



**Westworth Village**  
The Hidden Jewel of the Metroplex.

# Westworth Village *News*

**JULY 2016**

## Calendar

**July 4** - Independence Day Holiday  
*Administrative Office Closed*

**July 12** - Community Luncheon  
Noon-1pm  
*Payment Windows Closed for Lunch*

**July 12** - 6pm Finance Committee Meeting

**July 12** - 7pm City Council Meeting.  
Pre-Council preceding.

## Guest Speaker

**Fort Worth Fire Department  
Assistant Chief Tim Hatch**



**Coburn's will cater Pork tenderloin, new potatoes, squash medley, salad, roll, Banana cake, and tea.**



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

## INDEPENDENCE DAY

Administrative offices will be closed on Monday, July 4th, to celebrate and honor our Nation's freedom. We remember the sacrifices our men and women have made and continue to make. Give thanks, celebrate, enjoy, and be safe. Fireworks are illegal in the Village. Check surrounding cities for display schedules.



## GRASS CLIPPINGS AND WEEDS

The City would like to remind citizens of the importance of maintaining their yards. Please do not sweep any clippings down the storm drains. Being proactive helps continue our effort to keep our city beautiful and clean. If you have questions regarding the Code of Ordinances, contact Nader Jeri at 817-710-2578.

## PROGRESSIVE WASTE HAS MERGED

Effective June 1<sup>st</sup>, Progressive Waste Solutions merged with and has been renamed Waste Connections. There will not be any changes to services or cost to our residents. Residents will continue to receive trash pick-up on Wednesdays and Saturdays, as well as recycling pick-up on Wednesdays. Recyclable items include metal cans, glass, paper, and plastic. If you have any questions, contact the Water Department at 817-710-2506.

## SUMMER FUN AT THE LIBRARY

There is still time to sign up and participate in our Summer Reading and Bedtime Math Programs.

Elementary Age Students: Building with GoldiBlox, Tuesdays at 3pm.

Teens: Cardboard Guitars, Tuesday, July 26, at 5pm.

Preschool Storytime, Fridays at 10:30am.

Elementary Read Aloud Lunch, Fridays at 1:30pm.

## **RAINFALL AND MOSQUITOS**

Mosquito populations are at their highest during rainy and warm months. May was officially the wettest month in Texas history. Help discourage breeding by eliminating standing water around houses, in backyards, gutters, and ditches. Use mosquito dunks in ponds and bird baths. If you have wet ground or grass, crumble a small piece into powder, and scatter it over the wet spot. This product is harmless to humans, animals, fish, and frogs. If you already have larvae, you must use mosquito bits to kill them. These products are sold at your local hardware stores.

## **WESTWORTH VILLAGE CELEBRATES 75 YEARS**



The City of Westworth Village will celebrate 75 years of Independent incorporation this year! The planning committee is hard at work putting together a series of events to showcase the past, present, and future of Westworth Village. Please contact Samantha Milligan at 817-710-2535 with ideas for the 'time capsule' or to volunteer. Mark your calendar for the events listed below:

### **Tuesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>**

#### **8:00 am – Golf Tournament at Hawks Creek Golf Course**

This event will highlight the role Carswell Air Force Base played in our past and provide a present day look at our beautiful golf course. In addition, the future will be on display with demonstrations of the latest golf technology.

### **Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup>**

#### **7:00 am – Fun Run**

Anytime Fitness will sponsor this event, which showcases the City's natural landscape, amazing waterfall, and possibly a peek at future developments. While the route has not been finalized, it will take place along the TRWD trail system and potentially wind through a few neighborhoods, incorporating the new walking and biking trails. The 5K Participant Registration is \$30. The 1K Participant Registration is \$20. Vendor Registration is \$100. Payment must be made by credit card or via a PayPal account. Access the City's website to register.

#### **2:00 pm – Car Show**

Take a walk through time in the evolution of transportation. This event will take place in the Sam's/Walmart parking lot and is sure to draw a crowd.

#### **5:00 pm – An Evening on the River - Block Party**

Bring your lawn chairs, pack a picnic or purchase dinner from one of the food vendors we are working to secure, and enjoy some great fun on the bank of the Trinity River behind Burton Hill Elementary School. We are planning for live music, entertainment, and several children's events hosted by the YMCA. We will cap-off the evening with a live fireworks show.

### **Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup> Time Capsule Sealed and Buried**

On this date in 1941, the City was named Westworth Village. The committee is accepting ideas for items to be included in the time capsule that will be buried on City property, to be opened in 25 years - on December 16, 2041, our 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary! The capsule will include photos and other items collected, as well as sponsorship information from the September 2016 events.

Updates will be posted to our city website and monthly newsletters.