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City of Tuttle Newsletter

CITY OF TUTTLE, OKLAHOMA



Upcoming City Events

- *Monday, October 7: Planning Commission Meeting 6:30 PM City Hall*
- *Tuesday, October 8: Parks and Recreation Board Meeting 7:00 PM City Hall*
- *Saturday, October 12: Columbus Day Traditional*
- *Monday, October 14: Columbus Day Observed City offices are open*
- *Monday, October 14: City Council Meeting 6:00 PM City Hall*
- *Thursday, October 24: Cemetery Advisory Board Meeting 5:00 PM at City Hall*
- *Thursday, October 31: Halloween - City wide Trick or Treat*
- *Tuesday, November 5: Tuttle Area Chamber of Commerce Banquet 6 PM Snow Hill Baptist Church*

TRICK OR TREAT SAFETY TIPS

Have adult supervision. Accompany your kids if you don't think they're old enough to trick-or-treat on their own.

There is safety in numbers. If they're old enough to trick-or-treat without an adult, tell your kids to stay in a group.

Map out your plan. Designate a route before your kids begin trick-or-treating, and make sure they stick to it.

Take the long way 'round. Have your kids trick-or-treat in areas where there are a lot of people around. They should also avoid taking short-cuts through alleys and parking lots.

Try trick-or-treat-friendly homes. Ensure your kids only visit houses with lights on. And, you might also suggest the houses they visit have some sort of Halloween decoration on the porch.

Stay outside. Make sure your kids don't go inside someone's house. They can get their candy from the porch.

Remain visible. Dress your kids in a bright costume so others can see them. If their costume is dark, have your kids wear reflective strips or carry a glow stick or flashlight.

Remember, shorter = safer. Goes without saying but just in case you forget, ensure your kids' costumes aren't so long that they can trip over them.

Don't cover the face. Instead of masks, have your kids wear make-up so they can see better.

Quality-check treats. Check your kids' candy before they eat it. Throw out any candy that is not in its original wrapper or looks like it has been tampered with.

Say "no" to strangers. Tell your kids to never accept a ride or go anywhere with a stranger.

Obey the law. Encourage your kids to follow all the regular rules for walking around. That includes looking both ways before crossing, obeying all traffic laws and using cross walks and crossing lights where available.

Have a great time! Finally, make sure your kids have tons of fun and get lots and lots of candy.

Recycling Drop-Off Sites

- Cub Scouts Trailer, Main Street— Aluminum Cans
- First Assembly of God— Aluminum Cans
- Snow Hill Baptist Church— Paper
- Tuttle Elementary— Paper
- Tuttle Middle School— Paper

TUTTLE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 2013 BANQUET

Dinner

Silent Auction

Awards

A Special Performance by the Country Music Associations "Rising Star" of 2013

Kylie Morgan

Tuesday, November 5, 2013 at 6:00 PM

Snow Hill Baptist Church

11 South Morgan Road

Reserve your table by contacting TACC 381-4600

natasha@tuttlechamber.org

CUB SCOUT FOOD DRIVE NOVEMBER 16th

Scouts will be collecting canned food items in Tuttle neighborhoods. You may leave food on your porch for pick-up. Food may also be dropped off at City Hall.



Consider adoption from the City Shelter

Adoptable pets are posted on the City of Tuttle facebook page. Contact Animal Control at 381-4467 for details.



Storm Shelter Registration

Please visit the Emergency Management section of cityoftuttle.com to register your storm shelter with the City. This will help rescuers find you if your shelter is covered up or hidden by storm debris.

CRIME PREVENTION TIPS

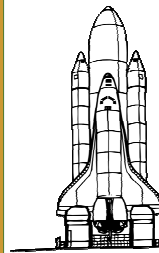
- Always roll up your windows and lock the car, even if it is parked in front of your home.
- Never leave valuables in plain view, even if your car is locked. Put them in the trunk, under a seat, or take them inside.
- Park in the garage when possible
- Never leave personal identification documents, vehicle ownership title, or credit cards in your vehicle.
- Mark your property with your Driver's License number.
- If your property is stolen, report it to the police immediately at (405) 381-4467.

MISSED TRASH SERVICE:

In order to better serve our residents we are asking for your help. If your trash is not picked up on Tuesday by 6pm, please report the issue to Tuttle Public Works (381-5902) by Wednesday at 12pm so that your trash pick-up can be rescheduled. If you do not report your trash being missed by Wednesday at 12pm there is no guarantee your trash can will be emptied by Republic Services until your next service day. This service applies to residents within the City Limits of Tuttle only. If you have any questions please call Tuttle Public Works.

It's that time of year again - the weather is becoming too cool to enjoy your pool and it is time to winterize. Take the proper steps and **use a pool cover for safety.**

To provide better police, fire and EMS service, every residence shall have an address visible and posted on the house, curb or mailbox per City Ordinance.



CHALLENGER CARPET CLEANING

\$20/ROOM—3 ROOM MIN.

921-9798

Expert Carpet Repair & Re-stretch

ELECTION FILING FOR WARD 3 CITY COUNCIL POSITION AND CITY MAYOR

Those who will be running for these two offices in May of 2014 will need to file their candidacy forms with the Grady County Elections Board between 8:00 am on Monday, December 2, 2013 and 5:00 pm on Wednesday, December 4, 2013. The City of Tuttle Wards Map is available for viewing at City Hall and at www.cityoftuttle.com

Anyone who might be interested in filing is welcome to contact Tim Young, City Manager, at tyoung@cityoftuttle.com or 381-2335 for more information.

Advertising in the Newsletter

As you can see, the City of Tuttle is now allowing advertising in the newsletter. Space is available on a first come first serve basis. The spaces are \$25.00 for a business card sized ad (3.5x1.5). To place your ad you can come by City Hall or email wmarble@cityoftuttle.com Your ad needs to be a jpeg file.