



Quarterly Newsletter

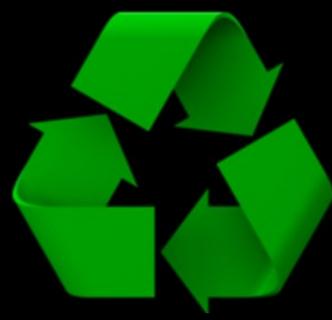


We built a playground!

On Sept. 21, over 200 volunteers gathered at Gassaway Park. When they arrived, there was no playground and a huge pile of mulch. By the time the volunteers left at 2 p.m., a brand new, beautiful playground sat at Gassaway Park! Thanks to KaBOOM! and Blue Cross Blue Shield of Texas for funding this entire playground for the City of Tyler Parks Department. A huge thank you to our extremely hard working volunteers and our wonderful sponsors who made this event possible!



Tyler Recycles Day



America takes one day out of the year to acknowledge recycling and how important it is to our Earth. Keep Tyler Beautiful celebrates **Tyler Recycles Day** on **Nov. 16**. Keep Tyler Beautiful Board Members and volunteers will be at the Downtown Recycle Center to celebrate and reward those who recycle with us! Anyone is welcome to tour the center and gather information between 8 a.m. and noon. We are also partnering with Ark-La-Tex Shredding and Interstate Battery to offer free document shredding, battery recycling and electronics recycling!

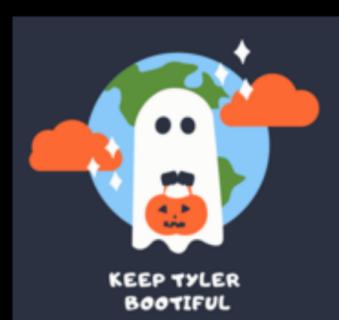
For more information on the Downtown Recycle Center, you can call (903) 531-1388.

We are BUZZZZing with excitement!

The City of Tyler has officially become the fourth Bee City USA in Texas and we can't contain our excitement! This new initiative focuses on improving our community to be a healthier habitat for pollinators and educating residents on their importance. If you are a bee lover and want to get involved, you can attend our **Community Interest Meeting on Oct. 17 at 5:30 p.m. at the Tyler Public Library**, or you can reach out to us at KTyB@TylerTexas.com



It's getting spooky out there...



..so join our Youth Advisory Committee for a family-friendly Halloween Cleanup!

The **First Annual Halloween Cleanup** will be at Southside Park on Oct. 19 starting at 9 a.m. There will be a costume contest, a park trails litter cleanup, good food and door prizes. You can register online at [givepulse/halloweencleanup](https://www.givepulse.com/halloweencleanup).

Did you know?



Did you know that blowing or sweeping your grass clippings or leaves into the street is illegal? It is! And it is considered littering. Not only is this dangerous to those on bikes, these clippings and leaves end up on our storm drains and cause problems with our storm water system. The best solution is to leave the grass clippings or mulched up leaves on your lawn and they will decompose quickly. Leaving them on your lawn also provides nutrients to your grass!

Thank you for not littering and helping us Keep Tyler Beautiful!