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CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

The HOA would like to invite volunteers to form a conservation committee to support a controlled program to reintroduce native waterfowl into the lake areas. The program will focus on attracting birds, which will balance the Eco-system. Volunteers will work alongside local wildlife rehabilitation agencies and the HOA board to introduce different species into the lakes and monitor their progress and numbers. For more information please contact 'Ask the Board' at www.woodwindlakes.us/contact.

Woodwind Lakes Sink-hole Repair Update



During the past few months, WWL Grounds Committee, MUD 261, Greater Houston Landscape and TOPS have worked with the MUD 261 District Engineer and TOPS to identify and address sinkholes

located on WWL Lakes 1 and 2. One significant sinkhole has been repaired at Lake 1 and will continue to be monitored. Based upon current information, it appears sinkholes are occurring with more frequency due to a combination of soil conditions and drainage around the Lakes.

To address drainage issues, MUD 261 has retained a contractor to improve drainage around Lakes 1 and 2. Drainage improvement will be accomplished by repairing/retrenching the back-slope swales (ditch located on the top ends of the Lakes which collects and drains water) in certain areas in Lakes 1 and 2 where the swales have filled in over the past 20 years. This work will necessitate the removal and/or movement of bridges constructed by some WWL residents over the swales. Prior to commencing work, the MUD 261 will attempt to reach out to all WWL residents who have bridges affected by this work. Following repair work to the swales, identified sinkholes will be filled with stabilized soil and necessary amendments, graded and monitored for continued erosion.

The work has begun at both lakes #1 and #2.

WOODWIND LAKES Woodwind Lakes

2015 – 2016 SEASON GRAND FINALE



Tuesday, May 17, 2016 11:30am AT RAINBOW LODGE 2011 Ella Boulevard

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To submit an article for consideration please email it to <u>Lynn.</u> <u>Collins@garygreene.com</u>. The deadline is the 7th of the month prior to the issue.

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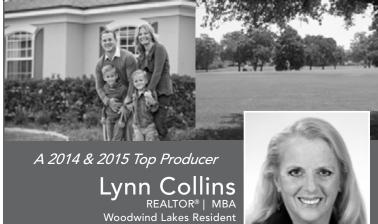
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Woodwind Lakes Pavilion/Adult Pool

The Pavilion and the Adult Pool are located at 7523 Allegro. They are beside the Tennis Courts and are in front of The Reserve. If you would like to reserve either the Pavilion and/or the Adult Pool, please contact Donna Jackson via phone, e-mail or Woodwind Lakes Neighborhood site. Once a date has been confirmed with me (Donna), I will need a \$50 deposit along with the appropriate form found under "Amenities" on the WWLakes website: www. woodwindlakes.us

You give me the deposit and the form and I will give you a master key that allows access to the storage unit and to the fans and lights at the Pavilion. When your party is over, you must clean up immediately. No trash can be left in cans on the site nor can the trash be left at curbside.

That's it...very easy...Once your cleanup is complete, you return the master key and I will shred your deposit. I look forward to hearing from you. We have already had several parties.....As a reminder, the Adult Pool opens May 1.

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Categories

Burglary Habitation: 0 Burglary Vehicle: 0 Theft Habitation: 0

Theft Vehicle: 1 Theft Other: 0 Robbery: 0

Assault: 0 Sexual Assault: 0 Criminal Mischief: 0

Disturbance Family: 0 Disturbance Juvenile: 0 Disturbance Other: 0

Alarms: 8 Suspicious Vehicles: 11 Suspicious Persons: 4 Runaways: 0 Phone Harrassment: 0 Other Calls: 22

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Summary of Events

Theft of a Motor Vehicle

9100 Symphonic Ln- Complainant stated that sometime during the nighttime hours, an unknown suspect(s) stole her vehicle from the driveway of her residence.

MUD Checks 0

Vacation watches 0

Accidents (worked in your contract) 0

Welfare checks 1



Whiteflies



Whiteflies are small, soft bodied insects with piercing-sucking mouthparts. They are creamy white and adults have a mealy wax coating their body and wings. Immatures, also called nymphs, are small, oval, flattened and wingless.

Whitefly populations can increase quickly when temperatures are warmer. The insects like to be on the underside of leaves, often in clusters. Common species of whiteflies have a wide host range and can switch host plants.

Whiteflies suck plant juices and large populations can cause foliage to turn yellow, appear to be dry or even fall off the plant. Some whiteflies cause plant distortion or foliage to turn silver in color. Whiteflies produce honeydew, a sticky substance secreted by some insects. Honey dew causes foliage to become shiny in appearance and can attract a fungus called sooty mold. Some whiteflies are capable of transmitting plant viruses.

Try to encourage natural enemies to help manage whitefly populations in your garden. To do this, make wise pesticide choices. Try to choose pesticides to target specific pests and/ or specific areas. Also, you may need to manage ants that tend the whiteflies to obtain honeydew. The ants protect whiteflies from natural enemies that

may normally keep the pest population at manageable levels.

In vegetable gardens, you may want to try reflective mulches to make the underside of the leaves where whiteflies hide less habitable.



As for chemical treatment, you can use high pressure water sprays, insecticidal soap, azadirachtin, d-limonene, botanicals or a synthetic product. Target your treatment to the underside of the leaves to get to where the whiteflies like to hide.

For more information or help with identification, contact Wizzie Brown, Texas AgriLife Extension Service Program Specialist at 512.854.9600. Check out my blog at www.urban-ipm.blogspot.com

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ARE YOU A VENDOR LOOKING FOR VENUES?

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Ladies Auxiliary is holding their 24th annual Gingerbread Village Holiday Market on October 29th, 2016. It will be held at 6646 Addicks-Satsuma Road in Northwest Houston. If you are a vendor who would like to showcase their wares, please consider our show. Contact Fae at faekrenek@krenekprinting.com for more information.

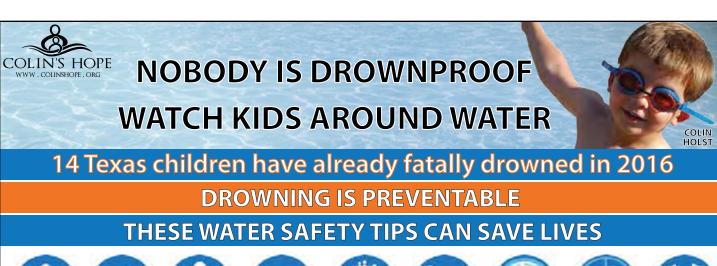


Shalom Cypress

Shalom Cypress was established in 2011 by local families seeking a Jewish presence in Northwest Houston. We are the closest synagogue within 25 miles of the nearest synagogue. Many thought that they were the only Jews in the Cypress area, but it turns out that they were wrong! Shalom Cypress has grown to more than 30 affiliated families.

I hope that everyone had a great Purim & Passover! In May, we will have our monthly Friday & Saturday services. Noah will be called to the Torah to become a Bar Mitzvah. Come join us for this celebration. In June, we are having a free BBQ to kick-off the summer. You can eat the best Kosher hamburgers & hotdogs right here in Cypress!

Shalom Cypress has many ongoing & active programs for people of all ages. Please visit our website at www.shalomcypress.org, e-mail us at info@shalomcypress.org, or call Ben Federman at 832-795-2002 to find out more details about the upcoming events.





















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6 Health Benefits of Eating Park Chocolate

If your sweet tooth craves chocolate, there are plenty of reasons to surrender to your cravings and indulge. Dark chocolate is loaded with nutrients that can positively affect your health. Made from the seed of the cocoa tree, it is one of the best sources of antioxidants on the planet. Cacao offers a number of health benefits from helping to control blood sugar to lowering the risk of cardiovascular disease because it contains flavonols, which are a type of antioxidant that has been shown to improve blood flow and can protect against suninduced damage, improve blood flow to the skin and increase skin density and hydration.

Bottom Line: Quality dark chocolate has various nutritional perks so enjoying a delicious treat that has at least 65% cacao can be guilt-free if you don't overdo it.

NUTRITIONAL PERKS HEART-HEALTHY

Dark chocolate has been shown to improve blood flow and possibly prevent blood clots. It also helps lower blood pressure ad may help keep arteries from hardening.

BRAIN FOOD

Because chocolate increases blood flow to the brain, it can be a boost to your cognitive health.

MOOD CHANGER

Chocolate also contains phenylethylamine (PEA), which encourages your brain to release endorphins that make you feel good.

CANCER FIGHTER

Antioxidants in chocolate help rid your system of free radicals, which have been linked to multiple age-related health risks and diseases.

SOMETHING TO SMILE ABOUT

Theobromine, found in dark chocolate, helps harden tooth enamel, which helps prevent cavities.

SUN BLOCKER

Some studies show that people with diets high in flavonols take longer to burn in the sun than people with low flavonol diets.

Written by: Claudia Mosley, Moms Making Six Figures Reviewed by: Dr. Barbara Ryan, MD



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LIVING IN HARMONY

By Cheryl Conley, TRWC Wildlife Center



Whenever I plant something new, I swear I can hear the deer spreading the word. "Hey, did you know the Conley's just got some tasty new salad fixin's? Let's head over there." I've been doing some research and

I've found some ways to outsmart them. Now, keep in mind, if they're hungry enough, they'll eat anything regardless of what you do but I have a few suggestions that may save those beautiful plants and shrubs.

- Check to see if what you are buying is deer resistant. Some plants/shrubs will say this right on the container but if not, a simple internet search will help you.
- You can buy solutions and granules to put on/around your

plants. They don't like the smell and will avoid them.

• Check out the motion-activated sprinklers. When a deer approaches, the motion will trigger a sprinkler which will scare them away. There's one by the Havahart Company and one by Contech. I am not endorsing either one but if you try one, let me know how it works.

Let's talk about birds. How many times have you heard birds crash into your windows? It's a heartbreaking sound and makes us afraid to go out and check for fear the bird will be injured or dead. If injured, you know that TWRC Wildlife Center is available to help but the best thing to do is to try to prevent the problem from happening.

- Install a window screen or a taut net and apply at least 2 inches from the window.
- Go online and look for a film that is specifically made for windows to protect birds.
- Apply tape strips on outside of window spaced 4 inches apart. You can also paint strips or a pattern on your window using washable paint. You can purchase tape on the TWRC website.
- Install shutters or awnings.

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- You can use decals which are sold specifically for windows but you'll need several of them—one won't work. Check them out on our website.
- Move your bird baths and feeders away from windows.
- Keep shades and curtains closed during the day.
 If you love wildlife, here are a few suggestions to help them.
- Make sure you provide clean, fresh water daily especially in the hot weather.
- Use natural, organic products on your lawn and garden.
- Hang birdhouses, bat houses and feeders.
- Trim your trees and shrubs in the fall. Leaving them full in the summer acts as protection for wildlife.
- If you see an animal you think is in trouble, make sure it is really in distress before you rescue it. Well-meaning people will sometimes rescue something that doesn't need to be. If in doubt, call TWRC Wildlife Center or check our website for more information.
- Don't try to make pets out of wildlife. They belong in the wild. TWRC discourages feeding wildlife. One or two can turn into an unmanageable number of critters that come to depend on you as their food source. They don't have to forage and never develop those skills because they haven't had to. This is unfair to the animals should you move or stop feeding them.

TWRC Wildlife Center is a non-profit organization in Houston dedicated to helping both people and wildlife to live in harmony. Learn more about TWRC by visiting www.twrcwildlifecenter.org. Questions? Call 713-468-TWRC.



PLEASE be a good neighbor and CLEAN UP after your DOG.

This applies to common ground areas as well as private property.

Dog Poop Bags are available at all lake entrances.

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