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Happy Thanksgiving!



On behalf of everyone at Fox & Company CPAs and Milestones Financial Planning, we would like to wish you & yours a very Happy Thanksgiving and a wonderful holiday season!

Remember to be thankful for the blessing in your life and the loved ones you have around you this year. We are thankful for each and every one of our clients and friends and wish you all great



THE FOX REPORT

November 2011

SPECIAL NOTE:

Our offices will be closed on Thursday, November 24th and Friday, November 25th in observance of Thanksgiving. We will be back in the office on Monday, November 28th.

*They are up to something again!
Those crazy accountants have something up their sleeves for sure...why else would James be sportin' a wig, mustache, and bow tie??? Be sure to keep checking back to find out what they're up to!*



holiday food,
memories, and
happiness!

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Charitable Contributions

By James Koinis, Director of Marketing
Fox & Company CPAs, Inc.

It's that time of year again! With everyone getting ready for big, delicious meals with the family and holiday shoppers running rampant, the season for donations has arrived! Everyone has their favorite charity or non-profit group to donate to during the holiday season but the great part for the donor is the tax benefit. However, many people get lost in keeping up with records and receipts so that these donations can be used in tax preparation. How do you know if you are getting all of the benefits available to you and keeping all the necessary documentation? We have a great staff of professionals here ready to answer your questions and guide you through the steps!

For more information, read the [full article](#).

Our new website features many other great articles to help make sure you're not paying a penny more in taxes than you legally have to! Click [here](#) to access our database of great articles regarding life events, investment strategies, individual tax strategies and business tax strategies. Be sure to check out this month's article and more!

The JFox CPA Exam

Test your knowledge with these monthly trivia questions designed to make you think about things you have probably known but long since forgotten! The theme changes each month so keep up to see how much random information you have retained over the years.



Of course there is no better theme for this month than THANKSGIVING! Let's see if you know anything about the holiday other than how good the food is!

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1. Which colony came first--Jamestown, VA or Plymouth, MA?
2. Most of us eat pumpkin pie on Thanksgiving, so...what does an old wives tale say pumpkins are a cure for? Is it hiccups, freckles, or insomnia?
3. The first Thanksgiving football game was started in 1934 by which team?
4. Which president made Thanksgiving a national holiday?
5. President Franklin D. Roosevelt declared Thanksgiving to be a legal national holiday to be held on what day in November?

Click [here](#) for the answers!

In addition, check the link for a chance to match wits with our office team (no Google-ing, ok?).

Quickbooks Video-Tip of the Month

By Amy Glover, Bookkeeper



November Tip:

In our popular QuickBooks Video-Tip this month, Amy shows you how to merge duplicate vendor and customer accounts. Check out this QuickBooks tip to be sure you're keeping your company's file up to snuff!

Mayfield-Graves County Animal Shelter Supply Drive



Throughout the month of November, we have been collecting supplies for the Mayfield-Graves County Animal Shelter. They currently have a wish list that includes flea shampoo, leashes, toys, puppy food, laundry detergent, and dryer sheets but feel free to donate anything! We have a box set up in our office and would love for you to bring your donation by to help our furry friends in need!

The Animal Shelter has a big selection of cats, dogs, puppies and kittens available for you to find your next lifelong pal! Be sure to go by today or call them at 270-251-0130.

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