



# CITY OF MOORE

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## Put Fire Escape Planning and Practice at the Top of Your Holiday To-Do List

You've done all the cooking, cleaning, shopping and decorating for your holiday guests. Now you can kick back and put your feet up, right? Not just yet. According to the Moore Fire Department, there's one very important item that needs to be checked off every holiday to-do list: a fire escape plan with practice.

"You may be familiar with your escape plan, but your guests also need to know how to get out and where to go if there's a fire," says Fire Marshal Darren Sigmen. "This is especially important with older guests, who may have difficulty moving quickly. You may have less than three minutes to get out of your home."

Be prepared and think about your guests' abilities, and make an escape plan around them. Older adults may move slowly or have trouble hearing an alarm because of hearing loss.

Here's what to do when your guests arrive:

Make a plan. Talk about what you should do if a fire occurs. Include what each person will need to do to get out safely. Help everyone understand that fire is fast and smoke is a poison that kills.

Think about the needs of your guests. If someone uses a cane or wheelchair, decide who will help him or her get out. If someone uses hearing aids or eyeglasses, be sure that these items are kept next to the bed.

Make sure that you have a working smoke alarm on every level of your home. Put alarms inside



and outside all sleeping areas. Test your smoke alarms to make sure that they work. Make sure that everyone can hear the smoke alarm sound. Without a smoke alarm, you may not wake up, and the poisonous smoke can kill you in your sleep.

Find two ways out of every room. Knowing two exits is important in case one is blocked or dangerous to use. Know how to open doors and windows that lead outside.

Know where to meet outside your home. If the smoke alarm sounds, go outside. Call 911 from the outside meeting place.

Practice your plan. Everyone should be included. Walk through the steps that you will take if the smoke alarm sounds. Make sure that everyone knows what to do to get out safely.

"Older adults are more likely to die in home fires," says Fire Marshal Darren Sigmen. "They may need help to escape a fire. By planning ahead and planning around their abilities, you can make your holiday gathering a safer one."

## Special Needs Alert & Identification Program

The S.A.ID. (Special Needs Alert and Identification) Program is providing First Responders with the resources to identify and assist individuals with special needs who find themselves in an emergency situation.

Moore residents can now complete a simple information form and a S.A.ID. alert will be created in our secure communications database.

A S.A.ID. alert defines the individual's condition and/or needs to First Responders prior to them arriving to an incident to improve their response, interaction, and communication with the individual.

For more information or to enroll an individual in the S.A.ID program visit: [cityofmoore.com/said](http://cityofmoore.com/said)



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## City Information Numbers

**City Hall:** 405-793-5000

**Utility Customer Service:** 405-793-5032

**After Hours Water & Sewer:** 405-793-5080

**Trash & Big Trash:** 405-793-5070

**Parks and Recreation:** 405-793-5090

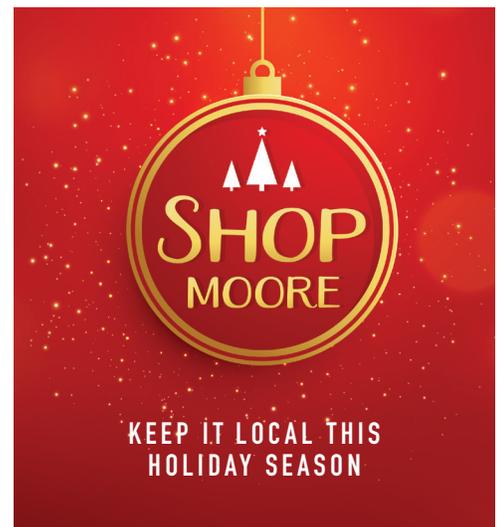
**Pothole Hotline:** 405-799-4653

## Holiday Closings and Sanitation Schedules

### Thanksgiving

City offices will be closed Nov. 24-25. Thursday trash collection will run on Wednesday, Nov. 23. Friday trash collection will not be affected.

The Station Recreation Center will be closed Thursday, Nov. 24, and open regular hours on Friday, Nov. 25 from 5 a.m.-10 p.m.



# Upcoming Events

For more information contact the Moore Parks & Recreation Department or visit [cityofmoore.com](http://cityofmoore.com)

405-793-5090



## Santa's Mailbox

**WHAT:** Holiday elves are installing a special mailbox at The Station Recreation Center, where children can drop off letters to Santa starting Nov. 26 anytime during normal operating hours!

**WHEN:** Nov. 26–Dec. 17 at 5 p.m.

**WHERE:** The Station Lobby  
700 S. Broadway Ave, Moore, OK 73160

**HOW:** When writing letters, children must include their first and last name, age, mailing address and holiday wish list. Parents are encouraged to glance over the letters before bringing to The Station for mailing. Santa especially enjoys hand-drawn holiday pictures on the letters! Place your letter and self-addressed stamped envelope inside Santa's Mailbox. Make sure a Return Address is included so Santa can answer your letter.



## Breakfast with Santa

**WHEN:** Saturday, Dec. 3

**TIME:** 8–10 a.m.

**TICKETS:** \$10 per person (All Ages)  
[cityofmoore.com/fun](http://cityofmoore.com/fun)

Join us for breakfast, a story with Santa and a craft. What a great way to enjoy the most wonderful time of the year!



## Christmas Spectacular

**WHEN:** Saturday, Dec. 3

**TIME:** 6:30–8:30 p.m.

**WHERE:** Central Park (700 S. Broadway Ave.)

All ages welcome. We will have food trucks, choirs, an appearance by Santa and Mrs. Claus, fireworks and the Mini Merry Market to shop local.



## Holiday Break Camps

### Art Camp

**WHEN:** Dec. 27-30

**AGES:** 6–9

**TIME:** 9 a.m.–Noon

**COST:** \$80

### Science Camp

**WHEN:** Dec. 27-30

**AGES:** 6–12

**TIME:** 1–4 p.m.

**COST:** \$105

### Basketball Camp

**WHEN:** Dec. 19-21

**AGES:** 6–12

**TIME:** 9 a.m.–Noon

**COST:** \$60

### Volleyball Camp

**WHEN:** Dec. 19-21

**AGES:** 6–12

**TIME:** 9 a.m.–Noon

**COST:** \$60



## Cookies+Canvas: Christmas

**WHEN:** Friday, Dec. 9

**TIME:** 6–8 p.m.

**AGES:** 13 and up

**COST:** \$30

The theme for this session will be over Christmas! Come and join us for a jolly good time! Cookies + Canvas is a time to gather together and create beautiful pieces of art while eating some delicious cookies! In this class, participants will follow the direction of the instructor while creating their own custom piece of art!



## Fun with Paint

**WHEN:** Tuesdays, Dec. 6-27

**TIME:** 6–7 p.m.

**WHERE:** The Station Recreation Center Activity Room

**AGES:** 10–12

**COST:** \$30

Come and join us as we have fun with paint! In this 4 week class, participants will learn about the different types of paint while also creating beautiful projects along the way. Each week participants will be able to take home a different painting project.