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May 24th marks the 75th birthday of the City of Mountain Brook. A month long celebration is planned incorporating the schools, library, Chamber of Commerce and local shops and business.

The 75th birthday celebrations will kick-off with cake and ice cream, live music, a dunking booth, and inflatable on Sunday, May 7th from 3:00-5:00 on the front lawn of City Hall. Also on this date, "The Great Mountain Brook Scavenger Hunt" will be released and can then be accessed at Emmet O'Neal Library and the Mountain Brook Chamber of Commerce.

Students at Mountain Brook Junior High have been busy writing their essays entitled "Why I Would Like to be Mayor for the Day", and the winner of the contest, Tess Patton, was announced Monday. Tess will get to cut the anniversary ribbon at the Birthday celebration on May 7th as well as shadow Mayor Stewart Welch on Monday, May 8th at the City Council Meeting.

On May 17th the Chamber of Commerce will be hosting a Quarterly Luncheon, and in honor of the birthday as well as a tribute to Memorial Day, Mountain Brook legacy Chris Tanner will be speaking. The luncheon will take place at Birmingham Botanical Gardens 11:00-1:00.

On May 21st residents can attend the Summer Reading Kick-Off at Emmet O'Neal Library at 3:00 and then bring a picnic to Jazz in the Park on Crestline Field for an evening of free jazz from 6:00-9:00.

Finally, the 75th Birthday Celebration Finale will be held on Wednesday, May 24th at Emmet O'Neal Library with cake, lemonade, and balloons. This is the deadline for scavenger hunt participants to turn in their forms, and winners will be announced at 5:00. Winners will receive Village Gold.

For more information or to register for the luncheon, please see
www.welcometomountainbrook.com.

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