

❖ CITY HALL NEWSLINE ❖

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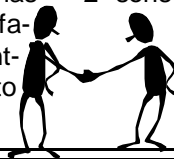
LEAF, LIMB AND
 GRASS
 PICK-UP DAY
 December 2

The City Maintenance Crew will make a **one-time-only** curbside pass through the residential area to pick up leaves, limbs, and grass clippings. Please note:

- ◆ Limbs must be cut 15' or less in length.
- ◆ Leaves & grass clippings must be in plastic bags.
- ◆ All yard waste must be at the curb in front of the residence by 8:00 am on Tuesday, December 2.
- ◆ REGULAR TRASH AND GARBAGE WILL NOT BE PICKED UP ON THIS DAY.

We extend a warm welcome

to Curtis Jones, new patrol officer with the Halstead Police Department. Curtis previously worked at the Sedgwick County Jail. He has 2 sons and 1 daughter. His favorite hobby is bow hunting. We look forward to working with Curtis.



COMING EVENTS

Daylight Saving Time Ends
 November 2

Downtown Holiday Open House
 November 8

City Offices Closed
 November 11
 November 27 & 28

Leaf & Limb Pickup
 December 2

Chamber of Commerce
 Kris Kringle's Jingle Light Parade
 December 6



HEART WATCH



Cold weather is almost here and the holiday season is fast approaching with all the stress and activities that go with it. At this time of year, we need to be aware of the signs and symptoms of cardiac problems. It is estimated that nearly 500,000 people die each year from cardiac arrest. How do we decrease this number? Early recognition and care is essential for survival of a cardiac episode. Everyone needs to learn and be able to recognize the signs and symptoms of heart problems.

- ♥ **Chest pain or discomfort.** Pain or pressure in the chest that is not relieved by resting, changing position, or oral medications. Pain may range from discomfort to an unbearable crushing sensation.
- ♥ **Breathing difficulty.** Noisy breathing, shortness of breath, and a faster than normal rate of breathing.
- ♥ **Changes in pulse rate.** Pulse rate may be faster or slower than normal or may be irregular.
- ♥ **Skin appearance.** May sweat profusely or skin may be pale or bluish in color. Face may be moist.
- ♥ **Be aware** that any or all of these signs may be present. Remember these signs and seek immediate medical attention if they are present - call 911. Time is important!! Prompt action could save a life!



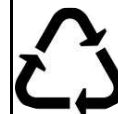
*Shop Halstead for
 the Holidays*

*Holiday Open House
 Saturday, November 8*


Great Gift & Decorating Items
 Chamber Merchants will give tickets for every \$20 in merchandise a shopper buys. Tickets must be turned in at Chamber office to enter in a drawing that will award 8 - \$25 Chamber Bucks on December 6 at the Kris Kringle's Jingle Light Parade.

Biggest Little Chili Cook Off

For details see
chilicookoff.halsteadkansas.com
 Halstead Chamber of Commerce



RECYCLE FACTS

Every minute an average of 113,204 aluminum beverage cans are recycled. 



The American public throws away enough aluminum to rebuild the entire US commercial air fleet every 3 months.

If the Pilgrims had used aluminum cans at the first Thanksgiving, the cans would still be around.



(That's a long time!!)

Burnsite Days Change

November and December
 Burnsite hours will be
 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
 2nd and 3rd Saturdays



Acceptable items are:
TWIGS, LIMBS, BRUSH, & YARDWASTE.

Debris must be emptied from containers.
 Proof of residency is required.

WINTER RATES NOW IN EFFECT



Play one hole or play 36 holes
And pay one flat per-day green fee
BEST BARGAIN IN TOWN!



**DAYLIGHT
SAVING
TIME ENDS**

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2
FALL BACK 1 HOUR**
REMEMBER TO CHANGE
THE BATTERIES ON YOUR
SMOKE ALARMS

*Happy
Thanksgiving!*

*Wishing you
and yours
a wonderful holiday!*



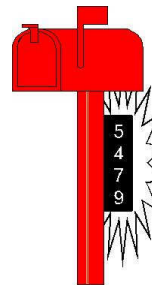
**Free Smoke
Detectors &
Address Signs**



**Halstead
Fire Department**

...will be giving away
1 smoke detector &
1 address sign each week

Drawings will be each
Monday
Last drawing will be
December 22



Register at City Hall
Monday - Friday,
9 am to 4 pm

POSSIBLE GAS LEAK?

IF YOU SMELL GAS,
or to report a gas
emergency: exit the
building and go to the closest
phone. During business
hours; call the City Clerk's office at 835-
2286, after hours, call 911.



GOT SHREDDING?

Stutzman Refuse Disposal, Inc., the City's
recycle contractor, will come to Halstead
on a designated Saturday morning to pro-
cess shredding for Halstead residents. This
will be offered at no charge. If you are in-
terested in using this service, please call
City Hall at 835-2286 by Friday, November
14. The date and time for Stutzman Re-
fuse to be in Halstead for shredding will be
scheduled after determination of sufficient
interest in the program. (Not available for
commercial accounts.)

WCI HOLIDAY PICKUP



In November trash will
be picked up on the
days listed below:

- Friday, November 7
- Friday, November 14
- Friday, November 21
- Saturday, November 29






Blood Pressure Check At the Library
Every Tuesday, 1 - 2 PM

November 2008



*Burnsite Open 2nd & 3rd
Saturdays - 9 AM - 1 PM*

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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	STORY TIME at the library every Tuesday at 10 am					
2 FALL BACK 1 HOUR 	3	4	5	6	7 Recycle Trash Pick-up	8 Holiday Open House
9	10 City Council 7 PM	11 City Offices Closed Veterans Day	12	13 <i>Golf Board Meeting 7:00 am, 240 Main</i>	14 Trash Pick-up	15
16	17 <i>Planning & Zoning 7 pm</i> UTILITY BILLS DUE BY 10:00 AM	18	19	20	21 Recycle Trash Pick-up	22
23	24 City Council 7 PM	25	26	27 	28 City Offices Closed Happy Thanksgiving!	29 WCI TRASH PICK-UP 
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