



Thursday morning, Crestwood's Easter Bunny was at the curb of Jo Kelly School, waiving to passersby with a sign promoting the Saturday hunt. The bunny then visited the children at Jo Kelly School. Principal Jane Cote, teachers and teacher's aids welcomed the bunny to the children's classrooms, where the children were surprised and entertained. Approximately 75 egg-hunters scoured Crestwood Park looking for 1100 eggs April 7th, at Crestwood's Annual Easter Egg Hunt. The egg hunters spread rapidly across the lawn of the park, searching for the eggs placed by the Easter Bunny, Lisa Griffith and volunteers. Social Chairperson Melissa Smith provided the refreshments.

## Crestwood registry to help furries

Crestwood is home to many furry friends, some of whom occasionally wander from home with no identifying tags.

We've had lots of help from neighbors over the last few years returning pets to their owners, but it takes quite an effort with no central neighborhood pet information.

That's why the Crestwood Association is starting the Pet Registry, a database that will keep of track of pets and their people to help identify and return lost pets.

If you'd like to include your pet(s) in the registry, send an email to [crestwoodemail@gmail.com](mailto:crestwoodemail@gmail.com), or leave a note at 921 N. Bailey, with the following information for each pet:

- Your name, address and phone number
- Pet's name
- Type (cat/dog)
- Breed
- Color
- Sex
- Collar (or not)/Tags (or not)
- Microchip (or not)
- Disposition (whether this pet can/should be approached by strangers).

Any other identifying traits such as walking with a limp, blindness, or performs tricks.

Other than contacting you if your pet is lost or found, our information will be kept confidential.

## Volunteers needed at area food bank

The Tarrant Area Food Bank works with elementary and middle schools to provide food on weekends for children at high risk of hunger through the **BackPacks for Kids** program.

Volunteers pack nutritious, kid-friendly food into backpacks for children to take home during the school year.

Opportunities for volunteering are available on Wednesday afternoons and evenings, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

For more information, contact the Tarrant Area Food Bank at [www.tafb.org](http://www.tafb.org) or call 817-332-9177.

### City Services

Bulk Trash	4th week of the month
Code Compliance	817-392-1234
Garbage/Recycling	817-392-3279
Non-Emergency Fire	817-922-3000
Non-Emergency Police	817-335-4222
Street Lights	817-392-7738
Tree Trimming	817-871-5738
Water Department	817-FW-24-HRS

#### Code Compliance Officer

Rosalind Carlton 817-944-1796  
[Rosalind.Calton@fortworthtexas.gov](mailto:Rosalind.Calton@fortworthtexas.gov)

#### District 7 City Councilman

Dennis Shingleton 817-392-8807  
[District7@fortworthtexas.gov](mailto:District7@fortworthtexas.gov)

#### Neighborhood Police Officer

Lonny Brooks 817-996-5506  
[Lonny.Brooks@fortworthtexas.gov](mailto:Lonny.Brooks@fortworthtexas.gov)

### Crestwood Assoc. Services

#### Email Coordinator

Shannon Waller  
[Crestwoodemail@gmail.com](mailto:Crestwoodemail@gmail.com)

#### Membership Secretary

Paul Holt 817-291-7296  
[Crestwoodmembership@gmail.com](mailto:Crestwoodmembership@gmail.com)

#### Newsletter Editor

Ernest Todd 817-624-8062  
[Crestwoodnewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:Crestwoodnewsletter@gmail.com)

# April 2012 Minutes of the Crestwood Association

Mike Holt, President, began the meeting at 7:00 p.m. by introducing Fort Worth Code Compliance Officer Rosalind Calton. Officer Calton answered members' questions on general code enforcement issues.

Mike then introduced Jeff Law with Tarrant Appraisal District. Mr. Law discussed recently-mailed appraisal notices, exemptions and the protest process.

Mike Holt officially called the meeting to order at 7:45 p.m. It was determined a quorum was present with 19 board members. Mike then made a motion to waive the reading of the March 5, 2012 minutes that were included in last month's newsletter. A second was granted and the motion approved.

## Officers Reports

### Treasurer's Report:

Hubert Foster, Treasurer, took the floor to discuss the current bank account balances, expenses, receipts, and disbursements since the March meeting.

### Membership Secretary's Report:

Paul Holt, Membership Secretary, took the floor to state membership numbers. There were 22 new households for the year for a

total of 191. Paul was asked by June Morton to inform the block reps of their new association members.

### Vice President's Report:

Holly Schur reported that all block rep positions have been filled. **Standing Committee Reports:**

Newsletter: Ernest Todd asked for members to advise him of any changes or corrections to information printed in the newsletters.

Crime Patrol: Frank Diaz discussed recent reports. He then stressed the correct procedure is to call police first, then notify the Crime Patrol. He also mentioned that he will be working with the Security Chair, Bill Scott, to coordinate in the future.

City Hall: Patty Crabtree discussed:

1. Bike rack in Crestwood Park will be ready in a couple of weeks.
2. Rockwood Park Rd. has been repaired in places and will be fully resurfaced in 2 years.
3. Confirmation that President Mike Holt is receiving notices from the Board of Adjustments.
4. New feral cat ordinances. Regarding the feral cat public meetings: Brandon Bennett, Code Compliance Director, will be making a presentation to City Council at its Pre-Council meeting on April 10 on the topic of the Trap-Neuter-Release Program. Mr. Bennett will make recommendations to be incorporated into new or amended ordinance(s). Ms. Crabtree furnished these recommendations to the attendees.

A printed City Hall Report was supplied to Secretary.

Security Chair: June Morton reported 102 volunteer hours. June mentioned that members and residents should call the 911 police

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### Report by Bill Schur, [Interim] Website Coordinator

Changes in the Crestwood Association website ([www.crestwoodfw.org](http://www.crestwoodfw.org)) will be coming soon. The web address will not change. The format will be updated and content added to take full advantage of the ability of the website to provide current and historical content of interest to Association members, Crestwood residents, and other visitors seeking information about our neighborhood and our Association. Initial changes will be rolled out in May.

Further changes will be rolled out over the coming months. Many thanks to Pepper Morton, Bob Hayes, and other Association volunteers who created, maintained, and managed the website in past years.

Bill Schur, Interim Website Coordinator, would welcome ideas and assistance from Crestwood residents with or without technical experience in website development. If you have an interest in participating, please send him an e-mail addressed to [wmschur@swbell.net](mailto:wmschur@swbell.net).

### Crestwood Association Treasurer's Report March 2012

**Beginning Balance** \$7903.84  
01/31/2012

Receipts:  
Dues: \$192.00  
**Total Receipts:** \$192.00

Disbursements:  
Printing: Staples: (Newsletter) \$167.79  
Jo Kelly School \$250.00

**Total Disbursements:** \$417.79

**Ending Balance** \$7678.05  
02/29/2012

**Crestwood Savings Account:**  
Beginning Balance: 01/31/2012 \$25,283.33  
Interest Earned: \$4.01  
Ending Balance: 02/29/2012 \$25,287.34

**Crestwood Legal Account:**  
Beginning Balance: 01/31/2012 \$1,189.84  
Ending Balance: 2/29/2012 \$1,189.84

Prepared by: Hubie Foster, Treasurer

# Agenda for the May 7th Executive Board meeting of the Crestwood Association

Presentation by the Texas Automobile Burglary and Theft Prevention Task Force

Possible presentation by the developer of The Bailey, the proposed new apartment complex on the east side of Bailey, south of White Settlement. This is proposal is to go before the Board of Adjustment in their May 2nd meeting.

Call to order by President Holt

Welcome attendees, guests, block reps, chairpersons, and officers

Request all Executive Board Members to stand and be counted

Quorum — requires at least 11 Executive Board members to be present

Minutes for April 2nd meeting (included in newsletter) to be read, approved, as posted or read by the Secretary

### Officer Reports

- Treasurer—Hubert Foster, Jr.
- Membership—Paul Holt
- Secretary—Janie McConnell
- VP—Holly Schur

**Standing Committee Reports** (Reporting only, any motions to be made under old or new business to follow)

- Archives-Kory Cummins
- City Hall-Patti Crabtree
- Crime Patrol-June Morton
- Legal-Christian Tucker
- Newsletter-Ernest Todd
- Rules-Charles Miller
- Security-Bill Scott
- Social-Melissa Smith
- Telephone-Wendy Hulen
- Traffic/Zoning-Brent Dike

### New Business

Discussion of responses from all members of the executive committee to the survey (asking about thoughts on meeting dates, times, frequency, newsletter ads, volunteers, etc...)

### Announcements

Tarrant County Food Bank volunteer opportunity

Next meeting June 4th at 7 p.m.

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number to report a crime, rather than neighborhood police officer, Lonny Brooks.

Mike Holt introduced Bill Schur to discuss the Association's website. Bill discussed the cost of the current site, a possible new platform and asked members to send all suggestions to him.

### New Business Discussed:

- Planting of wildflower seeds on the river levee.
- The upcoming neighborhood garage sale in April.
- Volunteers needed for Easter egg hunt.
- Possibility of benches being installed at Jo Kelly School ballpark area.
- Need for volunteers at Jo Kelly School during school hours to supervise children.
- Volunteer suggested for the Tarrant County Food Bank
- Suggestion to include paid advertising in newsletters to reduce printing cost.

### Items to be carried forward to the next meeting, May 7, 2012:

- Use of funds from Chesapeake Energy for the neighborhood.
- A motion was introduced and passed to adjourn the meeting at 8:40 p.m.

**Good Neighbors**

I lost a partial tree in my yard, and two of my neighbors cut the tree down and stacked it as instructed by pick-up rules. Thank you to Butch & Craig.  
Glee

**Crestwood Association Membership**

Your membership dues support worthy neighborhood projects and expenses as identified by the membership. They also pay for neighborhood events such as the **Easter Egg Hunt** and the **4th of July Parade and Picnic**.

We need your support!

Please return your membership form and association dues check of \$12.00 to your Block Representative, or mail your completed form and check to:

**The Crestwood Association**  
**P.O. Box 471621**  
**Fort Worth, Texas 76147**

Your Name:

Other Residents:

Address:

Phone Number:

Email:

**Crestwood Association Executive Board Directory**

**Officers**

President	Mike Holt	817-625-2668
Vice President	Holly Schur	817-625-2452
Secretary	Janie McConnell	817-320-1452
Treasurer	Hubert Foster, Jr.	817-624-2464
Membership Secretary	Paul Holt	817-291-7296

**Committee Chairpersons**

Archives	Kory Cummings	817-946-1361
City Hall	Patti Crabtree	817-624-8839
Crime Patrol	June Morton	817-624-7360
Finance	Laura Waller	817-706-0489
History	Jackie Liles	817-626-0634
Internet Communication	Shannon Waller	crestwoodemail@gmail.com
Legal Contingency	Christian Tucker	817-713-0971
Newsletter	Ernest Todd	817-624-8062
Parliamentarian	Charles Miller	817-624-3571
Security	Bill Scott	404-354-2777
Social	Melissa Smith	817-996-7797
Telephone	Wendy Hulen	817-625-8832
Traffic/Zoning	Brent Dike	817-378-0550
[Interim] Website Coordinator	Bill Schur	817-880-4167

**Block Representatives**

Cresthaven Terrace	Frank Anderson	817-378-0242
Crestwood Dr. (100-200)	Amber Woodson	817-731-7460

Block Representatives who do not want to continue or wish to name an alternate who can attend & vote at meetings, please contact Vice President Holly Schur.

**Block Representatives (continued)**

Crestwood Dr. (300-400)	Laurin Chevaillier	817-377-9377
Crestwood Terrace	Teri Hawley	817-625-4853
Eastwood (300)	Ryan Moore	214-507-4896
Eastwood (400)	Katy Oliver	817-740-2207
Eastwood (500-600)	Hubert Foster, Jr.	817-624-2464
Edgefield (600)	Patti Crabtree	817-624-8839
Edgefield (700)	Margaret Miller	817-625-0688
Edgefield (800)	Mark Matern	214-794-6747
Englewood	Mike Creager	817-239-6693
Lindenwood	Teri Hawley	817-625-4853
N. Bailey (200-400)	Laura Waller	817-706-0489
N. Bailey (500-600)	Marianne Shapter	817-625-7629
N. Bailey (700)	June Morton	817-624-7360
N. Bailey (800-1000)	Gayle Davis	817-740-0470
Northwood (700)	Jackie Liles	817-626-0634
Northwood (800-1000)	Trudy Totten	817-624-4390
Oaklawn	Judy Hendrick	817-624-7186
Ridgewood (300)	Jenny Masterson	817-378-0247
Ridgewood (400)	Holly Korman	817-378-8003
Sherwood (3600)	Hubert Foster, Jr.	817-624-2464
Sherwood (3700-3800)	Lisa Griffith	817-740-9561
Springbrook	Mike Karpinski	817-262-3469
Westwood	Dana Culwell	817-626-9564
Wildwood	Glee Lane	817-626-4219

**City of Fort Worth Blood Drive**

Wednesday, May 2, 2012: 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

For more information contact Mary Olazaba at 817-392-2623 or mary.olazaba@fortworthgov.org

Walk ins are welcome, but those with appointments will be taken first. Please have a good meal and drink plenty of fluids before your donation.

For more information, contact [www.carterbloodcare.org/pdf/DonorGuidelines.pdf](http://www.carterbloodcare.org/pdf/DonorGuidelines.pdf) or call 1-800-366-2834.

**Letter to the Editor, Guest Editorial or an Ad?**

Please send it to: The Crestwood Association, P.O. Box 471621, Fort Worth, Texas 76147, or email your **Letter to the Editor, Guest Editorial or Ad** to the Crestwood News at: [crestwoodnewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:crestwoodnewsletter@gmail.com)

Please include your name, address, and phone number. The deadline for submissions is the third Monday of every month.

The editorial staff reserve the right to refuse any submission they deem inappropriate to the newsletter, and to edit submissions for content, length and libel.

Views and opinions expressed in the newsletter are those of the writer, and not necessarily those of the Crestwood Association or its members.

**Babysitting**

Mattison Conditt & Samantha Lyon, both 16. Call for references. Mattison: 817-658-3385 Samantha: 817-944-1477

**Custom Murals/Faux Painting for homes or businesses by Darla Lyon.**

10% off for Crestwood homes. Texas decorative tile, portraits and commissions also available. 817-454-5553 or [www.lyondesigndesign.com](http://www.lyondesigndesign.com)

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Certified HVAC technician; plumbing; electrical; carpentry; pool service; sheet rock repair; tape, bed & texture; interior/exterior painting & faux finish. 817-819-1406

**Heating & AC**

Crestwood resident with 25 years of heating & air conditioning experience. Licensed & insured. Give us a call at 817-455-7290 TX license #TACLB16001E

**Experienced In-Home Pet Sitting**

Customized pet care includes feeding, walking and administering of medications. Can provide transportation to vet and groomer visits. Call to discuss pricing and set-up schedules. Judy Haskell at 817/925-1954 Crestwood Resident

**Piano Lessons**

Tami Oneal. 817-800-4019 [tamimaree@gmail.com](mailto:tamimaree@gmail.com)

**Realtors**

**Your Neighborhood Realtor**

**Gayle Davis**, with Brants Realtors, and a Crestwood resident since 1991. *For all your real estate needs.* Home: 817-740-0470 Mobile: 817-308-1043

**Rozi Stone** ABR, GRI, CRS

Crestwood Homeowner for 6 years Williams Trew Real Estate 3707 Camp Bowie Blvd., Ste 300 Fort Worth, TX 76107 Cell - 817.454.0250

**Shannon Kaatz**, Crestwood neighbor and CA member. Looking to buy or sell a home? Work with me at Alexander Chandler Realty, Fort Worth's Best Small Business 2010. 512-971-1490 or [shannon@alexanderchandler.com](mailto:shannon@alexanderchandler.com)

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Interior/exterior painting; tape & bedding; and texture. Free estimates. Mario: 817-371-2681. References available.

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Quality work. Able to take care of all your plumbing needs, from water heaters to pipes and anything in between. Call your neighborhood plumbers. 817-239-6693.

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Jolly Crestwood resident repairs men's and ladies' boots, shoes & handbags. 817-244-2669