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Stacy Road Update



The paving of the northern two lanes is well underway. Intersection work at the major intersections will be the next phase. During this concrete phase, the only intersections that will be completely closed on a temporary basis on the Fairview-side of construction are Hawkswood and Old Stacy Road, just East of Oakwood Trail. Once the remaining intersections are completed at State Highway 5, Oakwood Trail and FM-1378 on the north side, the traffic will be switched to the two new lanes as two-way traffic. This will occur most likely in mid to late May, weather permitting. Then the same process as was previously done on the Fairview-side will repeat on the Allen-side.



Hazardous Waste Collection

The Town of Fairview will hold its annual Household Hazardous Waste event Saturday, April 29, 2017. The event will be held at Fairview Fire Station #1, located at 500 State Highway 5 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Residents are encouraged to bring their old chemicals, fuels, oils, paints for disposal to the event.

Unfortunately, the Town is unable to continue to offer electronics recycling at this event, as it is no longer economically viable for our vendor.

To take advantage of Hazardous Waste Collection, you must provide a valid Texas Driver's License with a Fairview address or a copy of your last water bill issued by the Town.

This has been a highly successful event in the past and your continued participation helps to protect the environment and contributes to a cleaner and greener Town of Fairview.

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Holiday Closures

Fairview Town Hall will be closed
Monday, May 29, 2017, in observance of
Memorial Day. Please see page 15 for the
2017 Bulk Trash Recycle Calendar to view the holiday
schedule for bulk trash collection.

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Spirit of Fairview Awarded to Mayor Culbertson

In February, the Allen Fairview Chamber of Commerce held their annual Volunteer Recognition Gala recognizing multiple honorees and businesses in both the Town of Fairview and the City of Allen. Award categories each year include Business of the Year, Small Business of the Year, Entrepreneur of the Year, Emerging Business of the Year, Ambassador of the Year, Chamber Member of the Year along with the Spirit of Allen and Spirit of Fairview awards.

This year's event featured keynote speaker Mike Weddington, a former professional football player and now a motivational speaker. Weddington's presentation, "Living the American Dream" inspired the audience. However, the real purpose of the event was to recognize those individuals and businesses in Allen and Fairview for all they do to contribute to the growth of our local economy, going above and beyond their respective roles by contributing their time, talent or financial resources to local nonprofits and providing excellent leadership as volunteers.

The Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Allen Fairview Chamber is Jill Hawkins, a Fairview resident, whose company Hawkins Landscape & Maintenance provides services to a large segment of both communities. Ms. Hawkins along with former chair Tim Kaiser emceed the event and presented the awards.



This year's recipient of the Spirit of Fairview award was Mayor Darion Culbertson. The Spirit of Fairview award is awarded annually to someone who shows exemplary service through volunteer activities that benefit the nonprofits, school districts and/or the Town of Fairview in a way that places service to others above self. Mayor Culbertson was unable to attend this year's gala, so it was presented to Mayor Culbertson at the March 7, 2017 meeting of the Fairview Town Council.

For more information about the Allen Fairview Chamber, please contact Sharon Mayer, CEO at 972-727-5585 or sharon@allenfairviewchamber.com.

 A photograph of a small, light brown and white dog sitting and looking towards the camera with its tongue out. The background is a soft, out-of-focus grey.

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COUNCIL'S CORNER

At the Tuesday, April 4, 2017, regular Town Council meeting, the Town Council addressed the following items:

- Received a State of the McKinney Independent School District report from McKinney ISD Superintendent, Dr. Rick McDaniel.
- Lovejoy High School Independent Studies student, Ella Luebbe, gave a presentation on short stories she has authored.
- Authorized the Technology Advisory Committee to conduct a technology survey.
- Mayor Darion Culbertson presented a proclamation declaring the month of April as Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month in the Town of Fairview.
- Approved the minutes of the February 7, 2017, regular Council meeting.
- Approved the minutes of the February 8, 2017, special Council meeting.
- Approved a resolution suspending the effective date of a requested rate change by Oncor Electric Delivery Company, LLC to allow Town staff to cooperate with the Steering Committee to establish reasonable rates.
- Approved a resolution authorizing continued participation with the Oncor Cities Steering Committee and payment of assessed dues for 2017.
- Approved an ordinance repealing Ordinance 2015-7.
- Approved an ordinance amending Ord. 2015-33 and ratifying the change in the number of members of the TIRZ #1 Board of Directors from five to six.
- Approved moving the regular July Council meeting date to Wednesday, July 5, 2017, due to the Independence Day holiday.
- Approved a Final Plat for the Woodland Farm Estates Addition. The 20.7-acre tract of land is located north of Old Stacy Road, between Collinwood Dr. and Lakewood Dr. and is zoned for the (RE-2) Two-acre Ranch Estate District. Applicant: Doug Mousel, LandPlan Development. (FP2017-01).
- Discussed the town road maintenance program.
- Discussed the Collin County Roadway Action Plan and related matters.
- Approved a resolution stating opposition to current state bills proposing tax revenue caps.
- Heard an update from staff regarding inclement weather preparedness, general preparedness and public education.
- Authorized the Town Manager to enter into an agreement with Community News Connection for the Town magazine.
- Discussed an update from Councilmember Hendricks regarding the McKinney Airport Advisory Committee's update to the Airport Master Plan and Layout Plan.
- Discussed Boards and Commissions.
- Received the Monthly Financial Report for the period ending February 28, 2017.
- Received an update on the Stacy Road construction project.
- Received an update on Town facilities planning.

Town Election Cancellation

As all of the Town's candidates for Mayor and Town Council in 2017 were unopposed after both the filing for a place on the ballot and the write-in candidate deadlines, at the Council meeting on March 7, 2017, the Town Council was able to cancel the Town's regular May election for 2017. All the unopposed candidates were declared elected to their new office effective Saturday, May 6, 2017 (general election day in Texas).

Mayor Darion Culbertson was reelected to his third term as Mayor of the Town of Fairview; he will be term-limited from further consecutive reelection in May 2019.

Seat 1 will be filled by a new member of the Town Council, Bill Nicol. Nicol resides in Heritage Ranch; he has been a member of the Town's EDC/CDC Board of Directors since 2014. Current Seat 1, Councilmember Ron Samuels will be retiring from his seat after serving the Town for the past four years.

Seat 3 will be filled by Henry Lessner. Lessner previously served on the Council in Seat 4 for six consecutive years from 2010 to 2016 including four years as Mayor Pro Tem. Current Seat 4, Councilmember Frank O'Reilly is moving from the Town of Fairview after serving on the Council for the past four years.

Finally, sitting Councilmember, Paul Hendricks, was also unopposed for Council Seat 5 and has been reelected to his third term on the Council; he will be term-limited from further consecutive reelection in May 2019.

The Town, the Town Staff as well as the rest of the Town Council would like to thank Councilmembers Samuels and O'Reilly for their years of dedicated service to the Town of Fairview. For more information about the election results, please visit the Town Elections page on fairviewtexas.org.

Early Voting Locations and Hours

As Lovejoy ISD has a contested election, residents will still be able to vote in that race and any other local races at the Lovejoy ISD Administration Building, located at 259 Country Club Road during both Early Voting and Election Day. Early voting in Collin County goes from Monday, April 24 to Tuesday, May 2 at the times listed below. Election Day is Saturday, May 6, 2017 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. As the Town is not having an election, Fairview Town Hall will not be an Election Day polling place this year.

As Collin County uses Vote Centers, residents who are registered voters with an effective date on or before May 6, 2017 may vote at any of the additional Early Voting locations or Election Day vote centers that are open in Collin County under full contract services with the Collin County Elections Administration. Visit CollinCountyTX.gov/Elections for more information regarding polling locations.

Early Voting Location		Address			City	
Collin County Election Office (Main Early Voting Location)		2010 Redbud Blvd., #102			McKinney	
Lovejoy ISD Administration Bldg.		259 Country Club Road			Fairview	
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
April 23	April 24 8am – 5pm	April 25 8am – 5pm	April 26 8am – 5pm	April 27 8am - 7pm	April 28 8am - 5pm	April 29 8am - 5pm
April 30	May 1 7am – 7pm	May 2 7am – 7pm	May 3	May 4	May 5	May 6 7am – 7pm Election Day

Boards and Commissions

Interested in getting involved in serving your community? Every year, dozens of Town residents volunteer their time and talents by serving on a Town Board, Commission or Committee. The Town utilizes these citizen run Boards and Commissions to ensure public input and participation in the setting of policy and in the Town's decision-making processes.

Find the *Application to Serve* at fairviewtexas.org by selecting "Boards and Commissions" from the "Government" dropdown. The Town Council reviews all applications and votes on all board appointments and reappointments. Boards and Commission renewals and replacements occur every summer, so residents are encouraged to apply to be members of any of our many boards and commissions. To be eligible, individuals must be a registered voter in the Town, may not be in arrears on property taxes and must complete an *Application to Serve*. Completed *Applications to Serve* should be emailed to Town Secretary, Liz Cappon at ECappon@fairviewtexas.org.

Planning and Zoning Commission

The Planning and Zoning Commission is comprised of seven Commissioners. It is the Planning and Zoning Commission's duty to make and recommend a master plan, as a whole or in parts, for the future development and redevelopment of the town. The Commission hears, recommends and determines matters related to zoning, platting and subdivision control as specified

or required by town ordinance, charter and state law. The Commission meets monthly in the Town Hall Council Chambers on the second Thursday of the month.

Economic Development (EDC) and Community Development Corporation (CDC) Board of Directors

The EDC and CDC Board of Directors are comprised of seven board members, with each member serving on both the EDC and CDC board. The EDC Board of Directors is responsible for promoting the economic growth and diversification in the Town of Fairview as well as for overseeing the half-penny sales tax collected for this purpose. The CDC Board of Directors is responsible for promoting the community through infrastructure construction projects funded through the half-penny sales tax collected for this purpose. The EDC/CDC Board typically meets monthly in the Town Hall Council Chambers on the third Wednesday of the month.

Zoning Board of Adjustment

The Zoning Board of Adjustment (ZBA) is comprised of Board Members and Alternates. The ZBA makes decisions on appeals and requests for variances to the Town's ordinances. This Board meets as needed.

Technology Advisory Committee

The Technology Advisory Committee is comprised of seven committee members. The Technology Committee investigates opportunities to provide more efficient and

effective technology outlets for the Town and its residents. This Committee typically meets on the second Monday of the month in the Fire Station #2 Community Room.

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

The Parks and Recreation Advisory Board is comprised of seven board members. This Board acts in an advisory capacity in all matters pertaining to Parks and Recreation, including present and future maintenance, operation, planning, acquisition, development, enlargement as well as use policies of the Town Parks and Recreation services. This Board meets as needed.

Environmental Management Advisory Committee

The Environmental Management Advisory Committee is comprised of seven Committee Members. The Environmental Management Advisory Committee investigates opportunities to promote responsible environmental plans, projects, regulations, guidelines as well as other activities that serve to promote and protect the natural environment of the community. This Committee typically meets on the third Monday of the month in the Fire Station #2 Community Room.

Public Art Committee

The Public Art Committee is comprised of five Committee Members. The Public Art Committee is responsible for administering the Town's public art program and organizing the Town of Fairview Art Show. This Committee meets as needed.



National Pharmaceutical Take Back Day

Visit Fairview Fire Station #1 on Saturday, April 29, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., to participate in national pharmaceutical take-back day and utilize this opportunity to surrender expired, unwanted or unused pharmaceuticals, controlled substances and other medications to law enforcement officers for destruction. On this day, the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) coordinates a collaborative effort with state and local law enforcement agencies focused on removing potentially dangerous controlled substances from our nation's medicine cabinets. This one-day effort will bring national focus to the issue of pharmaceutical controlled substance abuse. The program provides an opportunity for law enforcement to collaborate with the DEA and establish a safe collection site.

This program is anonymous and all efforts will be made to protect the anonymity of individuals disposing of medications. Controlled, non-controlled, and over-the-counter medications may be collected from individuals. The general public is often unaware of the distinction in medication status. Participants may dispose of medication in its original container or by removing the medication from its container and disposing of it directly into the disposal box. Liquid products, such as cough syrup, should remain sealed in the original container. The depositor should ensure the cap is tightly sealed to prevent leakage. Intra-venous solutions, injectables and syringes will **not** be accepted due to potential hazard posed by blood-borne pathogens. Fairview Fire Station # 1 is located at 500 S. State Highway 5.



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Mosquito Preparedness



As we begin to transition into the warm conditions that come with summer and invite fun outdoor activities, we should all be thinking early about steps that can be taken to protect against West Nile virus (WNV), Zika virus disease (Zika) and Chikungunya virus.

Local municipalities as well as Collin, Dallas and Denton counties work together to share data as well as best practices and that seems to be working well in fighting mosquitos. As in past years, the Town has contracted with Municipal Mosquito to perform trapping and testing every week. They will also be proactively applying larvacide where needed.

You can better protect yourself and your family by following the **Four Ds***:

- **DUSK/DAWN:** Stay indoors during evening to early morning hours-from about 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. This is when mosquitoes are most active and hungry;
- **DRESS:** In long sleeves and pants when outdoors. Clothes are that magic barrier to keep mosquitoes from finding skin to bite;
- **DUMP & DEFEND:** Get rid of any water outside that has been standing for more than three days, including stagnant swimming

pools, birdbaths, pet dishes, empty pots and planters, clogged rain gutters, etc. Mosquitoes only need a few inches of standing water to breed. Also, keep mosquitoes out of your home by repairing or installing window and door screens; and

- **DETERRENT:** Use insect repellent containing DEET or other proven deterrents on your outer clothing and exposed skin (never skin under clothing). These products are safe when used according to their directions. They help keep mosquitoes and other insects like ticks away! Also, utilize mosquito-detering plants in your yard such as marigolds or lavender.

Preventative actions taken at the individual level will go a long way in combating the potential for exposure to the virus. Everyone should look for places around their home or business that contain standing water and drain them. A few examples of places where standing water can occur are:

- Playground equipment can collect water after rain showers or after watering the lawn.
- Lawn furniture and equipment can easily accumulate water.
- Gutter downspouts can cause water to accumulate on the ground underneath. Splash guards can be utilized to better disperse water and prevent collection.
- Stacks of aged wood can hold water and become a breeding ground for mosquitoes. Discarding old wood and keeping new wood in dry locations is ideal.
- Buckets and other items commonly found in the back of truck beds can collect water and should be dumped out regularly.
- Boats contain many places where water can accumulate; keep boats drained and covered.
- Avoid overwatering plants and drain drip trays, if necessary.

The preventative measures provided above are just some of ways individuals can actively combat disease. The Town encourages all residents and local business owners to assess and monitor their properties on a regular basis and to take appropriate actions so that any potential hazards can be eliminated before they become a real threat to public health.

*Source: Collin County Health Care Service, http://www.collincountytx.gov/healthcare_services/Pages/west_nile.aspx



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Friday Nights - FREE!
May 12 - Sing
June 9 - E.T., the Extra-Terrestrial
July 14 - The Lego Batman Movie
August 18 - TBD

Hosted by the Fairview Community Development Corporation, for information call 972-886-4227

The Town of Fairview Community Development Corporation (CDC) is proud to announce a new event series, Movies in the Park. This summer, the Fairview CDC will host a monthly free outdoor movie on select Fridays from May. Kicking off each movie will be family friendly activities including music, DJ and games.

Movies in the Park will take place at the Village Green Park at the corner of Fairview Parkway and Fairview Village Road. Preshow activities will begin at 7 p.m. and the movie will begin at dusk (approximately 8:30 p.m.).

The summer 2017 movie line up will be "Sing" on Friday, May 12, "E.T., The Extra-Terrestrial" on June 9, "The Lego Batman Movie" on July 14 and the final movie of the series will be August 18, that film is yet to be determined.

Guests are encouraged to bring blankets and folding chairs as well as a picnic dinner. Be sure to stop by one of the restaurants in the newly rebranded Fairview Town Center shopping center, they'd love to serve you. For more information, please contact Shannon Craft, Event/Marketing Specialist at 972-886-4227 or scraft@fairviewtexas.org



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Raised Bed Vegetable Gardening

Dream of growing your own vegetables but don't have the ground space sufficient for a traditional garden? Maybe your ground soil is full of clay or you have pets that may crush and trample plants and vegetables. Perhaps back, hip or knee issues are keeping you from growing and enjoying a vegetable garden. A raised bed garden container might be an option for you. Raised bed containers can be purchased at a garden center, DIY store or online in several heights and dimensions. If you are handy, consider building one, keeping in mind the type of wood, paint and stain you choose to ensure healthy eatable vegetables.

A key factor in any garden is good soil. In a raised bed garden your soil can be created to grow specific vegetables for an ideal producing environment using compost, vermiculite, sand and/or peat moss. As a result of mixing the soil, the soil is loose, which provides the needed aeration for plant roots to absorb nutrients.



Proper drainage in a raised bed allows water and rain to seep into the garden container preventing runoff that washes away soil. Water can soak down into the raised bed without leaving puddles, which vegetables do not like.

In a raised bed garden, it is easier to keep out pests and crawling insects. Use copper tape around the perimeter of the frame or container legs to deter snails and slugs

from entering your garden. The container should be lined. Use a landscape fabric liner or a fine mesh screen for good drainage as well as to thwart soil parasites.

Plant your seeds or plants in rows within the raised bed as you would in a ground garden. Most gardeners suggest planting rows that run east to west with taller plants on north side and shorter ones on the southern side to preclude shade on short plants. Compact planting helps prevent weeds and gives more food production in less space. Be sure to consider height and spacing requirements specific to each plant. You can also prolong your growing season by planting early and continuing later because the soil will warm earlier in a raised bed garden than the soil in your yard.

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Great Texas Warrant Roundup Results

February 24 through March 4, 2017, the Town participated in the weeklong annual Great Texas Warrant Roundup. The roundup is designed to target thousands of defendants with traffic, parking and municipal ordinance violations; it is believed to be the largest joint operation of its kind. The Fairview edition included advertisements in several local newspapers and the Fairview Police Department Warrant Officer continually contacting outstanding clients in order to pursue collections.

During this year's event, the Fairview Police Department in conjunction with the Municipal Court was able to clear 104 warrants for a total of \$26,505.39, clearing the first 73 warrants (\$18,781.64) on the very first day of the Warrant Roundup week! This can be positively compared to 2016 Warrant Roundup when the weeklong event cleared 83 warrants for \$15,311.77 with the Friday clearing just 46 warrants for a total of \$7,073.50.

The Town would like to thank our Municipal Court staff, the Fairview Police Department officers, the Town Judge and Prosecutor for making this event a great success! If you believe you may have a warrant, you are urged to contact the Town to dispose of your cases voluntarily to avoid the inconvenience and embarrassment of an arrest at home or work, possibly in front of family, friends or coworkers. The Town's municipal court is open to pay fines Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information, visit fairviewtexas.org or please call 972-886-4240.

Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month



Mayor Darion Culbertson presented a proclamation declaring the month of April as Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month in the Town of Fairview to the Turning Point, the Rape Crisis Center of Collin County at the April 4, 2017, regular Town Council Meeting.



Simple Sprinkler System Check-Up

With spring here and summer coming, your sprinkler system should be checked in order to be efficient as well as conserve water. Here are a few simple steps provided by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Inspect. Your system should be inspected for any missing, broken or clogged sprinkler heads.

Connect. Examine pipes or hoses where connected to sprinkler head for any leaks. Pools or wet areas can indicate a leak in your system.

Direct. All sprinklers should be

directed to landscape only and away from sidewalks, house and driveway.

Select. Your irrigation controller should be properly selected in each zone to the correct season, type of sprinkler, sun or shade as well as the type of soil and plants in your beds and lawn. Consider adding a drip or trickle device to your system in flower beds which slowly irrigates and reduces run-off, overspray and evaporation.

Follow these simple steps for a water saving and efficient sprinkler system.

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- Stacy Road Updates
- Town Council Meeting Agendas
- Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting Agendas
- Economic and Community Development Meeting Agendas
- Board of Adjustments Meeting Agendas
- Parks and Recreation Advisory Board Meeting Agendas
- Environmental Committee Meeting Agendas
- Public Art Committee Meeting Agendas
- Technology Advisory Committee Meeting Agendas
- Special Events Committee Meeting Agendas

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Nixle Alerts

Nixle is a digital platform that the Town added in 2013 that allows residents to receive text messages and/or email alerts related to Fairview news, events and other urgent updates. Emergency alerts and advisory notifications can be sent instantly, allowing for immediate and accurate information straight from Town staff during an emergency. The Nixle notification system allows residents to receive the following types of alerts and notifications:

- Emergency Alerts (i.e. tornado warnings, missing persons)
- Advisory Notifications (i.e. road closures, police activity, severe weather)
- Community Notifications (i.e. Town updates, event information)

Residents may sign up by texting the word FAIRVIEW to 888777, or by using the Nixle widget in the "Sign Up For Alerts" column on the far right side of the Town homepage. On Nixle's website you are then able to choose what types of messages you want to receive and how you want to receive them. There is no charge from the town for this service, but message and data rates may apply if you choose to receive alerts through your cell phone or other smart devices. Registering an account through Nixle's website will also allow those signing up via text message to add an email address for receiving alerts and notifications. You can even choose to receive messages from municipalities/agencies other than Fairview. For more information on either of these services, please contact the Town Secretary at ECappon@fairviewtexas.org.

Free Water University Courses Offered in Fairview



The Town of Fairview and the North Texas Municipal Water District have partnered with Water University at the Texas A&M AgriLife Research Center to provide local residents two free Water University Courses in 2017; preregistration required.

Water University at the Texas A&M AgriLife Research Center-Dallas is the state's most comprehensive offering of scientifically based solutions for water conservation and resource management. Water University harnesses the unmatched expertise of the Texas A&M University System to bring you unparalleled opportunities for collaboration in conservation.

Water Efficient Irrigation

Tuesday, May 23, 2017, 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. in Fairview Town Hall Council Chambers

Is your sprinkler system turning on the wrong day? Do you have a leak or broken head? Did the Town give you a warning? Learn how your sprinkler system operates, how to make very basic hands on repairs and maintenance to automatic home sprinkler systems, as well as how to program your sprinkler controller utilizing the most efficient ways to water your landscape such as the soak and cycle method and other water efficiency practices. A properly functioning sprinkler system save time, money and water!

Landscape and Tree Maintenance

Tuesday, September 19, 2017, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. in Fairview Town Hall Council Chambers

Wondering when to prune your trees and ornamental grasses? Whether to mulch in the spring, fall or both? Learn the right time to maintenance your landscape and trees to ensure the health, production and aesthetics of your landscaping.

Both of the above courses are free to Fairview residents and residents from surrounding municipalities, but preregistration is required. Register today at wateruniversity.tamu.edu/courses.

Heard Happenings



Date Night Fundraiser

Date Night at the Heard will be a fun, outdoor fundraising event benefiting the Heard Museum. This event will feature live music, dancing, a cash bar and food trucks. Date Night will be held at the Heard Natural Science Museum & Wildlife Sanctuary on Saturday, May 20, 2017 from 6 to 9 p.m.

This event will be for guests age 21 and over; however, childcare will be available for kids age 5 to 12, spots are limited and only available to event participants. The childcare will be offered by the same great staff and volunteers that lead the Heard's educational programs. Kids will enjoy live animal presentations, kid-friendly nature videos, games and puzzles.

Tickets are now available while supplies last to the public for \$15 per person. Additional information and online ticketing is available at heardmuseum.org/datenight.



Three Hour Wetland Canoe Trails

On May 20 at 1 p.m., come experience the amazing diversity in wetland vegetation and wildlife while learning about the history and basics of wetland ecology during our Family Canoe Try-Its. After a safety and canoeing introduction, spend about 40 minutes on a guided trail around the Heard wetlands followed by free paddle time to explore on your own, no experience required. This program is available for persons ages 7 and older. This event is just \$32 per person for members and \$42 for non-members; preregistration is required.

Please note: Heard canoes are not available for personal use. Canoeing at the Heard is only available by reservation for groups or during pre-scheduled canoeing events. Additional information on canoeing is available at heardmuseum.org/canoe.

Second Saturday Bird Walks

Learn more about birding on the second Saturday of every month through June. Bird walks begin promptly at 8 a.m. and last 90 minutes with optional extended time if some participants are interested!

These bird walks are intended to help beginning and intermediate birders with bird spotting and identification techniques. Bird walks are included in general admission and no reservations are necessary, but interested guests should be sure to arrive on time. Additional information on birding is available at heardmuseum.org/birding.



Nature Story Time

Join the Heard weekly on Fridays at 10:30 a.m. for Nature Story Time. Story times are designed primarily for young children and introduce a different nature-themed book each week. During most story times, a puppet, live animal or other enrichment items are included to enhance the experience. Programs last approximately 30 to 45 minutes depending on the book covered. This program is included in general admission and free for Heard Museum Members.

Proceeds from these events benefit the Heard Natural Science Museum & Wildlife Sanctuary, a private 501(c)3 organization. The Heard was founded in 1967 by Bessie Heard. Miss Heard was 80 years old when she saw the need to preserve a place where future generations could experience nature. Today, the Heard's mission of bringing nature and people together is carried out through education, particularly of young people, which emphasizes an appreciation of nature and its conservation. For more information or to purchase advance tickets, visit heardmuseum.org.



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Bulk • Trash • Recycle

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Trash/recycle items must be placed outside by 7 a.m. on your designated day. Bulk items may be placed outside no earlier than 5 p.m. the Friday before your designated Monday and must be out by 7 a.m. on Monday. Republic Services will pick up bulk items between Monday and Friday on your designated week. See the color coded chart for more details. If your regular trash/recycle pick-up day or bulk Monday falls on a holiday, service will resume the following business day. Bulk/brush is limited to 12 cubic yards or four truck loads.

Recycling Guide

YES

RECYCLING ONLY

NO

Put these items in your recycling cart.

DO NOT put these items in your recycling cart.



Bulk/Brush

Bulk/brush limit is 12 cubic yards.

Example: 6' x 6' x 9'

Four Truck Loads Brush/Bulk



Holidays

New Year's Day - January 1

Memorial Day - May 29

Independence Day - July 4 (Service Delayed One Day)

Labor Day - September 4

Thanksgiving - November 23

Christmas - December 25

Heritage Ranch: Recycle & Trash on Tuesdays

Rest of Town: Recycle & Trash on Wednesdays

Week 1

Subdivisions: Blue Grass Farms, Fairview Farms, Heritage Ranch, Parkside at Fairview, Remington Park, Summer Hill Farms and Thompson Springs. **Streets:** Affirmed Ln, Ashcroft Dr, Bastrop Blvd, Big Bend Blvd, Bonham Blvd, Cambridge Dr, Dumont Ct, Dunaway Crossing, Elisabeth Way, Essex Ct, Fitzhugh Mill Rd, Hammerly Dr, Honey Creek Ln, Kentucky Ln, Man O War, Newchester Dr, Orr Rd, Palo Duro Dr, Remington Ct, Remington Park, Seattle Slew Ln, Secretariat Ln, Stafford Ct, Stonehenge Dr, Summer Hill Ln, Summit Ct, Weston Dr, Windsor Cir, Wyndham Ct and Stacy Rd (E of Country Club/W of Orr Rd).

Week 2

Subdivisions: Bridlegate, Courts at Sloan Creek, Cypress Crossing, Dreamland, Fairview Downs, Final Domain, Hawks Wood, Ranchette Estates, River's Edge, River Oaks, Sloan Creek Estates, Vineyards of Fairview, Village of Fairview and Villas in the Park. **Streets:** Meandering Way, S Hwy 5, US 75, Green Apple, Stacy Rd (E of 75/ W of Oakwood), Shady Brook Ln, Blue Bird Ln, Rushing Waters Ct, Frisco Rd and Country Club (E of S Hwy 5/W of RR tracks).

Week 3

Subdivisions: Fairview Meadows, Oakwood Estates, Sycamore Place, The Oaks of Fairview and Tranquility Farms. **Streets:** Ashwood Ln, Barksdale, Beechwood Ln, Bending Oak Trl, Briardale, Chamberlain Pl, Country Trl, Deer Path, Dewberry Ln, Elk Ridge, Elmbrook Dr, Englenook Ct, Ethel Marie, Foxdale, Foxglove Trl, Hart Rd, Irene, Lost Creek Trl, Louise, Oak Bluff, Oakmont Ct, Oakwood Trl, Parkdale Dr, Patrician Ct, Quail Rise, Saint James Ct, Saint James Dr, Sloan Crossing, Stoddard Rd, Tranquility Dr, Willow Ct and Country Club (E of RR tracks/ W of Englenook Ct).

Week 4

Subdivisions: Ascot Heath, Country Club Estates, Countryside, Fairview Ranch Estates, Fox Glen, Montecito Estates, Pauls Park, Red Oak Ranch, Stone Creek Estates, Wellington Park Estates, Willow Point Estates, Woods of Ascot Heath and Wynford Chace. **Streets:** Arroyo Blanco, Berkshire Way, Camino Real, Chamberlain Pl, Circle in the Woods, Collinwood Dr, Cottonwood Pl, Dover Ct, Elm Creek Dr, Farmstead St, Hackberry Dr, Hampton Ct, Hart Ct, Hart Rd, Home Pl, Kempton Park Ln, Lakewood Dr, Maple Ln, Maple Creek Dr, Maverick Ct, Meandro Ria, Old Stacy Rd, Pecan Dr, Red Oak Trl, Redbud Ln, Rowley Mile, Sharon Rd, Stallion Dr, Stonecreek Dr, Three Oaks Dr, Timber Ln, Wood Crest Cir, Wynford Ct, Young Trl, Stacy Rd (E of Oakwood Trl/W of Country Club) and Country Club (N of Summerhill Ln/W of Englenook Ct).



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We Hope You Are Enjoying

The Fairview Town News

A monthly publication delivered to residents.



Check us out for all the current news about your community, schools, businesses and events happening around town.

A large photograph of a smiling couple, a man and a woman, sitting in a golf cart. The man is wearing a light blue polo shirt and a grey visor, while the woman is wearing a pink polo shirt and a white visor. They are both looking towards the camera. In the background, there are golf clubs and a golf bag.A small inset photograph showing a lush green golf course with a sand trap and trees in the background.A small inset photograph showing a golf cart driving across a wooden bridge over a stream.The logo for Heritage Ranch Golf & Country Club, featuring a silhouette of a golfer in mid-swing within an oval frame, with the text "HERITAGE RANCH" and "Golf & Country Club" below it.

*A Great Mother's Day Champagne Brunch
is Just the Beginning...*

Mother's Day Brunch Sunday, May 14th

Two Brunch Seatings: 11:00 am & 1:30 pm

Adults \$31.95 ++

Children 5-12 \$13.95++

Children under 4 Free

Golf Special

Mothers or Future Mothers who are residents of Heritage Ranch or Ranch Club Members Play 18 Holes Free

Mothers or Future Mothers that live outside Heritage Ranch Play 18 Holes for \$20.00 + tax • Men Play 18 Holes for \$51.00 + tax

Call For Reservations: 972-886-4700

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