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19th Annual  
**COMMUNITY WIDE**

**GARAGE SALE**

**September 6, 2014**

Contact Platte City Area Chamber of Commerce  
 (816) 858-5270

**City Meetings**

**City Hall, 400 Main Street:**

Pub Safety committee: Sept. 8, 5:30 pm  
 Pub Works committee: No session scheduled

Planning Commission: To be determined  
 Econ Dev committee: Sept 16, 5:30 pm  
 Board of Aldermen: Sept 23, 7:00 pm

**Civic Center, 900 4th Street**

Park Board: Sept 8, 6:30 pm  
 Municipal Court Sept 8, 6:00 pm

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**KEEP AN EYE OUT !**

**DRIVERS:** As days get shorter, it is harder to see runners/ walkers.

**RUNNERS:** Wear bright, protective clothing to help out drivers. Be Safe.

**Elected Officials:**

- Mayor- Frank Offutt
- Ward I- Brad Fryrear  
Vickie Atkins
- Ward II- Ron Porter  
Tony Paolillo
- Ward III- Debbie Kirkpatrick  
John Higgins
- Municipal Judge-Greg Dorsey

**City Hall Office Hours.**

Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm  
 (816) 858-3046 Office

- Dennis J. Gehrt-City Administrator
- Amy Edwards-City Clerk
- Marji Gehr-Finance Officer
- Kari Knabe-Municipal Court Clerk
- Camie Lutz-City Collector

University of Missouri  
 Photo Journalism Workshop in Platte City  
 Sept 21-27, 2014

**FREE TO THE COMMUNITY**

**Opening Picnic**

Sun, Sept 21, 5 pm-7pm  
 Platte County R-III School  
 Open Field on Highway 92

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 Platte City**

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**DOWNTOWN EVENTS**

**On the Courthouse Square, 4th and Main**

**Saturday, Sept. 13: 6:00 pm, Five Star Jazz Band** (sponsored by Platte City Friends of Arts)

**Saturday, Sept 20, 7:30 pm Outdoor Movie: HUNGER GAMES** (Double Feature)

**Thursday, Sept 25, 5 pm- 7pm, Ladies Night Out**, 35+ vendors, [www.plattecitymo.com](http://www.plattecitymo.com) for info

**Friday, October 3, 5 pm– 10 pm, 3-150 Celebration with live band (Whisky Jim and the Outlaw Benders), beer, soft drinks and food**

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Online bill pay

Receive E-mail bills

Report a concern

**SEPTEMBER RECREATION SIGN UP**

**Volleyball** Sign up ends September 14

**Basketball** Sign up begins September 8

Consider On line

Recreation sign up and payment

**WWW.Plattecity.org**

**THANKS FOR YOUR HELP, KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK**

Thanks to all residents who worked so hard to maintain your yard and property during the spring and summer growing season.

Maintaining your yard and property allows everyone to live in a safe, attractive neighborhood and maintains the value of all homes and businesses. Keep up the good work!

***Crime Prevention Tips***

**Vacation Tips:**

- Before you go on vacation contact the Platte City Police at 858-5150 to request a “**vacation watch in passing**”. Officers on patrol will be aware you are not home and will patrol past your home on a more frequent basis.
- When on vacation, suspend newspaper deliver and have your mail held a the post office.
- Use timers to activate lights and to turn radio on/off.
- If gone in winter, arrange for prompt snow removal.

**Reduce Opportunities for Crime**

- Lock windows and doors. Install and use deadbolt.
- Place rod in track of sliding door to prevent opening
- Install exterior lights with motion detectors
- Do not leave car keys in vehicle, even in your driveway
- Lock all vehicles even in your garage and driveway
- Do not leave cell phones, tablets or other expensive items in any easily visible part of your vehicle.
- Get to know your neighbors; help organize a Neighborhood Watch. Call Platte City Police at 858-5150 to start.