

Fall is in the air! Beautiful Fall Foliage of different colors falling from the trees. Raking leafs and then jumping in them. Smell the pumpkin pies and ice cream. Time to make those big pots of beans. Breathe that fresh air!

Trunk or Treat from 5-7pm in the back parking lot at the Church of God. Wear your Halloween Costumes and get your candy.

Poca Food Pantry October 28th. at 8:30am. at Poca Methodist Church.
They will be giving out food to those who need it.

Please give food if you can. In a time like this it is needed more than ever.

Police Calls

Obituary June Landers son that lived in Alaska has passed away. We are so so sorry.

The Annual Catholic Church Bazaar Oct. 13th. and 14th. starting at 9:00am

They usually have hot dogs and a delicious home made soup and a lot of desserts. Cakes, Pies ect. They will have their annual event. Food as always delicious. Wonderful Raffles, Rummage sales, cakes for sale and much more. Neighbors getting together.

Gig Cullifer was inducted into the Hall Of Fame Artia Museum for work. Dedication of coaching Basket Ball, Base Ball and being an umpire.

His motto for the children is "Be as good as you can each and every day or with anything you do in life"

Thats why I coach to prepare kids for life. I thank the Good Lord above and my wife who lets me do what I want to and for my family and extended family.

Words that stand out. "My mom said to me when I was a kid."If you don't have anything good to say about someone, don't say anything at all and if someone is dead don't say anything." Not to say I did not slip up a few times. Send me something that someone said to you that helped you

through life.

Todah Friday Oct.20th. at 7:00 pm Praise and Worship at the Church of God Mission. Singing and a Band. Come and Praise the Lord with us.

Police Calls. Did not get a report this month

Halloween Trick or Treat Reminder October 31. Here come the Dinosaurs , Witches, Angels ,Spooks, Fairy God Mothers. Babys in carriages and who knows what.

Trunk or Treat October 21st. at the Church of God parking lot for all the kids in town. Lots of treats. Come and enjoy. Ware your costumes. Check out Jack and Shirley Daileys yard display and others to.

Park news The park has a new cement floor and a new roof at the picnic area. Also please cleanup the park area where you will be.

Bancroft Churches: A good time to start taking your family to churches. Choice of 4 Churches in Bancroft and one in Black Betsy.

Verse of the month Ephesians 4:32 Be ye kind and tenderhearted, forgiving one another , even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.

Editor: Have a wonderful month .

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Bancroft Volunteer Fire Department

1 Oct started fire season. There is no burning from 7am – 5pm daily until 1 Jan 2024, which will end at that time. The fire dept responded to several bush fires last past spring and we ask that you please observe. We have attached a flyer on the burn laws.

Fire Prevention week is 8-14 Oct 2023.

This year's theme for fire prevention is "Cooking safety starts with YOU"

According to the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) the leading cause of home fires with nearly half (49%) of all home fires involve cooking equipment. Below are some recommendations to help reduce accidents:

Always keep a close eye on what you're cooking. For foods with longer cook times, such as those that are simmering or baking, set a timer to help monitor them.

Clear the cooking area of combustible items and keep anything that can burn, such as dish towels, oven mitts, paper towels, etc

Turn pot handles toward the back of the stove. Keep a lid nearby when cooking. If a small grease fire starts, slide the lid over the pan and turn off the burner.

Create a "Kid and pet free zone" of at least three feet (one meter) around the cooking area and anywhere else hot food or drink is prepared or carried.

The Fire Department is looking for members. If you have time and would like to help in your community then please Volunteer. Come see us.

The fire department responded to the following calls for the month of September:

Structure Fires 1
Trash Fire 1
Child Lock in Vehicle 1
EMS Calls 2
Gas Leak 1
Water Leak 1
Motor Vehicle Accidents 2

The fire department also performed several services calls thru-out the month for the community.

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