

OCTOBER 2006

ELECTION 2006, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7th



Tuesday, November 7th is Election Day. Polling locations will be open from 6 a.m. until 6 p.m. Anchorage residents are assigned one of two polling locations: the firehouse at 1400 Evergreen Road or the Presbyterian Church at 11403 Park Road. Find your polling location by visiting www.jeffersoncountyclerk.org and clicking on "voter information" or by calling the Board of Elections at 574-6100. Need a ride to the polls? Call Democratic Party HQ at 582-1999, or Republican Party HQ at 897-5750.

REMINDER: The maximum size of political signs is six square feet. They must be removed within five days after the election. All signs must sit back at least ten feet from the road edge.

THE CIVIC CLUB PRESENTS "WAG YOUR TAILS AND HIKE A TRAIL AT WALK & WAG"

Please make plans to bring your pooch and join us for the annual Anchorage Walk & Wag, Saturday, October 28th, at 9:00AM. The furry event will begin this year at Wagner Park, and will follow a new route that will include parts of the beautiful Anchorage Trails. And because some doggies like Halloween, too, prizes will be provided for the best-dressed 4-legged friend. The registration fee is \$15 and includes a t-shirt and a surprise for "Fido". Additional t-shirts can be purchased for \$10. This event is sponsored by the Anchorage Civic Club, and proceeds will benefit the Shamrock Foundation.

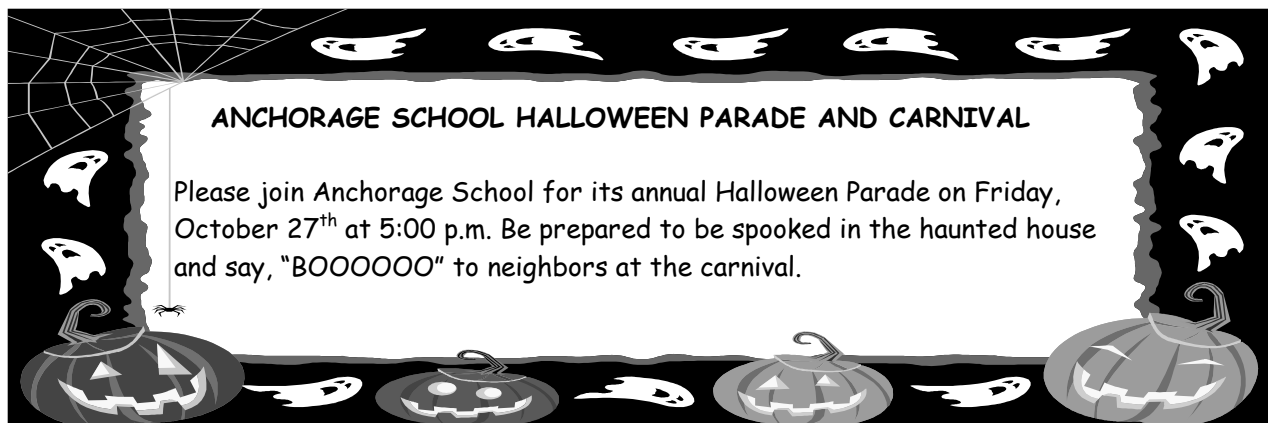
ANCHORAGE FORESTRY

The Forestry Board would like to emphasize two important dates:

The 2007 Color Calendar will be delivered by the end of October to paper boxes or front steps. The first calendar is free; additional calendars can be purchased at City Hall.

The Anchorage Forestry Board's "Fall Tree Giveaway" will have 250-300 nursery grade trees to give to Anchorage residents. This annual event will take place November 4, 2006, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Anchorage School parking lot.





CITRUS FRUIT FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

From Anchorage School 8th Graders

Just in time for the holidays, citrus fruit from Florida is available to order through the 8th grade class at Anchorage School. Fresh oranges and grapefruit from Hale Indian River Groves make ideal gifts for anyone on holiday shopping lists. Fruit is picked tree-ripe and shipped quickly on temperature-controlled trucks to arrive at the peak of perfection. Satisfaction is guaranteed. To order, complete the form below and mail to Anchorage School, Attn: Lisa Shewmaker, 11400 Ridge Road, Anchorage, KY 40223. For questions call 548-1349. Orders are due no later than November 10, 2006, and will be available for pick up at the school on Saturday, Dec. 2nd during **Christmas in Anchorage**. Call to make arrangements for home or office delivery. Thank you for supporting this 8th grade fundraiser.

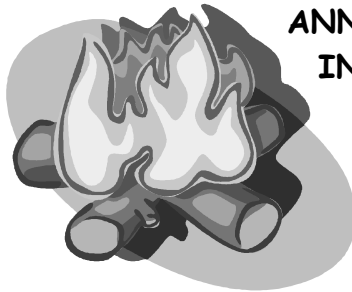
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10 lbs. mixed grapefruit, <i>or</i> 8 navel/6 grapefruit (circle one): \$15.00/ea	Quantity: ____ Price ____
14 lbs. navel orange <i>or</i> grapefruit bag (circle one): \$15.00/ea	Quantity: ____ Price ____
20 lbs. red Orlando tangelos: \$18.00/ea	Quantity: ____ Price ____
	TOTAL PRICE _____

Thanksgiving Grocery Shopping to Benefit Anchorage School

As you get ready to do your Thanksgiving grocery shopping, remember to purchase Kroger, Fresh Market, and Paul's gift cards or gift certificates from Anchorage School. Our school receives 4-5% of your shopping dollars. Cards and certificates are available during school hours at the school front desk or any other time by contacting Elizabeth Taylor at 245-6463 or at eetee@mindspring.com. Happy Thanksgiving!

A REMINDER TO HOMEOWNERS...

City Ordinance 52.11 states that homeowners are responsible for maintaining ditches and culverts on their property by keeping them free from any obstruction which may impede water flow. Residents are responsible for mowing these water channels and keeping them clear of leaves, branches, grass clippings, or any other form of debris that may clog them.



ANNUAL YULE LOG LIGHTING AND CAROL SING IN ANCHORAGE

The Anchorage Garden Club is sponsoring the Yule Log Lighting and Carol Sing at Hobbs Chapel on Sunday, December 10th at 6 PM, with the snow/rain date Monday, December 11th at 6 PM. Be sure to bring candles and candle guards.

The Yule Log Lighting is an annual event that began in 1955. Bundled carolers met for the then-called "Christmas Tree Lighting" across from the post office. Years later, as popularity of the event increased, it was moved to Hobbs Chapel. Be a part of a long-standing Anchorage tradition and join us for an old-fashioned, good time!

"Turkey Trot -- coming soon!" Turkey Trot, the Anchorage Civic Club's Annual Thanksgiving Day 5K & 10K run, will be held again this year on, well, Thanksgiving Day of course! Look for more information in next month's [AnchorAge!](#)

CONDOS NEAR ANCHORAGE

The Metro Louisville Planning Commission has notified Anchorage of a proposed multi-family residential community located on approximately 25 acres located between Avoca and Heafer Roads, west of N. English Station Road. The developer, Amos Martin, is requesting a change in zoning from R-4 Residential to R-5A Multi-family Residential. A hearing is planned for November 2 at the Metro Louisville Planning Commission. If you would like to attend the hearing, please call Anchorage City Hall, 245-4654, for further information.

Poinsettias for Home or Office

Deck your halls with lovely poinsettias available through Anchorage School. Poinsettia orders will be taken during the first week of November with pick-up scheduled for Dec. 4th. Prices and colors vary. Order forms are available at school or contact Amy Gates at 749-0444 or email: tothegates@aol.com .



From the Fire Chief:



October is National Fire Prevention Month. According to the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), in 2005 there were an estimated 381,000 reported home-structure fires with an associated 3,030 civilian fire deaths. Additionally, 2 out of 3 home-structure fires started by children playing with fire and 3 out of 4 of associated fire deaths and injuries involved matches or lighters. Falling asleep was a factor in 12% of home-candle fires. Over 1/3 of reported home-structure fires start in the kitchen, more than any other place in the home.

Now is the time to remember:

- ❖ Check all home smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors.
- ❖ Have fireplaces and chimneys serviced and cleaned if necessary.
- ❖ Have home heating equipment checked and serviced.
- ❖ Use candles with extreme caution and be certain they are extinguished before leaving home or going to bed.
- ❖ Plan and practice a home fire drill. The NFPA reports that only 23% of households have planned and practiced a home fire escape plan.
- ❖ Put matches and lighters out of the reach of children.
- ❖ And those with children; listen to the lessons they learn in their schools and daycares.

Anchorage Commemorative Ornament

The fourth ornament in the Anchorage Commemorative Series will be on sale soon! Designed by local residents, Jill and Greg Smith, the 2006 ornament features the Anchorage Post Office and community landmark, the Anchor. Cost of the ornament is \$10.00. The 2006 ornament will also be sold in a four-piece set that features past designs. Pre-order forms are available at City Hall or can be picked up at Anchorage School at *Christmas in Anchorage* on Saturday, Dec. 2nd.

Christmas in Anchorage and Holiday Home Tour



Plans are underway for **Christmas in Anchorage**, on Saturday, Dec. 2nd from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Anchorage School. In addition to the many vendors and specialty baked goods, this year's event will also include a **Holiday Home Tour**.

Three beautiful homes will be trimmed from banister to banister for the holidays. Home Tour hours are 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Transportation will be provided for the homes located at 1700 Evergreen Road, 1404 Walnut Lane, and 11406 Ridge Road. Parking is available at Anchorage Presbyterian Church. Advanced tickets are on sale at Commonwealth Bank on Evergreen Road or the day of the event at Christmas in Anchorage. Come spend the day celebrating the season in an old fashioned way!



