

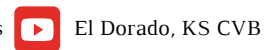
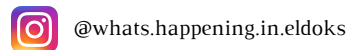


THIS IS EL DORADO

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN EL DORADO

FIND MORE EVENTS AT WWW.ELDOKS.COM

- June 1 - City Commission Meeting
 - June 15 - City Commission Meeting
- Due to the pandemic, dates are changing quickly. Check out one of the sites below for daily updates!



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El Dorado Municipal Band

The El Dorado Municipal Band has provided musical entertainment in the summer for the city of El Dorado and an opportunity for local musicians to perform for almost 100 years. The band began as the El Dorado Boys Band in the early 1920's and is one of the oldest municipal bands in the state of Kansas. When the band started, they played at Gordy Park in a round bandstand. Their home is now the band shell at the corner of Ninth and Taylor which was constructed in 1939 as a Works Progress Administration (WPA) Project.

As the municipal band kicks off their 98th season, they are looking to the future. Being one of only a few cities across the U.S. that will be able to claim 100 consecutive years of Municipal Band performances, they are celebrating by having commissioned Ed Huckabee, a well known composer from Oklahoma to write a musical composition. This composition will be played throughout the Centennial season in 2022.

The fifty to sixty instrumentalists from El Dorado and the surrounding areas perform a variety of music from marches to opera, pop to movies, patriotic to classical and anything else you can think of. All performances begin at 7:30 p.m. in the band shell at Forest Park unless otherwise noted. The dates for performances are:

- June 4th
- June 11th
- June 14th - 7:00 p.m. - Celebrating Flag Day concert with Patriotic music, a flag folding ceremony and patriotic speaker. The El Dorado Elks, American Legion and V.F.W. will be present and there will be hot dogs served.
- June 18th
- June 25th - Memorial Concert that honors those band members that have passed on. An ice cream social will be held, all proceeds going to an instrumental music scholarship at Butler Community College.
- July 2nd
- July 9th
- July 16th - A bake sale will be held to benefit an instrumental music scholarship at Butler Community College
- July 23rd
- July 30th - 7:00 p.m. in Towanda



The officers for this season are:
Barbara Templin - President
Keith West - Vice President
Kelly Davidson - Secretary
Marlene Avery - Treasurer
Anita Seivley & Charles Davis - At Large Members



Directors:
John Templin will direct 6 concerts
Brett Martinez will direct 3 concerts
Kelly Middleton will direct the last concert of the season

Interested in becoming a member? You must be high school student or older and be able to attend the first rehearsal on June 2, 2020 at 7:30 p.m. The band rehearses at the Elks Lodge, 121 E. Pine on Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. (please use south entrance).

If you are able to contribute to this season or future seasons, please contact them through: eldoradomunicipalband@gmail.com, El Dorado Municipal Band on Facebook or Barbara Templin, President 316-258-9919.



The USACE will be soliciting input on a revision of the El Dorado Lake's master plan. Stay tuned to our website and Facebook page for more information as it is available.



Public Works Department

A YEAR IN REVIEW

Parks & Recreation Department



The El Dorado Public Works Department is responsible for several aspects for serving the City of El Dorado citizens and employees. They provide a wide range of services which include:

- Street cleaning, repairs and maintenance
- Snow and ice removal
- Storm clean-up
- Maintenance on the street signs and traffic signals
- Trash service
- Upkeep of the compost and cardboard facilities
- Animal control and shelter
- Information technology for City usage
- Maintaining and operating the Airport
- Servicing and upkeep of all City vehicles and equipment

As you can see, the City relies heavily on our Public Works Department for every day maintenance, coordination and leadership.



2019 Data:



Public Works:

- 39 yards of street cut concrete
- 126 tons of asphalt for street cuts and street repairs
- Continue with "old utility cut failures"
- Tree trimming for Emergency Services and Refuse Collection
- Old tennis court demo
- 75 tons of cold patch
- Basketball courts built at Library and Graham Park
- House Demo's
- Bike Path Lights installed North of 12th Street



Refuse:

- New Roll-off truck delivered in January
- Spring Clean-up in April
- July 24th-29th : Closed Compost site for illegal dumping clean-up
- August 2019 curbside recycling ceased
- September 23rd a drop off site for corrugated cardboard was opened at the recycle center

Airport:

- Fuel Sales 2018 vs 2019
 - 2018 - 26,894 gallons 2019 - 37,189 gallons
- 2019 cash/credit sales - \$106,486.74

See full reports at www.eldoks.com

The El Dorado Parks and Recreation Department is responsible for maintaining City property, organizing recreation and special events for all ages, managing all City Park rentals, maintaining the three cemeteries in town and overseeing a park system which includes 16 parks that make up 102.8 total acres. They are maintained by 3 full-time and 7 seasonal employees. Those parks are:

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| Dog Park | McCollum |
| East | North Main |
| Forest | Rice |
| Graham | Rio/BMX |
| Gordy | Riverview |
| Industrial Water Tower | Sixth Street Water Tower |
| American Legion | Summit |
| Library | South Summit |



2019 Finished Projects:

- Cemetery Tree Trimming
- Tennis Courts landscape and fence
- Seats at McDonald Stadium
- Dugout Covers
- Bullpen at Central Park
- New Outfields at Central & East Park
- Re-painted the Pool
- Central Park Playground
- New Playground Equipment at Gordy Park
- 1/2 Basketball Court at Graham Park
- New Shelters at Summit and East Park
- New Playground Equipment and 1/2 Basketball Court at Library



Other Properties Maintained:

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| Airport | 150 Acres |
| Bike Path | 4.25 Acres |
| City Hall | .5 Acre |
| Civic Center | .25 Acre |
| Train Depot | 1 Acre |
| Fire Dept. #2 | 3 Acres |
| North Main Roadside | 9.75 Acres |
| Police Dept. | .25 Acre |
| Senior Center / Public Works | 1.5 Acres |
| Sixth & Topeka Street | .25 Acre |
| Water Plant | 4 Acres |

