

AUGUST 2013 VOLUME 9, ISSUE 8

Calendar

August 9-11 - Tax Free Weekend

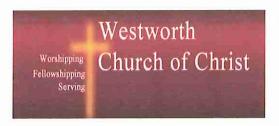
August 13 - Community Luncheon Noon-1pm Payment Windows Closed for Lunch

August 13 - 6pm Finance Committee Meeting

August 13 - 7pm Council Meeting. Pre-Council preceding

August 27 - 7pm Public Meeting for parks

Lunch Guest Speaker Sharing Center



Perrotti's Pizza and Subs will cater Salad, Pizza, and Sub Sandwiches



Please bring your favorite dessert. Sponsored by the Crime Control and

BURTON HILL ELEMENTARY OPENS FOR SCHOOL

As the school year approaches, please be aware of children walking to school and crossing the streets. The school zone on Burton Hill Road is 20mph. Flashing light signals will remind you to slow down.

Principal Duran and Mr. Rigley look forward to speing all the students.

Principal Dugan and Mr. Bigley look forward to seeing all the students and hope everyone had a safe and fun summer. The following dates are back-to-school events families should plan to attend:

August 6: New student registration - 8am to 3pm

August 20: Ice Cream / Meet and Greet - 5pm to 6:30pm (School supplies available to purchase)

August 27: First day of school. The building opens daily at 7:30am.

The school parking lot is for School Staff only. Drivers are asked to park on the right hand side, of the street, by the fence, in front of the school. For more information, please call the school at 817-815-1400.

NEW MINISTER IN WESTWORTH

Please welcome Westworth Church of Christ's new Minister, Nathan Keller, and his family to our community. They have relocated from Amarillo, Texas, and look forward to serving the community and their congregation. Church services are Sundays at 10:00am and 1:15pm.

BURTON HILL BAPTIST CHURCH BACK TO SCHOOL BASH

Saturday, August 24 1pm to 4pm Pre-K thru 5th grade

Burton Hill Baptist Church will hold their final summer celebration event for Pre-K through 5th grade students on Saturday, August 24th, with food, games, prizes and much more. For all other church events, please access www.burtonhill.org.

LIBRARY SUMMER READING LOGS

Children's Pop Open a Good Book Reading Logs need to be turned into Miss Rhonda by Friday, August 2nd. Drawing for prizes will be Saturday, August 3rd at 11:00am. Children and parents are welcome to attend the drawing.

Phone: 817-710-2500 www.cityofwestworth.com Fax: 817-710-2501

CITY PARK MEETING

Tuesday, August 27 at 7:00pm

The City of Westworth Village is looking into the possibility of developing a parks program including hike and bike trails joining with the Tarrant Regional Water District (TRWD) trail system along the river. We have hired a consultant to more fully investigate potential parks in the City. As part of the process, we have scheduled a community meeting to receive input from our citizens. We encourage you to attend and give your input concerning the type of parks you would like to see developed. Community input is a very important part of the process and we hope to see you there.

SALES TAX HOLIDAY/TAX FREE WEEKEND

Shoppers get a break from state and local sales taxes on August 9, 10, and 11. The law exempts sales taxes on most clothing, footwear, school supplies and backpacks priced under \$100. For more information, access www.window.state.tx.us/taxinfo/taxpubs/tx98 490/tx 490.html.

LIBRARY INFORMATION

A Westworth Village Library card can be used to check out any item at the following surrounding libraries:

Alvarado

Justin

Mineral Wells

Saginaw

Aubrey

Kennedale

North Richland Hills

Sanger

Bridgeport Decatur Krum Lake Dallas Ponder Roanoke

Access our Library webpage at http://www.cityofwestworth.com/library and search online to find what you need. Deliveries are scheduled every Tuesday and Thursday evenings. If you need assistance, please call Rhonda Tuesday through Friday at 817-738-2248, and Pam on Saturdays.

REMINDERS:

- Please complete the **Parks and Trails Survey** available on the City's website. If you do not have a home computer, you may use the public computer at the Library or complete a printed one available at the Library or City Hall. Printed forms must be submitted to the City Secretary. Your input is essential.
- Applications for **Smoke Detector** installation and home safety inspections are available online or at City Hall. Submit completed forms to the City Secretary. For more information, please contact the Fire Chief at 817-738-1708.
- The Tarrant Regional Water District (TRWD) enacted **Stage 1 Water Restrictions** on June 3rd. The City is actively enforcing these restrictions to ensure water availability for all citizens. Westworth Village Code of Ordinance Article 13.07.032 prohibits irrigation by underground or portable sprinkler systems on any day between 10am and 6pm. The Stage 1 watering schedule is as follows:

Monday

No watering allowed

Tuesday & Friday

Non-residential sites (apartments, businesses, etc.)

Wednesday & Saturday

Residential addresses ending in 0, 2, 4, 6, 8

Thursday & Sunday

Residential addresses ending in 1, 3, 5, 7, 9

HOW TO AVOID HEAT STRESS

There are two types of heat illnesses. If you notice someone with any of the following symptoms, please seek immediate help.

Heat Exhaustion: dizziness, headache, weakness, cramps, vomiting **Heat Stroke:** red, hot, or dry skin, confusion, convulsions, fainting

Drink water often, rest in the shade, report heat symptoms early, and know what to do in an emergency. If you have further questions, call the Fire Department at 817-738-1708.