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Rockford Police to Host, Participate in Community Halloween Activities

ROCKFORD, Ill. – The Rockford Police Department will host and participate in a variety of family-friendly Halloween activities on Thursday, October 27, 2016.

District 1 officers will participate in the Boo Bash at Lewis Lemon Elementary School, 1993 Mulberry Street, from 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. and Spooky Reading Night at Ellis Elementary School, 222 South Central Avenue from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

District 2 officers are partnering with SwedishAmerican Foundation, Strong Neighborhood Houses and the Rockford Fire Department for the Midtown Trunk-or-Treat which will feature games, face painting, and mascot appearances. The event will take place at the VFW Hall, 922 7th Street from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

District 3 officers will host a trunk-or-treat at Rockford University, 5050 East State Street, in parking lot A from 5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. The event will include a costume contest and fun trick-or-treating options from a variety of specialty vehicles and candy donated by Toys“R”Us and Babies”R”Us.

All events are open to the public.

City of Rockford trick-or-treat hours will be on Monday, October 31, 2016 from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

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