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AT&T World Wide Wireless Ribbon Cutting

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Dexter, Missouri - The Dexter Chamber of Commerce welcomed the AT&T World Wide Wireless store to Dexter with a ribbon cutting. The store officially opened in November of 2012.

The AT&T authorized retailer offers wireless products and services, internet, Direct TV and more. Anything you would want to purchase from a wireless store they have it.

Shown in the picture on the front row are Jeri Pierce, Chamber Member, AT&T Regional Director Marsha Haskell, Mayor Joe Weber, AT&T Store Manager Shayn Mabury, Chamber President, Scott Nelson, AT&T Asst. Manager Austin Seabaugh, AT&T Sales Associate Angela Cross and Tevor Chase and Janet Coleman, Executive Director of the Dexter Chamber of Commerce.

Back row are Jackie McQuin, Chamber Vice President, Scott Kinchen, Chamber Director, Mark Stidham, City Administrator, Bill Hampton Chamber Member and City Alderman Terry Battles.

AT&T is located at 1609 West Business 60, Dexter and you can see them easily from the road with their bright orange canopy. Stop by and see them for your wireless needs. They would be happy to serve you.

Congratulations to AT&T World Wide Wireless! The Dexter community is excited you are here and hope your business does very well.

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Route WW Closed For Repairs

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Stoddard County, Missouri - Route WW in Stoddard County will be closed as Missouri Department of Transportation crews replace pipe beneath roadway.

This section of roadway is located from County Road 420 to County Road 412.

Weather permitting, work will take place Thursday, June 6 from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The work zone will be marked with signs. Motorists are urged to use extreme caution while traveling near the area.

For additional information, contact MoDOT's Customer Service Center toll-free at 1-888-ASK-MODOT (1-888-275-6636) or visit www.modot.org/southeast.

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Upcoming Events at the Conservation Nature Center

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Cape Girardeau, Missouri – There are many fun summer events coming up at the Cape Girardeau Conservation Nature Center for people of all ages. With this great Missouri weather, it is the perfect time of the year for days spent in the outdoors with family and friends.

The Conservation Nature Center will be hosting Outdoor Adventure Camp on Thursday, June 6th at 8:30am to 4:30pm on Friday, June 7th. The Adventure Camp will give children ages seven through eleven a chance to explore the outdoors with expert tour guides. The camp will include fun activities like hiking, canoeing, and fishing at local areas. The groups will visit local conservation areas so they can discover wildlife such as birds,

flowers, and other animals. The children involved will get a chance to study habitats and ecosystems that they can find in their own backyard in Southeast Missouri.

Children that attend are required to bring sack lunches for both days and are required to register and attend both sessions on both June 6th and 7th. Registration began weeks prior, but is currently still open until the session takes place. You can register your child (age 7-11) by calling the Conservation Nature Center at 573-290-5218.

If the Outdoor Adventure Camp is currently full, there is a second session that will take place the following week on June 11th and 12th. The same information and guidelines apply for the second session.

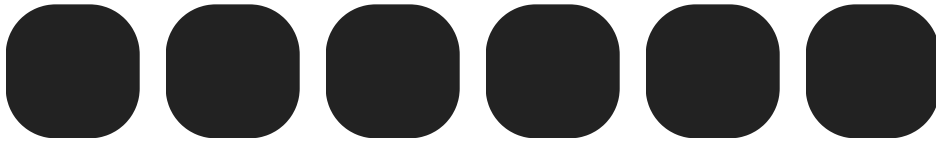
Another great activity that the Conservation Nature Center is offering is the First Aid Basics Course. For families or individuals who enjoy hiking, bike riding, or being outside, this would be a great course to attend. The course will include the details of basic first aid taught by a professional so hikers or families never have to worry about any accidents that may take place outdoors. Attendees of this course will learn about splints, how to control mild bleeding, and care for other minor injuries that may take place outside. This hands-on course will get children and their family prepared for upcoming summer activities. This course is for anyone who is seven years old or older and you can register for this event that takes place on June 6th, by calling 572-290-5218.

For families that love nature and would love to teach their children more about it, the Conservation Center is offering Families in Nature Day, which will take place this Saturday on June 8th at 8am to 4pm. Attendees will learn about habitats, nature in Southeast Missouri, and discover new things at local conservation sites. The families that attend should plan to stay all day and should bring a picnic lunch, bug spray, sunscreen, and other items that may be needed for a day spent outside. The idea of Families in Nature is to stop the sudden growth of nature deficit disorder, which is a massive study proposed in the early 2000s that many behavioral problems found in children today are caused by the lack of nature in their daily routines. Many children spend time indoors playing video games or watching TV, so Families in Nature Day will help get families outdoors and help them spend time together as a group.

One week from today, on Wednesday, June 12th, there will be an Outdoor Hazards seminar held at the Conservation Nature Center. This activity will allow people of all ages to learn different scenarios that will help them use correct precautions to keep them safe outdoors. The main idea is to teach people about common hazards here in Missouri and how to handle them properly in safe manner. There is no registration required for this and youth, young adults, and adults are all welcomed to join this event.

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Local Siren Tests

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Essex, Missouri – Emergency tests are currently being administered throughout the area during the first Wednesday of the new month. City Hall will be testing tornado sirens as well as other alerts over the speakers placed near the fire station. The short tests will give local citizens the opportunity to hear the sirens from their property, to insure that they will be able to hear them during springtime storms or other natural disasters and town emergencies.

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Dexter, Missouri - East and Westbound US 60 in Stoddard County will be reduced to one lane as Missouri Department of Transportation crews perform pavement repairs.

The westbound section is located from Route F to one mile west will be performed on Monday, June 3 and Tuesday, June 4 from 6 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The eastbound lane is located from Butler County line to Route H will be performed on Tuesday, June 4 through Thursday, June 6 from 6 a.m. to 3 p.m.

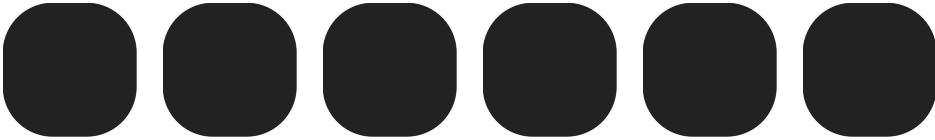
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