



The Delano Dispatch

The Official Publication of the Delano Neighborhood Association

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The next meeting of the Delano Neighborhood Association (DNA) will be on:
Tuesday, October 15, 2024 @ 6:30 p.m.
at Delano's Diner, 1220 W Douglas
Our meetings are always open to the public.



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October in Delano

The leaves are starting to turn and fall, autumn has arrived in Historic Delano. The big event everywhere in October is of course "Trick or Treat" and this year is no exception. The fall annual **Delano Safe Treat** will be just as it has been in previous years, dress up and go trick-or-treating from the participating businesses along Douglas Street, from McLean Boulevard to Vine Street. (Details on page 4.) We hope to see you there.

You are encouraged to attend the DNA Meeting this month, see date & time above. It's very helpful to YOU to attend these meetings in order to stay on top of the events and plans for our Historic Delano in the coming months and beyond.

Be sure to check out the October Calendar on page 2, there is a LOT going on this month.

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~Thank you!



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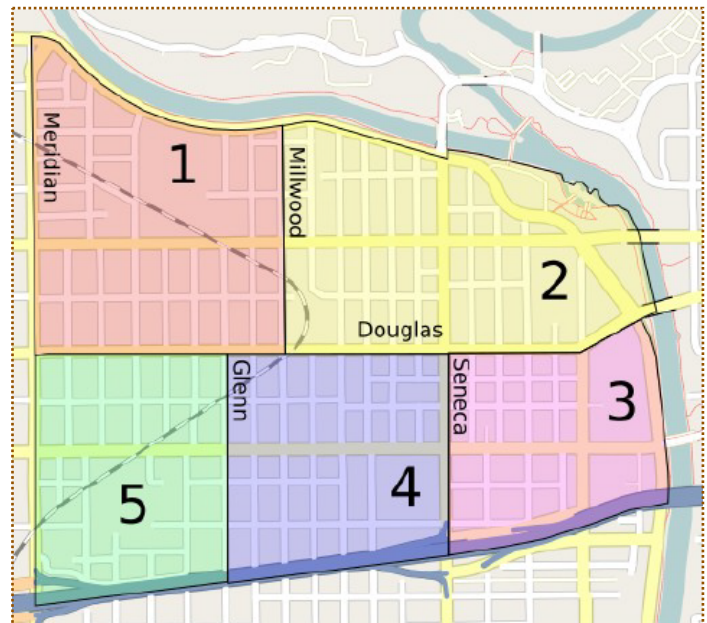
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Districts of Delano



October Calendar

- 4-5 - Friends University Homecoming
- 9 - Columbus Day
- 11 - Multimodel Groundbreaking Ceremony
- 13 - Prairie Fire Marathon
- 14 - Columbus Day
- 15 - DNA Meeting
- 19 - Havana Nights
- 25 - Delano Safe Treat

October 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Out and About in Delano

The January issue of our *Dispatch* debuted a new feature called “*Out and About in Delano*” which will be a page where each month photos of anything in Delano will be shared.

To have your photo considered, just email your photo, photographer’s name, and the subject matter to: dispatch@DelanoWichita.com and we’ll feature your photo for others to enjoy as your share your creativity!

~ Thank you.




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DELANO SAFE TREAT

Friday October 25th - 5:30 pm to 7 pm

Along Douglas Street

From McLean Boulevard to Vine Street

Dress up your kids in their Halloween costumes and come trick-or-treat from the participating businesses in Historic Delano.

Follow the **Delano Safe Treat 2023** event on the Delano Neighborhood Association Facebook page for more details

We are excited to announce this year we are coordinating with the Wichita Wind Surge, to bring you back-to-back events on the same evening. The **Delano Safe Treat** will be just as it has been in previous years, dress up and go trick-or-treating from the participating businesses along Douglas Street.

Wichita and Wind Surge will be opening up Riverfront Stadium for trick-or-treating along the concourse, followed by a Halloween movie (to be announced). Those who attend and participate in **Delano Safe Treat** will be able to go straight from our event to the stadium to enjoy their event. With our events timed properly everyone can enjoy a fun family friendly evening in Delano!



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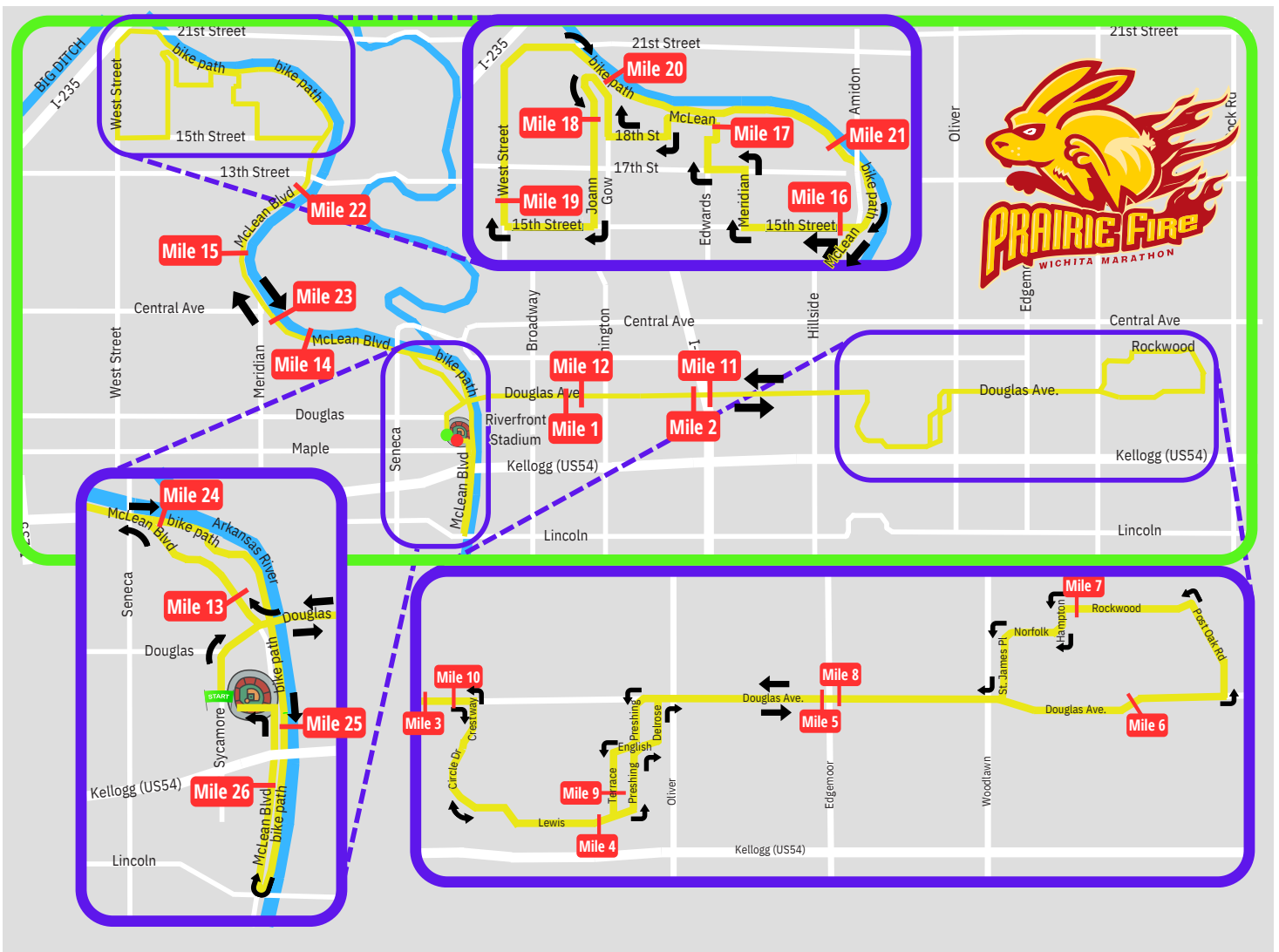
Prairie Fire Wichita Marathon

October 13, 2024

In 2010, the Wichita Sports Commission took ownership of the Prairie Fire Marathon (previously known as the Wichita Marathon), now presented by Davis-Moore Automotive Group. For the first time, not only was a full marathon race offered, but also a half marathon, 5K, youth marathon, and one-mile walk. In 2013, we expanded into the Spring running season offering our Half Marathon, 5K, Sparky's Kids Mile, and a Fun Run/Walk. Both the Spring and Fall events make up the Prairie Fire Race Series. In 2021, we eliminated the one-mile races and created the Friendly 5K. This allows two people to participate in our 5K races without being timed, while receiving all the other race amenities.

Since the inaugural Prairie Fire race in 2010, the Wichita Sports Commission has contributed over \$160,000 to other local charities and organizations. Over the course of a decade, more than 55,000 runners have participated in our races. Many have traveled to Wichita from all 50 states and 15 foreign countries. Prairie Fire Marathon is now *the* premier urban Wichita, Kansas marathon. Kansas runners can count on flat, fast, Boston qualifying courses each year with our Spring and Fall races. The Spring race is held on the first Sunday in May, and the Fall race is on the second Sunday in October. Register for a race to see for yourself!

To register and find out more info, please click here: wichitasports.com/prairie-fire-marathon





New Covenant is
Celebrating
20 Years

Please join us on
October 20th

Worship Celebration
11:15 am
 Guest Speakers, door prizes,
 photo booth, children's activities & more
Leo's Taqueria Food Truck
@ 12:30 pm



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The Place of
NEW BEGINNINGS
 in Delano

***You're Invited To Attend The
 Groundbreaking Ceremony For The
 Multimodel Center
 in Historic Delano***

Friday - October 11th - 9am
 217 S Sycamore





The City of Wichita plans to build a multimodal facility and parking garage just west of Riverfront Stadium in Historic Delano. The new terminal and transit hub for city buses and shuttles would replace the current terminal and would feature 12-bus bays, ticketing windows, a security office, lobby, staff offices, bicycle and scooter parking, and a 400-vehicle parking garage.



Havana Nights **October 19th - 5:00 PM**

St. Joseph Catholic School Auction & Gala
132 South Millwood

Please join us for a captivating evening at our **Decades of Delano: Havana Nights Auction & Gala**, where the vibrant spirit of 1950's Havana comes alive.

Enjoy live salsa music featuring Tumbao as you sip on one of our signature cocktails. Indulge in authentic Cuban cuisine from locally owned Sabor Latin Bar & Grille.

The night will feature both silent and live auctions, offering exclusive items and experiences. All proceeds will support St. Joseph Catholic School.

Dress in your best vintage 1950's glam and prepare for a night of celebration, culture, and most importantly giving back!



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Friends University Homecoming Events

Friday, October 4, 2024

9am – 12:30pm – MSFT Alumni CEU Event, MFT Building. Featuring Dr. Dan Lord, LCMFT/ Professor Emeritus. Light breakfast and snacks provided. Register here: <http://tinyurl.com/MFTOct>

5:00 – 7:00pm – First Friday: Elaine Green & Julia Calloway. Opening reception. Riney Gallery. Free event.

5:30pm – Distinguished Alumni Awards and Athletic Hall of Fame Banquet, Crown Uptown. Tickets can be purchased below.

7:00pm – Jazz Homecoming Concert. Sebitts Auditorium. Tickets can be purchased on the Fine Arts [website](#).

Saturday, October 5, 2024

9:00am – Class of 1964 and 1974 Reunion – Riney Fine Arts Center

10 a.m. – Parent Brunch with the President – President's Dining Room, Casado Campus Center. Tickets can be purchased for the brunch as well as other Homecoming activities. 50 person max attendance at the brunch. [More details](#).

11:30am-2:30pm – Food Trucks on St. Clair. Here are the trucks that will be joining us:

- [Face Stuffers Food Wagon](#)
- [Shawarma Ur's](#)
- [DZ Ice Cream & Frozen Treats](#)

11:45am – Parade on University Ave

1:00pm – Sterling College Warriors vs Friends University Falcons Football Game in Adair-Austin Stadium. Tickets are free for alumni. Please enter through the Alumni Entrance on the South side of the stadium.

5:00pm – Men's Falcon Soccer Team vs McPherson College, Adair-Austin Stadium. Tickets [here](#).

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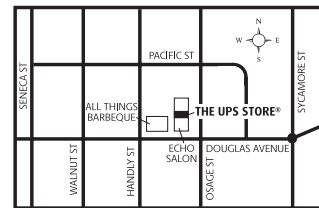
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The Wind Engine.

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Swing For The Fences Lenticular Art.

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Riverfront Stadium Signage.

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Point Of Convergence Frieze.

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