



MEXICO HOUSING AUTHORITY

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September 2018
Newsletter

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REMINDERS

The MHA Maintenance crew will be in each unit during the month of October to change out furnace filters and smoke detector batteries.

New contracts are in process now for additional painting and window replacements. Please be kind and patient to our contractors and with our MHA staff to complete window treatment replacements, etc.

Don't forget! MHA is a smoke-free property. That means NO SMOKING inside your unit and NO SMOKING within 25 feet of any public entrance, open windows, etc.

The entire policy can be found on the MHA website.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, September 3—Office closed in observance of Labor Day

Friday, September 7—Office closed for Admin Work Day

Sunday, September 9—National Grandparent's Day

Tuesday, September 11—Day of Service and Remembrance

Thursday, September 20—RA Meeting, 3:30pm

Saturday, September 22—First day of Fall

Friday, October 5—Office closed for Admin Work Day

Monday, October 8—Office closed in observance of Columbus Day

Thursday, October 18—RA Meeting, 3:30pm

Wednesday, October 31—Halloween

CITY OF MEXICO

FALL CLEAN-UP DATES

Mexico's Annual Fall Cleanup will be held on Saturdays during the month of October. If your regular trash pickup day is:

Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday—
Saturday, October 6

Monday or Thursday—Saturday,
October 13

National Youth Suicide Prevention Week

September 9-15, 2018

National Suicide Prevention Week is the Sunday through Saturday surrounding World Suicide Prevention Day, September 10th. Suicide Prevention is Everyone's Business! Know the Warning Signs of Suicide: Threatening to hurt or kill him/herself, talking of wanting to hurt or kill him/herself, looking for ways to kill him/herself by seeking access to firearms, available pills, or other means, and/or talking or writing about death, dying or suicide, when these actions are out of the ordinary. These might be remembered as expressed or communication ideation. If observed, seek help as soon as possible by contacting a mental health professional or calling 1-800-273-TALK (8255) for a referral.

(excerpts from www.suicidology.org)



“What Doesn't Kill Me”

a film by Rachel Meyrick

Domestic Violence and the Battle for Custody

WHAT: Movie presentation and panel discussion presented by ACCIS/Our Safe Place

WHERE: Presser Hall, 900 So. Jefferson Street

WHEN: Sunday, October 7th at 2PM

There will also be a complimentary hot chocolate bar.

https://www.huffingtonpost.com/entry/what-doesnt-kill-me-a-film-expose-on-domestic-violence_us_59d13655e4b0f58902e5cd45

Guardian Pest Control

and management will be in your unit once each month to spray for pests. Please make sure screen doors are unlocked and pets are secured.

2nd Friday of each month:

Trinity, Garfield, Seminary, Central, Tyronn Lue, Union, Calhoun, Bolivar

4th Friday of each month:

MacFarlane, Fieldcrest, Missouri, Wade, Liberty, Breckenridge, Singleton, Buchanan, Hassen, Boulevard, Holt, Lafayette



dreamstime.com

The Laura Miller George Help Center Food Distribution - **September 2018**

The Help Center, Inc.
409 Fairground St. Mexico, MO.
65265 - 573-581-3238

Thrift Store hours: 9-4 Mon-Fri 9-12 Sat	September 3	September 4	September 5	September 6	September 7	September 8
	Monday Sharing Food with our Neighbors 9am-10am At The Help Center Labor Day	Tuesday September 4	Wednesday Food Distribution At the Help Center 9am-Noon Families A-F	Thursday September 6	Friday September 7	Saturday September 8
	September 10 Sharing Food with our Neighbors 9am-10am At The Help Center	September 11	September 12 Food Distribution At the Help Center 9am-Noon Families G-I	September 13	September 14	September 15
	September 17 Sharing Food with our Neighbors 9am-10am At The Help Center	September 18	September 19 Food Distribution At the Help Center 2pm-6pm Families M-O	20 Vandalia Food Distribution At The First Baptist Church Youth Building 111 S. Main St 11am-2pm	September 21	September 22
	September 24 Sharing Food with our Neighbors 9am-10am At The Help Center	September 25	September 26 Food Distribution At the Help Center 9am-Noon Families P-Z	September 27	September 28	September 29
	October 1 Sharing Food with our Neighbors 9am-10am At The Help Center	October 2	October 3 Food Distribution At the Help Center 9am-noon Families A-F	October 4	October 5	October 6

Name: _____ Date: _____ Class: _____



Autumn Word Search Puzzle



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autumn
autumnal foliage
back to school
birds fly south
cornucopia
fall
Halloween
harvest

leaves change color
mellow fruitfulness
nights grow darker
picking apples
pumpkins
squirrels gather nuts
Thanksgiving
winter approaches

