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National Fire Prevention Month



The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 2024 theme for Fire Prevention Week October 6-12 is: "Smoke alarms: Make them work for you!" It's simple, working smoke alarms save lives! Due to synthetic

materials used in modern construction, homes burn hotter and faster; while also emitting toxic smoke limiting the time you have to escape to less than 2-3 minutes. The early warning from smoke alarms could save your life. According to the NFPA, smoke alarms reduce the risk of dying in a home fire by more than half (54 percent). Meanwhile, roughly three out of five fire deaths happen in homes with either no smoke alarms or no working smoke alarms.

In addition to our normal daily responsibilities, the City of Moore Fire Department spends the month of October reaching out to educate all our Moore Public Schools students about not only Fire Safety, but also Fire Prevention. Talk to your students, ask what they learned from our visit, allow them to share their experience with you. We go over many safety topics with them; from the classic "Stop, Drop, & Roll" (if your clothes catch on fire) to "Stay Low & Go" (staying under the smoke as much as possible), "Get Out & Stay Out" (the importance of not going back inside), "Find Your Meeting Spot" (developing an escape plan that has 2 exits and ends at a meeting spot for the family), "Close Before You Doze" (closing a bedroom door can give you valuable extra time & help slow the spread of fire). Our older kids even learn some safe cooking tips; keep counters clean, make sure you have a lid that fits your pan, never leave your cooking area unattended, keep hair and loose clothing away from burner areas, always turn your burners off after cooking, lighter safety and even how to test smoke detectors.

These are all things you can help your children practice and accomplish, which in turn can keep your family safer in the event of a fire emergency.



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The City's website has the most current information on closings, trash service, and events you'll see here. Please confirm dates, times, locations of events at cityofmoore.com.

Follow us on social media:



City Hall: 405-793-5000

Utility Customer Service: 405-793-5032 After Hours Water/Sewer: 405-793-5080 Trash & Big Trash: 405-793-5070 Parks and Recreation: 405-793-5090

Pothole Hotline: 405-793-4653



Holiday Hours and Sanitation Schedules

Veterans Day Nov. 11, 2024 City Offices will be closed. Trash service not affected.

The Station Recreation Center Open 5 a.m.–10 p.m.

Walk the Parks

When: Sept. 23 - Nov. 11 Registration: Visit the City's website at cityofmoore.com /walktheparks

Join this walking program that promotes health, wellness and community among Moore residents. For more information

call 405-793-5090.





Fall Marketplace 2024

When: Saturday, Sept. 28 Time: 9:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m. Where: Central Park

Multipurpose Pavilion (700 S

Broadway Ave.)

Over 40+ vendors selling handmade items, crafts, quilts, yard art, food, farm products and more. Come shop local!



Fall Bean Dinner

When: Saturday, Oct. 12 **Time:** 11:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Where: Brand Senior Center

501 E Main St.

Cost: Adults \$6/Children \$3 under 12 Support the Moore Council On Aging fundraising dinner to support the transportation for Seniors in Moore.



Monster Mash Throwback Thrillers

When: Friday, Oct. 25 **Time:** 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Where: Moore Community Center COST: \$10 pre-sale and \$15 at the

door

A Spooky night to enjoy with family. All kids must be accompanied by an adult.



Haunting on Howard St.

When: Saturday, Oct. 26 Time: 4:00- 7:00 p.m. Where: Moore Community

Center

Candy and Haunted Room Hosted by Moore Parks and Recreation Department as part

of Haunt Old Town.

Mayor's Minute

As we transition into the season of Fall, I am filled with gratitude for the community we share. The crisp air signals not only a change in the weather but also the return of school, where our children embrace new adventures in learning. With school back in session, the excitement of Friday night football games brings us together as we cheer on our teams and celebrate the spirit of competition.

One of our long-standing traditions, the Red Ribbon Parade, is back again this year, having been a part of Moore since 1988. The parade will be held **October 26 @ 1:00 p.m.**, and stands as a testament to our commitment to fostering a drug-free lifestyle for our youth. I encourage everyone to come out, enjoy the festivities, and take pride in the unity that defines our city.

After the parade, make sure to join us at the Haunt Old Town for an evening filled with trick-or-treating and an array of outdoor activities. It's a wonderful opportunity to connect, laugh, and create lasting memories.

As we embrace this season, let's remember to be respectful and caring towards one another. Moore is truly a unique city, and together, we can continue to make it a wonderful place to live.

Respectfully,
Mayor Mark Hamm
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Youth Winter Basketball Leagues

Sign-Ups: Now thru Sept. 30 - Online preferred, games are Fridays and/or Saturdays starting Dec. 13-14

Where: The Station Recreation Center & Moore Community Center

Ages: Boys and Girls 5-6, 7-8, 9-10 and 11-12 years **Registration:** www.cityofmoore.com/fun