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Prairie Lights Nov. 22-Dec. 31

Prairie Lights has a new look this year with all new custom displays. The drive-through lighting display will still feature 4 million lights and the world's longest light tunnel. Don't miss the Holiday Village where you can meet Santa, take a free carnival ride, buy kettle corn and hot chocolate, visit the gift shop and attend a show in the Holiday Magic Theater.

Thursday, Nov. 22 – Monday, Dec. 31 Dates:

Times: Sunday – Thursday 6-9 p.m.

Friday, Saturday and Holidays 6-10 p.m.

Where: Lynn Creek Park

5700 Lake Ridge Pkwy.

Monday – Thursday \$20 per carload Price:

Friday - Sunday and Holidays \$30 a carload

Visit PrairieLights.org or call 972-237-GLOW for more information.

ROCKETTES PERFORM AT VERIZON THEATRE

The Radio City Christmas Spectacular, starring the world famous Rockettes, triumphantly returns to Verizon Theatre at Grand Prairie Friday, Nov. 23-Saturday, Dec. 8, with an all new production. Featuring brand new scenes, new sets and costumes, breathtaking special effects and an unforgettable new finale—all showcasing their signature eye-high kicks and incredible precision dance style. Cherished favorites like the "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers" and the "Living Nativity" are enhanced, inviting you and your family to experience these marvelous scenes in a whole new way. For information on show dates and times, or to purchase your tickets, visit: www.verizontheatre.com

For information on group pricing, holiday parties, or luxury suites, contact Mandi Thomas at mthomas@verizontheatre.com or call 972-854-5110.

CANDLE LIGHT MEMORIAL DEC. I

You are cordially invited to a Candle Light Memorial Service on Saturday, Dec. 1, at the Grand Prairie Memorial Gardens and Mausoleum, 3001 S. Belt Line Road. A meet and greet will begin at 5 p.m. with the Candle Light Memorial Service immediately following at 5:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served after the program. Please RSVP no later than Wednesday, Nov. 28, to Laura Gomez at lgomez@gptx.org or 972-237-3001.

VETERANS DAY CEREMONY NOV. 11



Come out and honor the men and women who have worked so hard to protect our country and freedoms. The event will begin at 2 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 11, at the Veterans Memorial in Grand Prairie. located behind the former Senior Citizen Center, 925 Conover Dr. There will be a flyover, bagpipes, a 21-gun salute and lunch after the ceremony. For more information call 972-237-8100 or visit GrandFunGP.com.

PRAIRIE LIGHTS RUN/WALK

Run or walk through the all-new Prairie Lights holiday light park and be the first to experience the light displays up close and personal. This year will have two events to choose from:

Saturday, Nov. 17 - 5K Run 7 p.m. start Sunday, Nov. 18 - Walk or Stroll 7 p.m. start

For more information call 972-237-8084 or visit GrandFunGP.com.

UPTOWN THEATER TICKETS ON SALE

Enjoy popular artists and diverse musical genres in the fabulous Uptown Theater, 120 E. Main St. Purchase tickets now for great events coming soon. For tickets, visit www.uptowntheatergp.com or call 972-237-8786.

There'll Be No Sad Songs - The Last Concert of Hank Williams

Presented by Texas Family Musicals

Friday, Nov. 9, and Saturday, Nov. 10

Things Money Can't Buy - The Hit Stage Play

Friday, Nov. 16 - 8 p.m.

Seussical

Presented by the Grand Prairie Arts Council Thursday, Nov. 29-Saturday, Dec. 9

It's a Wonderful Life

Presented by Texas Family Musicals Friday, Dec. 21, and Saturday, Dec. 22

Ring in the New Year with Judy Norton and Friends

(Judy Norton starred as Mary Ellen on *The Waltons*) Monday, Dec. 31 - 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.



HOUSEHOLD HAZ WASTE COLLECTION

Do you have unused fertilizers and lawn chemicals taking up space in your garage or storage shed? You could save them for next year, but why not opt for an organic solution instead? For proper disposal, you may bring them to the next household hazardous waste collection event on Saturday, Nov. 10, or Dec. 1 from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. at the Development Center, 206 W Church Street (next to City Hall).

We will accept household and automotive batteries, pharmaceuticals, motor oil, cooking oil, paint, aerosol cans, fluorescent bulbs, and household, landscape, and pool chemicals. We will not accept explosives, gas cylinders, fireworks, medical waste, radioactive materials, or municipal trash. No commercial waste will be accepted.

Registration is required. Register by calling 972-237-8055 or on-line at www.gptx.org/WQ/HHW.

KIDS THANKSGIVING DINNER

Thursday, Nov. 15, 4-6 p.m. Charley Taylor Recreation Center, 601 E. Grand Prairie Road



Children ages 18 and younger from the community will enjoy a full Thanksgiving dinner made entirely from donated items from local restaurants and businesses. Please feel free to donate food, money or your time to this wonderful event, 972-264-6890.

HOLIDAY GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTION

There will be no garbage and recycling collection on: Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, Nov. 22

There will be no makeup days. Please put your garbage and recycling out on your next scheduled collection day. The landfill will be closed on Thursday, Nov. 22 and Tuesday, Dec. 25, and will close at 3 p.m. on Dec. 24 and 31.

THE GRAND PRAIRIE ARTS COUNCIL PRESENTS



A holiday show for the entire family! The story centers around Horton the Elephant, who finds himself faced with a double challenge.

Thursday, Nov. 29 Saturday, Dec. 1, and Thursday,
Dec. 6 - Saturday, Dec. 8, at 8 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 2, and Sunday, Dec. 9,
at 2 p.m.

Uptown Theater, 120 East Main St.

Reserved seat tickets \$11, \$16 and \$21 with student, senior citizen and group discounts available.

Tickets available online at www. artsgp.com or by calling the Uptown Theater Box Office at 972-237-UPTN.

For more information: 972-642-ARTS / www.artsgp.com

GP ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow the city of Grand Prairie (@gp_tx) and the Grand Prairie Police Department (@gppdtx) for the latest city news and public safety information now via Twitter. For links to all of the city's social media sites, visit www.gptx.org/socialmedia and stay in the know.

FARMERS MARKET

Saturdays 8 a.m.- 1 p.m. Market Square, 120 W. Main St.

Get a fresh start every Saturday morning at the Farmers Market. Enjoy fresh fruits and vegetables, baked goods, tamales, jellies, grass-fed meats, candles and more.

Upcoming events include:

Nov. 10 Fall Veggies

Nov. 17 Gobble Daze with Food Trucks



GRAND PRAIRIE FIRE DEPT EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AMBULANCE SUBSCRIPTION PROGRAM 1525 Arkansas Lane GRAND PRAIRIE, TX 75052 972-237-8395

The City of Grand Prairie, through the Emergency Medical Services provided by the Fire Department, is committed to providing quality, affordable emergency ambulance care as a service to residents of Grand Prairie. This subscription program is an *optional* plan that is available to all citizens, with the exception of Medicaid recipients, of our community.

Participants will pay \$60.00 per year for emergency ground ambulance service. This fee must be paid through a onetime payment by check, cash, money order or accepted credit card.

ELIGIBILITY:

- 1. Residents of Grand Prairie, Texas
- 2. Coverage for head of household, spouse, and any unmarried dependent children under 25 years of age
- 3. Medicaid recipients cannot participate in this program
- 4. Authorization for the City of Grand Prairie to obtain entitled benefits from insurance carriers and Medicare is required.
- 5. All information MUST be provided, including zip code, social security number and signature.

BENEFITS:

- 1. No out-of pocket expenses for **emergency** ground ambulance use
- 2. Unlimited emergency (only) transports per enrolled member
- 3. Coverage for all eligible household members

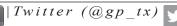
TERMS OF AGREEMENT:

- 1. This subscription is non-refundable and non-transferable
- 2. Violations of the terms of the agreement or false or missing information on the subscription application may result in immediate cancellation of the subscription
- 3. The City of Grand Prairie has mutual aid agreements with other communities to exchange services in the event of critical emergencies. Should a mutual aid provider transport a subscriber, when the Grand Prairie Fire Department has requested mutual aid, the subscriber will be required to pay the part that exceeds the normal charge for a nonsubscriber for a transport by that service provider.

THIS IS NOT AN INSURANCE POLICY

I request that payment of authorized Medicare or any other insurance benefits be made on my behalf to Grand Prairie Fire Department for any services provided to me by Grand Prairie Fire Department now or in the future. I agree to immediately remit to Grand Prairie Fire Department any payments that I receive directly from insurance or any source whatsoever for the services provided to me and I assign all rights to such payments to Grand Prairie Fire Department. I authorize Grand Prairie Fire Department to appeal payment denials or other adverse decisions on my behalf without further authorization. I authorize and direct any holder of medical information or documentation about me to release such information to Grand Prairie Fire Department and its billing agents, and/or the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and its carriers and agents, and/or any other payers or insurers as may be necessary to determine these or other benefits payable for any services provided to me by Grand Prairie Fire Department, now or in the future. A copy of this form is as valid as an original.

I hereby apply for membership with the Grand Prairie Emergency Medical Services Program. I understand that the enclosed annual fee will cover me, my spouse, and unmarried dependent children under 25 years of age who may live at this address. I understand that through my membership, Grand Prairie Fire Department will provide EMERGENCY ambulance service to hospitals within the service area. I also understand and give my permission for Grand Prairie Fire Department to bill my insurance carrier(s). This membership will cover the portion not reimbursed by my medical coverage for services rendered by Grand Prairie Fire Department. I understand that Medicaid recipients may not participate in this program. I understand that Grand Prairie Fire Department provides medically necessary ambulance transportation and that violations of the terms of this agreement may result in immediate cancellation of my membership or other penalty. I also understand that this membership is optional, non-refundable and non-transferable.



AMBULA	NCE SUBSCRIPTIO	N MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD:		
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	M. IMF DATE OF BIRTH
STREET ADDRESS	ZIP CODE	PHONE NUMBER
INSURANCE INFORMATION:		
Medicare #:	Medicaid #	SSN:
INSURANCE COMPANY NAME		POLICY/ID/SUBSCRIBER/MEMBER # GROUP #
CLAIMS ADDRESS		PHONE NUMBER
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APPLICATION SIGNATURE:		DATE:
Check and money orders should be made	e payable to: Grand Pra	irie Fire Department and sent to: 1525 Arkansas Lane
CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS: V	ISA MASTERCA	Grand Prairie, TX 75052 ARD DISCOVER
CARD #	EXPIRATION DATE:	
SIGNATURE:		DATE