



Between the LIONS

U City Community Update

February 21, 2025



University City: The State of the City

The State of City is scheduled for **Thursday, March 6 at 7 p.m.** at City Hall in the 5th floor council chambers. Mayor Terry Crow and City Manager Gregory Rose will discuss 2024 accomplishments what is ahead for University City in 2025. Presented by the Historical Society of University City, the annual event celebrates city founder EG Lewis' birthday. There is much to be excited about and we look forward to seeing you there!

The event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.
For more information, [READ HERE](#).



ROARS

THE VOICE OF UNIVERSITY CITY

SPRING 2025



State of The City Program to Celebrate Successes and Future Plans: 7 p.m., Thursday, March 6



TERRY CROW
Mayor



GREGORY ROSE
City Manager

A comprehensive review of the past year and ambitious plans for 2025 will be presented by University City Mayor Terry Crow and City Manager Gregory Rose at the 14th annual State of the City program hosted by the Historical Society of University City.

7 P.M., THURS., MAR. 6, CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBER 5TH FLOOR, 6801 DELMAR BLVD.
ADMISSION IS FREE, AND EVERYONE IS INVITED TO ATTEND.

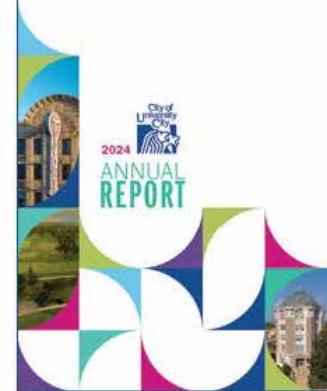
Eleanor Mullin, president of the Historical Society of University City, shared her enthusiasm for the event, emphasizing its significance as an annual March tradition. "This program aligns with the birthday of University City's founder and first Mayor, Edward Gardner Lewis, born on March 4, 1869. It's a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our history while looking ahead to the future," Mullin said.

Mayor Crow expressed his enthusiasm for addressing the community and emphasized the City's forward momentum. "University City is thriving, with new development and construction projects that promise long-term economic benefits," Crow stated. "I'm proud of what we've accomplished in 2024 and eager to share our vision for 2025."

City Manager Gregory Rose will provide additional insights, focusing on the City's progress and plans for the future. "In 2024, we tackled key challenges and made important strides in enhancing services and infrastructure," Rose noted. "Looking ahead, 2025 will be about sustaining growth and strengthening our vibrant community."

For more information, contact ucityhistory@hotmail.com or reach out to Eleanor Mullin at 314.862.2972.

online @ UCITYMO.ORG



COUNCIL MEETING DATES:

MONDAY, MAR. 10

MONDAY, MAR. 24

MONDAY, APR. 28

MONDAY, MAY 12

TUESDAY, MAY 27

All meetings begin at 6:30 p.m. In-person meetings are subject to change. Information about meetings is at ucitymo.org/Calendar. All meetings are streamed live at youtube.com/UniversityCityGovernment. To be notified when meetings go live, click the subscribe button.

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Spring 2025 ROARS Newsletter Now Available Online!

Exciting updates are on the way! The City of University City is gearing up to release the Spring 2025 edition of the ROARS Newsletter via mail, your go-to source for the latest news, upcoming events, and important community updates.

This edition features details on major projects such as the ongoing Market at Olive development, progress on the historic Annex and Trinity building renovations, and key city initiatives in sustainability and public safety. You'll also find information on upcoming programs, including the annual State of the City address, the University City Memorial Day Run, and new recreational opportunities.

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Recreation Updates



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"GAMES WITH BOARDS"



UNIVERSITY CITY RESIDENT YOUTH (AGES 5-12) WHO HAVE COMPLETED KINDERGARTEN-5TH GRADE CAN "EXPAND THEIR KNOWLEDGE THROUGH PLAY" IN OUR 2025 CENTCOM UNIVERSITY - SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM HELD FROM 9AM - 3PM, MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY.

*PROGRAM DATES: MONDAY, JUNE 9 - FRIDAY, AUGUST 1

PROGRAM LOCATION: HEMAN PARK CENTENNIAL COMMONS, 7210 OLIVE BLVD.

(*NO PROGRAM 6/19, 7/4)

OUR SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM ACTIVITIES INCLUDE (BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO): RECREATIONAL SWIMMING, SPORTS, "GAMES WITH BOARDS", S.T.E.M, HORTICULTURE, GOLF, "BODIES IN MOTION", CREATIVE/FINE ARTS, LIFE SKILLS, SPECIAL EVENTS AND MUCH MORE!

FIELD TRIPS ARE ALSO PART OF THE PROGRAM AND PARTICIPANTS WILL TAKE SEVERAL AGE-APPROPRIATE TRIPS BY BUS AND BOTH THE FIELD TRIP FEE AND PROGRAM T-SHIRT ARE INCLUDED IN YOUR REGISTRATION.

FEE: \$700/CHILD

(MAX. 50 PARTICIPANTS - "FIRST COME/FIRST SERVED" - LIMITED TO U CITY RESIDENTS ONLY)

**REGISTER AT CENTENNIAL COMMONS
7210 OLIVE BLVD**

REGISTER BEGINNING AT 9 AM FEB. 10 - UNTIL APRIL 12

PLEASE NOTE:

**THIS PROGRAM IS OPEN TO UNIVERSITY CITY RESIDENTS ONLY
AND ALL OF THE FOLLOWING MUST BE PRESENTED AT
REGISTRATION:**

- ORIGINAL COPY OF CHILD'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- PHOTO ID OF PARENT/GUARDIAN (GUARDIAN MUST PRESENT PROOF OF GUARDIANSHIP IF NOT CUSTODIAL PARENT)
- COPY OF UNIVERSITY CITY OCCUPANCY PERMIT (WITH CHILD LISTED)

QUESTIONS:

CONTACT RECREATION SUPERVISOR, MERRIC MEEHAN 314.505.8613



2025 SUMMER SIGN UP SPECTACULAR

ALL PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE:

Use of age-appropriate equipment. FREE uniform. FREE admission to off-field events. FREE Cardinal-themed rewards for kids. Schnucks Healthy Eating Program/Rewards. U City Public Library Summer Reading Program/Rewards. Redbird Rookies Nite at Busch Stadium. 7th graders earn a chance to win the Redbird Rookies Saigh Scholarship and much more!

REMEMBER PARENTS!
We will "NEED COACHES!"
REGISTER AT:
redbirdrookies.org



For more info, contact Centennial Commons,
314.505.8625



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Transform the Life of Every Student Every Day!



Online registration required at: redbirdrookies.org

Register:
Now - March 29*

Please note:
Any registration made after March 29 will not be guaranteed 2025 equipment or attire.
No exceptions*

FREE T-BALL, BASEBALL & SOFTBALL
PROGRAM FOR U CITY YOUTH AGES 5-13

For Summer 2025

Come Play Competitive Summer League
Baseball/Softball for Middle/High School
youth ages 14-18

New to the "U" and We Want You!



The Cardinals Nike RBI League

- ✓ FREE Baseball/Softball program for teens aged 14-18 interested in playing at a competitive level over June & July 2 teams 14-15U & 16-18U
- ✓ Will develop players who exemplify teamwork, sportsmanship and work hard while having fun
- ✓ Each team will play up to **sixteen (16)** games (including two (2) local tournaments (weather permitting)
- ✓ Use of indoor practice facility for pre-season training, conditioning, instruction, & player evaluations
- ✓ **FREE Nike** home & away uniform jerseys, Nike pro style pants, matching belt and hat

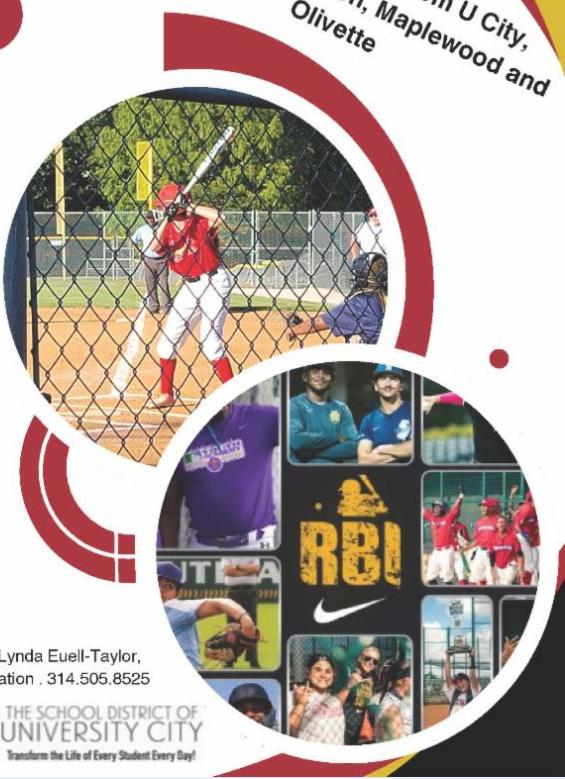
Register Now - March 29
cardinals.com/rbi

Contact Information
Centennial Commons, Lynda Euell-Taylor,
Deputy Director, Recreation . 314.505.8525



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Recruiting players from U City,
Brentwood, Clayton, Maplewood and
Olivette



UPCOMING EVENTS

SENIORS 60+

JOIN US FOR

LAUGHTER,
LUNCH AND
BINGO

THURSDAY
FEBRUARY 27
2025

11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

HEMAN PARK COMMUNITY CENTER,
975 PENNSYLVANIA

***EVENT FEE: \$5 PER PERSON**

MIN: 25 MAX:100

Doors Open - 10:45 am

Lunch Served - 11:00 am Bingo Begins at 12:00 pm

Get ready to laugh, lunch, shout "BINGO!" and win some
prizes at this "come and have some fun" event

Phone registration **REQUIRED**

BINGO BOARDS AVAILABLE (no personal boards allowed)

REGISTRATION BEGINS Monday, February 3rd

**FOR PHONE REGISTRATION OR MORE INFORMATION,
CONTACT CENTENNIAL COMMONS 314.505.8625**



UPCOMING EVENTS



[City Council Study Session-ARB](#)
[Review and Parking Meters](#)



How to Sign Up

- Visit the City of University City's website.
- Click the Emergency Notifications button to access CodeRED enrollment information.
- Fill in your contact details and select your notification preferences.
- Download the CodeRED app for enhanced location-based notifications.

Emergencies can happen at any time, and staying informed can save lives. By enrolling in CodeRED, you'll receive real-time alerts to help protect you, your loved ones, and your property.

Stay safe, stay informed, stay connected with CodeRED!

Mon., Feb 24 @ 5:30 p.m.

[City Council Meeting](#)
Mon., Feb 24 @ 6:30 p.m.

[UCPD Focus Group](#)
Tue., Feb 25 @ 6:00 p.m.

[Pension Board Meeting](#)
Tue., Feb 25 @ 6:30 p.m.

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