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## City Hall News Matthew Smith, City Manager



classes out of the building that, up until this time, has been referred to as "the old Albertson's."

Renamed Alamo University Center, the campus is a collaborative effort between the Alamo Colleges and five local universities—St. Mary's University, Texas A&M University-San Antonio, Texas State University, the University of the Incarnate Word and Wayland Baptist University. These partnering universities will offer more than 20 programs of study, intended to provide the residents of the Alamo Colleges service area convenient access to bachelor's degree programs that complement associate's degrees offered by the Alamo Colleges, beginning this fall. In addition, students will have access to master's degree programs to help residents advance in their careers and to help meet the workforce needs of employers located in the entire region. The City applauds the Alamo Colleges for bringing such an outstanding educational opportunity to our region.

### The New Alamo University Center

July the 28th was a remarkable day for the City of Live Oak, but, with all the excitement of daily life, events like this sometimes go without notice. Many of you are aware Alamo Colleges purchased the building at 8300 Pat Booker and opened it as an annex to their Northeast Lakeview Campus to start the accreditation process while the campus was being built. With their main campus being fully functional, they have entered into a partnership with five universities to occupy and provide

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Live Oak Civic Center 8101 Pat Booker Road (210) 653-9494 FAX: (210) 653-0158



The Live Oak Civic Center located near the intersection of Interstate 35 and Loop 1604, is the premier meeting facility in northeast Bexar County. It is the focal point for hundreds of yearly shows, such as arts and crafts, antiques, computers, various trade shows, along with business seminars and wedding receptions.

For a schedule of upcoming events and rental information, visit the Civic Center section of the City Web Site, or contact staff at the numbers listed above.

#### OFFICIAL MEETINGS

- City Council meetings: 2nd and last Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM
- Parks & Recreation Commission meetings: 1st Monday of each month at 7:00 PM. unless the first Monday is a holiday, then the meeting will be held on the 2nd Monday of the month
- Board of Adjustment meetings: held as necessary.
- Economic Development Corporation meetings: held as necessary.
- Planning & Zoning Commission meetings: held as necessary.

#### FUTURE EVENTS

- Labor Day Holiday September 6th, 2010 (City Offices Closed)
  End of the Season Pool Party
  September 6, 2010
- Day of Remembrance Ceremony September 11, 2010
- Fire Prevention Week October 3 – 9, 2010
- National Night Out October 5, 2010
- Safe Halloween October 31, 2010

September National Preparedness Month

**October National Crime Prevention Month** 

October National Domestic Violence Awareness Month

#### MINUTE WITH THE MAYOR

Mary M. Dennis

Greetings Dear Citizens of Live Oak,

As we ease into these last, lazy days of summer and another term of school starting, I look forward to my service to you as Mayor. I am excited about meeting each of you, and hearing your concerns and comments regarding the City of Live Oak. Please know that I am available by email at <u>yourmayormary@yahoo.com</u> or can be reached through City Hall. City Council meetings are held the second and last Tuesdays of each month, and I invite you to attend to participate in the process that is our City government. These first few weeks have been filled with getting acquainted with City staff, and we are very fortunate to have such sincere and dedicated employees working for the City.

In the short time since becoming your Mayor, I have had the pleasure of interacting with citizens in a variety of settings and activities. I had lunch with the Seniors of Live Oak (SOLO), an active group of seasoned citizens who meet once a month for activities and games, and I urge those of you at this stage of life to become involved with this fun group. I had a chance to visit the Live Oak pool, and watched how especially the kids enjoy this facility for a majority of the summer. I have spent time with many residents who meet and use our city park facilities. I also had the pleasure of being a part of the Randolph Air Force Base's change of command ceremony, and I am proud to participate in this great military community.

In closing, I would like to say I am humbled by your confidence, and look forward to our working together to make Live Oak a great place to work, play, and shop.

#### KNOW YOUR FLOOD RISK Scott Wayman, Assistant City Manager

We are fortunate to have an abundance of rainfall this year, which brings to mind that the State of Texas leads the nation in flood-related fatalities. The first step in preventing flood-related fatalities and the damages caused by flooding is to know your flood risk.



In 2004 Live Oak joined The Bexar Regional Watershed Management (BRWM) partners—Bexar County, the City of San Antonio, the San Antonio River Authority, and 20 suburban cities in Bexar County, and undertook a comprehensive effort to update Bexar County's flood risk maps. In addition to converting the maps to a digital format, the BRWM updated flood studies and re-mapped many areas of the floodplain that had not been mapped since the 1970's.

Live Oak and other governmental bodies have been given six months to approve the newly updated maps, and Live Oak has already updated our existing flood ordinance. If you haven't done so, please log on to <u>www.bexarfloodfacts.org</u>, and check the new flood maps to determine how their changes may impact your property. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Scott Wayman at 653-9140, ext. 261.



The summer was another very successful time for the police department in achieving certain initiatives. The department once again held a very successful summer youth program. Officers and the department's college intern kept many of Live Oak youths active with games and activities at Crestview Elementary. Depending on the day, officers entertained as few as 30 and sometimes more than 70 children at a time in this program.

The police department graduated Class 2010 of the Live Oak Police Department's Citizen's Police Academy. The very enthusiastic group of graduates was put through some interesting, interactive programs and scenarios to give them a better understanding of the role police plays in the community. The Citizen's Police Academy culminated with an awards ceremony on the night of August 12, 2010, at the Live Oak Justice Center. Plans are already underway for Class 2011. If you are interested in attending, please contact the police department for an application.

As a result of the Citizen's Police Academy, a renewed interest in volunteerism has surfaced in the city. The police department is in the process of developing a Live Oak citizen police volunteer corps. The department believes having a structured volunteer program will enhance the existing services it provides to the community.

The police department also launched an internal newsletter dubbed The Blotter. It is on the City's website under the Police Department page. It gives a behind-the-scene glimpse of what is going on at the police department. It also serves to illustrate the many good things the men and women of your police department do for the betterment of the department and the City.

The police department continues to look for ways to enhance the crime prevention initiatives available to our citizenry. We encourage you to take full advantage of the services we have to offer. For more information about how we can serve you better or if you are interested in attending the citizens police academy, please call Sergeant Jesse Barela at 945-1705 or e-mail jbarela@liveoaktx.net.



For more information about advertising in our publication contact *Kelly Smith* at 210.602.4132.

#### ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Carol Buttler, Manager of Economic & Community Development

Article by Scott Wayman, Assistant City Manager

#### GETTING TO KNOW OUR BUSINESS COMMUNITY

#### **Hometown Photographers**

#### Scott Wayman

Although I was only seven years old, I can still remember my second grade teacher propping me up in front of the photographer and whispering those words that have stuck with me all these years, "Don't break the camera." For many of us, school pictures are the only brush we will have with a professional photographer. Live Oak is fortunate to have several skilled photographers in the city and with the celebration of the City's 50th Birthday, many of them have surfaced to provide photos and offer their services to make our celebration successful. To show our appreciation, we chose to provide an article dedicated to exploring these home-based entrepreneurs, and allow them to share a little information from their camera bag of tricks.

#### Meet: Jordan Palmer

Photography Live Oak Resident www.jordanpalmerblog.com

Photography was the dream of Jordan Palmer, who grew up in Live Oak and got into photography because she wanted to make a

living doing something she loved. Photography enables her to be creative and document the "happy part" of people's lives. Her interests were sparked at an early age when her father and former Councilmember, Bobby Palmer, showed her his vintage camera, and she started taking photographs as a hobby. With several San Antonio art shows to add to her experience and a month-long exhibition at Amarillo College's "Southern Lights Gallery," Jordan studied art at the Southwest School of Arts and Craft. In addition to photographing portraits and weddings, she has been doing assignments for the Northeast Herald newspaper, where she has been granted several front-page shots.

When asked, she will tell you her greatest challenge was breaking into the photography industry, and says that marketing and getting her name into the profession is no easy task. Anyone who has seen her work will agree she takes very soulful and dynamic photos, and she claims the trick is to blend personal style into the photo shoots as much as possible, stating, "I love to make colors vibrant and fresh." Jordan can be reached at <u>www.jordanpalmerblog.com</u>. Meet: It's All About You Photography Live Oak Resident 323-5254 photographtexas@yahoo.com

Michael Baker is developing his photography career in conjunction with a mechanic's schedule,



working 60 hours a week at his regular job as a Certified Master Automotive Technician. Michael discovered his talent on a family trip to Disney World, when his mother commented on the creativity of some of the pictures he had taken with a point and shoot camera. She urged him to save up for a digital single lens camera, and he has been exploring his talents ever since.

Not having a studio, Michael feels as though his work is unique in that he uses what God has given us, and incorporates nature into his photos. Michael arranges to meet clients at locations of their choosing so they have the memory of the location as well as the portraits. He has even traveled as far as Port Aransas to take some family photos. "It's what the customer wants, and NOT what I want that matters to me." Michael can be reached at <u>photographtexas@</u> yahoo.com or 323-5254.

#### Meet: Front Page Photography

Live Oak Resident 945-9445 frontpagephotography@msn.com



Rick Page's interest in photography dates back to Kodak Instamatic Cameras. He jokingly refers to them as the "camera with the flash cube on

top." Even though most of his photographs are taken from his studio in Converse, a majority of the production takes place in his home in Live Oak. His interest when starting Front Page Photography was to open a studio with "flavor" that was not offered in the area.

Some of the challenges he mentions relate to opening a "full service" studio. He states, "It's not just holding a camera, its marketing, servicing your customers, having the right backdrops, props, themes and many last-second scenarios that happen unexpectedly." Rick claims the trick to getting good pictures is to stay positive and relax, and this always is reflected in his work. Rick can be reached at frontpagephotography@msn.com or 945-9445.

#### Meet: The Live Oak Village

Garden Club Shirley Cook, President 626-2275 Sandra Little, Vice President 375-3978 JoAnna Wheeler, Secretary 655-1036



Next year the Live Oak Village Garden Club will celebrate its 30th anniversary! The Garden Club was established on March 16, 1981 and federated on September 1, 1981. It is a member of the National Garden Clubs, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri, South Central Region of the National Garden Club; Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., Ft. Worth, Texas, District VII, East Zone of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc.; and the San Antonio Garden Center, Inc., San Antonio, Texas.





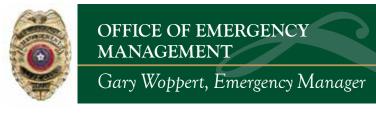
The Garden Club's orientation and activities are often combined with the national, state and local main organizations of gardeners, but their love is the neighborhoods in which they live. Most, though not all, of the members reside in Live Oak. Membership is not limited to Live Oak residents. New members who want to share their love of gardening and community are constantly being recruited. Their desire to beautify the land and educate people to appreciate the area, preserve and protect its natural species, and variety is paramount.

Over the past several years, the Garden Club has worked to transform a former roadbed into the Xeriscape Garden at the corner of Sage Oak Drive and Toepperwein Road within Live Oak proper. Their goal is to educate the citizens and make Live Oak a shining star in preservation and xeric education. It has been a true labor of love and at times one of sheer endurance. The City is a partner in its upkeep and assists with miscellaneous jobs.

The Garden's location makes it a focal point for those entering the city via Toepperwein and Judson Roads. It is also near the hospital and attracts visitors from there as well. They hope to make the Garden a refuge for those who may need a restful, welcome break from the hospital scene. Nature is a sure cure for stress and a spirit elevator.

To make the Garden better they often need to rework the beds. To do this requires lots of people, time and money. The chief sources of fund raising are the spring and fall plant sales. The weather has been particularly harsh the past year, and there is much work to be done. This fall, the Club will be adding some handcrafted items to their sale in hopes of raising more funds than usual, so, they can add some wonderful new features to the Garden.

Feel free to contact the Live Oak Village Garden Club and join their group. They meet at the Live Oak Youth Building, behind the Live Oak Pool on Eagle Scout Drive. At present, the meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. They are always welcoming and working together and love to share the joy of gardening and community.



#### NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS MONTH

The month of September is "National Preparedness Month," and this year a slogan has been added to promote this important issue. The slogan selected is simply "Plan Now, Work Together, Be Ready." Families should sit down and prepare a disaster plan together, especially if there are young children or family members who have special needs. Once you have created a plan you need to be ready! Have a practice session to make sure everything is upto-date, especially telephone numbers and contacts. For additional information visit one of the following websites: The national site is <u>www.ready.gov</u> and locally, <u>www.readysouthtexas.gov</u> or you can also visit the Emergency Management Section of the City's website or contact Gary Woppert, Emergency Management Coordinator, at 653-9140, ext. 379, via e-mail at <u>gwoppert@liveoaktx.net</u>, or stop by the office in the fire station during normal business hours.

#### IS YOUR HOME DISASTER PROOF

Have you ever thought how disaster proof your home is? There are steps to make your home safer.

Disaster proofing your home generally begins with a little bit of upkeep, maintenance, and some common sense. During a severe thunderstorm with high winds, major roof damage can occur if the wind is able to get under a bunch of loose shingles. That old patio cover could come apart, and the pieces could cause further damage to your home or your neighbor's. Tree limbs and even old trees that are diseased can suddenly fall on your home or your neighbor's, and may cause severe damage to the structure.

Finally, most people have numerous items around their homes like outdoor furniture, grills, toys, and plants in pots or hanging baskets. In the event of a severe storm with high winds, some of these items could become flying debris, and break a window in your home or cause other damage. The bottom line is making sure all of these items around your home are secure. If your hanging plants tend to blow around in the wind, it may be a good idea to either move them or take them down when severe weather is threatening.

In closing, it may be impossible to "Disaster Proof" your home, but you certainly can take a few steps to make it a little bit safer for yourself and possibly your neighbors.



#### PUBLIC WORKS

Cathi Piotrowski, Public Works Secretary

#### POOL PARTY

Mark your calendar for the Labor Day Luau on Monday, September 6th. Join us for some fun in the sun! There will be refreshments, music, and some exciting giveaways from 3:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Regular admission fee of \$2 applies, except for season pass holders.

#### MOVIE IN THE PARK

OVER THE HEDGE, now showing in Live Oak! Our first Movie in the Park will be on Saturday, September 11th at 8:00 p.m. Come at 7:00 p.m. with your blanket or chair for movie trivia and entertainment as well as concessions provided by the Jaguars.

#### SAFE HALLOWEEN

Don't miss the Safe Halloween event at our new location in the Live Oak City Main Park. The event kicks off on October 31st. Games for children ages 4 years and under are from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.; 5 years and older, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.; and the costume contest starts at 6:30 p.m. The haunted hayride will give you a spook from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.! If you would like to volunteer to assist with this event, please

contact Courtney Weese at 653-9140, ext. 235.

#### SENIOR PROGRAMS

Senior exercise classes will be held on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month, beginning September 24th. Classes will be held in the Youth Building from 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m., and we will explore a variety of activities such as yoga, Pilates, low impact aerobics, line dancing, weight training, and much more!

Mark your calendar for exciting senior trips coming up! On Friday, September 10th, we will journey to San Marcos to the outlet malls in search of some great bargains! On Tuesday, October 19th, we will visit the Love Creek Orchard in Medina, eating lunch at their famous café known for their delicious apple products.

For questions regarding any of the above mentioned programs, please contact Courtney at 653-9140, ext. 235.

#### PROTECT OUR WATER SOURCE

Did you know the storm drains in our City flow to our City Lake and wetland areas, and not a waste facility? Many people are unaware that grass clippings, used motor oil, and other waste products dumped into storm drains or streets pollute lakes and water sources. Our storm drainage system is designed to direct the flow of excess water from our streets and properties during rainy weather. This water is not filtered, and, although our drains do have grates that keep out some of the larger debris, small debris is allowed to go through and flows into the system.

Some towns have special reminders like "If You Dump It, You Drink It", "The Drain is Just For Rain", and "Don't Feed the Storm Drain" to help their citizens to remember not to wash pesticides, soapy water, motor oil and other household chemicals near or into the storm drains.

What can you do help the situation and be part of the solution?

- Never dump anything near or into a storm drain or drainage channel, including grass clippings.
- Use fertilizers and pesticides only when fewer toxic methods have failed. Read and follow the directions on the label for use, cleanup, and disposal.
- Clean up after your pets, disposing of pet feces in a plastic bag in your trashcan and not leaving it on the lawn.
- Recycle your motor oil and other disposal products. Many automotive supply stores and oil changing companies offer this service.

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#### WATER SAVING TIPS FOR YOUR HOME

Repair leaking faucets, nozzles, pipes, and toilets. When you do have to water your lawn and garden, do so in the evening or early morning. Use mulch around plants and shrubs to help retain moisture. Sweep clippings and leaves instead of using the hose. Obey all



water bans and regulations. The Live Oak and San Antonio area has been very fortunate this year with our amount of rainfall.

#### PET OWNERS

Two of the major challenges presented to today's Animal Control Officers are pet overpopulation and increased integration of wild animals into suburban communities.



Both issues are becoming more difficult to manage as the numbers in both areas continue to rise. Many animal shelters run at capacity trying to keep up with the influx of stray dogs and cats. Wild animals are losing their habitats to new residential, business, and educational development projects. Live Oak is no exception to these unfortunate trends, and the real solution rests with the pet owners within the community.

Every pet owner can help with the overpopulation issue by having their pet spayed or neutered. This will reduce unwanted litters, strays, and prevent possible future health issues. You can also help with the wildlife problem by not leaving dog or cat food outside.

The threat of rabies increases with the rise in the suburban wildlife population. All pet owners must insure their pets are properly vaccinated against rabies. All pet owners are also required to obtain a city pet license. Live Oak recognizes both 1-year and 3-year rabies vaccinations. Just bring in the certificate of rabies vaccination to City Hall or the Animal Control Facility. Thank you for being a responsible pet owner.



#### LIVE OAK FIRE DEPARTMENT Gerry Galindo, Assistant Fire Chief

Join the fire department, near the flag pole, in front of the fire department, on Saturday, September 11th at 8:55 a.m. as they remember the victims of 9/11.

The members of the Live Oak Fire Department are gearing up for Fire Prevention Week 2010, which will be observed October 3rd through the 9th. This year's theme, "Smoke Alarms: a Sound You Can Live With," will be our focus for 2010. Please visit the City's website at the Fire Department page for updates and further information as it becomes available.

Please join us for the parade that always concludes Fire Prevention Week in Live Oak on Saturday, October 9, 2010, at 2:00 p.m. The Parade will form at the hospital parking lot on Toepperwein Road and begin the trek to the Live Oak Fire Station at 2:00 p.m. sharp. The Parade will:

- Exit from the parking lot onto Toepperwein Road and turn left at Village Oak Dr.
- Continue down Village Oak Dr. to Lone Shadow Trail.
- Turn right onto Lone Shadow Trail and proceed down to Old Spanish Trail.
- Turn left onto Old Spanish Trail and proceed down to Shin Oak Dr.
- Turn right onto Shin Oak Dr. and proceed through the review stand in front of the pool to end at the Live Oak Fire Station. Hope to see ya there.



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## NORTH EAST ISD HELPS YOU PREPARE FOR ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL SCHOOL YEAR



North East ISD is currently educating more than 65,000 students. This number grows every year, which is one reason why we opened two new elementary schools in the fall of 2010. Tuscany Heights and Cibolo Green elementary schools will welcome hundreds of students—new and returning—to the North East family.

Preparing for the school year takes a lot of coordination from parents that often times brings up many questions. Visit the district's Web site (<u>www.neisd.net</u>) as well as your child's school Web site for information on office hours, registration and other general issues.

A new resource tool has also been created to assist families new to the district. "Welcome to North East ISD" is a 20-page informational booklet that provides information on topics such as curriculum, uniforms, transportation, school lunches and magnet programs. You can find this under our "Student/ Parent 411" section of the NEISD Web site at <a href="https://www.neisd.net/neisdinfo/WELCOMEBOOKLET.pdf">www.neisd.net/neisdinfo/WELCOMEBOOKLET.pdf</a>.

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| 5 Pool Open @<br>1:00 - 6:45 p.m. | 6 Labor Day<br>City Holiday<br>City Offices Closed<br>Pool Open @ 1:00 p.m.<br>Labor Day Pool Party<br>from 3:00 - 6:45 p.m. | 7 Farmers Market<br>Civic Center 9:00 a.m<br>2:00 p.m.  | 8   | 9<br>NE Partnership Lunch<br>@ Olympia Hills<br>11:30 a.m. | 10<br>Senior Citizens Trip<br>San Marcos Outlet Mall                         | 11<br>Day of Remembrance<br>Fire Dept 8:55 a.m.<br>Movie in the Park<br>7:00 p.m. Movie Starts<br>8:00 p.m. Movie Starts<br>"Over the Hedge" |
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| 3<br>Fire Prevention<br>Week                                      | 4 Parks & Recreation<br>Meeting 7:00 p.m. | 5 Farmers Market<br>Civic Center 9:00 a.m<br>2:00 p.m.<br>National Night Out<br>6:00 pm.   | 6   | 7   | 8<br>Senior Citizen Exercise<br>Class 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.<br>@ Youth Building  | 9<br>Fire Prevention<br>Parade 2:00 p.m. |
| 10  | 11  | 12 Farmers Market<br>Civic Center 9:00 a.m<br>2:00 p.m.<br>Chamber Luncheon @<br>Olympia Hills<br>11:30a.m.<br>City Council Meeting<br>7:00 p.m. | 13  | 14<br>NE Partnership Lunch<br>@ Olympia Hills<br>11:30 a.m. | 15   | 16                                       |
| 17  | 18  | 19 Farmers Market<br>Civic Center 9:00 a.m<br>2:00 p.m.<br>Senior Citizen Trip Love<br>Creek Orchard, Medina,<br>TX                              | 20  | 21<br>P&Z / BOA Meeting<br>(Tentative)                      | 22<br>Senior Citizen Exercise<br>Class 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.<br>@ Youth Building | 23                                       |
| 24  | 25  | 26 Farmers Market<br>Civic Center 9:00 a.m<br>2:00 p.m.<br>City Council Meeting<br>7:00 p.m.   | 27  | 28  | 29   | 30                                       |
| 31<br>Safe Halloween<br>Live Oak Main Park<br>Begins at 6:00 p.m. |   |  |     |   |  |  |

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Coming in September, the City will have welcome bags for new residents?

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