City of Bennington April 2023 Newsletter

The Bennington Recycling Center is closed until further notice. The company that we were using to process our recycling shut down their processing operation on Monday, March 6. As soon as we find a company to process our items, we will reopen the center. There is a company that has been found but we are waiting to find out if they will contract with us to pick up our recycling. A text caster will be sent out whenever we get word on this. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Walk Kansas kicks off March 26. It runs eight weeks and focuses on physical fitness and healthy eating. Contact the Ottawa County Extension Office or go online to ksre.k-state.edu for more information.

Bennington Senior Center business meetings are held monthly on the third Thursday at 1:00 p.m. These meetings are open to the public.

Matt Hessman with Accessible Home Health is present to record blood pressures and also help you with tech issues (cell phone, etc.) He usually arrives around 12:30 and stays until the meeting is over.

Have you tried the meals from the Senior Center? Meals for those 60 and over are \$4.00 each (if paperwork has been completed). Call Becky for more information (785.488.3893)

The United Church of Bennington has started planning for the annual Memorial Day Dinner. If you would like to help by donating a salad or pie or would want to volunteer some time to help with setup, serving or teardown, please call and leave a message at the church (785.488.3772)

SERVICES

Sherise Shepherd- 785-488-6755 Yard work, cleaning, mowing, etc.

Terren Andrews- 785-488-6116 12:00 noon - to 1:00 p.m. or after 5:00 p.m. Gutter cleaning any odd jobs.

Max Houghton- 785-488-7122 Light yard work, mowing, leaves.

Call the numbers above to get a quote on prices.

ATTENTION

We are on the lookout for residents who have not registered their animals and brought proof of rabies vaccination to the city office. Tags are now \$8.00 per tag as of the first week of April. They go up one dollar per week. Because we must keep a record of all animals residing in the city for rabies vaccinations, we will write a citation to appear in court if we find you have not registered them. Please get this taken care of.

Reminder that free dump days for City of Bennington residents is coming up May 1-7. No tires will be accepted.

If you have not signed up for Text caster, I am here to help you if you need it! Go to the website, www.cityofbennington.com to sign up or call and I will walk you though it if necessary. It is important to use this free service. I update the community through text when we have everything from boil advisories to general information residents need to know.

