



Waterwood Neighborhood News

106 on 7/31/11



At 4:45 PM, on Sunday, July 31, 2011, the thermometer on the gazebo at Bay Hill and Pine Valley Drive read **106.3 degrees**. Waterwood has not had any measureable rain since June.

Those Waterwoodian who don't live on the water probably haven't noticed, but the lake has dropped over 20 inches so far this summer. Since a great deal of Lake Livingston's water source comes from the Dallas/Ft. Worth area, and they have not had any rain in July, we are in serious trouble about the amount of water in our Lake.

In early July, information about the lakes in Texas showed Lake Livingston as being the fullest of all. Within a month, we have a serious problem with our water supply. Lets hope this High Pressure system over Texas moves soon and lets us have some rain. We need a **RAIN DANCE**.

(See photos on Page 5)

STREET REPAIRS APPROVED

The WIA Board voted to approve a \$176,483.58 contract to stabilize and resurface La Jolla from the intersection of La Jolla and Latrobe North and East to the end of the street. Other small resurfacing projects throughout Waterwood are also included in the contract.



The contract was awarded to Hayden Paving, Inc. of Houston, Texas. The project will consist of cement stabilization of La Jolla by mixing Portland cement with existing asphalt and base material to a depth of 6 inches.

This material will be mixed together and relayed as the new base. Then the contractor will re-grade the stabilized material and compact it to 95% density. A 2 inch primer coat will be applied on the base material.

The project will pave approximately 95,280 square feet. The work is scheduled to start in August and should be finished in three weeks.

(See more photos on Page 6)

WNN "Happenings"

PLEASE NOTE: Summer is HERE!! Enough Said!!!



Be careful out there my friends. There are a lot of internet problems as far as emails are concerned. Some Waterwoodians have had their "Contacts" compromised. Attachments from your friends may be from someone else. You might want to confirm that your friend did indeed send you a legitimate attachment.



Folks, the **BURN BAN** is still in effect. Please do not start a fire, do not light you BBQ Pit, and watch those cigarette butts.

Congrats go out to Jan Goldsmith and her committee on the most recent Waterwood Blood Drive. They had 20 volunteers and had 17 successful donations. Jan said, "This is such a rewarding thing for our neighborhood. This Blood Drive saved fifty one lives."



More Congrats go out to Donnie Marshall, the VFD, and other volunteers who made our annual 4th of July Celebration successful. Thanks all those Waterwoodians and their guests who enjoyed the BBQ and Waterwood hospitality.

Our September WNN will cover those candidates running for the four open WIA Board of Director positions. Your vote counts! Please review the candidate's qualifications and vote for those people who will lead your Board.

Thanks for reading the WNN. We enjoy keeping you in the LOOP....

"May the best of 2010 be the worst of your 2011"

THE WNN IS PUBLISHED ON A MONTHLY BASIS. THE ARTICLES AND COMMENTS ARE WRITTEN TO INFORM AND ENTERTAIN THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE AND/OR OWN PROPERTY IN THE WATERWOOD COMMUNITY. IF YOU HAVE ANY COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT US. THANK YOUR FOR READING THE WNN.

John Shideler – Editor

4th Celebration Successful

The weather was “July Hot”! The annual Waterwood 4th of July celebration was held under the “Big Top” and was enjoyed by many Waterwoodians and their guests.



Boat Parade: 1st Place – Readal Family 2nd Place – Margaret Hancock 3rd Place – Earl & Carol McVay.

Because of the “Burn Ban”, we were not able to have fireworks after dark, but we still enjoyed Waterwoodian hospitality and good ole BBQ served by the WW VFD. The annual Boat Parade, Golf Cart Parade and 4th Costume Contest was held.



Cart Parade: 1st Place – Makyla Mitcham 2nd Place – Curren Family 3rd Place – Al Goldsmith.



The winners were awarded their trophies right after the competition ended. The winners are:



Costume Contest: 1st Place – Riley Curren 2nd Place – Carol McVay

(See more photos on Pages 7 & 8)

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Waterwood Women's League

The ladies of the Waterwood Women's League have been hard at work this Summer planning the meetings and events for the 2011-2012 calendar. Our next meeting will be September 14th at the McCardle Cottage B&B in Livingston.

We are welcoming new members from Waterwood and the surrounding communities.

The purpose of the Waterwood Women's League is to:

- get to meet ladies in Waterwood and surrounding areas
- support local Scholarship Funds
- support other charitable endeavors in the area such as Care Share and Backpack Buddies

Waterwood Women's League, which has been in existence since 1976, is a great way to give back to the community.

For more information

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DRY & HOT



Biggers' Deer



Water Level is Down



Dry, Hot & Lack of Care



Only the Ants are Out



Street Side Growth



Sprinkler Line

La Jolla Needs Help



Waterwoodians Enjoying the 4th



BOATS AND CARTS

