



The St. John Scoop — May/June Updates

Hello St. John neighbors! As your Mayor, I'm excited to share a quick, friendly update on what's happening around our city. My goal is to keep you informed, connected, and in the loop about the projects, events, and community moments that make St. John such a special place to call home.

If your neighbors would like to receive this newsletter by email, they can request a copy anytime at newsletter@cityofstjohn.org, or we will have copies in the lobby at City Hall.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call City Hall 314-427-8700 (press 3)



The City of St. John is strengthened by individuals and organizations who selflessly dedicate their time, resources, and compassion to serving others.

Billy Mayhall and St. Louis Youth Sports Outreach have consistently demonstrated unwavering dedication, humility, and a genuine commitment to giving back to the community, with a special focus on uplifting and supporting children.

During the Christmas season each year, Billy Mayhall and St. Louis Youth Sports Outreach have gone above and beyond to bring joy, hope, and meaningful support to children and families in our community—ensuring that the spirit of giving, generosity, and compassion is felt throughout our community. These efforts have included toys, meals, gifts, events, programs, or support, all provided quietly and without expectation of recognition, exemplifying true servant leadership and goodwill. The dedication shown by Billy Mayhall and St. Louis Youth Sports Outreach has not only improved lives but has also inspired others to give, serve, and strengthen the bonds that unite our communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mary Halaska, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of St. John, MO, do hereby proclaim May 13, 2026, as:

"BILLY MAYHALL AND ST. LOUIS YOUTH SPORTS OUTREACH DAY"



Community Spotlight



Please welcome Universal Rentals and Events to the St. John Family.

At Universal Rentals and Events we help clients across St. Louis, Missouri make confident event-planning decisions with professional guidance and high-quality rental equipment, including tents, tables, chairs, dance floors, stages, and décor.

Website: UniversalRentalSTL.com

Phone: (314) 390 - 1065

Upcoming Events

Mark your calendars — here are a few things coming up in our community.

Limbs from the recent storm

If you had limbs fall from the recent storm in April, please place them at the curb by May 18th. Crews will come by and pick them up.



Public Works & Safety Notes

Helpful reminders and updates to keep our community safe and running smoothly.

•**Street sweeping** in the City of Saint John begins the first full week of June and continues monthly through the first full week of October, weather permitting. Sweeping takes place by zone during that week: **Zone 1 (Mon)** – Betty Lee, Connor, Hume, Kincaid; **Zone 2 (Tue)** – Ardelia, Belcrest, Engler, Havenbrook; **Zone 3 (Wed)** – Charlack, Lindscott, North Avenue (Brown to Boswell); **Zone 4 (Thu)** – Bristol, Marvista, McKibbon, Orlando; **Zone 5 (Fri)** – Boswell, Calvert, Leenora, Ritenour Court. Not all streets are listed above. Please find the zone closest to your street, as that will be your scheduled sweeping day, and remember to move vehicles off the street to allow crews to clean curbs and gutters effectively. **If you have any questions, please contact City Hall at 314-427-8700.**

Street Repairs

The City of St. John Public Works Division is excited to announce that Orlando Avenue will be undergoing major improvements very soon. We anticipate this project to start in Summer 2026 and be completed by end of summer 2026. Detour signs will be posted.

****Our crews are also addressing the ongoing pothole issues.**



Police Department Notes

As warmer weather arrives, we typically see an increase in crime activity. Longer days and more time spent outdoors create additional opportunities for theft and other offenses. We encourage all residents to take simple but effective precautions—lock your doors, secure your windows, and never leave valuable items unattended in your vehicle. This is especially important for firearms, which should always be properly secured to prevent theft and misuse.

Your daily habits directly impact crime trends in our community. If you see something suspicious or witness criminal activity, report it immediately. Providing detailed information—such as physical descriptions, clothing, and direction of travel—can significantly assist officers in responding effectively. However, your safety is paramount; do not confront individuals or attempt to intervene.

A strong community remains the first line of defense in crime prevention. If you're interested in becoming more involved, consider joining our Neighborhood Watch Program or registering your home surveillance system with our Camera Registration Program. More information and the online registration form are available at: <https://www.cityofstjohn.org/crime-prevention-partnership/>

As always, dial 911 for emergencies and (636) 529-8210 for non-emergency dispatching services.



Our next Neighborhood watch meeting will be on June 23rd at 6:30 pm, in the council chambers; 2nd floor, at city hall. For more info, please contact Sergeant Scott Ford. 314-427-8700 (press 5), or email sford@cityofstjohn.org

Seasonal Reminders

- Our parks are available for rental. Please contact city hall (314-427-8700) to reserve a park for your special event.



Trash/recycling/Yard Waste Holiday dates

Memorial Day

Mon, May 25

If your service falls on or after the holiday, your pickup will be delayed by one day.

City of St. John, MO

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