The

VILLAGE

QUARTERLY NEWS



4th Quarter - October 2019

Holiday Villages of Livingston

PAVING THE WAY

The 2019 road construction has now been completed. Despite efforts by the BOD to get road crews back in for 2019, it appears we will have to wait until early Spring to continue work on roads and drainage. The road fund continues to grow and the coming year is expected to exceed 2019's accomplishments!

NEW FACE AT THE RANGER STATION

You may have noticed a new face at the Ranger Station. Please welcome our new Ranger. Her name is Chris!

LABOR DAY FUN

The Labor Day Fun Run was hot, but much fun was had by all! Your social event sponsors were able to raise around \$458 for the road fund. Property owners and guests were all treated to a street dance with a live band for the event. A special thanks goes out to Dan Todd for always allowing our bands to set up in his driveway for our street dances. Thanks to all who volunteered for the event.

FISH FRY HONORING OUR MILITARY, VETS AND FIRST RESPONDERS

Many thanks to all who volunteered to make our Fish Fry for our Military, Vets, and First Responders a huge success. A great time was had by all. The fish,

hush puppies, fries and side dishes were amazing. There was quite a crowd and so much food! A special thanks goes out to all the volunteers that provided the fish, hush puppies, and fries, cooked it all, set up the clubhouse for the event and cleaned up afterward. Too many names to list and we don't want to miss someone! Celebrating these amazing people who have dedicated their lives to keeping us safe every day is an honor. We thank you!





FALL IS HERE

Fall is here and we welcome the lower humidity and cool air! Cooler temperatures bring the desire to light our fire pits and burn those fallen leaves and limbs, but **PLEASE NOTE**: If we have a burn ban in effect in San Jacinto County there should be no burning of leaves, limbs, or pieces of wood or trash of any kind. IN TEXAS, local governments are empowered to take action on the behalf of those they serve. When drought conditions exist, a burn ban can be put in place by a county judge or county commissioners court prohibiting or restricting outdoor burning for public safety. If you are unsure whether a burn ban is in place for San Jacinto County, please go to the following website which is updated each week as to the counties that are under a burn ban: https:// tfsweb.tamu.edu/TexasBurnBans/

RAMPING UP THE RAMP

New concrete overlay was completed on the boat ramp and there will also be new roofing added to the fishing pier as well as cosmetic improvements to that area. The boat slips will also receive improvements by adding new wood and bumpers to the slips to help protect boats from being banged up while in the slips.





CRIME WATCH

Please be watchful for theft of portable propane tanks from RVs and secure your items with locks. Cameras are also encouraged. We continue to address crime. New cameras were installed and have helped resolve issues with damaged gates, unauthorized entry to our village and acts of vandalism. Please report all crimes to San Jacinto County Sheriff's Office.

COOL AT THE POOL

Renovations to the swimming pool entryway, the retaining wall and the fence have been completed. A new handrail and an emergency phone have been added in the pool area. And, thanks to some generous donors, some new chairs and umbrellas were also added around the pool.

POOL HOURS

The pool is still open, but hours were adjusted. It won't be long before the pool is closed for the season. Hours are 9:00 am till 6:45 pm Tuesday – Sunday.

The pool is closed on Mondays for cleaning with the exception of Holiday Weekends when the pool will be closed on the Tuesday following the Holiday.

CHILDRENS' PHOTOS REMOVED

We have taken measures to protect the confidentiality, security and integrity of all children in our Village. All photos of children have been removed from our website. Going forward we will need a MINOR PHOTO RELEASE FORM filled out for consent to post any pictures. The form will be posted under Permits / Forms on our website. Forms will be available at community events as well.

CLUBHOUSE RENTALS

Don't forget our Clubhouse is available to rent for special events, parties, weddings, and family reunions. Go to our website and click the information tab, or see Pam in the office for details.

WANT TO GET INVOLVED? *Volunteers are still needed*

The POA is still looking for volunteers for a committee made up of a group of people that will be on hand to help out with our POA events throughout the year. Examples of events are the Easter Egg Hunt; the Horseshoe, Cornhole & Washer Event that includes cooking Hot Dogs and Hamburgers; the Halloween Hay Ride; Meeting Santa Claus, (this is just to name a few). If we can get enough volunteers, we can share the duties so the same people aren't having to work every event. If you are interested, please send an email to:

<u>HVLOABOD@gmail.com.</u> Once we have a group of people that are interested, we will arrange a meet and greet and start planning our next event!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mark your calendars and watch for updates about our upcoming neighborhood events!

Oct. 26th - Kids only Hay Ride (for children 12 and under)

Oct. 26th – Adult Witch Hunt Fun Run

Nov. 9th – Veterans/Thanksgiving Dinner @ 4 pm

Dec. 14th – Cookies with Santa at the Clubhouse