



CITY OF ASH GROVE NEWS

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67th Annual Day of Prayer Thursday, May 3

The 67th Annual Day of Prayer will be Thursday, May 3, 12:00 pm (NOON) at City Hall. In 2018. The theme this year is Unity, based on Ephesians 4:3 which challenges us to mobilize unified public prayer for America, "Making every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace." Hear Us, Forgive Us, Heal Us! Come join in prayer for our country, government, state and city. ALL are welcome!

City Wide Garage Sale - Saturday, May 5

Start your SPRING cleaning now! Check your closets, attic, and garage for items no longer used and get ready for the upcoming City Wide Garage Sale! Your "junk" may be another's "treasure"! Please make sure that you are removing your sign's after your sale. Don't forget to mark your calendar's ... the City Wide Clean Up Day is scheduled for Saturday, June 2.

Ash Grove United Methodist Presbyterian Church holds a monthly Diaper Bank. Pre-register by emailing your name, address, phone and the name and diaper size for your baby/child to:

ashgrovediapersforbabies@gmail.com

May 19 - 9 to 11 am, pre-register by May 12

Swimming Pool Opens for Season on May 26

Pool Manager is David Raper

Pool Number 751-3052

Pool hours: Tuesday thru Saturday 12 pm to 6 pm

Sunday 1 pm to 6 pm, CLOSED on Mondays

Admission: under 10 years - \$1.50, 10 and up - \$2.50

Arbor Day Celebration

Ash Grove has held the title of being a "Tree City USA Community" for 11 years! Thanks to everyone that volunteers on the Ash Grove Tree Board Committee for their hard work and dedication to make this happen. In honor of Arbor Day, the Ash Grove Tree Board Committee along with Urban Forrester, Cindy Garner, planted a tree at the City Park on Thursday, April 19. Thank you to everyone who joined the celebration!

Bargains and Blessings Thrift Store, 401 E Boone

Wednesday thru Saturday 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Donation are always welcome and they directly help local citizens!

Per City Ordinance 405.720, signs on public property are prohibited. This includes, but is nor limited to placing private signage on street/highway right of way, attaching to telephone and/or electric poles and/or attaching to existing traffic signage.

Ash Grove Recycling Center, 704 Industrial Drive

NOW OPEN: Monday thru Friday, 9 am to 4 pm,

Saturday, 9 am to 12 pm & Closed on Sunday

Guidelines Pamphlet available at City Hall

3 Bins: Glass and 2 Comingled Bins

DATES TO REMEMBER

- * Tuesday, May 1 - American Legion 6:30 pm
- * Thursday, May 3 - National Day of Prayer, 12 pm
- * Thursday, May 3 - Water Bills Due by 4:30 pm
- * Friday, May 4 - Water Bill penalty applied
- * Saturday, May 5 - City Wide Garage Sale
- * Saturday, May 5 - Sunshine Center Fish Fry 11am-3 pm
- * Monday, May 7 - Water Bill calculated/mailed
- * Monday, May 7 - Council Meeting 7 pm
- * Wednesday, May 10 - Monthly Siren Test 10 am
- * Sunday, May 13 - Mother's Day!
- * Monday, May 14 - P&Z at City Hall, 7 pm
- * Thursday, May 17 - Food Pantry Meeting, 6 pm
- * Saturday, May 19 - Food Distribution at the Food Pantry, 121 W. Main, 9 am - 11 am. Valid Drivers License, SS numbers, & proof of Greene Co Residency
- * Saturday, May 19 - Circle of Paws, 11 am Library
- * Monday, May 21 - Council Study Session 7 pm
- * Monday, May 28 - City Hall Closed for Memorial Day
- * Tuesday, May 29 - Fire Depart Board 7 pm
- * Saturday, June 2 - City Wide Clean Up

Members needed for the Planning & Zoning and Park Board. Anyone interested please contact City Hall at 751-2333

Ash Grove Sunshine Center, 310 N Perryman
Monday Night "Jammer's" Session Music & Dancing 6 - 9pm

General Municipal Election was held on April 3, 2018

"Thank You for your votes and continued support. I am looking forward to serving the community and helping make Ash Grove a beautiful place to live".

Congratulations to the following elected Ash Grove Officials:

Mayor - Les Gardner (2 year term)

Alderman - First Ward - Jerry Kane (2 year term)

Alderman - Second Ward - Troy Watts (2 year term)

The Barham House has a newly remodeled kitchen! The new rental rate is \$65.00 with a \$75.00 Security Deposit

Weather Radios available for purchase at City Hall \$30.00

Fax at City Hall: \$1.00 per 3 pages

Nathan Boone Historic Site, 7850 N State Hwy V

OPEN Friday and Saturday from 10 am - 4 pm

Sunday from 1 pm - 4 pm

Closed Monday and Thursday (417) 751-3266

Events: Public Meeting, May 19, 11 am

Belle's Storybook Trail May 19, 10 am - 4 pm

Historical Skills: Rope Making, June 16, 11am - 1 pm

Historical Skills: Tinsmithing, July 21, 11 am - 1pm

Contact Information for City of Ash Grove

Mayor: les.gardner@ashgrovememo.gov

City Clerk: debbie.cox@ashgrovememo.gov

Police Chief: darin.chance@ashgrovememo.gov

Mayor

Les Gardner

Council

Pat Hurley

Jerry Kane

William Wagner

Troy Watts

City Clerk

Deborah A. Cox

Utility Billing Clerk

Melissa Mau

Court Clerk

Melissa Mau

Public Works

Bill Dunfield

Larry Harrison

Police Department

Chief Darin Chance

Officers

Jacob Marler

James Romero

Noah Cross

Shawn Garner

Reserve Officers

Andrew Benjamin

Matthew Coombes

Felisity Cordell

Joseph Mahan

E M Director

Jacob Marler

Park Board

Vacant

Planning & Zoning

Board

Nicholas Wand

Fire Department

Chief Kim Grant

EMERGENCY

911

Empire Electric

1-800-206-2300

WCA (Trash)

1-800-323-7548

Spire

1-800-582-1234