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August

The City of Nolanville's Official Newsletter

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City of Nolanville

MAYOR'S CORNER

Andy Williams

"It is an honor to serve as the Mayor of Nolanville..."

FROM THE DESK OF THE MAYOR



Andy Williams

MAYOR'S CORNER

...and to live in a city home to so many of our active duty and retired military, similar to myself. The Council and I strive to improve the quality of life in Nolanville to maintain our small-town atmosphere.

We have made some great strides in pride and place identification. Our pedestrian mobility improved and increased safety in one of our more established areas. Avenue H and Mesquite Street increased capacity by adding bike lanes and sidewalks. Neighborhood identification was added, as well as bus shelter areas. You'll notice some traffic islands along Mesquite that are meant to slow down drivers that are traveling to the City's largest park. The combination of these elements is considered "Complete Streets" and is how we intend to approach every project. We will move construction to the Northwest side of the City in September, adding sidewalks to connect to Main Street, directing walkers off of the Spur and onto a safer route.

The Staff is gearing up to host the Annual Fox Trot and Jamboree on September 24th. Please save the date and spend time getting to know your neighbors.

If you want to make a difference in the community, November 5th is our designated "Make a Difference Day." Activities will be planned to enhance pocket parks on St. John Street and Ryan Circle. If you would like to participate in or host an event in your area, call 254 698 6335. Lastly, if you would like to see someone in your community recognized, send me their information to cityhall@nolanvilletx.gov

5 WAYS TO GET INVOLVED IN NOLANVILLE

1. Attend a City Council meeting
2. Attend one of our upcoming events
3. Volunteer on National Day of Service
4. Download our new application and stay connected
5. Help us make a difference on...Make A Difference Day!

Nolanville Monthly Planner

September 1, 2022 - City Council Meeting 6 PM

September 5, 2022- Labor Day City Hall Closed

September 8, 2022- Planning & Zoning Meeting 6 PM

September 10, 2022- National Day of Service

September 15, 2022- City Council Meeting 6 PM

September 22, 2022- Economic Development Board 6 PM

September 24, 2022- Fox Trot 5K -9AM

September 24, 2022- Train Whistle Jamboree 5 PM

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101 N 5th Street, Nolanville TX

Do you have a photo you
want to be featured in our
next newsletter?

Send it to us, and you may
see it in a future edition!

Splash of Color

VOLUNTEERS ATTEND A PAINTING PARTY FOR HABITAT FOR HUMANITY HOME OWNERS

On Saturday, August 6, 14 Nolanville Area volunteers came together to add a splash of color to a Habitat for Humanity new home build.

The Fort Hood Area Habitat for Humanity, a nonprofit affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International, first raised the walls on this project in November 2021.

Since then, the homeowners, other Habitat program applicants, and community volunteers have helped where they could to help with this project.



While the inside is still being worked on, the deep red paint on the outside is an encouraging reminder of what's around the corner for this family!

The City of Nolanville wishes to thank the volunteers that came out to help Habitat for Humanity and the Flores family. The enthusiasm and energy our residents have for this project are one of the main reasons that Nolanville is a "Great Place to Live."

Want more information on other Habitat for Humanity volunteer opportunities or City of Nolanville volunteer opportunities? Please send an email to our Outreach Coordinator at Jshidler@nolanilletx.gov or call us at 254-698-6335



August Community Spotlight:

MISHA JOHNSON: CITY OF NOLANVILLE COURT CLERK II



Misha Johnson of the Nolanville Municipal Court in Nolanville, Texas, has completed all the requirements for Level II of the Municipal Court Clerk Certification Program and was awarded the certification on July 25, 2022, by the Texas Court Clerks Association (TCCA) in conjunction with the Texas Municipal Courts Education Center (TMCEC), the Texas Municipal Courts Association (TMCA), and Texas State University-San Marcos. Ms. Johnson has served in the Nolanville Municipal Court since November 2017.

To qualify for level II certification, clerks must complete 40 hours of continuing education and pass a four-hour exam. Areas covered by the examination include legal research, ethics, fairness and diversity, processing cases, legal codes and statutes, records and case flow management, financial management, bond forfeitures, domestic violence, and computer literacy.

TCCA is a non-profit professional association of municipal and justice court clerks and administrators. Its purpose is to increase the proficiency of judicial administrators and clerical personnel through education and exchanging ideas. Founded in 1972, TCCA is an affiliate of the Texas Municipal League and offers its members various services and programs.

TMCEC is a project of the Texas Municipal Courts Association and is funded by a grant from the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals. TMCEC provides judicial and legal education for municipal judges, clerks, and prosecutors through monthly regional seminars and an (800) telephone line. TMCA is an association composed of municipal judges, clerks, prosecutors, and court support personnel. It monitors legislation, attorney general opinions, and changes in case law to ensure that the 918 municipal courts in Texas remain current on the law.

Thank you, Misha, for your service and commitment to the residents of Nolanville.

Spirit of Nolanville Award

JAMES WICKHAM: HILL COUNTRY TRANSIT DISTRICT (HOP)

During the August 18, 2022, Nolanville City Council Meeting, Mayor Andy Williams presented Mr. James Wickham from the Hill Country Transit District (The HOP) with a token of appreciation for his instrumental part in Nolanville's new partnership with the HOP.

The City of Nolanville has a big heart for taking care of our residents, who are a part of the underserved, underrepresented and vulnerable population. As of July 1st, a new door opened with The HOP that is allowing us to reach even more residents and freeing up our outreach staff to focus on other issues that impact these residents.

In June of 2022, City Manager Kara Escajeda and Assistant City Manager Crystal Briggs met with HOP officials Steven Beck and James Wickham to discuss a bus route that would come into the City limits for curb-to-curb transportation services. The City had a 2-week turnaround time to get this new service option advertised, and residents qualified, signed up, approved, and educated on this new opportunity.

The quick turnaround was made possible in part by team members at The HOP and our staff here at City Hall, but a special mention has been made of James Wickham, who was our main point of contact for all the calls and emails for the launch and upkeep of this new to Nolanville service.

Mr. Wickham quickly answered every question the City threw at him and in such a personable way, always reminding us that the questions were not a bother and that he was excited that they were able to bring this program to Nolanville finally.

The City of Nolanville thanks you, James, and The HOP. Your commitment to the City of Nolanville is one of the many reasons we continue to be a "Great Place to Live"



Central Bell County Fire & Rescue

HOST BACK TO SCHOOL BASH FOR COMMUNITY

Back-to-school time is here, and members of the Central Bell County Fire and Rescue (CBCFR) department in Nolanville helped to prepare and celebrate the students in a fun and informative way, with a back-to-school bash like none other!

Food trucks, bounce houses, bike riding, mascot characters, free snow cones, and raffles were just some of the fun happenings for this event.

Firefighters and Emergency responders alike were on hand to talk about fire safety and show off the equipment that keeps them safe on calls, such as turnout gear, helmets, and the engines that get them there.



The CBCFR is raffling off several handcrafted and donated items to raise funds for much-needed replacements of critical gear.

- One-of-a-kind personalized picnic table tickets for \$20
- Personalized corn-hole boards and scorekeeper Tickets for \$10
- 2 Mountain bikes, donated by King of the Mountains Cyclery Tickets for \$5

Think you missed your chance to purchase your raffle ticket? Well, you haven't! The CBCFR will continue to sell tickets until October 4th, and the drawing will take place at National Night Out. For more information on the prize items or how to purchase raffle tickets, call CBCFR at (254) 589-6036.

As a reminder, The CBCFR is made up of volunteers and always accepts applications for new candidates to join the cause. Volunteer first responders help their fellow citizens in times of need. No experience is needed, and training is provided. call CBCFR at (254) 589-6036.



Nolanville Police Department Prepares To Host Annual National Night Out



The City of Nolanville Police Department will once again host National Night Out on Oct. 4, 6:00-8 p.m. at Monarch Park 100 Gold Star Avenue in Nolanville, Texas. The event will have information tables, static displays of emergency vehicles, handouts, prizes, music, face painting, a dunk tank, and free food. Multiple organizations, government agencies, and community partners will be at this event to answer questions and meet community members.

National Night Out enhances the relationship between neighbors and law enforcement while bringing back a sense of community. Furthermore, it provides an excellent opportunity to get police and neighbors together under positive circumstances.

For more information, contact City of Nolanville Court Clerk Misha Johnson at mjohnson@nolanvilletx.gov



Nolanville Announces Contest For Residents Who Download and Use the My Nolanville App

Hey, did you know the City of Nolanville has its own app, and using it during the month of September could win you a \$25 Gift Card?

That's right! Starting September 1st until October 2nd, residents who download, register, and submit a concern or an idea using the My Nolanville App will be entered into a drawing for a \$25 HEB gift card. This drawing is open to all residents who report a concern each week, not just new users who download and use during the contest time. The only requirement is that you are a registered user on the app and you submit either a picture, voice, or text concern or idea. Residents may submit as many concerns or ideas as they wish but will only be given one entry for each week they participate.



The poster features the City of Nolanville logo at the top, followed by the word "CONTEST" in orange. Below that, "MY NOLANVILLE APP" is written in large blue letters, with "4 CHANCES TO WIN" in orange underneath. A blue banner says "FOLLOW THE RULES". Three numbered circles (1, 2, 3) contain the steps: 1. DOWNLOAD (The My Nolanville App available for free in Apple & Android app stores), 2. REGISTER (Create a free account with your email), and 3. SUBMIT (Report a concern or an idea using the camera feature at the bottom of the app). At the bottom, it says "SUBMIT AS MANY IDEAS OR CONCERNS AS YOU LIKE, BUT EMAIL WILL ONLY BE ENTERED INTO THE DRAWING ONCE PER WEEK." and "WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED EVERY MONDAY UNTIL OCTOBER 3RD, 2022".

Every Monday afternoon starting September 12th until October 3rd, one user from the following week's reports will be drawn randomly for a gift to be picked up at City Hall during business hours Monday – Friday 8 AM – 5 PM.

For questions regarding this contest or help with downloading and use of the My Nolanville Application, contact Jennifer Shidler at 254-698-6335 EXT 4 or via email at jshidler@nolanvilletx.gov

The City of Nolanville has partnered with CityFront Innovations on an application called My Nolanville that allows residents to report concerns, get up-to-date city information, and request city services.

With the free My Nolanville mobile app and web tools, Nolanville residents can now provide the staff with pictures, specific descriptions, exact locations, and more – valuable information needed to get the job done efficiently. In addition, The My Nolanville App provides City officials with a centralized management system to manage and rectify issues from creation to resolution with the ability to engage the citizens throughout the process.

The app is available for iPhone and Android users; search "My Nolanville" in their Apple or Google Play stores. You can also head here for step-by-step directions.



The banner shows a smartphone displaying the app interface. To the right, the text reads "My Nolanville App" and "Your City at Your Fingertips!". Below this is a "DOWNLOAD NOW" button and icons for the App Store and Google Play. The background is blue with faint icons of a wrench, a pencil, and a magnifying glass.

Fox Trot 5K & Train Whistle Jamboree Sponsorship Announcement:

GOLD LEVEL SPONSORS

We proudly announce our Gold Level Sponsors for the 2022 Fox Trot & Train Whistle Jamboree. We are so grateful for the support of all our sponsors who are committed to helping our community events be the absolute best for all who visit and call Nolanville home. Together, we are helping to make a positive and lasting difference in the lives of the members of our community.

Mililani Woods:



"A Rustic Venue and Reception Nestled in Central Texas on the border of Harker Heights and Nolanville, Mililani Woods LLC is a wonderful venue hosting many events from Weddings and Receptions; Birthday, Retirement, and Graduation parties; Music Concerts; and social benefits. Mililani Woods hosts many events to meet your needs at competitive and affordable rates. They offer a one-stop shop. They understand that not everyone can attend, so we offer complimentary high-speed wi-fi so that all loved ones may be able to participate if they choose, as well as a fully functioning and stocked kitchen. So give us a call and schedule a visit. You will be surprised. "E komo 'oukou iloko a kona 'i puka me ka Mililani!"

The Dead Fish Grill

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6th Annual Fox Trot 5K Is Right Around The Corner

Nearly three hundred community runners, joggers and walkers are expected to join at Nolanville City Hall at 9 am on Saturday, September 24, for Nolanville's annual Fox Trot 5K & 1K Color Run.

Presented by the City of Nolanville as part of the Cent-Tex Race Series will be a fun-filled, rain or shine event featuring a live 5K Run, a live 1K Color Run, and a virtual 5K & 10K. There will be a free Gladiator competition between the race finish and the awards presentation.

Participants who pre-register through September 14 on the race run website (here) will receive an official race shirt, a runners' bag, and a free taco at the finish line.

Race Day Registration begins at 8:00 am. Entry fees are \$20 before September 15 and \$25 after September 15.



Early packet pick-up for all pre-registered runners will be Friday, September 23, at City Hall, 101 North 5th Street, Nolanville, Texas 76559, Monday-Friday, 8 am-12 pm and 1 pm-5 pm.

Race-day packet pick-up and race-day registration will run from 7:30-8:45 am. Cash, check, and credit accepted.

"We are very excited to be celebrating our 6th Fox Trot race. This race brings more people together each year from the community," said Misha Johnson, City of Nolanville race coordinator. Past participants of the Fox Trot have consistently remarked about how excited they are each year for this event to come around."

The Fox Trot 5K shares the event stage with the Train Whistle Jamboree, which will take place later in the afternoon, also at City Hall. The Train Whistle Jamboree is a free community event with community vendors, food trucks, live bands, family games, bounce houses, petting zoos, and much more.

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