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| |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **September 2013 Newsletter** |   **City Plumbing, Heating & Electric**  **318 Third Street**  **Hot Springs, AR 71913**  **Hot Springs: 501-623-3325**  **Hot Springs Village: 501-922-3325**  **email:** [**cityplumbing@sbcglobal.net**](mailto:cityplumbing@sbcglobal.net)  **website:** [**www.cityplumbingandelectric.com**](file:///C:\Users\lhenderson\Documents\Newsletter\www.cityplumbingandelectric.com) | | | |  | |  | | |  | | --- | | **The employees of City Plumbing, Heating & Electric were proud to make their July donation to the Arkansas Freedom Fund Hot Springs Village Golf Scramble.**  **The Mission Statement for the Arkansas Freedom Fund is to “Serve and support activities that benefit veterans, active duty military, wounded warriors and their families.” They focus on rehabilitative sports and cycling events designed to restore the mental and physical wellness of Arkansas wounded warriors. It is an experience that honors our warriors as they now battle their injuries of war on the civilian battlefield as they recover and reintegrate with the society for which they courageously fought.**  **As you may notice by the jackets in the attached picture we are a few months out from the time of our commitment to the actual month we can make a donation. In fact, just this past Wednesday the employees of City Plumbing, Heating & Electric decided on their donation for January 2014. We are amazed to realize we have now donated to 48 different non-profits in this area and know there are still many other people donating time and funds to other great Hot Springs area charitable organizations.**  **In addition to City Plumbing, Heating & Electric’s normal $1,150.00 donation this month to First Step Walk for Children, we have a team of 13 walkers who have obtained additional sponsors and are participating in the 100 mile walk challenge. There is still time to sponsor one of our team members and make an additional gift to First Step. Just contact any employee of City Plumbing, Heating & Electric or the office at 501-623-3325 or 501-922-3325.** |      |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | **ARKANSAS ONE CALL**  **MC900383604[1]**  **Did you know that Arkansas One Call is the state-wide call before you dig center? If you need to dig, drill, or do any type of excavation, make sure and call them at 1 (800) 482-8998 or 811 and speak with one of their professional customer service representatives.** | |  | |  | | --- | | **FLAMMABLE IGNITION AWARENESS**  **Gasoline, flammable liquids, and other combustible materials should never be used indoors, and should be stored in an approved container away from appliance and other sources of ignition.**   * **Never use gasoline or other flammable liquids in the same area as a gas appliance or other ignition source.** * **Never store gasoline in plastic milk jugs or glass containers.** * **Talk to you children about the dangers of flammable liquid** MC900434816[1]**products.** * **Do not use gasoline as a cleaner and do not use gasoline indoors.** |  |  | | --- | | **PROFESSIONAL AIR CONDITIONING EXPERTS**  **C:\Users\lhenderson\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\6N6DHY95\MC900339120[1].wmfCity Plumbing, Heating & Electric is fully licensed and insured for all your air conditioning needs. Our professionally-attired and nationally certified technicians will treat your home with the respect it deserves and will use work mats and shoe covers to keep it clean and tidy. If you have any questions, our friendly technicians will be glad to answer them for you.**  **Best of all benefit from a FREE estimate on your new air conditioning system today.** |  |  | | --- | | **DEWAYNE’S WORLD**  **Chemical drain cleaners are not always such a good solution for unclogging those stubborn drains.**  **Cleaning clogged drains isn’t as easy as dumping a chemical drain cleaner down your drain and waiting for the clog to disappear. Did you know that there are separate drain lines all over your house that feed much larger main lines carrying waste water from your home into the city sewer system? These separate drain lines include your lavatories, bath tubs, showers, kitchen and washing machine drains. This means there are multiple opportunities for clogs to occur before reaching the main line. But wherever the problem is you should never use a chemical drain cleaner to try and unclog a drain that is totally stopped up.**  **Chemical drain cleaners release dangerous gases and mixing different types of drain cleaners can be especially serious. This could create a chemical reaction like a cloud of toxic gas or an eruption of chemicals from the drain. Mixing drain cleaners could also make it impossible to later unblock the drain manually due to the risk of exposure to unknown chemical mixtures. This could cause serious damage to your pipes and your home. In any case it is wise to call on a professional plumber to come and unclog your drain to prevent any further damage or back-ups. After the clog has been opened and water is moving freely again, you will be given the proper information on how to prevent this from happening again in the future.**  **For more information give our office a call.** |      |  | | --- | | **BE WATER WISE**  **MC900088510[1]**  **Indoors:**  **•Wash full loads of laundry and dishes – saves up to 50 gallons per week**  **•Fix household leaks quickly – Save up to 20 gallons per day**  **•Take short showers (5 minutes or less) – Saves up to 8 gallons each time**  **•Turn off water while brushing teeth – Saves up to 2.5 gallons per minute**  **•Buy water-saving devices like high efficiency toilets and clothes washers – Saves many gallons per day**  **Outdoors:**  **•Water lawns 1 to 2 days a week – Saves up to 840 gallons per week**  **•Check sprinkler system for leaks, overspray and broken heads; repair promptly – Saves up to 500 gallons per month**  **•Use a broom instead of a hose to clean drives and walks – Saves up to 150 gallons each time**  **•Water plants early in the day or late evening to reduce evaporation – Saves up to 25 gallons each time** | | |

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