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PFCLG 2011 THIRD ANNUAL SPOOKTACULAR



The Partnership for Children of Lincoln & Gaston Counties annual

SPOOKTACULAR

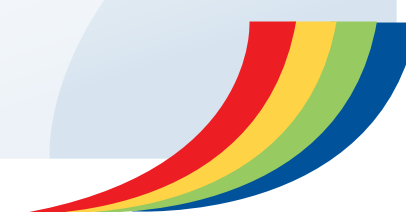
Saturday, October 29, 2011
12 Noon to 4:00 p.m.

WoodMill Festival Grounds,
1350 WoodMill Winery Lane, Vale NC

Activities include:
Games • Trunk or Treat • Bounce House •
Petting Zoo • Cup Cake Walk
FREE Hotdog Lunch!

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STAY SAFE Halloween Safety Tips



- Do not let your child trick or treat alone. They should have a responsible adult to accompany them.
- Tell your children not to eat any treats until they have been brought home and examined. Serve them a filling meal before trick or treating to avoid the temptation of eating the candy.
- Have your child carry a flashlight, glow stick or reflective tape so they remain visible.
- Make sure the child's costume is flame retardant. If they are wearing a mask make sure they can see through the eye holes.
- If you are driving a vehicle on Halloween pay extra attention, especially to crosswalks and intersections. Drive under the speed limit.
- Remind your child not to get in the car of a stranger at any time.

Make plans to join us at the Spooktacular!!!!



WIN A NINTENDO 3DS!

The Partnership is raffling off a Nintendo 3DS. Tickets can be bought at the Partnership office now through Oct. 28, 2011 and at the Partnership for Children of Lincoln & Gaston Counties Spooktacular event, Saturday, Oct. 29. Please come to our office to purchase tickets. You do not need to be present to win. Cost, one ticket, \$2, three tickets, \$5 and seven tickets, \$10. Partnership staff, board members and spouses are not eligible to win.



APPLE FESTIVAL 2011



Save the Date: Run for the Money 2012

Run for the Money 10 will be held on Saturday, April 21, 2012

OCTOBER IS SIDS Awareness Month

SIDS, Sudden Infant Death Syndrome is the sudden and unexplained death of a baby under one year of age. It is the leading cause of death in babies after one month of age to one year. October is SIDS Awareness Month, which is a time to educate caregivers, parents, and family members about the risk factors associated with SIDS. Some tips to remember:

- Place a baby to sleep on his/her back; this is the number one way to reduce the risk of SIDS.
- Place your baby on a firm mattress since soft surfaces increase the risk of SIDS. Use a safety-approved crib mattress.
- Keep pillows, quilts and stuffed toys away from the sleep area.



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Serving as a leading advocate and collaborative resource to provide access to high quality services for young children.

OUR VISION

A community where young children will reach their full health and educational potential.

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