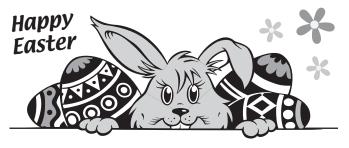


Civic News

The Official Newsletter of <u>The Lakew</u>ood Forest Civic Association, Inc.

Lakewood Forest SPRING FLING EGG-stravaganza Saturday, April 3



Come join your neighbors at our annual Eggstravaganza on **Saturday**, **April 3** from 1-3 p.m. There will be fun activities for the children, highlighted by an egg hunt for kids of all ages. All Lakewood Forest residents are invited to attend.

This event is hosted by the Lakewood Forest Civic Association and will be held (rain or shine!) at the new county park at 11675 Grant Road, Cypress, TX 77429. This park is located between Lakewood Forest Drive and Jones Road, on the south side of Grant Road. We've got the park pavilion reserved for our Spring Fling!

- Egg hunt sessions by age starting at 1:15 p.m. and 2:15 p.m. Bring a basket!
- Petting zoo featuring exotic animals
- · Games for the kids
- · Spring crafts

- Photo booth
- Light refreshments for all, sponsored by the Lakewood Forest Fund
- Flower seed giveaway sponsored by the Lakewood Forest Garden Club

Volunteers are needed to help run this event. Teens who want to earn volunteer hours can work from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m., or 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., or both shifts. Adults are welcome too! Volunteers will be putting out eggs, running the games, passing out refreshments, and helping with setup and tear down.

Come get your "spring" on at the Lakewood Forest EGG-stravaganza!

LAKEWOOD RESIDENTS' CLUB OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, April 11 2-5 p.m.

"On the other side of a storm is the strength that comes from having navigated it. Raise your sail and begin." ~ Gregory S. Williams

Despite Winter Storm Uri in February, fun summer activities will be continuing at the LRC! The Board is working with insurance adjustors and remediators to determine what the repairs to the LRC building will look like, but we are forging ahead with spring/summer activities.

- Pool, tennis courts, sand volleyball court and playground will be open to members and all our neighbors in Lakewood Forest and beyond.
- Snacks and drinks will be provided.
- Food truck will be in the parking lot.
- Information on LRC activities will be available.
- Representatives from Lakewood Lightning Swim Team will be present to answer questions about swim team.
- Representatives from tennis teams will be present to answer questions about tennis leagues, lessons and drills.

Reminder: You can also sign up for LRC membership online. Go to www.lakewoodrc.org to sign up or renew!



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The office is located at 12415 Louetta Road, Cypress, 77429, and is open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The Lakewood Forest Fund uses the yearly maintenance fee to pay for street lights, trash and recycling pick-up, maintenance of common grounds, mosquito fogging, and security provided by Harris County Precinct 4 Deputies. Deed restriction and architectural control matters are also to be referred to the Board at the above address.

Monthly meeting information will be posted on the Fund website.



LAKEWOOD FOREST IS A DEED RESTRICTED COMMUNITY.

Get ACC Approval Before Building!

Lakewood Forest is a Deed Restricted community. The Fund's Architectural Control Committee (ACC) must approve all exterior remodeling and building projects before the project begins. The Fund has the necessary legal authority to enforce this rule.



SECURITY

The Lakewood Forest Fund has a contract with Harris County Precinct 4's Contract Deputy Program. We have one Lieutenant, one Corporal and three Deputies working approximately 70 percent of their time for Lakewood Forest, and 30 percent for Harris County.

Vacation Watch Form: www.cd4.hctx.net

To report a crime or anything of a suspicious nature, call 281-376-3472 and

identify yourself to the dispatcher as a resident of Lakewood Forest.

Precinct 4 Deputies working in Lakewood Forest:

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Trash Reminder

All trash/recycle containers must be stored out of view at all times, except for after 6 p.m. the night before trash pickup.

Trash cans/bags should not be stored on driveways or within view from the street. If your lawn service mows before that time, please stow the bags out of sight until the night before pickup.







LAKEWOOD RESIDENTS' CLUB 15006 Lakewood Forest Drive

The club is open on a part-time, flex-time basis. Please call 281-376-1893 for office hours. Visit our website at www.lakewoodrc.org for more information.

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LAKEWOOD FOREST

Community Garage

April 23-25 • 6 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Lakewood Forest invites you to participate in our Semi-Annual Garage Sale! Set up shop in your driveway or garage to sell your old electronics, furniture, art, tools, etc.

The Lakewood Forest Civic Association will place signs and banners around the neighborhood, as well as fliers on social media, to drive buyers to you.

Feel free to advertise with your own signage but keep in mind that staked signs are not allowed in the esplanades, so consider weighted boxes to direct buyers to your home. (Be sure to speak to your neighbors for permission to place signs in their yards.)

Most buyers start shopping early so try to set up before 8 a.m. to ensure your items get the most exposure!

Please keep Lakewood Forest beautiful!

ATTENTION, GRADUATING LAKEWOOD FOREST SENIORS!

We would like to feature you in the June issue of the *Lakewood Forest Civic News*. Here's what we need on a 3x5 index card by **Wednesday**, **May 12**:

- Your photo (a light background works best. Do not glue or staple your picture to the index card!)
- · Your name
- · Your parents' names
- High school or college presently attending
- Activities, honors, etc. (Please list first those most important to you. In case your list is longer than the space available, we will start deleting from the end of your list.)
- Your future plans
- Include a stamped, self-addressed envelope, and we will return your photo.

Mail your photo and information to Lakewood Forest Civic Association, 13121 Louetta Road, PMB #1025, Cypress, TX 77429 in time to reach us by **May 12**.

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MONTHLY CONTRACT STATS FOR FEBRUARY 2021

Categories

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Burglary Habitation: 0	
Burglary Vehicle: 0	
Theft Habitation:0	
Theft Vehicle: 0	
Theft Other: 0	
Robbery: 0	
Assault: 0	
Sexual Assault: 1	
Criminal Mischief: 1	
Disturbance Family: 1	
Disturbance Juvenile: 0	
Disturbance Other: 1	
Alarms: 8	
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CONSTABLE'S CORNER

Summary of Events

13000 block of Wincrest Court – Deputies responded to location where it was reported unknown suspect(s) damaged the complainant's mailbox during nighttime hours.

11700 block of Normont Drive – Natural Death Investigation – Deputies responded to location in reference to a death investigation. Known male was found deceased of natural causes.

14500 block of Sandy Creek Drive – Forgery – Deputies responded to location in reference to a Forgery,where it was reported by the complainant she never received a check from a business transaction and the check was found to be forged and cashed by an unknown suspect(s) in October 2020.

12200 block of Normont Drive – Credit Card Abuse – Deputies responded to location in reference to a credit card abuse, where it was reported by the complainant unknown suspect(s) used his information to make unauthorized purchases online.

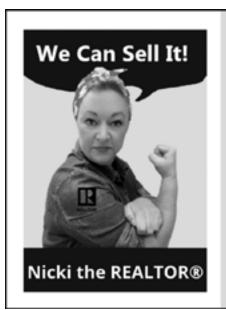
12500 block of Beauline Abbey Street – Theft – Deputies responded to location in reference to a lost property call, where the complainant advised she was missing money from her home. The complainant's care company was going to replace the money.

12900 block of Elmington Drive – Aggressive Animal – Deputies responded to location in reference to a dog bite where it was reported by the complainant she was bitten by the neighbor's dog. The complainant reported only minor injuries. Case referred to Animal Control.

16400 block of Carlton Vale Court – Information Report – Deputies responded to location in reference to a harassment. The complainant stated she received negative reviews and harassment from a client's ex spouse. Case wanted for record only.



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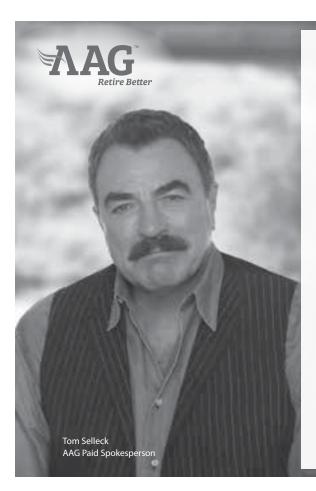






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GUIDELINES FOR JUDGING YARD OF THE MONTH

Judging for April to be done the last week of March.

Members of the Lakewood Forest Garden Club judge yards at the end of the month for the following month's award based on these established guidelines. Areas to be judged are rotated using the subdivision sections as listed in the Lakewood Forest Directory.

Once a yard has received recognition, it is not eligible for further awards for two years. One first place winner each month will receive a \$60 gift certificate, and two honorable mention winners will each receive a \$35 gift certificate. Recognition of winners is published in the Lakewood Forest Civic Association's official newsletter, Civic News, and online by the Lakewood Forest Fund. Plants for All Seasons gift certificates are provided through contributions from the Lakewood Forest Civic Association, the Lakewood Forest Fund and Plants for All Seasons.

Overall landscape design should be compatible with the architecture of the house; e.g., no windows hidden by shrubs, color, balanced design, etc.

20 points

Grass: green, except in winter; mowed and edged; weed-free

15 points 15 points

Beds: cleaned, edged & mulched Color contrast; e.g., well placed

variegated or colored shrubs, use of flowers and bulbs such as

15 points

General neatness; e.g., air conditioner hidden by shrubs; garden hose rolled up, garbage cans, toys, etc.,

caladiums to add interest

kept out of sight Shrubs: neatly pruned 15 points 10 points

Walks & curbs swept & cleaned

10 points

100 points

TOTAL

Lakewood Forest





March Meeting

The Lakewood Forest Garden Club met virtually on March 5 for the general meeting. Our President Eleese Lester-Baier has done an outstanding job of leading during this very challenging time. Her tutorials, humor and patience have successfully navigated us through a year of virtual adventure.

Carolyn Calvert gave a very meaningful devotional prayer setting a good tone for the meeting.



The program revolved around the recent epoch freeze. Members shared ideas on the care of damaged plants as well as the ones which survived the week-long freeze. Lessons have been learned and shared from this severe cold. A good suggestion made was to use this as an opportunity to take up plants you may have wanted to replace anyway and make a fresh start with some of your plants. The mushy vegetation, of course, needs to be removed but some deadwood can be helpful in protecting woody stems in the event of another freeze this season.

Yard of the Month

Yard of the Month for April is judged by garden club members at the end of March. Gift certificates to Plants for All Seasons go to the winners who will be announced in the next publication of the newsletter. Because of the inclement weather, the judging in February for March Yard of the Month was cancelled and judging resumed for April.

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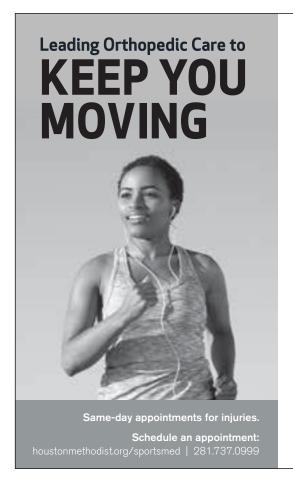
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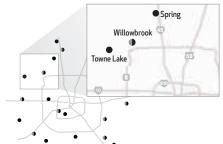


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Saturdays Trash Pickup

April 3 Spring Fling Egg-stravaganza

April 4 Easter

April 11 LRC Open House April 12 Newsletter Deadline



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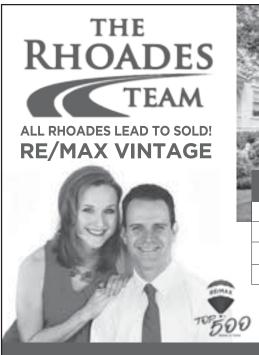
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