

West Lake Hills

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

JULY, 2010

Join the Fifth Annual 4th of July Parade!

It's time to dust off your favorite patriotic finery and lace up your best walking shoes because our Fifth Annual 4th of July Parade is just around the corner! We'll once again be meeting in the parking lot of Treaty Oak Bank at the corner of Westlake Drive and Bee Cave Road at 8:45 a.m. on Sunday, July 4. Starting at 9am, we'll begin our march down Westlake Drive to Rocky River Road, then right onto Reveille Road and back to the bank where the festivities will continue.

Show off your classic car or build your own parade float. Decorate the bicycles

and strollers. Or just throw on a red, white and blue outfit and join us for a leisurely stroll down the City's newest pedestrian promenade, the Reveille Road walking path! Everyone is welcome, including pets on leashes, strolling musicians, jugglers, buskers, and clowns. (No mimes, please – for obvious reasons.)



We'll have free breakfast tacos after the parade from Texas Honey Ham Company and ice cream from Amy's Ice Cream. Special thanks to both companies and to our other great sponsors, Treaty Oak Bank and Randall's, for their continued support of this great community event. So load up the family and join us for the best 4th of July parade in central Texas!

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Single Stream Recycling Comes to Town

We're excited to announce the start of Single Stream Recycling during the week of July 11. As you may know, the city provides free garbage and recycling collection services to all single-family residences. This newly enhanced recycling program from Texas Disposal Systems is easier to use and accepts many more recyclable materials than previously allowed including more types of plastic and – finally – cardboard!



Over the next few weeks, TDS will deliver a 90-gallon wheeled recycling cart with a tan lid to each household in the city. These carts are similar to the ones currently in use for garbage collection. You may place all of your recyclable materials in this "single stream" cart – no need to separate paper from plastics and other materials – just toss it all in.

The new cart will hold far more material, requiring less frequent collection which is better for the environment and

reduces the overall cost of the service and the impact on our city's roadways.

As shown on the calendar below, TDS will collect your recycling bi-weekly on the same day of the week as your first regular garbage collection day. So, for instance, if your garbage is collected on Tuesdays and Fridays, then your recycling will be collected every other Tuesday.

If you would prefer a smaller collection cart, you may contact TDS at (512) 421-1340 anytime before September 1 to request a smaller, 35-gallon wheeled cart in place of the 90-gallon unit. Or you can continue to use your current 16-gallon bin in place of the wheeled car. Just let them know and they will come collect the larger cart in early September.

For more information about this program, contact TDS, visit the TDS website at www.texasdisposal.com, call the city at (512) 327-3628 or send an email to cityhall@westlakehills.org.



You can recycle...

- All **paper** including newsprint, magazines, office paper, boxboard and corrugated cardboard
- Any unbroken **glass** bottles of any color
- Any empty metal **cans**
- All **plastic containers** labeled Type 1 through Type 7 only

Please don't recycle...

- Styrofoam
- Plastic shopping bags
- Batteries
- Pizza boxes, frozen food packaging or anything that has absorbed food, grease, oil or other chemicals
- Broken glass, light bulbs, jagged metal, medical or other hazardous waste

Single stream recycling will be collected in 2010 starting the week of July 11 and continuing during the weeks highlighted yellow:

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