

NEWS RELEASE

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September/October 2008 City of Eden Prairie Press Calendar

The City of Eden Prairie September/October 2008 Press Calendar is a monthly representation of City-sponsored events, including government meetings, special events and Parks and Recreation activities. Most Parks and Recreation programs require registration. More information about additional Parks and Recreation programming and registration is available by calling 952-949-8470 or visiting edenprairie.org.

Government Meetings

City Council

Meets at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers Oct. 7, 21.

Planning Commission

Meets at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers Oct. 13, 27.

Parks, Recreation and Natural Resources Commission

No October meeting.

Arts and Culture Commission

Meets at 7 p.m. in the Prairie Room at the City Center Oct. 13.

Heritage Preservation Commission

Meets at 7 p.m. in the Prairie Room at the City Center Oct. 20.

Budget Advisory Commission

Meets at 5 p.m. in the Heritage Room at the City Center Oct. 28.

Flying Cloud Airport Advisory Commission

No October meeting.

Human Rights and Diversity Commission

Meets at 7 p.m. on the lower level of Eden Prairie Center Oct. 16 (rescheduled from Oct. 9).

Conservation Commission

Meets at 7 p.m. in the Prairie Room at the City Center Oct. 14.

Calendar of Events

Art on City Walls

Monday–Friday

8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

Take a stroll through the lower level of the City Center and enjoy exhibits featuring acrylics, collages and ink from local artists **Agnes Fine, Barbara Lanzo** and **Marian Alstad**.

Fall Festival Brunch

Thursday, Oct. 9

10 a.m.–noon

Community Center

Gather with friends and enjoy a made-to-order omelet, fruit, coffee and juice while enjoying the sounds of the Somewhat Dixieland Band. Cost is \$12 per person. Registration required.

Citywide Open House

Saturday, Oct. 11

11 a.m.–2 p.m.

Explore City facilities and see how Eden Prairie’s **Community Development, Fire, Police, Public Works, and Parks and Recreation** departments serve you!

Apple Cider-ing

Sunday, Oct. 12

1–3 p.m.

Outdoor Center

Take a lesson in old-fashioned apple cider making, learn about the history of apples and enjoy a sweet sample of cider. Cost is \$6 per family. Registration is requested.

The Great Pumpkin Event

Friday, Oct. 24

7–9 p.m.

Outdoor Center

Learn the history and origins of Halloween, then pick a pumpkin from the patch to carve and take home. Top the night off with a stroll on the nature trail and roast some marshmallows by the fire. Cost is \$7 per person. Registration required.

Fall Frolic

Saturday, Oct. 25

9 a.m.

Round Lake Park

Register for this 5K Family Fun Run/Walk at midwesternevents.com or the Community Center. All proceeds from the event benefit “Girls on the Run,” a healthy workout program serving area girls.

Spooky Saturday

Saturday, Oct. 25

6–8:30 p.m.

Community Center

Crazy costume contests, spooky swimming and skating, Halloween Tales by Eden Prairie Players, ooey-gooey treats and more! Cost is \$3 per child. Free admission for parents and guardians.

Halloween on the Mall

Friday, Oct. 31

6–8 p.m.

Eden Prairie Center

Bring the kids for a night of trick-or-treating and fun at Eden Prairie Center.

For more information about City of Eden Prairie events, meetings or Parks and Recreation programs visit edenprairie.org or call the City Center at 952-949-8300.

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