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October Garden Tips

*Submitted by Darlene Page
All hail the great pumpkin!
Wow your neighbors with
stand-out Autumn décor*



Halloween Tips

- Always use common sense
- Young children should always go trick-or-treating with an adult
- Never trick-or-treat alone. Have at least 2 buddies go with you
- Plan your entire route and make sure your family knows what it is
- Make sure that you are wearing a flame retardant costume
- Wait until you get home and your parents check your candy before you eat it
- Be very cautious of strangers
- Accept treats only in the doorway. Never go inside a house
- Don't play near lit jack-o-lanterns
- Visit only houses where the lights are on
- Walk on sidewalks and driveways
- Cross the street at the corner or in a crosswalk
- Take a cellular phone and watch with you if possible
- Carry a flashlight
- Wear costumes with reflective markings, and bright colors

Pumpkins, gourds and ornamental corn provide limitless creative possibilities! With some extra effort and innovation you can move beyond standard jack o' lanterns to stunning displays. Here are some tips to get you started!

- Go for height! If one pumpkin is good, two or three are definitely better! Instead of placing pumpkins/gourds side by side on the porch, consider stacking smaller ones, securing them with super glue or another strong adhesive.
- Add adornment. A bit of ribbon goes a long way. Add a bow to the stems of pumpkins, with streamers trailing down. The same method can be used to tie-up husks of ornamental corn.
- Break out the paint. Puffy fabric paint is an excellent way to dress up pumpkins. Create intricate swirls and "beadwork" by using small drops of paint. Or just let the kids go crazy, creating their own unique designs. No sharp knives required!
- Hollow it out. A hollowed-out pumpkin presents a well of opportunities. Drop in a potted Mum or make your own arrangement out of cornhusks, cut flowers—even twigs and Fall-colored leaves from your yard!

Looking for more great ideas or want to share some of your own? Join the My Texas Garden Club and connect with other gardeners! Visit www.calloways.com/mytexasgardenclub to learn more.

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Come hang out with us Saturday, October 20!

Woodland Hills HOA is hosting our annual Movie Night in Melrose Park October 20th. The Hamburger Man will be there prior to the movie serving free burgers made to order, sides and a drink. Dinner will be served around 6:30 PM and the movie will start around sundown. Look forwards to seeing everyone there!

Please RSVP to Terri Nielsen at H-817-684-0450, C-817-475-1389 or tanderson3312@sbcglobal.net

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Save the Date!

Submitted by Terri Nielsen

Christmas in the Park

Saturday, December 1, 2012

from 3 pm to 6 pm

Come join in the fun with sleigh rides, hot apple cider and the lighting of the park.

*Welcome
to the Neighborhood!*

Submitted by Helen Sink

Please welcome our new neighbors at 3102 Scarborough Lane West (the big white house on the mini-cul-de-sac). Jim and Jessica Jackson moved in just this month from Bedford and are in the process of settling in. Both Jessica and Jim are in the insurance business and they have a precious 2 1/2 year old daughter named Reagan.

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★ 10 Properties Currently Listed For Sale
Average List Price - \$387,944
Average Price Per Sq.Ft. - \$115.83
Average Days on Market - 95

★ Zero Properties
Currently Under Contract

(As of 09/20/12)

★ 20 Properties Sold in the Last 6 Months
Average List Price - \$433,440
Average Price Per Sq.Ft. - \$120.09
Average Days on Market - 83

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