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FALL GARAGE SALE

**Saturday, September 21, 2013
8 AM to NOON**

Woodland Hills Bi-Annual Garage Sale will be held Saturday, September 21st, from 8:00 to Noon. It's a great time to get rid of all that extra stuff that you never use and make a couple of bucks. Don't forget for a successful garage sale

- Start collecting what you want to sell early
- Organize. Two or three days beforehand price and organize all of your merchandise
- Team up and delegate responsibilities between 2-3 people
- If your garage sale is hard to spot from the street, place a yard sale sign in front of your house so people know where to stop.
- Work the crowd. Position your chair so that you can easily spot people walking up and make sure you greet everyone. Saying a quick hello makes shoppers more comfortable about standing in your driveway.



YOUR INVITED!

Please come out for movie night on **October 12, 2013 at 6:30 P.M.** in Melrose Park. The Hamburger Man will be there cooking hamburgers and hotdogs for everyone.



Ian Andrup completed his Eagle Scout Project last August by installing pet waste collection stations that will dispense bags in Melrose Park. In addition to being unpleasant, pet waste harbors harmful bacteria and parasites that endanger local wildlife, pets, and humans. Therefore, his project will not only be promoting park cleanliness, but also be eliminating a serious health concern.

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D.O.G.S.

Every week a few dads in the neighborhood get up early, put on a white tee shirt with a logo of a dog wearing sun glasses on the front, and get to Heritage Elementary School by 7:15 A.M. The dads are D.O.G.S., Dads Of Great Students, volunteers who perform a variety of tasks including monitoring the school entrance, assisting with unloading and loading of buses and cars, monitoring the lunch room, and helping in the classroom by working with small groups of students on various tasks.

The Heritage Elementary School's D.O.G.S. program is a part of a bigger nationwide program. Today there are more than 2,811 active WATCH D.O.G.S. programs in 46 states. Initiated by the Center of Fathering, the goal of the program is to help every school in America be positively influenced by the committed involvement of fathers and father figures in the lives of their children and students.

For more information about the WATCHDOG program visit <http://www.fathers.com/watchdogs> and to volunteer for Heritage Elementary School's program the signup calendar is located in the school cafeteria and mandatory background checks that must be completed beforehand are provided at www.gcisd-k12.org or call the Attendance Office.

10 TIPS FOR YOUR CHILD'S SUCCESS IN SCHOOL

1. Enforce Healthy Habits
2. Stick to a Routine
3. Get Organized — find one place to put backpacks, lunch boxes, shoes, etc. to get them out to school on time
4. Designate a Homework Space
5. Read, Read, Read
6. Look for ways to incorporate learning in everyday life
7. Talk to Your Kids
8. Show Interest
9. Expect Success

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October 19: Sharkfest Austin Swim benefiting Colin's Hope. Volunteers needed.
November: Underwater Holiday Photos (multiple days and locations).
February 16: Austin Marathon. Runners, walkers, and water stop volunteers needed.

Be a Water Guardian and Watch Kids around Water. Drowning is preventable!

Thank you to all who supported our efforts this year to raise water safety awareness to prevent children from drowning!

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The city is seeking citizen input about the Colleyville Senior Center. Not a senior? That's okay, we still want to hear from you. The senior center is a city facility so we're seeking input from EVERYONE to help us provide a place for activities and programs that is best suited to the Colleyville community.

In addition to serving Colleyville's senior population, the center also houses most of the city's regular recreation programs offered through the Parks and Recreation Department. The best way to meet expectations is to ask what they are...so opinions are being sought as to activities, programs, days and hours of operation, etc. This survey will be available at Colleyville.com through Sept. 16. Survey forms are also available at the senior center, public library, and City Hall. For information, call 817.503.1195.

SURVEY PROCESS

This survey will be open until midnight on Monday, Sept. 16. Once we close the survey, we'll start tabulating the data and use it to help us proceed with formulating a plan for the future of the center. We hope to have a plan available for public review by early next spring.

If you would like to receive a copy of that plan, please provide your email address at the bottom of the survey. (All email addresses will be kept confidential and are not subject to open records requests.)

The survey takes approximately 5-7 minutes to complete. The input of our citizens is the most important information available to the city to inform decisions, allocate resources, and provide the services most needed and desired by the Colleyville community.

Please don't wait, at the time this publishing there won't be much time left! Thanks for participating!!

CONTACT US 817.503.1195

Colleyville Senior Center
2512 Glade Road
Colleyville, Texas 76034

Calendar of Events

- **September 13th 7:30 P.M.**
Colleyville Heritage High School vs. Flower Mound
- **September 17th 5:00 P.M.**
Heritage Elementary Spring Creek Family Night
- **September 21st 8-Noon**
WHHOA Fall Garage Sale
- **September 25th and 26th**
Heritage Elementary Early Dismissal K-5 at 11:45 A.M.
- **September 27th**
Heritage Elementary Kindergarten Twin Day
- **September 27th 7:30 P.M.**
Colleyville Heritage High School vs. Trinity
- **October 4th 7:30 P.M.**
Colleyville Heritage High School vs. Grapevine
- **October 11th 7:30 P.M.**
Colleyville Heritage High School vs. MacArthur
- **October 12th 6:30 P.M.**
WHHOA Movie Night in Melrose Park

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Average Price Per Sq.Ft. - \$120.72	Average Price Per Sq.Ft. - \$129.72	Average Price Per Sq.Ft. - \$124.62
Average Days on Market - 48	Average Days on Market - 8	Average Days on Market - 68

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Colleyville Public Library has celebrated the close of its 10th Annual Program. "It's the kids' time to celebrate the end of summer and it's sort of our last program before school starts," said Mary Rodne, Colleyville Library Director. The program, which started back in 2004, is a comprehensive schedule of age appropriate group activities, shows and entertainment. Children log what they read through the summer and earn prizes as they complete each level of reading. "The summer reading programs do get them excited," said Rodne. "It's all to make them life-long learners and make them interested in reading."

The program culminated in a bash at the end of July. Shutting down Main Street to make way for water slides, inflatable jump houses and a zip line. Kids spent the night partying to live music, arts and crafts, limbo and hula hoop contests and playing games while eating a lot of their favorite treats.

Colleyville Library's Fall Program is underway. Call the Library for more information or visit www.colleyvillelibrary.com.

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