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Halloween Is Here!

That's right...our favorite time of year has finally arrived! The time when the ghosts, goblins and ghouls come out and invade your neighborhood.

It's also a great time for a party with friends and family. If you are having a Halloween party turn it up a notch by having Cool Critters Outreach there to celebrate with you! Your guests will LOVE to have a big python draped around their neck, or have a tarantula crawl on their face!

We will even include Halloween gift bags for the kids! What are you waiting for? Make this years party one that everyone will remember! Call or text 513.720.2442 to reserve your spot today!



What's Buggin' Greg?

On October 21st at 7:00pm at the Springfield Township Grove Banquet Hall the Playhouse in the Park will be presenting this wonderful play FREE!

It's a story about a boy who wakes up to find out he's been turned into a giant cockroach! What will he tell his friends? What about his family? Can he still be the lead in the school play?

This story touches on issues of friendship, self-confidence, body image and disability.

Prior to the show starting Cool Critters Outreach will do a brief 15 minute program for everyone there! Come check us out!



The Grove Banquet Hall
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Did You Know?

The American Alligator was listed as an Endangered Species in 1967. However through aggressive conservation efforts they were removed from that list in 1987. Now there are believed to be more than 3 million American Alligators in the United States!

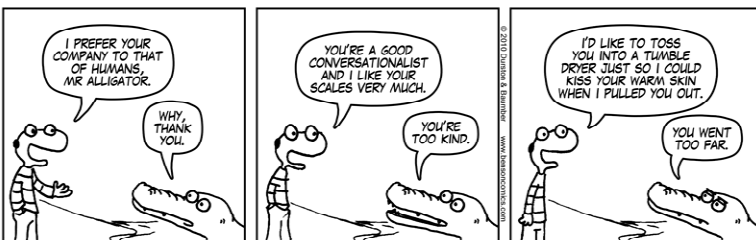


Scouts Love Us!

We recently did a program for a scout troop in Fairfield and they loved it! We have done this troop for several years now and every year it's always a blast!

If you're looking for a fun, indoor activity for your scout meetings this winter just give us a call! They will learn all about reptiles in the wild as well as how to care for them in captivity.

It's hands-on fun for everyone!



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Order a 13" x 19" Cool Critters Outreach animal poster for your classroom today! Cost is only \$7 mailed right to you! They also look great in bedrooms, offices and more. Check out the website for more information.

Alligator Found at Wastewater Plant in Hamilton Ohio!

As most of you have probably heard, last week a baby alligator was found at a wastewater treatment facility in Hamilton. The only conclusion that they can come up with is that this poor little guy was either flushed or put down a sewer drain.

You've heard about it and now you know it to be true. When someone gets a pet they no longer want they do what they can to get rid of it. For some reason people think an alligator will make a good pet. Truth is, it's a horrible decision to make. That alligator WILL get big and WILL bite you.

This gator was just a hatchling. It's amazing that it survived. However that just means someone out there in Hamilton has no heart and was ready to simply kill this poor little helpless creature.

Another organization in Hamilton picked it up and will find a foster home for it until it eventually goes to a sanctuary. Please don't EVER get an alligator as a pet. As cool as they are it's just a bad idea.



Where Have All the Critters Gone?

It's starting to get cold and that means it's time for our local critters to retreat to warmer areas. That could be underground to prepare for winter or inside your warm basement or garage!

If you see a critter in your home don't freak out, just do your best to get it outside so it can properly prepare for winter. If you have difficulty with this feel free to contact us. For a small donation to Cool Critters Outreach we will come out and rid your home of that critter you don't want indoors.



This beautiful little guy found his way into our basement. While you may be creeped out by it, this little guy will eat other bugs that we really don't want inside the home! We let him go about his business while we went about ours.

Are you curious about what small businesses are in the Springfield Township area? If so come to the FREE Business Awareness Fair on November 5th from 11:00am – 4:00pm. The event will be held at the Xenos Fellowship Center located at 1016 West North Bend Road in Finneytown.

If you are an independently owned business interested in vending that is FREE as well! Call Richelle at 513.658.1672 to get involved!

Now that it's getting colder we must remind you: if your program is intended to be outdoors it must be above 70 degrees. If it's below that we will need a space indoors for the safety of our animals.



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