



CONNECTIONS

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PATRIOTIC FESTIVAL!

Next to Tiger Field!

SATURDAY, JUNE 23RD

STARTS AT 6:00 P.M.

FIREWORKS AT DARK

**Music, Food
and Free Fun!**



MUSIC IN THE PARK

FRIDAY, JUNE 29TH

5:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.



**Jimmy Lee Campbell Memorial Park
(BEHIND COWETA PUBLIC LIBRARY)**

ALL ARE WELCOME! PLEASE COME JOIN US!

BYOC (BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR)

POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Coweta Police Department has implemented a new records management and information sharing database system designed by the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation (OSBI). The Offender Data Information System (ODIS) is a comprehensive law enforcement records management application. ODIS has been designed using web based technology in order to provide an easily upgradeable, networked records management tool for statewide information connectivity with over 150 participating law enforcement agencies.

The ODIS application also allows the entry of digital images of individuals, scars, marks and tattoos. An entire history of a person's involvement with the agency - whether it be for a booking, arrest, citation, warrant, missing person, owner of a piece of stolen property, etc. - can be viewed by a participating law enforcement agencies after conducting a general search within the ODIS network. Integration of these different program elements has made the ODIS application a powerful record keeping and investigative tool for all law enforcement.

SPLASH PAD IS OPEN!

JIMMY LEE CAMPBELL MEMORIAL PARK

Come join the fun!

Please remember to wear appropriate foot wear when using the splash pad. Also, all children must be accompanied by an adult.



PLEASE REPORT GRAFFITI



If you see graffiti in any city park or public area, please call the City of Coweta and report it. We will get out as quickly as possible to remove it.

City Hall: (918) 486-2189

Public Works: (918) 486-8073

LET'S KEEP "OUR" CITY PRETTY!!

CodeRED Storm Warning System

The recent tragedy in Woodward, Oklahoma, is an excellent example of why we should not rely solely on outdoor warning devices like sirens. Lightening and strong winds can disable sirens before or during an severe weather event, leaving the public without audible warnings. The City of Coweta has **FREE** notifications through **CodeRED** for our citizens. This allows severe weather notifications to be sent directly to your home phone or cell phones.



If you have watched the recent tornado events over television you see people traveling along highways and surface streets unaware that just a few hundred yards away, a deadly tornado is approaching. Storm sirens will not give you timely warnings when we are inside your car, with normal traffic noise, or in your home with the television or radio playing. Today's construction standards insulate homes for sound. With **CodeRED** you can have the alert sent directly to your cell phone alerting you wherever you are at.

Residents of the City of Coweta can sign up for **CodeRED** via our web site: (www.cityofcoweta-ok.gov)

REGISTER YOUR STORM SHELTER

WITH THE CITY OF COWETA:

www.cityofcoweta-ok.gov

or call (918) 486-2189.

Emergency Management personnel will now be able to verify that you are safe in the event of a storm.



PUBLIC WORKS

Water – The Water Treatment Facility (Phase Two) upgrade plans have finally been approved by the Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ). The City has gone out to bid on the project and construction should start soon.

Wastewater – The improvements to the wastewater collection system in the West Oak/Old Main area of town is 75% complete. The wastewater collection lines in this area have been upsized and some of the existing lines have been rerouted to improve wastewater service to this area.

Solid Waste – The “Free Dump Day” was a huge success. The City collected over 68 tons of debris as well as 8 tons of scrap metals. It should be noted that the scrap metal which was collected is recycled instead of dumping in a landfill.

Cemetery – City staff will be working hard to prepare the Cemetery grounds for summer.

Any questions regarding this information, please feel free to contact Coweta Public Works Authority at (918) 486-8073.

FROM THE COWETA PUBLIC LIBRARY

Summer Reading Program

for kids 5 to 12 years old.

Come in and sign up!!!

Thursdays, 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Check out the website at

www.cityofcoweta-ok.gov

City Hall Will Be Closed

July 4, 2012 (Wednesday) For Independence Day Holiday.

There will be no trash service on this day.



TOBACCO STOPS WITH ME.

WWW.STOPSWITHME.COM

Cigarette smoke contains 69 chemical compounds that are known to cause cancer. There are about 5,412,000 current smokers with a tobacco related disease in the U.S.

COWETA TRANSIT

(918) 486-1783