



WHAT ARE WE DOING IN YOUR YARD?

From time to time, you might see an Oklahoma Natural Gas technician in your yard. Don't worry - they are there for your safety! Every so often, our technicians may need to access your yard to check pipelines, conduct maintenance or take meter readings.

We are required by federal and state regulations to periodically survey our pipelines. To do that, our employees and contractors must have direct access to buried natural gas pipelines and above ground equipment in your yard. An aboveground survey will typically take only a few minutes, and because it does not require access inside the home, you may not even notice it has been done. These routine leak surveys help us make sure our systems are operating properly and safely.

Oklahoma Natural Gas employees also may need access to your yard when you have a scheduled appointment. Performing the following actions can help prepare for a quick and easy appointment:

- Leave your gate or fence unlocked the day of your appointment so our technician can easily access your natural gas meter.
- Be available to grant our technician access to your home if requested and needed as part of your appointment.
- Ensure that all pets are secured in a safe place away from the technician.

If you're unsure of the authenticity of someone claiming to work for or on behalf of Oklahoma Natural Gas, ask to see their ID. Our employees and contractors always carry company identification cards, and they will be happy to show you upon request.

You can play a role in keeping meters and pipelines safe, too. Keep your meter clear of any obstructions or debris, and avoid planting trees or large shrubs near your meter. Be sure to always call 811 at least 48 hours/two full business days before you dig so that any underground utility lines can be marked. If you smell natural gas, leave the area immediately, then call 911 and Oklahoma Natural Gas at **800-458-4251**.

For more information about natural gas safety, visit OklahomaNaturalGas.com



Cooking with Natural Gas Recipe of the Month

RED VELVET CRINKLE COOKIES

- 6 tablespoons butter
- 1 teaspoon cornstarch
- 2 large eggs
- 1 cup powdered sugar
- 1 box red velvet cake mix
- 1 teaspoon lemon zest

1. Preheat your natural gas oven to 375°F. Melt butter; set aside to cool. Place powdered sugar and cornstarch in shallow dish. Mix with a fork to blend.
2. Place cake mix, cooled butter, eggs and lemon zest in large mixing bowl. Mix by hand until well blended and a dough forms.
3. Form dough into 1" balls and roll in powdered sugar. Place on cool, ungreased baking sheets about 2" apart.
4. Bake, 1 sheet at a time, in center of oven for 9-11 minutes or until set. Cool 1 minute. Transfer to wire rack to cool completely.
5. Store in airtight container with wax paper or parchment separating layers.

TREAT YOURSELF TO SAVINGS ON EFFICIENT NATURAL GAS APPLIANCES

Now is a great time to find new ways to save money. The Oklahoma Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Program offers several options to do just that while helping you enjoy the reliability and comfort natural gas provides. With rebates available for energy-efficient natural gas heating systems, water heaters, clothes dryers and ranges, you can start saving money right away. And with the high efficiency of natural gas, you'll enjoy savings for years to come on your energy bills.

The Energy Efficiency Program offers the following rebates:

- **Natural Gas Heating System - up to \$2,500**
- **Natural Gas Water Heater - up to \$850**
- **Natural Gas Clothes Dryer - up to \$450**
- **Natural Gas Range - up to \$100**

Visit OklahomaNaturalGas.com/rebates to learn more and start taking advantage of the savings.



JOIN US AT THE TULSA HOME AND GARDEN SHOW

Receive \$1 Off Entry To Tulsa Home And Garden Show

Oklahoma Natural Gas is offering customers \$1 off entry to the Tulsa Home and Garden Show, March 12-15, at the River Spirit Event Center at Expo Square! Simply show the coupon below at admission to receive your discount.

We are excited to host the Oklahoma Natural Gas Cooking with Gas Stage on the lower level of the expo center.

Celebrity Chef and Master Chef Season 7 winner Shaun O'Neale, along with local chefs will perform live cooking demonstrations throughout the weekend. Stop by to learn some new recipes, pick up tips for cooking with natural gas and see the latest in natural gas technology.

\$1 OFF ENTRY for the 2020 GREATER TULSA HOME & GARDEN SHOW

Join us at the Oklahoma Natural Gas "Cooking with Gas" Stage for some mouth-watering culinary action!



Master Chef Season 7 winner Shaun O'Neale will dazzle you with his skills. Local chefs will also be cooking some of their favorites, so get there early for a chance to sample their dishes!

Show this coupon at the entrance for \$1 off admission to the 2020 Greater Tulsa Home & Garden Show, March 12-15 at the River Spirit Expo at Expo Square.

