Live Your Dream Award” is open to any woman who is the primary financial support for her family and who is pursuing education or skills training.

The club encourages the public to donate to Sally's Project to support local youth who cannot afford feminine hygiene products. World Menstrual Hygiene Day is Wednesday, May 28.

Two drop-off locations for pads (of all sizes), tampons, liners, wipes, menstrual cups and new underwear are at Dr. Ackerman's office, 2300 N. 14th Ave., #100A, and Flowers by Irene, 509 N. 2nd Ave., inside Eryn's Downtown Center.

All donations will go to support local schools and organizations helping those in need. At least one in five teenagers struggle to afford such products, which are not covered by government assistance programs like SNAP or WIC, and causes students to miss school. Learn more about www.WorldMenstrualHygieneDay.org.

Soroptimist of Dodge meet at noon the first and third Tuesdays on the second floor of Eryn's Downtown Center.

For more information email siddodgecityks@gmail.com or call 620-225-7829. Follow @Soroptimist International of Dodge City, KS on Facebook!

Ford County Sheriff's Office

POPLOG

Alejandro O. Hernandez, 30, aggravated indecent liberties with child; aggravated intimidation of a witness/victim.

Heather L. Kinder, 43, 4 counts probation violation; DUI; possession of paraphernalia; possession of marijuana; possession of drugs; traffic contraband into correctional/care facility.

Zachary X. Grey, 36, burglary; theft.

Alex Gonzalez-Arce, 35, probation violation; possession of paraphernalia; criminal damage to property; disorderly conduct; possession of drugs.

Henry Rodriguez Gonzalez, 18, probation violation; attempted possession of marijuana; possession of depressant; 2 counts possession of paraphernalia; possession of controlled substance; interference with LEO.

Bonifacio Sanchez, Jr., 18, 2 counts failure to appear; possession of marijuana; attempted possession of paraphernalia; interference with LEO, traffic contraband into a correctional/care facility.

Adriana L. Maas, 23, probation violation.

Octavius D. Meadows, 26, probation violation.

Blake A. Fernandez, 20, disorderly conduct; criminal damage to property.

Brandon L. Langston, 35, theft.

Keon A. Clary, 24, possession of marijuana; possession of paraphernalia.

Tanner D. Jones, 26, violate offender registration act.

Jose I. Chicas-Ramirez, 21, aggravated endangering a child.

Yaretzi A. Raymundo Soto, 18, aggravated endangering a child.

Jordan T. Woolen, 33, interference with LEO; disorderly conduct.

FUNDING

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come out but we don't know when, so we're playing the waiting game. We are ready to go.”

Cecil was joined by his park department colleagues Ross Sweley and Chris Austin.

The new logo featuring the flight of the Monarch butterfly embodies the genuine, cheerful tone of the space, which boasts a thriving Liberty Garden, Hoover Pavilion and band shell in addition to the Long Branch Lagoon and expanded playground.

“We want something that will last for generations to come,” Cecil said. “Our community is going to have to come together to make this happen.”

The project will start regardless of the grant – the only difference is the doubling of time it will take to accomplish, Dodge City Manager Nic Hernandez said.

“The commission is committed to see the plan move forward and already has funding set aside,” he said.

“However, it might be five to six years until we raised those funds.”

Citizens could stick with the original three-year timeline if they voted to approve a sales tax initiative, he said.

Improvements and upgrades to the playground, band shell and road grading will take place first. The zoo will take the longest time to accomplish.

The band shell will enjoy electrical upgrades, stone cleaning and plaster repair, while remaining true to its history and character. The playground will feature inclusive attractions for all abilities.

The idea is to keep the park free and accessible to the public while also getting the work done in phases.

The city is working with the Community Foundation of Southwest Kansas to establish an account to receive donations and legacies for the project.

Season passes to The Long Branch Lagoon are on sale now and the first official day of the summer swim season begins Saturday, May 24. The pool will be open from 1 to 7 p.m. For more information visit lagoon.com or find @Long Branch Lagoon Water Park on Facebook.

SUDOKU

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Fun By The Numbers

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!

Level: Advanced

Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

1	4	7	6	5	3	9	8	2
3	9	8	4	2	5	6	1	7
8	6	9	2	4	7	5	3	1
1	8	5	4	9	7	2	3	6
3	7	1	6	8	9	4	2	5
6	2	8	4	1	5	9	3	7
9	1	3	4	8	7	9	6	2
8	3	4	9	7	2	1	5	6
1	9	7	8	5	6	3	4	2

ANSWER:

DODGE CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Tuesday, May 27 at 4 p.m. Board of Trustees meeting

Friday, May 30 at 3 p.m.

Drums Across the Prairie: The rise, fall and rebirth of drum and bugle corps in Kansas.

Friday, June 7 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friends of the Library book sale!

Monday, June 16 from 2 to 3 p.m. Railroaded: The industry that shaped Kansas presented by Leo Oliva

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