OUR ENVIRONMENT





MULCHING is better.....

Hmmm, what to do with all those leaves... Well, did you know mulching is much better than raking and bagging. If done correctly, mulching will nourish your lawn without the added cost of having to use fertilizer. Not only does mulching provide your lawn with fantastic nutrition, but it is a much faster and cheaper alternative than bagging.

The key to mulching is a good lawn mower. Ensuring that your blades are sharp will help your mower cut each blade of grass into finer, lightweight mulch. Allowing each blade to blend in and mix with your lawn is an important part of what makes mulching work.

Something to consider—ditching the bag and switch to mulching. It will be easier on your back, wallet, and much better nutrition for your lawn. You'll be pleased at how much better your lawn will look next spring!

Drought!

Please don't forget to water your trees while we are in a drought!!

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

For more information, visit the National Fire Prevention's website at: nfpa.org

With colder weather, comes higher risks of fires. According to the National Safety Council website, cooking and heating are the leading causes of home fires and fire injuries, and the winter months are the peak time for fire-related deaths.

Fire Safety Tips

- Keep heaters at least 3 feet away from things that can burn. Turn space heaters off before you leave the home.
 Don't overload extension cords; use for temporary purposes only. Don't overload wall outlets; and don't overload power strips; use power strips that have internal overload protection.
- Have working smoke alarms on every level of your home. You should have a smoke alarm inside bedrooms and
 outside sleeping areas. Test to make sure the sound of the alarm is loud enough to wake you.

Have a Plan

- 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 number 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.
- Place your address on your mailbox
 be sure your address is visible from the street.
- Daylight Saving Time ends at 2:00 a.m., on Sunday, November 6, 2022, so before you go to bed Saturday night, don't forget to set your clocks back one hour. That would also be a great time to change the battery in your smoke detector!
- Permits required—Before you build or remodel (includes driveways, swimming pools, and any interior or exterior renovations, a City permit is required. A permit is also needed for a dumpster or an outdoor storage container, such as a POD (Portable On Demand Storage). They are not allowed to be dropped and parked on City streets. Please contact Jim Graven at 502.552.4250.
- Short-term rentals—The City of Indian Hills has zoning authority and has not adopted an ordinance allowing short-term rentals, therefore **short-term rentals are NOT permitted in our city**.



FUN WITH FAMILY & FRIENDS



The photos below and on the next page were taken at the 2022 July 4th Parade and Octoberfest. Both had great turnouts and were huge successes.



Photos of parade provided by Eleanor Renfro



















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