



"Prescription Drug Take Back" will occur October 22, 2016 from 10:00am - 2:00pm at the Mount Vernon Police Department. In previous years people turned in over 270 lbs of unused or expired prescription drugs! Bring your unused prescriptions and **over the counter drugs** and the police will ensure they are properly destroyed removing the chance these drugs will fall into the hands of children or undesired users.



All the drugs will be packaged and sent to the Drug Enforcement Administration for destruction.



No Tricks Just T.R.E.A.T.S

The Mount Vernon Police Department presents the following Halloween Safety Tips:



TURN ON OUTSIDE LIGHTS



REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY TO 911



EDUcate YOUR CHILDREN ABOUT SAFETY



AVOID DARK PLACES



TEAM UP AND TRAVEL IN GROUPS

Downtown Trick-or-Treat Night

This annual event is held for trick-or-treaters and their parents. First Street will be closed down to traffic between Division Street and Kincaid Street during 3-5:00 pm, on Halloween, Monday, October 31, 2016.

That evening after the downtown event, Mount Vernon Police and Fire employees, along with a group of volunteers, will be out in the neighborhoods passing out free glow sticks to help keep kids safe and visible in the darkness.

