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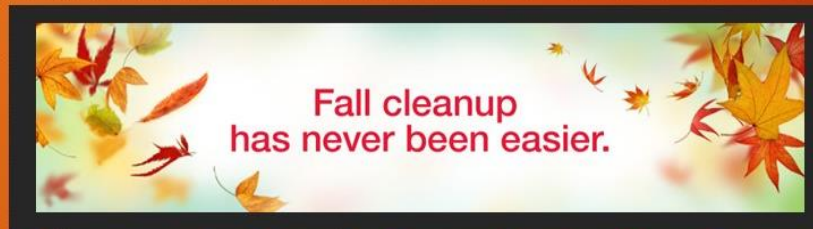
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Upcoming Fall Events and Reminders

Please mark your calendars and schedules for the following upcoming events in Goddard!

- November 2, 2015 - City Council Meeting
- November 7, 2015 - Fall Community Wide Clean Up (details below)
- November 11, 2015 - Veteran's Day- City Offices Closed
- November 12, 2015 - Community Thanksgiving Dinner
- November 12, 2015 - Planning Commission Meeting
- November 16, 2015 - City Council Meeting



2015 City of Goddard Fall Clean Up

When: Saturday, November 7, 2015: 8:00 a.m. to noon

Where: City of Goddard Public Works: 1206 S. 199th St. W.

**The City compost and tree limb sites are located at the same address, and will be open for public use.*
Please note: an appointment is required for use of the compost and limb site. Please call 794-2441.*

The following items are prohibited from dumping:

Tires	Paint	Railroad Ties
Solvent	Oil	Concrete
Car Batteries	Hazardous Chemicals	Appliances containing Freon

Questions? Call City Hall: 316-794-2441

GODDARD

The logo for the Goddard Mitten Tree features the word "Mitten Tree" in a cursive, grey font. The word "Mitten" is positioned above "Tree". On either side of the word "Mitten", there is a simple line drawing of a mitten, with the thumb pointing towards the center.

For more than 20 years the Goddard Mitten Tree has provided food, clothing, and gifts to families in our community who need assistance during the holiday season. The need in our community is greater than ever. Last year, this project served over 120 families, including more than 270 children!

Each family receives food for both the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays as well as Christmas gifts for children ages 15 and under. Lions Club members will distribute food baskets at Goddard United Methodist Church on Saturday, November 21 from 9:00 – 11:00 AM, and food baskets & Christmas gifts on Monday, December 14 from 3:00 – 6:00PM.

IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE:

If your family needs help during the holidays and lives in the Goddard School District please fill out an application and return to a Goddard school by Friday, November 13, 2015. Applications are available at Goddard Schools and the USD 265 Administration office.

IF YOU'D LIKE TO DONATE TO THE MITTEN TREE:

If you, your family, group of individuals, or a business would like to help with the Mitten Tree project, there are several ways you can become involved:

- If you know a family in **Goddard School District** that needs a helping hand during the holiday season, please encourage them to fill out an application.
- Contribute to food drives held by schools and community groups. All items collected are used to fill the food baskets distributed at Thanksgiving and Christmas.
- Choose a mitten from the Mitten Tree at Goddard Pizza Hut or the Goddard Public Library beginning November 24th. **UNWRAPPED gifts need to be returned by SUNDAY, December 6th.**
- Help sort and wrap gifts on Sunday, December 13, from 1:00 – 3:00 PM at the Goddard United Methodist Church, 300 N. Cedar, Goddard. Please bring scissors, a roll of tape, wrapping paper, and bows. Gift boxes are helpful, too!
- Cash contributions for Goddard Mitten Tree may be made to: Goddard Mitten Tree, PO Box 318, Goddard, Kansas 67052. Cash contributions are used to purchase gifts for any mittens not selected by the community from the Mitten Tree and to supplement food needs.

For additional information please contact any Goddard Lions Club member or call Lion Dan Funke at 316-650-0737. Thank you for your generosity as we approach the holiday season!