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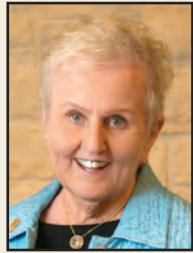


City offices are closed on July 4th. Trash and recycling will not be impacted.

EULESS TODAY

Dear Citizens,

Please join me in sending a heartfelt thank you to former Council Member Harry Zimmer. After 17 dedicated years of service



not only on City Council, but in various Boards and Commissions, he has decided not to seek re-election. Throughout his time, Harry has embodied unwavering commitment and exemplary leadership, continually striving for the betterment of our City. His efforts, coupled with his engineering mindset, have left an indelible mark on our community, enriching the lives of all our residents. Let us express our gratitude to Mr. Zimmer for his years of dedicated service.

With summer in full swing, the City has so many wonderful things to offer. Come out and visit our newly renovated Wilshire Park, then cool down by joining the amazing library staff for exciting programs this month. Among them, you will find scavenger hunts, Read to Me sessions, the All About Animals presentation, a visit from Mark9 Search and Rescue, and ScienceHero a captivating STEM experience.

Mark those calendars because you will not want to miss out on these no-cost educational and entertaining events.

Linda Martin

The Eules City Council

- Linda Martin Mayor
- Tim Stinneford Place 1
- Jeremy Tompkins Place 2
- Eddie Price Mayor Pro Tem
- Perry Bynum Place 3
- Harry Zimmer Place 4
- Tika Paudel Place 5



COMMUNITY NEWS 817-685-1400
www.eulesstx.gov

Wilshire Park Opening

The City of Eules is pleased to announce that the Wilshire Park renovations are complete. The park, located at 315 Sierra Drive, is now open. The park underwent renovations and enhancements can be seen throughout the park.

The finished project includes:

- New nautical themed playground
- A 600-square foot picnic shelter with four new picnic tables and a bike rack
- Three new picnic tables and pads
- A new restroom facility
- 53 new shade trees were planted
- New sod with an irrigation system were installed
- A new concrete trail that ties into the existing trail around the pond
- A new accessible ramp to the fishing pier
- A new parking area with lighting that has a capacity of 23 vehicles

The City of Eules would like to thank everyone for their patience on this exciting project. For more information on City parks, visit www.eulesstx.gov.



Aerial photographs of Wilshire Park during renovation

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Water Conservation

An irrigation system is a great option to have as a Texas homeowner. If your home already has a system, or you choose to install one, you may enjoy the benefits that come with it. An irrigation system plays a vital role in keeping all your flowerbeds and lawns looking their best. Now that it is summer, it is a good time to inspect and make sure your system is performing at its best. All heads should spray uniformly and pressure should be the same at all heads, if designed correctly. If this is not the case, check for a leak or clogged nozzles. As the temperature rises, it becomes more important to conserve water.

Ways to save water:

- To reduce water evaporation and waste, citizens are prohibited from watering outdoors from 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. year-round.
- Check when your systems are watering and limit landscape watering to two days each week.
- Plant native grasses and plants that are drought tolerant and require minimal water.
- Mulching all trees and shrubs with a 3” to 4” layer of mulch will help retain moisture and keep weeds away.
- Make sure your rain/freeze sensor is operating correctly. This shuts down the controller operation if moisture is detected and if temperatures drop below 35°.
- Adjust all heads so they spray the turf or beds and not the concrete. If water is running down the street, you may be over watering and might need to cut back your time.
- Most established lawns only need 1” of water each week.
- Using drip irrigation is a great way to reduce water loss due to evaporation. Drip irrigation applies water where it is needed and slowly enough that there is minimal run off.
- The best time to water is late evening or early morning when temperatures are cooler and the wind is minimal.

For any issues with your irrigation system, please contact a state-licensed irrigator to perform your repairs and installations. For watering tips, free irrigation checks and water smart videos, visit SaveTarrantWater.com or WaterIsAwesome.com.



Bedford-Eules Soccer Association Fall Registration

***Saturday, June 29, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Eules Family Life Center
300 W. Midway Drive***

Walk-in registration for the BESA fall league takes place at the Eules Family Life Center for new and returning players. For those who qualify, financial aid is available at this in-person event only; the aid is available on a first come, first serve basis. You can also register online from now through July 20 for children ages 3 to 18. For more information, please visit www.besasoccer.com.

Senior Center Highlights

***Independence Day Picnic
Wednesday, July 3, 11 a.m.
Senior Center***

Celebrate July 4th at a picnic with your friends! There will be games, music, and fun.

The Senior Center provides excellent resources to help seniors live an active life by focusing on programs that promote fitness and psychological well-being. Each month, there is a vast array of social activities to suit people of various interests. Here is just a sampling of the events that are available for adults age 60 or older. A valid Senior Center membership is required and you must register for each activity shown below.

Seniors Float the River
Every Friday in July, 9:30 - 11 a.m.
Eules Family Life Aquatic Park

Before the park opens, enjoy a slow ride in the 545-foot long lazy river, or relax on the lounge chairs beside the pool. Inner tubes are provided.



MARK9 Search & Rescue

*Friday, July 19, 2 - 3 p.m.
Mary Lib Saleh Eules Public Library
201 N. Ector Drive*

Bring your youngsters to the library to meet and learn about search and rescue dogs. Based in Mesquite, Texas, MARK9 Search and Rescue (SAR) is a non-profit organization that uses highly skilled K9s and handlers to locate missing people. It is comprised of volunteers who provide these services free of charge to Law Enforcement, Fire/Rescue, Parks and Wildlife, and other official agencies of any size. The team motto is, "Always Ready, Ever Able," so the team is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year.

Every Friday in July, the library is hosting special events for children of all ages. For more details, see the library's calendar on Eules's website, www.eulesstx.gov.

The Final Countdown for the HEB READS! 2024 Summer Challenge

The HEB Reads! Summer Reading Challenge ends on July 31! Keep on reading books and tracking your progress by downloading and using the Beanstack Tracker app, which is free in the Apple App Store or Google Play.

Count and record your reading minutes to receive these great prizes:

- Registration = Family Summer STEM Kit
- 250 Minutes = Reading bracelet and charm
- 500 Minutes = Coupons from Local Businesses and charm
- 1000 Minutes = FREE Book and charm
- 1500 Minutes = Aquatic Pass and charm
- 2000 Minutes = HEB Reads! Medal

All prizes are geared towards children, however, anyone who loves to read is eligible to participate. Visit the Mary Lib Saleh Eules Public Library to pick up your reading prizes and to check out more books to read. To find out more about the program, visit HEBreads.org or call 817-685-1480.

How to Keep Your Dog Calm During Fireworks

Whether for the Fourth of July, New Year's Eve, or another celebration, many dog owners deal with howling, barking, and generally anxious dogs during fireworks. It's even largely believed that Independence Day is the day when the highest number of dogs run away.

- Keep Your Dog Away From Fireworks
- Make Sure Your Pet Has Proper ID
- Create a Safe Haven For Your Dog
- Play White Noise
- Comfort Your Dog
- Walk Them Before the Fireworks Start
- Talk to Your Vet
- Consider Hiring a Trainer



4th of July Reminder

FIREWORKS ARE PROHIBITED IN THE CITY OF EULESS

Violators may be fined up to **\$2,000** per violation + Fireworks **confiscated**

Feeding Children During Summer Break

This summer, the HEB Independent School District is providing free meals for children ages 1 to 18. Students can visit the Eules Family Life Center, 300 W. Midway Drive, Monday through Friday until July 26 from 12 to 12:30 p.m. to receive a lunch. For more details, please call 817-399-2120.



Harry Zimmer Retires from City Council

After serving on the City Council for almost 10 years, Harry Zimmer has retired. He chose not to run for re-election for Place 5 in the May election. With his Master of Science and Engineering degrees from Stanford University, Mr. Zimmer has been a great asset to the Council.

Volunteering is important to Mr. Zimmer. In fact, his many hours of volunteer time earned him the 2023 Lifetime Contribution Award. Over the years, he has served on several City boards, including the Economic Development Advisory Board, the Housing and Structures Board, and the Zoning Board of Adjustments, among others. He focuses much of his community outreach through 6 Stones, a nonprofit organization, and he serves on the boards of the Chippeway Park Water Association and the Forest Pointe Estates Owners Association.

Mr. Zimmer and his wife, Diane, are avid supporters of the Mary Lib Saleh Eules Public Library, and are active members of the Eules Library Foundation.

The City of Eules wants to thank Former Council Member Harry Zimmer for his valued contributions to Eules and for his countless hours of dedicated service to our community.



How Economic Development Benefits You

One of the goals of the the Planning and Economic Development Department is to create long-term revenue sources for the City through retail sales. The establishments within Eules city limits provide sales tax revenue to the City, which in turn funds City services. Eules retailers and restaurants also create employment opportunities, as well as shopping and dining options for residents.

Glade Parks is a an excellent example of how Economic Development benefits the community. This 194-acre center features retailers, restaurants and a movie theater. Three of the newest additions to Glade Parks are: At Home, a big-box retail store specializing in home décor items; Kura Revolving Sushi Bar, a restaurant serving authentic Japanese cuisine on a conveyor belt; and Piada Italian Street Food, a restaurant focusing on authentic dishes made of simple, fresh ingredients.

It was recently announced that H-E-B is officially coming to Glade Parks South. The popular grocery store is projected to open in the second half of 2026.

2023 Annual Water Quality Report Now Available

Learn about the steps taken every day to provide you with a clean and safe water supply. The 2023 Annual Water Quality Report is now available online by visiting:
<https://www.eulesstx.gov/home/showpublisheddocument/3266>

Printed copies are available at the Eules Water Department, located at 201 N. Ector Drive. To request a printed copy, please email schristie@eulesstx.gov or call 817-685-1885.