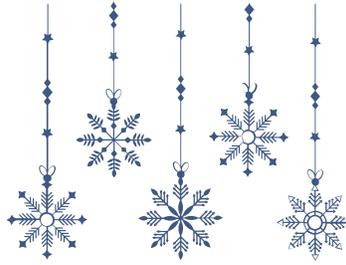


Newsletter



SPLASH PAD

The City of Victoria is moving ahead with plans to install a splash pad in the City Park. The newly created City Endowment Fund has sent letters to area businesses seeking donations. The businesses have already responded by donating more than \$35,000 in cash and prizes to the project. This is a great start, and now it is time for the next phase. The Endowment Fund is conducting a raffle consisting of donated prizes. There is a sheet of raffle tickets included with this newsletter that you can fill out and return to City Hall. The tickets are available for a donation of \$5.00 each, or a sheet of ten are \$40.00. If you would like more tickets, they are available at City Hall, or you can print a sheet from the City's Facebook page or the website, www.victoriaks.com/endowment.htm. The raffle will take place on February 16, at 5:00 at City Hall. If anyone would like to donate an additional prize, they will be accepted up until the time of the drawing. A complete up-to-date listing of prizes will be available on the website and the City's Facebook page. Tickets will also be available up until the time of the drawing.



Addy Sander, a fifth grader at Victoria Elementary School, is the winner of the Snappy the turtle coloring contest. Her design will be used in the making of Snappy the turtle for our splash pad!

Raffle Prizes as of December 23

- #1- Custom engraved limestone rock
- #2, 3 & 4 - \$50 gift cards to Victoria Total Convenience
- #5- Electric Cooler with Knight Logo
- #6- Battery Operating Misting Fan
- #7- Coupon card for one McDonalds Happy Meal per week for a year
- #8- Coupon Card for one McDonalds Extra Value Meal per week for a year
- #9- Flag and Medal Display Box
- #10, 11 & 12- \$50 gift certificates to the Library Bar & Grill

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CHRISTMAS TRADITION



Thank you to Karen Nowak for spear heading the project to bring back street themed Christmas yard decorations. The city would also like to thank the welding classes and all of the volunteers who helped make over 160 ornaments this year.

We are making a list for next year if you would like an ornament. Please email Karen at karennowak@usd432.org or call city hall at 785-735-2259.



On November 25th, Senator Jerry Moran stopped by City Hall to say hello! Senator Moran is pictured with Chief Cole Dinkel and his son Hank.

At the December 2025 City Council meeting, Joe Leroux announced that he was moving to Hays, and therefore was resigning from the Victoria City Council. Joe has served since January 2024, and the City of Victoria thanks him for his time on Council. Harland Rupp will fulfill Joe's remaining two year term. Chris Dreiling has volunteered to fill the seat previously held by Harland for a four year term.

BOOKMOBILE

Monday, Jan. 12th - VES from 2:45pm-4pm
 Saturday, Jan. 17th - Victoria Park - 1pm-2pm
 Monday, Feb. 2nd - VES from 2:45pm-4pm
 Saturday, Feb. 21st - Victoria Park from 1pm-2pm
 Monday, March 2nd - VES from 2:45-4pm
 Saturday, March 21st - Victoria Park from 1pm-2pm

WEATHER PERMITTING



The second phase of the Knights Addition has begun! As of December 23, two houses are under construction.

Nine lots have been purchased and two lots are still available. If you are interested in purchasing a lot, contact Golden Belt Bank at 785-625-7345.

EMERGENCY SNOW ROUTES

THE CITY OF VICTORIA WILL BE IMPLEMENTING SNOW ROUTES.

THE FOLLOWING STREETS HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED AS EMERGENCY SNOW ROUTES WITHIN THE CITY:

CATHEDRAL STREET 10TH
 STREET MAIN STREET EAST
 AND WEST MAIN STREET
 3RD STREET

IN A SNOW EMERGENCY THERE WILL BE NO PARKING ON THE STREETS LISTED ABOVE. THE CITY WILL ANNOUNCE WHEN A SNOW EMERGENCY EXISTS ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE AND LOCAL MEDIA.

PENALTY. ANY PERSON WHO SHALL VIOLATE ANY OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE DEEMED GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND UPON CONVICTION SHALL BE PUNISHED AS CLASS C BY FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$500.



Introducing MICHELLE PATRY

Sunflower Bank is proud to announce Michelle Patry, our newest Consumer Lender, at our Victoria branch.



As a Consumer Lender, Michelle helps individuals access lending solutions to reach their financial goals, including:

- Personal Loans
- Credit Cards
- Auto Loans
- Debt Consolidation

Stop by or call today to learn more!

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As a member of our Victoria team, Michelle plays an integral role in our relationship-focused approach, providing a full range of services to meet your personal and business financial needs.



-SEWER AVERAGING-

Sewer averaging for the next year is based on customers' consumption during the months of December through March. The new rates will be reflected on the May bills.

