

# CITY OF ASH GROVE NEWS

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The City of Ash Grove was recently approved for the Missouri Department of Conservation TRIM (Tree Resource Improvement and Maintenance) Grant for tree removal, replacement, and maintenance of our City Park! 

Even though National Good Neighbor Day was celebrated on Sept. 28th, we would like to remind everyone of the importance of becoming an engaged neighbor. In 1978, U.S. President Jimmy Carter announced the creation of a national day aimed at raising public awareness that good neighbors help achieve human understanding and build strong, thriving communities. Since then, National Good Neighbor Day has been celebrated every year on Sept. 28. Be a good neighbor everv dav!

## \*\*\*\*\*\* SUNSHINE CENTER

The Ash Grove Pharmacy will be providing a flu shot clinic at the Sunshine Center on Thursday, October 8th 9:00-11:00 am with no appointment needed. Remember to bring your insurance card and wear proper PPE.

Every Friday in October the Sunshine Center will be serving a drive up lunch from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm with a varying menu each week. Sunday, October 4th will be the first Sunday Lunch from 11:30 - 1:30 pm with a delicious menu for \$6.00 consisting of: Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll & Dessert.

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### THE HARVEST MOON FEST

The Modern Homestead Williams Fall Harvest Co. will be hosting "The Harvest Moon Fest" on Saturday, October 3rd from 6:00-10:00 pm. Bring your lawn chairs and enjoy live bluegrass music from Casey & The Attaboys, food from Sticky Fingers BBQ, drinks from The Sage Tea, Kettle Corn and plenty of fall family fun. Admission is \$5.00 for adults and Free for children 10 & under. Event proceeds support Ash Groves GRO (Growth In The Rural Ozarks) project.

~Corner of Farm Road 84 & F Hwy, Ash Grove~

### HALLO-HOUSE October 31, 2020

A safe alternative to consider for Halloween this year is to participate in the Hallo-House home decorating extravaganza! You can still experience the thrills of traditional trick or treating by decorating your properties and windows into Monsters and or any Halloween theme. This will run from Oct. 23rd -Oct. 31st. Please message Hallo-House Facebook page or call 417-860-9422 for more information and if you are interested in participating.

\*\*\*\*\* Nathan & Olive Boone Historic Site, 7850 N State Hwy V Summer Hours: April 1 through October 31 OPEN Wednesday thru Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm Sunday from 1 pm to 4 pm Closed Monday and Tuesday (417) 751-3266

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

- Drive Up Lunch, Fried Chicken Dinner 11:30-1:30
- Monday, October 5 Water Bills Due by 4:30
- Monday, October 5 Council Meeting 7 pm
- Tuesday October 6 Water Bill penalty applied
- Tuesday, October 6 American Legion Meeting at City Hall 6:30 pm
- Wednesday, October 7 Water Bill calculated/mailed
- Wednesday, October 7 Voter Registration Deadline
- Thursday, October 8 Flu Shots at the Sunshine Center
- Thursday, October 8 Ash Grove Masonic Lodge #100 Meeting 7 pm
- Monday, October 12 Columbus Day
- Wednesday, October 14 Siren Test 10 am
- Thursday, October 15 Municipal Court 3 pm
- Thursday, October 15 Food Pantry Meeting 6 pm
- Saturday, October 17- Food Pantry Distribution at 121 W. Main, 9 am to 11 am, Valid Drivers License, SS numbers, & proof of Greene Co. Residency. BY APPOINTMENT AT (417) -379-4421
- Saturday, October 17 Circle of Paws, Library 11 am.
- Saturday, October 17 American Legion Post #307 Fundraiser Picnic at the Ash Grove City Park -Pavilion
- Monday, October 19 Council Study Session 7 pm
- Monday October 26 Fire Department Meeting 6 pm
- Saturday, October 31 Happy Halloween!
- Saturday, October 31 Trunk or Treat East Main St.
- Sunday, November 1 Daylight Savings Time Ends
- Tuesday, November 3 Election Dav

#### \*\*\*\*\*\* BARGAINS AND BLESSINGS

Wednesday thru Saturday 10 am to 2 pm. Donations are always welcome and they directly help local citizens! RECYCLING CENTER

The Ash Grove Recycling Center, 704 Industrial Drive is open Monday-Friday 9-4pm, Saturday 9-12pm (Closed on Holidays) Rent the Barham House for \$65.00, Fax \$1.00 per 3 pages 

#### **DIAPER BANK DRIVE UP ONLY**

The United Methodist Presbyterian Church Diaper Bank distribution will be on Saturday, October 17th. Pre-register by October 11th by emailing your name, address, and phone number, and the name and product size for baby/ child/adult to agfriendsandneighbors@gmail.com. \*\*\*\*\*\*

### **Contact Information for City of Ash Grove**

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