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### **April Birthdays**

| Marsha Marshall      | 4/4  |
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| Caleb Strayer        | 4/10 |
| Don White            | 4/16 |
| Barbara Thorbjornsen | 4/17 |
| Shawn Clark          | 4/21 |

Make a tree good and its fruit will be good, or make a tree bad and its fruit will be bad, for a tree is recognized by its fruit. . . . For the mouth speaks what the heart is full of. A good man brings good things out of the good stored up in him, and an evil man brings evil things out of the evil stored up in him. But I tell you that everyone will have to give account on the day of judgment for every empty word they have spoken. For by your words you will be acquitted and by your words you will be condemned. *—(Matthew 12:33-37)* 

# **Meet the Council**

**Council Member Brown's Dates of Service** 

> 1995-1997 2011-2016 2016-2020

The following questions were sent to the Mayor and Council Members. Answers from Council Member Tony Brown follow each question.

1. What made you decide to run for office?

I have always been involved in politics and government and hope that my experience may benefit the city.

2. What do you think are the two most important issues facing the City of Kingston?

Development of the property next to the Interstate (Exits 352-Kingston Pointe, and Gallaher Road).

### Continuing the level of service we currently have.

3. If you could accomplish one thing during your time in office, what would it be and why?

### Development of property to support new business in Kingston.

4. As an elected official, what would you like to say to the citizens reading this (anything goes)?

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to serve you and I promise I will do my best. If you don't think I am, please contact me.

### **Meetings & Events**

### **April 2017**

**March 2017** 

#### **4** Council Work Session

- 11 City Council Meeting (Immediately following Public Hearing)
- 11 Beer Board Meeting (Immediately following Council Meeting)
- 11 Water Board Meeting (Immediately following Council Meeting)
- 11 Budget Meeting (Immediately following Water Board Meeting)
- **18 Planning Commission Meeting**

### 7 Council Work Session

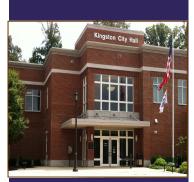
- 14 City Council Meeting (Immediately following Public Hearing)
- 14 Beer Board Meeting (Immediately following Council Meeting)
- 14 Water Board Meeting (Immediately following Council Meeting)
- 21 Planning Commission Meeting

### **KINGSTON CITY COUNCIL**

MAYOR **Timothy Neal VICE MAYOR Randy Childs COUNCIL MEMBERS Tony Brown** Sarah Humphreys Tara R. Stockton **Stephanie Wright Don White** 

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In a post on social media the Parks & Recreation Department reported Special Olympics athletes showed off their skills in the Area 30 Special Olympic Games. Students from all over Roane County took part, doing everything from softball throwing and long jumping to track and field races.



During the March 14th City Council meeting, our City Clerk for close to 30 years, Eleanor Neal, received a plaque in honor of her service from City Mayor Tim Neal.

impressive reign of service.

#### **Special points of interes**

- Department News
- Personal Notes, Etc.
- Meetings & Events
- Employee Birthdates

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# SPECIAL OLYMPICS IN KINGSTON

## CITY CLERK—1987 THROUGH 2016

Ms. Neal has been a city employee since 1979-over 38 years. Quite an

(Photo courtesy of the Roane County News)

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**Business conventions are** important . . . because they demonstrate how many people a company can operate without !

# **Department News**



Congratulations Willie! If you have ever eaten Willie's cooking I am sure you are not surprised that he won the Chili Cook Off on March 25th in Harriman. He is pictured above with a few of his competitors. Way to go Willie!!!



### **30 Years and Counting!**

On Friday, March 31, friends and coworkers of Police Chief Jim Washam gathered in the Police Department to congratulate and thank him for 30 years of service with the city. Pictured to the left, Mayor Tim Neal presents him with a watch in appreciation of his service.

### **Congratulations Chief!**



A group of city employees, Council members and the City Manager gather in front of City Hall to show their support of Ethan Guinn on the day he was to receive his test results.

### **Kingston Publi**

| Adult Storytime Read Aloud | April 1 |
|----------------------------|---------|
| K'nex                      | April 1 |
| Technology Lab,            | April 2 |
| Adult Move Screening,      | April 2 |

| ic Library                       |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| April 11 — 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.     |  |
| April 18 — 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.     |  |
| April 22 — 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. |  |
| April 25 — 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.  |  |
|                                  |  |



CITY SCENES

# **Personal Notes, Etc.**

We have employees, friends and family members suffering illness, loss and various other trials and issues. Please include them in your prayers.

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. (Jeremiah 29:11)

#### NOTE TO EMPLOYEES:

If you suffer a loss or have a personal need or concern you would like to share with other employees, please either call Joyce at Ext. 1102 or e-mail her at jalking@bellsouth.net.



Pictured left to right FRONT ROW: Police Chief Jim Washam, Chaplain Randy Griffis, Sergeant Bo Smith, Training Coordinator/Firearms Division Stephen Fugate, Sergeant Wes Stooksbury, David Nance, Reserve Captain Jerry Price, Reserve Alicia Hall, Investigator Randy Childs, Investigator Pete Stinnett. BACK ROW Investigator Troy Wright, Reserve Lieutenant Buster Endsley, Reserve Timmy Tipton, Training Assistant Butch Toon, Daniel Lantz, ACO/Reserve Mike Yeary, Sergeant Gary Nelson, Reserve Sergeant Chris Woody, Chuck Moore, Sergeant Bill Hall. Not pictured: Reserve Adam Badger, Reserve Marcia Bailey, Reserve Bryan Oran, Reserve Larry Mailhos, Secretary Brenda Tipton. Photo by John Richards Photography.



Seat belts are not as confining as wheelchairs!

## A BLAST FROM THE PAST!

### **KINGSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT 2003**

← Pictured left to right: Brian Mullins, Dale Duncan, Tony Guinn, Gary Humphreys, Gene McClure, Jim Washam, and Chester Fultz.



↑Pictured left to right: Officers Ronnie Ladd, Steve McCullough, Gene McClure, Tony Guinn, Jim Washam, Scotty Bolden, Rehnee' Ward and City Manager John Ellis.