



HAPPY HALLOWEEN



HERE ARE SOME SUGGESTIONS, FOR YOUR CHILDREN TO HAVE A SAFE HALLOWEEN.

****PLEASE TAKE A RECENT CLOSE-UP PICTURE OF YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN****

1. Make sure you know what your child is wearing, under their Halloween Costume.
2. Make sure you know the colors, or what details (if any) on their shirt/pants.
3. Make sure you know what type of shoes they have on and color.
4. Make sure you know, how their hair is styled; and what color (if dyed for Costume).
5. Make sure you know, what the costume they have on is, and also the color of costume.
6. Make sure if you aren't with them, that someone of age is with them. (Be sure that you know that persons first/last name and contact information).
7. Make sure your child/children, are with a group of children; NEVER ALONE!!!
8. Tell your child/children to NEVER give any information, to anyone if they are asked.
9. Make sure someone has a FULLY charged cell-phone with them, just in case they do run into trouble. Teach them how to dial 911.
10. Tell them where you want them to go, and tell them where NOT to go!
11. Tell them what time, you want them to be back at home.
12. Tell them NOT TO EAT ANY OF THE CANDY, until they have had it checked by you! THIS IS NON-NEGOTIABLE!!
13. Tell them never to go near a car, empty or occupied unless you or the adult in charge is with them
14. Teach your child to SCREAM NO!!!!!! If someone tries to get them to go somewhere or take something other than a treat!
15. Be prepared with a flashlight and reflective gear for drivers who may not see you or children crossing the street. Light colors on costumes as well as glow sticks may also be helpful.

WHEN CHECKING CANDY BE AWARE OF:

- OPENED SAFETY PINS
- SCULPTING KNIVES
- RAZOR BLADES
- POOP/FECES
- PETROLEUM
- METAL SHAVINGS
- LIVE BUGS (TREMORS)
- HUMAN BLOOD
- POISON
- URINE
- CRYSTAL METH

IN THE PAST, NECCO WAFERS WERE SUPPOSED TO BE GIVEN: THEY WERE ACTUALLY CUTUP PIECES OF SIDEWALK CHALK. TOSS OUT ANY FRUIT, YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN MAY GET. SMELL EVERYTHING: MIGHT HAVE A SLIGHT STALE ODOR TO IT. STUDY THE CANDY: CHOCOLATE THAT LOOKS SPOTTY, OR HAS PATCHES OF WHITE ON SURFACE; IS OLD AND STALE-**THROW IT AWAY!!!**

IF CANDY HAS EVEN THE SLIGHTEST RIP, TEAR, OR PUNCTURE, THROW IT AWAY!!



CAUTION!! A popular drug in schools is known as **Strawberry Quick or Strawberry Meth**. It looks like the pop rocks candy that kids eat and even smells like strawberries or other flavors such as chocolate etc...This candy is actually crystal meth!! Please be sure to tell your children not to take any candy that is given to them at school by classmates!

WE SINCERELY HOPE, THAT THIS CHECKLIST WILL HELP YOU; KEEP YOUR CHILD/CHILDREN SAFE REMEMBER THE OLD SAYING: "WHEN IN DOUBT, THROW IT OUT!!!!"

