

# Kirksville Connection

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## WATER METER PROJECT APPROACHING COMPLETION

*Thank  
you*

The City Council and Staff would like to take this opportunity to thank the citizens of Kirksville for their patience and cooperation during the water meter replacement project. The project, as of this Connection print date, is 90% complete; we would not be that far along had it not been for the cooperation by the citizens and businesses of Kirksville. The new meters will be more accurate and reduce meter reading error, as well as reduce the time it takes to read the meters.

The project is nearing completion, and within the next few weeks we hope to have all of the water meters in Kirksville replaced. Schneider Electric and Pedal Valve are working diligently to coordinate changing out the last of the remaining meters by the end of October. If you need to schedule an appointment, please contact Jamie with Pedal Valve at 660-216-3911.

We greatly appreciate your willingness to work with the City and its contractors, and look forward to the benefits of this project to all involved for years to come.

A banner for Fire Prevention Week. On the left is a cartoon dog wearing a yellow fire helmet with "OPARK STANKY" on it and a yellow fire jacket. The text reads: "FIRE PREVENTION WEEK OCT. 6-12, 2013" with a small NFPA logo to the right. Below that is "PREVENT KITCHEN FIRES" in large, bold, black letters. At the bottom, it says "GO TO [FPW.ORG](http://FPW.ORG) AND GET COOKIN' WITH FIRE SAFETY!".

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## FALL BRUSH AND LIMB PICK-UP SCHEDULED

The Fall Brush and Limb Pick-up will begin on Monday, October 7, 2013. This scheduled time is for ALL areas of Kirksville. Residents must place tree limbs and large brush at curbside for pickup by the City before 7 am on that Monday. The City's Public Works Street Division will work to complete the brush and limb pick-up by the end of that week.

As always, bagged yard waste can be disposed of in the yard waste roll-off container at the public works building, located at 2001 N. Osteopathy, Monday—Friday, 7 am—4 pm. For information about curbside yard waste collection, please contact Advanced Disposal at 1-800-778-7652.



## PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT FALL FESTIVAL



In lieu of a Halloween Carnival this year, join us for our first ever Fall Festival on October 26, 2013. The day will start with children's carnival style games from 4pm—6pm, followed by a special showing of the movie Hocus Pocus at the Ray Klingensmith Amphitheatre.

Bring your chair or blanket and join us for a fun-filled, family friendly evening! Concessions will be available for purchase.



### ADOPT A CHILD CHRISTMAS PROGRAM SIGN UP BEGINS

Sign up for the annual Adopt A Child Christmas Program begins October 1, 2013 at the Adair County Family Services Office for qualifying families. This program provides a Christmas gift, party, and door prizes for approximately 300-400 less-fortunate (utilizing income guidelines) Adair County children (ages newborn-16) each year who might not otherwise receive a Christmas gift. Those qualifying may sign up for the program at the Adair County Family Services office in Kirksville or call 660-785-2440.

If you wish to **assist** in giving:

- \* You may choose to adopt a child(ren) by calling KTUF at 627-5883 or Teresa at the Kirksville Fire Department 665-3734
- \* Donate wrapping paper and/or tape
- \* Donate items for homemade stockings (candy, toys, coupons for free items, etc.)
- \* Donate toys or items to put with gifts for either a girl or boy.
- \* Donate gifts utilized for either door prizes or for gifts which are delinquent.
- \* Donate homemade or store bought cookies for the party (closer to party dates)
- \* A financial contribution to the program utilized to buy delinquent gifts, door prizes, wrapping paper, cookies, etc.



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Parks & Recreation	627-1485
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Public Works	627-1291
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Advanced Disposal Trash Service	800-778-7652

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ONE DAY...

ONE STOP...

ONE COMMUNITY...

October 4, 2013, 10am—3pm  
The Crossing, 810 E. Shepherd Ave.