

Manning Matters

October 2014



City of Manning Nuisance Ordinance

The City of Manning would like to take this opportunity to remind residents to keep their property clean, mowed, and free of any unsightly nuisances.

Violations of the City's Nuisance Ordinance deals with violations in the following manner:

Step 1- Violations are identified by the Codes Enforcement Officer.

Step 2- Notification is sent to property owner requesting the violation be corrected.

Step 3- Owner legally has 10 days to respond to the notification and work with the city to mitigate the violation.

Step 4- If the owner fails to resolve the problem in a reasonable amount of time, the City will mitigate the violation and bill the property owner.

Step 5- If the owner fails to pay the bill within 60 days, the City may place a lien on the property.

For questions or more information call City Hall, 435-8477. Thank you for helping keep Manning beautiful!

Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Breast cancer is the second most common kind of cancer in women. About 1 in 8 women born today in the United States will get breast cancer at some point. The good news is that many women can survive breast cancer if it's found and treated early. Monthly self examinations can help in detecting breast cancer. A mammogram, the screening test for breast cancer, can also help find breast cancer early, when it's easier to treat. National Breast Cancer Awareness Month is a chance to raise awareness about the importance of early detection of breast cancer. Make a difference! Spread the word about mammograms and encourage communities, organizations, families, and individuals to get involved.

District 2 Litter Pick Up

Help keep Manning Matchless for Beauty and Hospitality at the District 2 Litter Pick Up on Saturday, November 1, 2014. Meet at the Brotherly Love Lodge at 8 am for bags and vests.



Let's Move Manning

Let's Move Manning's October event will be Saturday, October 18, 2014 at William Parker Gym at Manning Elementary School. Kevin Levy and Sheldon Smith will be conducting their No More Excuses workout starting from 9 am to 10 am. Doors will

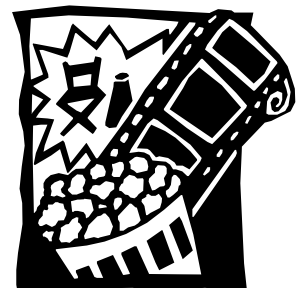


open at 8:45 am. Donna Alsbrooks will be conducting a belly dancing workshop from 10:15 am to 11:15 am. The Let's Move Manning Walkers Club meets every

Saturday at 7:30 am at the Gazebo on Church Street.

Movie in the Park

The next Movie in the Park will be Friday, October 24, 2014 at the Manning City Park on the corner of Rigby and Church Streets. The movie will be a family friendly fall movie, and will start once the sun sets, weather permitting.



Main Street Corner

Trick or Treat on Main Street

Join us downtown for Trick or Treat on Main Street, Friday, October 31, 2014 from 4 pm to 6 pm. Signs will be placed in participating businesses windows, please trick or treat at participating businesses only. For more information call 435-8477.



Annual Meeting

Thank you to everyone that helped make the 2014 Annual Meeting Celebrating the Women of Main Street a huge success! We recognized the women that have been in business the longest, Ms. Ethel Lemon and Ms. Linda Mills. The two newest women business owners, Ms. Kelli Tumbleston and Ms. Helen Brailsford, were also recognized. The youngest woman in business was Miss Lysa Prickelmyer who runs Lysa's Candyland Store at The Swimmin' Hole. The Mayor would like to congratulate the Best of Main Street Award winners: The Manning Times won for Most Hospitable Business, Sugar and Spice Fairy won for Best Window Display and Simpson's Hardware won for Best Building Renovation. Be sure to check out our Facebook page for pictures. Main Street Manning thanks the businesses and volunteers that made this event possible.



Canning Workshops

Want to learn the basics of canning? Sign up for a Carolina Canning workshop delivered by Clemson Extension.

Lexington Extension office, 605 West Main Street, Lexington, S.C.

Date: October 21, 2014 Time: 10:00 AM—2:00PM: Cost: \$30.00

Registration deadline: October 15, 2014: Payment to: Clemson Extension

Contact information: Nancy Harrison, P.O. Box 161, St. Matthews, S.C. 29135, nhrrsn@clemson.edu, 803-874-2354 ext. 113



How Fire-Safe Is Your Home?

October is Fire Safety Month. Be sure to check how safe your home is against fires. Conduct a fire safety walkthrough of your home on a regular basis. Use the following tips to help you in your walkthrough:

- Keep clothes, blankets, curtains, towels, and other items that can easily catch on fire at least three feet from space heaters and away from stove



- burners.
- Place space heaters where they will not tip over easily.
- Have chimneys cleaned and inspected every year by a professional.
- Always use a metal mesh screen with fireplaces and leave glass doors open while burning a fire.
- Never leave cooking unattended.
- Be sure your stove and small appliances are off before going to bed.
- Check for worn wires and do not run cords under rugs or furniture.
- Never overload electrical sockets.
- Keep lighters and matches out of the reach of children.
- Never leave cigarettes unattended and never smoke in bed.
- Make sure cigarettes and ashes are out. The cigarette needs to be completely stubbed out in the ashtray or run under water.