

Community news and information published by the City of Kirksville



FALL BRUSH AND LIMB PICK-UP SCHEDULED



The Fall Brush and Limb Pickup will begin on Monday, October 3, 2011. This scheduled time is for ALL areas of Kirksville. Residents must place tree limbs and large brush at curbside for pickup by the City by 7 am on that Monday. The City's Public Works Street Division will work to complete the brush and limb pickup by the end of the 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 Veolia ES Solid Waste Midwest, LLC at 800-778-7652.

FREE DRIVE-THRU INFLUENZA CLINIC SCHEDULED

The Adair County Health Department has announced the opening day of their annual Free Influenza (FLU) Clinic on Thursday, October 6, 2011, from 3-8 pm, at the Northeast Missouri (NEMO) Fairgrounds, 2700 E. Illinois. Citizens should enter the fairgrounds using the South entrance off Patterson Street. This clinic is a drive-thru immunization only and is open to citizens ages 4 and older. Those who are insured by Medicare/Medicaid need to bring their identification cards. Please wear short sleeves that will allow the vaccine to be administered in the arm.

For additional information, please contact the Adair County Health Department at 660-665-8491, or download the required Flu Assessment Screening and Consent Form from their web site at <http://adair.lphamo.org/Folders/documents/fluscreeningform.pdf>.



KIRKSVILLE AQUATIC CENTER ADDS NEW CLASSES AND EVENTS

MAKE A SPLASH SUNDAYS

Join the aquatic center staff from 1 — 4 pm on the 3rd Sunday of each month to make a splash! All lap lanes will be removed to allow for the maximum amount of fun. Mark your calendar now for the Sundays that this event will be held:

- October 16
- November 20
- December 18



NEW CLASSES OFFERED

The Kirksville Aquatic Center is now offering two new fitness classes:

Cardio Blast will be held Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:45 —6:30 pm and offers moderate to high intensity exercises for a calorie burning, fat blasting cardio workout! This fitness class will run October 11—November 3.

Boot Camp will be held Mondays and Wednesdays from 6—7 pm and offers moderate to high intensity exercises helping you power thru your weight loss plateau! This fitness class will run October 17—November 9.

Please sign-up in advance for classes by contacting the Kirksville Aquatic Center at 660-627-POOL (7665). Each fitness class is \$5 per session plus daily admission.

KIRKSVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT URGES KIRKSVILLE RESIDENTS TO "PROTECT YOUR FAMILY FROM FIRE"

What's the best way to protect your family from fire? Be ahead of the game, of course. With more than 360,000 home fires reported in the United States in 2009, according to the nonprofit National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), your best defense is a good offense. That's why Kirksville's Fire Department is teaming up with NFPA during the October 9-15, 2011, to let our community know: "It's Fire Prevention Week. Protect your Family from Fire!" This year's campaign focuses on preventing the leading causes of home fires -- cooking, heating and electrical equipment, as well as candles and smoking materials. Additionally, it urges people to protect their homes and families with life-saving technology and planning.

The Kirksville Fire Department offers the following tips for protecting your home and family from fire:

- Stay in the kitchen while you are frying, grilling, or broiling food. If you leave the kitchen for even a short period of time, turn off the stove.
- Keep anything that can burn at least three feet away from heating equipment, like the furnace, fireplace, wood stove, or portable space heater.
- Have a three-foot "kid-free zone" around open fires and space heaters.
- Replace or repair damaged or loose electrical cords.
- If you smoke, smoke outside.
- Use deep, wide ashtrays on a sturdy table.
- Blow out all candles when you leave the room or go to bed. Avoid the use of candles in the bedroom and other areas where people may fall asleep.

Fire Prevention Week is actively supported by fire departments across the country. For over 85 years fire departments have observed Fire Prevention Week, making it the longest running public health and safety observance on record.



To find out more about Fire Prevention Week programs and activities in Kirksville, please contact the Kirksville Fire Department at 660-665-3734. To learn more about "It's Fire Prevention Week. Protect your Family from Fire!" visit NFPA's website at www.firepreventionweek.org.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT OFFERS CHILDREN'S HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

The Annual Children's Halloween Carnival sponsored by the Kirksville Parks and Recreation Department and the Adair County Family YMCA will be held on Saturday, October 29, 2—4 pm, at the YMCA. The afternoon will be full of free games and treats.

Be sure to come in your costume!



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