



CITY OF ASH GROVE NEWS

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1-800-206-2300

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1-800-323-7548

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1-800-582-1234

Annual Primacy Fee

The Missouri Department of Natural Resources Public Water Branch requires cities to charge an annual primacy fee to its water customers. Ash Grove Water system has less than 1000 connections so the Primacy Fee rate set by the state is \$3.24 for residential addresses billed and \$7.44 for large meters. The state uses these fees for testing drinking water, inspections, compliance activities, complaint investigations as well as technical assistance.

National Day of Prayer Thursday, May 7, 2020

Join us at 12:00 (NOON) for the National Day of Prayer at the new Community Garden location on Industrial Drive. We will be praying for our country, government, state and city and will structure this event following safe practices for social distancing to the best of our ability.

City Wide Garage Sale - Saturday, May 30

We have all had a bit more time on our hands lately and this would be an excellent time to clean out 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.

City Wide Clean-Up - Saturday, June 6

Following the City Wide Garage Sale, Ash Grove will have the annual City Wide Clean-Up from 8 am to 1 pm at the Public Works Shop (700 block of Industrial Drive). City Residents Only (Proof of residency required). NO hazardous waste, paints/solvents, tires, oil, yardwaste/brush. Separate trailer provided for appliances & bulky metal objects.

Swimming Pool Opens May 23, 2020

Pool Manager - David Raper

Pool Number is 751-3052

Pool Hours: Tuesday thru Saturday 12pm to 6pm

Sunday 1 pm to 6 pm, CLOSED on Mondays'

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

Individual passes: \$30.00 ea, \$90.00 4 pk family, \$15.00 ea.

Additional family member.

Pool Parties 2 Hours - \$90.00

Nathan 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

- * Monday, May 4 - Council Meeting 7 pm
- * Monday, May 4 - Water Bills Due by 4:30 pm
- * Tuesday, May 5 - Water Bill penalty applied
- * Wednesday, May 6 - Water Bill calculated/mailed
- * Thursday, May 7 - National Day of Prayer 12:00 Noon at the new Gazebo location (Industrial Drive)
- * Sunday, May 10 - Happy Mother's Day
- * Wednesday, May 13 - Monthly Siren Test 10 am
- * Thursday, May 14 - Ash Grove Masonic Lodge 7 pm
- * Thursday, May 14 - Food Pantry Meeting 6 pm
- * Saturday, May 16 - 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
- * Monday, May 18 - Council Study Session 7 pm
- * Monday, May 25 - Memorial Day OFFICE CLOSED
- * Saturday, May 30 - City Wide Garage Sale
- * Monday, June 1 - Council Meeting 7 pm
- * Tuesday, June 2 - General Municipal Election
- * Saturday, June 6 - City Wide Cleanup Day
- * Thursday, June 11 - Municipal Court 3 pm

BARGAINS AND BLESSINGS TEMPORARILY CLOSED

(Plan to re-open Wednesday, June, 3)

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

SUNSHINE CENTER TEMPORARILY CLOSED

If you are 60 or older and would like meals for pickup or delivery please call 751-3826.

RECYCLING CENTER WILL BE OPEN

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

Barham House Temporarily Closed , Fax \$1.00 per 3 pages

DIAPER BANK DRIVE UP ONLY

The United Methodist Church Diaper Bank distribution will be on Saturday, May 16th. Preregister by May 10th by emailing your name, address, and phone number, and the name and product size for baby/child/adult to agfriendsandneighbors@gmail.com.

ASH GROVE MUNICIPAL COURT

Next Court Date will be Thursday, June 11, 2020 at 3 pm. Please contact Court Clerk Jennifer Martin with any questions you may have at 751-2333.

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