



CITY OF ASH GROVE NEWS

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Council
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City Clerk
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Utility Billing Clerk
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Public Works
Kolton Jett
Larry Harrison
Tyler Cobb
Ray Lynch

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John Davis

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Bob Bell

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Matthew Adkins

Officers
Domanick Wide-Brook
Cody McClure

Building Code Enforcement
Chris Boyd

Park Board
Vacant

Planning & Zoning Board
John Goodsell

Fire Department
Tony Monnig

EMERGENCY 911
Liberty Electric
1-800-206-2300
GFL (Trash)
1-417-851-1900
Spire
1-800-582-1234

MUNICIPAL GENERAL ELECTION

Candidates for Alderman: First Ward (2) year term
~ August Carlson

Candidate for Alderman: Second Ward (2) year term
~ Kristina Fry

ANNUAL PRIMACY FEE

The Missouri Department of Natural Resources Public Drinking Water Branch requires cities to charge an annual primacy fee to it's water customers. This fee will be added to the April billing. Ash Grove has less than 1000 connections so the fee set by the state is \$4.60 for residential addresses billed and \$16.48 for large meters greater than 1 inch but no more than 2 inches. For more information please visit: <https://dnr.mo.gov>.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, April 2 - First Sunday Lunch Fundraiser at the Sunshine Center 310 N Perryman from 11:30-1:00 Adults \$8.00 Child Under 12 \$3.50 with Fried Fish/Fried Chicken, Baked Potato, Beans, Cole Slaw, Cornbread, Desserts & Drink.

Saturday, April 8th - "The Great Egg Hunt" hosted by AG Assembly of God and AG First Baptist Church in the City Park from 11 am to 2 pm. Ages Pre-K - 6th Grade with **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**, visit www.ashgroveag.org

Saturday, April 8th - The Farmer's Market opening day at the City Park with spring produce, brewed coffee, plant starts, flowers, hanging baskets, and more. Farmers Market will be every Saturday 9 am to 12 noon through October 28th.

Thursday, April 20 - AGHF Spring Bake Sale at 401 N Medical Drive lower level beginning at 10 am.

Thursday, April 20 - Paddle Party at the Sunshine Center, 310 N Perryman, doors open at 5:00 pm.

Thursday, April 27 - Arbor Day Celebration at the Public Works Building 103 S. Frazier at 2:00 pm for tree planting, educational materials, and giveaways with the Missouri Department of Conservation and more.

Friday & Saturday, April 28 & 29 - Sunshine Center Plant Sale at 310 N Perryman. Hanging baskets, annuals, perennials, vegetable plants, succulents. Plants from J & P Greenhouse, Hurley MO.

Saturday, April 29 - Ash Grove Chamber of Commerce Membership Dinner at The Tin Ceiling Event Venue, 123 W Main. Additional information coming soon.

Thursday, May 4 - National Day of Prayer at 12:00 Noon at City Hall

Saturday, May 6 - City Wide Garage Sale

Saturday, June 3 - City Wide Clean Up

Nathan and Olive Boone Historic Site, 7850 N State Hwy V

Summer Hours: April 1 - October 31

OPEN Wednesday - Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm

Sunday from 1 pm to 4 pm

Closed Monday & Tuesday (417) 751-3266

DATES TO REMEMBER

- * Monday, April 3 - Water Bills Due by 4:30 pm
- * Tuesday, April 4 - Water Bill Penalty Applied
- * Tuesday, April 4 - Election Day
- * Wednesday, April 5 - Water Bill calculated/mailed
- * Sunday, April 9 - Happy Easter!
- * Wednesday, April 12 - Monthly Siren Test 10 am
- * Thursday, April 13 - Food Pantry Bagging/Meeting Day
- * Thursday, April 13 - Ash Grove Masonic Lodge #100 Meeting 7 pm
- * Saturday, April 15 - Food Pantry Distribution at 121 W. Main, 9 am to 11 am, Valid Drivers License, SS numbers, & proof of Greene Co. Residency. **DRIVE UP ONLY OR BY APPOINTMENT AT 379-4421.**
- * Tuesday, April 18 - City Council Meeting 7 pm
- * Wednesday, April 19 - Municipal Court 3:30 pm
- * Saturday, April 22 - Happy Earth Day!
- * Monday, April 24 - Fire Department Meeting 6 pm
- * Tuesday, April 25 - Ash Grove Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting 6:30 pm at City Hall
- * Wednesday, April 26 - Administrative Office Professionals Day!

BARGAINS AND BLESSINGS 401 E BOONE

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

SUNSHINE CENTER 310 N PERRYMAN 751-3826

Serving weekday meals 11:30 - 12:30 with a suggested donation of \$3.50 for seniors. Patrons under 60 cost is \$7.00.

RECYCLING CENTER

The Ash Grove Recycling Center, 704 Industrial Drive is open Monday-Friday 9-4pm, Saturday 9-12pm (Closed on Holidays)

Reminder: One bag of garbage in the recycling bin can contaminate the entire load causing it to be rejected.

Rent the Barham House for \$65.00, Fax \$1.00 per 3 pages

DIAPER BANK

The United Methodist -Presbyterian Church Diaper Bank distribution will be on Saturday, April 15th. Pre-Register by April 9th by emailing your name, address, and phone number, plus the name and product size for baby/child/adult to agfriendsandneighbors@gmail.com.

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR THE CITY OF ASH GROVE

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AG Sunshine Senior Center

April Menu

Menu is Subject to Change!



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
3 Sloppy Joe/Bun Potato Bucks Green Salad Dessert	4 Bacon Wrapped Chicken Au Gratin Potatoes Broccoli Roll Dessert	5 Meat Loaf Baked Potato w/ cheese, sour cream Broccoli Biscuit Dessert	6 Happy Easter Roast Beef Mashed Potatoes w/ brown gravy Green Beans Roll & Dessert	7 Chicken Liver Hash Brown Casse- role Three-Bean Salad Dessert
10 Ham & Beans Spinach Corn Bread Dessert	11 Spaghetti & Meatballs Green Salad Garlic Bread Dessert	12 Oven Fried Chicken Mashed Potatoes w/ gravy Green Beans Biscuit Dessert	13 Beef Tips & Gravy over noodles Italian Blend Vegeta- ble Roll Bread Pudding	14 Fish Sandwich French Fries Cole Slaw Dessert
17 Brats or Polish Sau- sage w/bun Sauerkraut Potato Salad No Bake Cookie	18 Taco Salad w/Tortilla Chips Tomato, Lettuce, On- ion, Cheese, Sour Cream, Salsa Dessert	19 Meat Loaf Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Roll Dessert <i>Birthday Celebration</i>	20 Chicken Pot Pie Green Salad Roll Dessert	21 Bacon Cheese Burg- er Wedge Fries Garden Salad Dessert
24 BBQ Beef/Bun Baked Beans Cole Slaw Dessert	25 Salisbury Steak Mashed Potatoes w/ gravy Peas Roll Dessert	26 Oven Fried Chicken Roasted Potatoes Country Blend Veg Roll Dessert	27 Baked Pork Chops Buttered Noodles Zucchini Roll Dessert	28 Fried Fish Hush Puppies French Fries Coleslaw Cinnamon Roll
Lunch Served M-F 11:30-12:30 To Go Meals 12:00 Suggested Contribu- tion for Ages 60+ \$3.50 Under 60 \$7.00	" A flower blossoms for its own joy." Oscar Wilde	Spring Time  Fun Time	" Some old- fashioned things like fresh air and sun- shine are hard to beat." Laura Ingalls Wilder	<i>Alternate for Fish or Pork Please Call before 10:00 417-751-3826</i> 

Ash Grove Sunshine Center 310 N. Perryman Ash Grove, MO 65604 417-751-3826
Open M-F 8:00—2:30