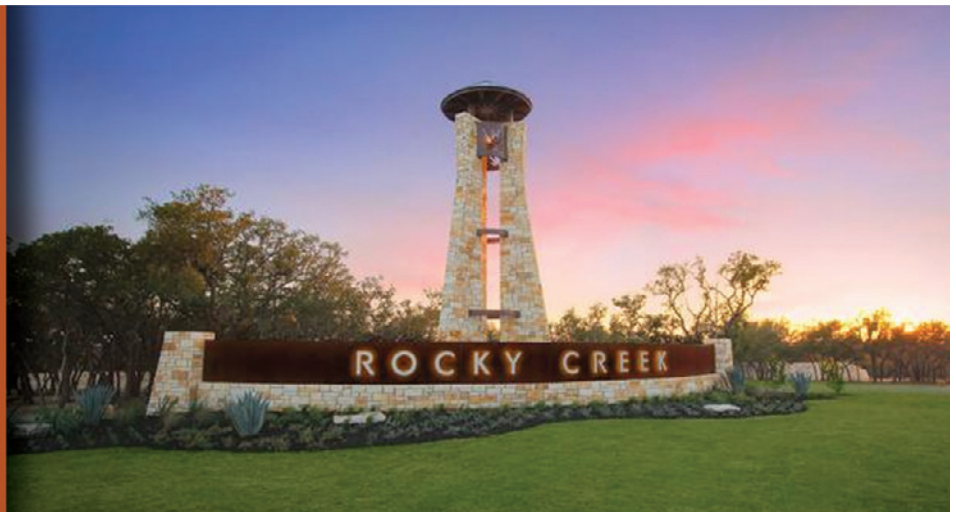


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THE ROCKY CREEK *Connection*

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWSLETTER



Rocky Creek HOA presents

CHRISTMAS *WITH* SANTA

Saturday, December 16
9 – 10:30 a.m.
@ The Pool Area

Please Note... Santa has to fly away promptly at 10:30 to go and see other boys and girls!

• FEATURING •

- ✓ Christmas Music
- ✓ Kids Krafts
- ✓ Hot Cocoa
- ✓ Yummy Donuts
- ✓ Holiday Cheer

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Ambulance.....	911
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Sheriff – Non-Emergency.....	512-974-0845
Travis County ESD No.6/Lake Travis Fire Rescue	
Administration Office.....	512-266-2533
Travis County Animal Control.....	512-972-6060

SCHOOLS

Lake Travis ISD.....	512-533-6000
Lake Travis High School.....	512-533-6100
Lake Travis Middle School.....	512-533-6200
Bee Cave Elementary.....	512-533-6250

UTILITIES

West Travis County PUA (Water).....	512-246-0498
Pedernales Electric.....	512-219-2602
Alliant Gas (Propane).....	866-764-0283
AT&T	
New Service.....	1-800-464-7928
Repair.....	1-800-246-8464
Billing.....	1-800-858-7928
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Travis County Hazardous Waste.....	512-974-4343

OTHER NUMBERS

Bee Cave City Hall.....	512-767-6600
Bee Cave Library.....	512-767-6620
Municipal Court	512-767-6630
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ARTICLE INFO

The Rocky Creek Connection is mailed monthly to all Rocky Creek residents. Residents, community groups, churches, etc. are welcome to submit information about their organizations in the newsletter. Personal news for the Stork Report, Teenage Job Seekers, recipes, special celebrations, and birthday announcements are also welcome.

If you have an article of interest to the community please submit to rockycreek@peelinc.com by the 15th of the month. The newsletter can also be viewed online at www.PEELinc.com.

ROCKY CREEK EVENTS

CHRISTMAS/HOLIDAY PARTY
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SCHOOL CHILDREN OUT FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

Remember kids are out of school for two weeks around the holidays (LTISD December 21, 2017 through January 8, 2018), it's getting darker earlier please drive carefully through the neighborhood.



PAJAMA DRIVE

Peaceful Dreams Is Collecting NEW PAJAMAS for Children Residing in Area Shelters this Holiday Season.

Sizes Infant - Teen are Needed

Shelter's Benefiting include Safe, Austin Children's Shelter, Any Baby Can and Dell Children's Hospital.

Drop off Pajamas at Strandz Salon or 32 Autumn Oaks Dr, in The Hills

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auffelman@me.com

Final Pickup Date December 20, 2017



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TRAIL OF LIGHTS 2017

The 53rd annual Trail of Lights powered by H-E-B will be Saturday, Dec. 9 and will run through Saturday, Dec. 23.

Since it began in 1965 as a small gathering, the Trail of Lights has grown into one of Austin's three largest events, attracting more than 400,000 people every year. The annual tradition continues to grow, celebrating the unique character Austin is recognized for across the country. Every holiday season, Zilker Park is transformed into the Trail of Lights with over two million lights, 40 displays, 20+ food trucks, two stages, 30 private holiday parties and interactive experiences throughout the trail.

This year's official grand opening of the Trail will be on Saturday, Dec. 9 where admission will be free. The Trail will remain open Dec. 10 - 23 with general admission gates open at 7 p.m. every evening. General admission for children under 12 is always free at the Trail of Lights. There will be a general admission fee on seven of the 14 nights of the event. Early entry ZiP Fast Pass, VIP Platinum, parking and shuttle passes are also available for purchase on select nights.

Calendars for ticket availability and online ticket purchases will be available at www.AustinTrailofLights.org.



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LTLOV CELEBRATES 10 YEARS!

What began as a simple desire to bring awareness to the existing, but mostly unknown, plight of local families living in real, economic distress, has stretched into ten years of serving those families through programs dedicated to achieving our vision of a compassionate community without economic or educational disparity. It has been an honor and a worthy challenge over the past 10 years and LTlov is indebted to the women who spent long hours directing our formation and the members who have joined us in our mission! We are honored by the ways that our residential and business communities have so generously supported LTlov and our mission to support neighbors helping neighbors to overcome limiting circumstances. That spirit of generosity, along with our motto of, "Do good and have fun doing it," was in full swing at our 10th birthday celebration at the home of long-time member, Eileen Alter on October 26th.. Thank you to everyone who joined us and for your donations of personal care items for the Lake Travis and Spicewood crisis ministries, children's pajamas for Peaceful Dreams and sneakers for Fight Club, a program for at risk LTHS students. Thank you Plate by Dzintra, Thai Spice, Mangieri's, Little Greek, Flores, Papa Murphy's, Toscano, Chick-fil-A, The Grove, Café Lago, The League and Tony C's for providing delicious refreshments; Hill Country Cakery for our

amazing birthday cake; Magpie, Point of Origin and Eileen Alter Art for donating wonderful door prizes; Suzanna Choffel and Black Fret for fabulous entertainment; and finally, a special shout out to the LTHS PALS students who responded cheerfully to every request for assistance throughout the event.

It has been a privilege to experience the power of ordinary people coming together to do something extraordinary with sincere hearts for those struggling in our midst. Special thanks to the LTlov board, the membership and our generous community for making LTlov a key player in the fight against poverty in the Lake Travis area.



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VOTERS APPROVE \$253 MILLION BOND REFERENDUM, TAX RATIFICATION ELECTION

With all Travis County votes counted, Lake Travis ISD voters have approved the district's \$253 million bond referendum and Tax Ratification Election (TRE).

"We are fortunate to live in a community where residents are passionate about and committed to supporting one of the state's premier public school systems," said Brad Lancaster, Ed.D., LTISD Superintendent of Schools. "In particular, I would like to thank our school board, senior staff, and our bond advisory committee for their vision, dedication and hard work during the past 11 months. The results of these elections are clear indications of the support for our public schools that defines our great community. Ultimately, I am grateful to the voters for approving these two propositions."

Bond proceeds will fund the construction of two new schools; upgrades, renovations, and repairs to existing facilities; new school buses, including installation of seat belts; technology; and land for future facilities and utilities. In order to accommodate the projected increase in our student enrollment, construction of

Middle School #3 will begin immediately, and district officials anticipate completion by the fall of 2019. Construction of Elementary School #7 will begin next year and is expected to open in the fall of 2020.

Additionally, through the voter-approved TRE, the district is able to move two cents to its Maintenance and Operation tax rate by taking those same two cents from the Interest and Sinking Fund portion of the tax rate. The 'penny exchange' allows LTISD to generate approximately \$2.1 million in annual state revenue not subject to recapture. The money from the TRE will be used to offset a loss in state funding.

"It is important to note that the results of these elections have no impact on our total tax rate," added Dr. Lancaster. "Our current total tax rate of \$1.4075 per \$100 of assessed property valuation is the same it has been since 2012. Please keep in mind, however, that although our local school district tax rate is unaffected as a result of these elections, an increase in property value will inevitably result in an increase in a homeowner's tax bill."

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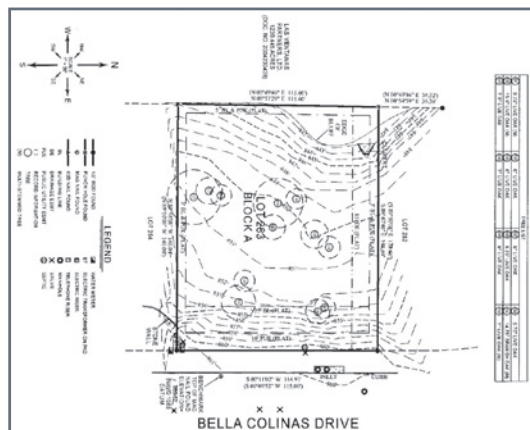
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