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**PARKS & RECREATION
OCTOBER 2024**

1. TRUCK TOUCH

Mother Nature blessed us with an incredible day for this year's Truck Touch. We had a good turnout this year. It was a fun afternoon for our families and younger residents attending this year. Special thanks to our State Medevac, Public Works and Police Departments, Penn Waste, Wherley's, Race Care from Tim Stallings, First Capital EMS, Chucks Auto Salvage, Neff's Trucking, the Wrecker from Charlies Repair Service, a Tesla Truck from Brian Ruppert, two tractor trailers from Day Ross, Trike from Mark Sease, Bam Bam from Mission BBQ, and the Shiloh Lions performing youth vision testing. As always, we are grateful for the support of our WMT Fire Department. They are a tremendous asset to this event and we sincerely appreciate their continued support.

2. TRICK OR TREATING

Trick or treating will be held on October 31, ages 12 and under. The newsletter states any resident wishing to participate should turn on their front porch light. We have requested ghosts and goblins venture out into the night between the hours of 6:00 – 8:00 PM.

3. SPEAKEASY HEIST – SAT NOVEMBER 9

Once again we are featuring the Oxymorons Entertainment Group. This year's murder mystery takes place in the 1920's themed murder mystery, guests are enjoying a night at the local museum-by-day, speakeasy-by-night, when a famous jewel goes missing. Alliances are tossed aside when the evening turns deadly and every person is out for themselves and not a single person is trusted. The dinner will be catered by Mission Bar-B-Que. You must be at least 21 to attend. This event will be held at the Shiloh Fire Company, beginning at 6:00 PM. Doors open at 5:00 PM. Additionally, we have secured help from the Shiloh Firefighters and are grateful for their support. Tickets are \$30 per person and are available now.

4. AARP SENIORS SAFE DRIVING PROGRAM

This is always a very popular program for our seniors. This year we offered an 8-hour class (four hours each day) on October 7 and 9. We had 17 participants in the class which was held at Lincolnway Fire Company. This was our first time using the newly renovated training room at Lincolnway and it was user friendly and very functional. We appreciate being able to use this facility.

5. WINTER NEWSLETTER

We are currently working on the 2025 Winter edition of our Newsletter. Please let us know if the Board wishes to include anything in this next edition by October 25.

6. RAC SOFTBALL FIELD RECOMMENDATION

The School Board is attempting to reduce the costs affiliated with the Trimmer Campus improvements and focus on the WY campus improvements. In order, to consider this option, they need to explore options to find a new location for the softball team. Jeanne Herman, a WYSD Board Member and RAC Liaison, approached the RAC on Wednesday, October 16, presenting a request of support to explore the options of using Sunset Lane Softball field for the WYHS Softball team. The RAC is recommending to the Board of Supervisors we explore this option as it could be a significant savings to our residents. The other youth fields located at Trimmer Elementary are also being considered.