



HONORING THOSE WHO SERVE

On September 11, local first responders joined Nixon-Smiley football players on the field as our community remembered the lives lost in the September 11, 2001 attacks. Twenty-five years later, we remain grateful for the police officers, firefighters, EMS personnel and other first responders who answer the call to serve.

From the Mayor's Desk

September has been a busy month in Nixon. This issue includes important City updates, recognition for the people who serve our community, Homecoming Week, a local tradition that gives back to our youth, and a look at what is ahead. As we move into fall, I hope you will take a few minutes to catch up on what is happening around Nixon.

- Mayor Sherrie Watt

Community Calendar

SEPT 11	First Responders recognized
SEPT 19	Roger Crouch Memorial Bull Riding
SEPT 21-25	Nixon-Smiley Homecoming Week
SEPT 22	First Day of Fall
SEPT 23 7 AM	See You at the Pole - Mustang Field
OCT 12	City offices closed - Columbus Day
OCT 19 5:30	City Council Meeting
NOV 7	Nixon Central Park Dedication

FROM THE COUNCIL TABLE

2026-27 Budget & Tax Rate Adopted

The City of Nixon has adopted its 2026-27 budget and tax rate, completing months of preparation, review and discussion for the upcoming fiscal year. We appreciate the time and careful consideration given by City Council and City staff throughout the budget process as they worked through the many decisions involved in planning for the year ahead. The adopted budget and tax-rate information are public records and are available on the City of Nixon website.

Find It Online

The City's 2026-27 Holiday Schedule and City Council Meeting Schedule are posted online. You can also find agendas, minutes, budget and tax information, ordinances and public notices.

Community Center Fee Schedule Updated

- Nonprofit organizations may receive one free use of the Community Center each year.
- A deposit is required when reserving the facility.
- Security is required whenever alcohol is on the premises, whether it is sold or brought in and shared.

Complete fee schedule and requirements are posted on the City website.

People Who Keep Nixon Running

A special thank-you goes to Jeremy and our Public Works and Utility employees who help keep Nixon's water and sewer systems operating, maintain City infrastructure and respond when problems arise. Utility emergencies do not always happen during business hours, and we appreciate the employees who answer those calls. We also recognize City Administrator Daryl Becker for his continued hard work and dedication to Nixon and the many responsibilities involved in keeping City operations moving forward.

Thank you for helping keep Nixon running.

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

OCTOBER 19

5:30 p.m.

Give the Invocation?

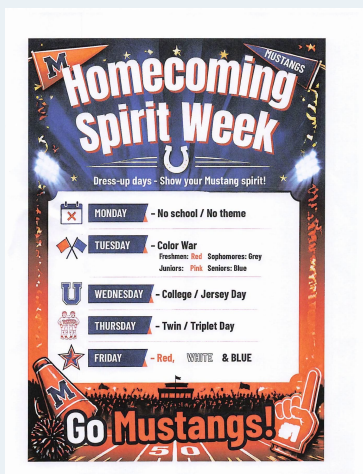
Community members who would like to volunteer to offer the invocation at a future City Council meeting are welcome to contact City Hall.

AROUND NIXON



Mustang Pride Is in the Air!

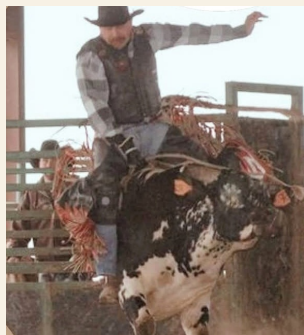
Homecoming Week is here at Nixon-Smiley CISD! Students are celebrating with spirit days, school activities and Mustang athletics. Go Mustangs!



Find these flyers and more information on the Nixon-Smiley CISD Facebook page.

Tradition With a Purpose

13th Annual Roger Crouch Memorial Bull Riding



The September 19 event at the Nixon-Smiley Livestock Show Arena continued a local tradition held in memory of Roger Crouch. The nonprofit event helps provide scholarships for youth in our community. Congratulations to winning bullrider Cash Reid and Little Miss Rodeo Baylee Stewart. Thank you to the organizers, sponsors, participants and supporters.

Hello, Fall!

September 22 is the first day of fall. As leaves and limbs begin to collect, residents are reminded to keep properties tidy and properly dispose of yard debris. Here's hoping cooler weather is not far behind!



SAVE THE DATE

NOVEMBER 7

Nixon Central Park Dedication

Join us as we celebrate this special community space. More details are coming soon!

Have something to share? Schools, churches, nonprofits and civic groups may submit events and story ideas for possible future inclusion.