



Westworth Village

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Westworth Village News

January 2018

Calendar

January 1

- New Years Day—City Hall will be Closed

January 4

- Library After School Program—Adulting 101: Money Basics—3:30-4:30 PM

January 9

- Community Luncheon - Noon
- City Council Meeting - 7:00 pm

January 11

- Library After School Program—STEAM: Science—3:30-4:30 PM

January 15

- Martin Luther King Day—City Hall will be Closed

January 18

- Library After School Program—Games Club: Game of Life—3:30-4:30 PM

Luncheon Guest

Courtney Jackson

Westworth Village Librarian

Catered by:



Please bring your favorite dessert.

Sponsored by the Crime Control and Prevention District

May 5th, 2018 General Election

The City will hold a General Election on Saturday, May 5, 2018. If you are interested in a City Council position, applications are available in the City Secretary's office. The first day applications can be accepted is Wednesday, January 17. The filing deadline for candidates is on Friday, February 16, by 5:00pm. Contact Brandy Barrett for further information at 817-710-2526.

Managing Polluted Water Runoff

Households can prevent polluted runoff by picking up after pets and using, storing, and disposing of chemicals properly. Drivers should check their cars for leaks and recycle their motor oil and antifreeze when these fluids are changed. Drivers can also avoid impacts from car wash runoff such as detergents, grime, etc. by using car wash facilities that do not generate runoff. For more information, visit the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency online at www.epa.gov/nps.

Recycled Christmas Trees

Waste Connections will help recycle your used Christmas trees. Just place your tree on your curb after the holidays. Pick up will be on Saturdays along with your regular trash.

Hazardous Mitigation Action Plan

Westworth Village is part of the Tarrant County Hazardous Mitigation Action Plan (HazMAP), managed by NCTCOG. In order to stay compliant and be eligible to receive funds in the case of a disaster, the plan must be periodically updated. An important part of updating the plan is identifying risks within our community. Please fill out the survey that we have included with the newsletter this month and return it with your water payment on/ or before the end of the January. If you have any questions, please contact Brandy Barrett at 817-710-2526 or bbarrett@cityofwestworth.com

Water Rate Increase

Ordinance 424 was passed December 12 at the council meeting. The new water rates will take effect January 1, 2018.

WATER

- Residential customers shall be charged for domestic water at the new rate of \$7.50 per month, plus \$3.15 for 100 cubic feet of water used up to 2000 cubic feet of water used, and \$3.69 for each 100 cubic feet of water used in excess of 2000 cubic feet.
- Commercial customers shall be charged for domestic water at the new rate of \$15 per month plus \$4.29 per 100 cubic feet of water used.
- Irrigation water customers shall be charged at the new rate of \$4.50 per month plus:
 - \$3.19 per 100 cubic feet for the first 2000 cubic feet of water used;
 - \$3.54 per 100 cubic feet for the next 3000 cubic feet
 - \$4.37 per 100 cubic feet for all water used in excess of the foregoing

SEWER

- Sewer rates shall be charged \$15 minimum per month up to and including 200 cubic feet of water used, plus \$4.42 for each additional 100 cubic feet,
- Sewer rates for all customers other than single family residential are \$20 per month plus \$6.20 per 100 cubic feet of water used.

For more information, contact the Water Department.

Library After School Programs



Adulting 101: Money Basics

Learn how to spend, save, and follow a budget.

Thursday, January 4th
3:30-4:30 PM

STEAM: Science

Join us as we make fun science experiments and crafts.

Thursday, January 11th
3:30-4:30 PM

Games Club: Game of Life

Can you win the game of life?

Thursday, January 18th
3:30-4:30 PM

Best for ages 7-13, no registration required

All After School Programs Held at the Library
311 Burton Hill Rd, Bldg. B—Behind City Hall

Grease is a Hazard to Our Health



Residents should never dispose of cooking grease or cooking oils by washing them down the plumbing system or the storm drain. Oils pollute our streams and creeks by forming a film on the water surface and preventing oxygenation for aquatic life. Polluted water runoff can lead to severe State and Federal fines. Another hazard of improper grease disposal is that it can cause sewer pipes to back up, causing food and sewage particles to accumulate and create a health hazard by attracting insects and vermin. Soak up leftover amounts of cooking oil with a paper towel and throw it in the trash, filter and freeze to reuse for another meal, or recycle cooking oil by calling the Fort Worth Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center at 817-871-5257.

For more information, visit: www.ceasethegreasentx.com