

Trick-or-Treat!



Don't Be Tricked!



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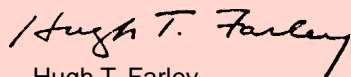
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Dear Trick-or-Treater,

With Halloween right around the corner, Halloween safety is on everyone's minds. However, in today's busy world, it is easy to forget many simple safety steps. Please make sure you go over these tips with your parents before you go out trick-or-treating this year.

Have a fun and safe Halloween!

Sincerely,



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P.S. I have brochures and tips to help keep children safe all through the year. Please contact my office for more information.

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👻 Use the buddy system, and never walk or play alone.

👻 Never approach an unfamiliar car or get into a car if someone stops, no matter what reason or story the person gives.

👻 Wear light-colored or reflective clothing, or carry a flashlight, if you are going to be out after dark.

👻 Never answer the door when alone.

Parents should also do the following to help keep children safe on Halloween:

👻 Never let children eat treats without checking the goodies first. If a child gets fruit as a treat, parents should wash it thoroughly and inspect it closely for possible puncture holes.

👻 Accompany young children when they trick-or-treat.

👻 Warn children that pranks such as egging houses are considered acts of vandalism and can be dangerous and illegal.

👻 When selecting costumes, parents should find outfits that fit children well and won't cause them to trip and fall. Make sure children are able to see traffic and that motorists are able to see your children.

👻 When expecting trick-or-treaters at your house, remove obstacles that may trip them. Also, remove any decoration that uses flames and could cause costumes to catch on fire.