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## *Christmas in the Park*

The Christmas in the Park 2015 is getting closer! This year it will be held on the 2nd Saturday in December, on December 12, 2015. They are still looking for volunteers to help, as well as cake donations for the cake walk and can goods that will go to a local food bank that serves

Bevil Oaks residents. You can drop off can goods at City Hall during normal business hours. Dates to remember are:

- Nov. 21st—Decorate outside of the park: 1:00 p.m.
- Dec. 11th—Decorate inside of Civic Center: 9:00 a.m.
- Dec. 12th—CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK
  - Registration for parade: 11:00—12:00 p.m. (looking for floats, costumes, and more!)
  - Parade starts at 12:30 p.m.



Food collected for the food bank will be picked up at City Hall no later than Monday, December 14, 2015.

## *Watch The **BACK** of Your Water Bills!*

Keep an eye on the back of your water bills. With the mailing of the last newsletter, it took up to 3 weeks to reach some citizens. With such a delay, the majority of the information was then outdated. While we have informed the post master general, and requested an investigation into why it took so long to arrive only a few miles up the road, we cannot risk such delays with other newsletters that cost quite a bit to create, print and mail. Therefore, each month or so, we will post small tidbits of information on the back of your water bill, so keep an eye out! While we cannot control the post office, we will do whatever we can to keep the information getting out to the citizens.

**Thank you to all the first responders & citizens who helped during the recent flooding.**

**Our hearts go out to those who lost possessions, but thankfully no one lost their life.**

**Remember, TURN AROUND, DON'T DROWN**

## *Holiday Office Hours*

Hours throughout the holidays for City Hall/Water Department are:

**Thanksgiving:**

Wednesday, November 25: CLOSED @ NOON  
Thursday, November 26: CLOSED  
Friday, November 27: CLOSED



**Christmas:**

Wednesday, December 23: CLOSED @ NOON  
Thursday, December 24: CLOSED  
Friday, December 25: CLOSED



**New Years:**

Thursday, December 31: CLOSED @ NOON  
Friday, January 1: CLOSED



All other days will be regular hours, which are:

Monday—Thursday: 7:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.  
Friday: 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

## *Other Ways To Know What's Going On...*

There are several ways you can find out what is happening! Meetings and agendas will be posted on the bulletin boards at City Hall, Civic Center, and on the green board at the corner of Hwy 105 & Sweetgum, normally 72 hours in advance. Or, you can check us out online at the following:

**Website:** [www.CityofBevilOaks.com](http://www.CityofBevilOaks.com)

- Upcoming Events
- All City Ordinances
- Election Information
- Pay your water bill ONLINE!
- Much More...



**Facebook:** [\(Bevil Oaks City\)](https://www.facebook.com/Bevil-Oaks-City-158130964217794/) <https://www.facebook.com/Bevil-Oaks-City-158130964217794/>

## *May 7, 2016 Election News*

Keep an eye on the City bulletin boards, Facebook or the City website for updated information, as another newsletter will probably not be mailed before the below dates for the May 7, 2016 City Election:

To file for a place on the general election ballot:

Start Date: **Wednesday, January 20, 2016** End Date: **Friday, February 19, 2016**

Office Hours: Monday—Thursday 7:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.; Friday 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

### **Positions to be filled are:**

Ward 1, currently held by Bud Merendino

Ward 2, currently held by Fay Roberts

Ward 3, currently held by Sherry Adams

Last day to Register to Vote for this election: **Thursday, April 7, 2016**

First day of Early Voting: **Monday, April 25, 2016**

Last day of Early Voting: **Tuesday, May 3, 2016**

(Actual Early Voting days held inside the City of Bevil Oaks has NOT yet been determined)

## *Proposed Dumpster/Storage Container*

Go onto the City's website at [www.CityofBevilOaks.com](http://www.CityofBevilOaks.com) to review the upcoming proposed dumpster/storage container ordinance. Upon review the ordinance, let your individual council members know your thoughts, comments and concerns. You can also pick up a copy at City Hall during normal business hours.

## *2-1-1 The # to Dial When You Don't Know Who to Call*

2-1-1 is your link to health & community services

- A free help line answered 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- They are there to listen—in more than 90 languages. Trained specialists will help you find answers
- Quickly connecting you to helpful resources in your community
- [Www.211Texas.org](http://Www.211Texas.org)



2-1-1 Texas is a program of the Texas Health & Human Services Commission

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Water Department: 409-753-2126  
Email: bevilocks@att.net

Bevil Oaks is Online at:  
[www.cityofbevilocks.com](http://www.cityofbevilocks.com)

**City Clerks:**  
Kimberely Vandver & Naomi Fregia 753-1475  
**Emergency Management:**  
Don Smith 658-8220  
**Code Enforcement Officer:**  
Mike Collier 753-1475  
**Water/Sewer:**  
Office Hours: 753-2126  
Emergency AFTER Hours: 755-7377

<b>Becky Ford, Mayor</b>	753-1263
<b>Danny Fruge, Mayor Pro-Tem</b> Roads & Drainage; Grounds	753-3446
<b><u>Council Members:</u></b>	
<b>Sherry Adams, Ward 3</b> Secretary & Buildings	753-2474
<b>Michelle Nelson, Ward 2</b> Community Development	753-1475
<b>Dave Tevis, Ward 1</b> Street Lights & Signs	781-2071
<b>Bud Merendino, Ward 1</b>	466-3193
<b>Fay Roberts, Ward 2</b>	753-2163

Next JCESD #1  
Meeting:  
Tuesday,  
December 15, 2015  
@ 6:00 p.m.  
Firehouse

Next City Council  
Meeting:  
Thursday,  
December 17, 2015  
@ 7:00 p.m.  
Civic Center

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**7525 Sweetgum Rd.**  
**Beaumont, TX 77713**

**PRSRST STD**  
**US POSTAGE PAID**  
**SOUR LAKE, TX**  
**PERMIT NO. 3**

**RESIDENT**  
**RURAL ROUTE 1**  
**BEAUMONT, TX 77713**