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It's our second year!



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"our town" ... live broadcast coming to Hartsville October 6th!

Sponsored by *Media General's* WBTW News 13 TV, *The Messenger*, *The Morning News*, and *SCnow.com*, Hartsville is chosen to be first in the Our Town series. According to Jason Dillon, Regional Advertising Director for the Morning News, a live news broadcast will be held in Hartsville's Centennial Park on Wednesday, October 6th. Local news celebrities **Nicole Boone and Bob Juback** will be here for the live broadcast!

Join in the fun! Come to Centennial Park at 5:00 p.m. and again at 6:00 p.m. to be a part of this exciting media event that highlights and promotes our beautiful city and all its amenities.



THE MESSENGER.

Morning News

News 13

scnow.com

Mark your calendars for these **October** events in Hartsville!

Downtown Coker Days - every Thursday
Jazz! Carolina, Oct. 2nd
Gospel in the Park, Oct. 3rd, Pride Park
Good Living Marketplace-2nd Birthday, Oct. 2nd
Cotton Harvest Bluegrass Festival, Oct. 23rd
A Taste of Coker, Oct. 28th



If you or your organization are hosting an event held within the city limits, you will require a **SPECIAL EVENTS PERMIT**. This application can be found on our website www.hartsvillesc.com), or by calling the Hartsville Parks department at 843-339-2878.

Completed permits are due at least 10 days prior to the event.



The City of Hartsville celebrates
HALLOWEEN TRICK-OR-TREAT
 Sunday, October 31st! Please be safe!

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**International Association of
 Administrative Professionals®
 Hartsville Chapter**

Invites you to nominate your boss for

2010 IAAP Boss of the Year

Name of Executive: _____

Title: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

Submit two pages or less addressing why he/she should receive this award.

Submitted by: _____

Nomination must be received by Thursday, October 07, 2010.

Please return to Virginia Neddham, fax 843-339-6079 or
 virginia.neddham@sonoco.com OR Marsha Eide, fax 843-383-8319 or
 meide@coker.edu.

HDDA & Black Creek Arts hosting event.

On Thursday, October 7,
 2010, Hartsville Downtown
 Development and Black
 Creek Arts Council present:

"THE PINK LADIES SIP & SHOP"

"The Pink Exhibit", hosted
 by Black Creek Arts Council,
 begins with an arts auction
 at 5:30 pm featuring works
 donated by local artists. All
 proceeds from the art auction
 are donated to Breast Cancer
 Awareness and Research. For
 more information,
 call 843-332-1600.

IAAP Boss's Appreciation Annual Luncheon

Thurs., Oct. 14th

12:00 noon

**Coker College Drawing
 Room**

\$15 per person

Nominate your boss for
 2010 IAAP Boss of the
 Year. See this page for
 nomination form.

Call 383-3406 or
 383-8176 for more
 information.



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FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

Smoke alarms should be installed on every level of the home including the basement, outside each sleeping areas, and inside each bedroom. Interconnection of smoke alarms is highly recommended; when one smoke alarm sounds, they all do. This is particularly important in larger or multi-story homes, where the sound from distant smoke alarms may be reduced and not loud enough to provide proper warning. A licensed electrician can install hard-wired multiple-station alarms. Wireless alarms, which manufacturers have more recently begun producing, can be installed by the homeowner.

Test
your
smoke
alarms
monthly.

There are two types of smoke alarm technologies – ionization and photoelectric. An ionization smoke alarm is generally more responsive to flaming fires – like a pan fire or the smoke from cooking. A photoelectric alarm is generally more responsive to smoldering fires – like a cigarette, overheated wiring or something hot like a space heater. Install both types of alarms in your home or a combination ionization and photoelectric alarms that take advantage of both technologies.

Test smoke alarms at least monthly by pushing the test button. If the battery is low, replace it right away. Never remove or disable a smoke alarm. All smoke alarms, including alarms that use 10-year batteries and those that are hard-wired alarms, should be replaced in their 10th year of installment.

There are also smoke alarms with strobes or the ability to be used with visible notification appliances that signal to awaken those who are deaf. Tactile notification appliances (such as a pillow or bed shaker) is required and is activated by the sound of the smoke alarm through the use of a complex, low frequency audible signal.

For additional information, call the Hartsville Fire Department at 383-3000.



Above: City of Hartsville Firefighters with Chief Jeff Burr (center front)



NEWS RELEASE
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
September 30, 2010

Contact: Tim Kemp
Chief of Police
843-383-3014

Hartsville, SC will utilize a new communications service, effective September 15, 2010, that allows us to send important, valuable community information directly to residents using the latest technology.

The Nixle Community Information Service allows us to create and publish messages to be delivered to subscribed residents instantly via cell phone text message and/or email. Notifications can also be accessed online at Nixle's web site at www.nixle.com.

Messages may include Alerts, Advisory's Messages as well as other relevant safety and community event information.

The service is reliable and free for our group to use.

The messages can be sent specifically to residents registered within a ¼ mile radius, giving them the opportunity to receive trustworthy information relevant only to their neighborhood. Residents decide from which local agencies they want to receive information. Subscribers can also choose the way in which alerts are received, whether it is by email, text message, or over the web.

There is NO spam and no hidden cost. Standard text messaging rates do apply.

Nixle builds on the foundations of other public-to-public communication services, such as Twitter, Facebook, and MySpace, but adds a key component: security. When citizens receive information from our agency via Nixle, they know it can be trusted.

"Nixle is a first-of-its-kind tool for communities that need to provide critical information to their residents," said Craig Mitnick, Founder and CEO. "In today's world, you have to trust the source of your information. Residents of Hartsville can rest easy that the local messages they receive are authentic."

Residents of Hartsville and those in neighboring communities can immediately begin receiving pertinent information via text message, email, and web by registering at www.nixle.com.

We are very excited to have you experience it for yourself.

About Nixle

Nixle is a community information service provider built exclusively to provide secure and reliable communications. It is the first authenticated and secure service that connects municipal agencies and community organizations to residents in real time, delivering information to geographically targeted consumers over their cell phones (via text messages), through e-mails and via Web access. Nixle has secured a partnership with Nlets (the International Justice and Public Safety Network), allowing local police departments nationwide to send immediate alerts and advisories. Privately funded Nixle, which has offices in New Jersey and California, is free to all governments, their agencies and organizations, nongovernmental organizations and consumers. For more information, visit www.nixle.com.

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