

October 2, 2017 Monthly Publication

Send a card. It's the biggest little thing you can do.

## National Fire Prevention Week

Oct 8th—14th

### 2017 Theme: Every Second Counts: Plan 2 Ways Out!

Fire Safety Week is observed during the Sunday through Saturday period in which October 9 falls, in commemoration of the Great Chicago Fire, which began October 8, 1871, and did most of its damage October 9.

#### In a fire, seconds count. Seconds can mean the difference between residents of our community escaping safely from a fire or having their lives end in tragedy.

That's why this year's Fire Prevention Week theme: "Every Second Counts: Plan 2 Ways Out!" is so important. It reinforces why everyone needs to have an escape plan. Here's this year's key campaign messages:

Draw a map of your home with all members of your household, marking two exits from each room and a path to the outside from each exit.

• Practice your home fire drill twice a year. Conduct one at night and one during the day with everyone in your home, and practice using different ways out.

• Teach children how to escape on their own in case you can't help them.

• Make sure the address of your home is clearly marked and easy for the fire department to find.

• Close doors behind you as you leave – this may slow the spread of smoke, heat, and fire.

• Once you get outside, stay outside. Never go back inside a burning building.



## **October Diversity & Inclusion**

National Domestic Violence Awareness Month

National Disability Employment Awareness Month

National Work & Family Month

October 1-7 Mental Illness Awareness Week

October 4-11 Sukkot (Jewish)

October 6 German-American Day

October 9 Leif Erikson Day



October 9 Columbus Day/National Indigenous People's Day

October 11 General Pulaski Memorial Day

October 11 National Coming Out Day

October 11-13 **Shemini Atzeret (Jewish)** 

October 12-13 **Simchat Torah (Jewish)** 

October 19 **Diwali (Hindu)** 

October 19-20 **Birth of the Bab (Baha'i)** 

October 31 **Samhain (Gaelic)** & Halloween

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Flu Shot Appointments

The quadrivalent flu vaccine covering 4 strains of influenza virus will be available by appointment only on Thursday, October 12. Call Tricia Smith @ 785-813-0154 for more info.



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My family & 9 would like to thank our Hallmark friends and co-workers for the cards and prayers concerning the recent passing of our father & grandfather. This meant a lot to all of us. We also want to thank the Hall family for the beautiful plant.

Jom Hodgson (Large Die Cut), Letecia, Christian & Shaun Shane Hodgson (Packaging)

#### **Ticket Winners**

Winners for the Sporting KC tickets to the October 15th game: Randy Phillips, Walter Love & Mary Flanagan

Someone Special

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John Sauer (Pkg) E<sub>t</sub> hís wífe, Sabrína, welcomed their son, Bryce Anthony , on August 30, 2017.

# For Sale

Electrolux Chest Freezer (12 cu. ft.), \$200. Call (785) 817-2725.

Whirlpool Duet front-loading washer (4.1 cu. ft.) and Whirlpool Duet Electronic dryer (6 cycle). \$800 for set. Call (785) 817-2725.