

Directory Update

If your information has changed from last year or if you're new to the neighborhood, please fill out this form and return it to Tray LaCaze at 2221 Stevens Wood Lane. New directories will be printed in March.

Street Address: _____

Names: _____

Show as you would like to see names listed in the directory (yes, you can include pets).

Month/Year you moved to the neighborhood: _____

Phone number(s): _____

Please include (h) home, (w) work, (c) cellular, and the associated name, if multiple numbers.

Email address(es): _____

Please indicate (p) publication or (n) notification if email address(es) are to be used only for WKNA notifications.

Emergency Contact: _____

Name and phone number(s)

Birthdays: _____

Name with day/month - not for the directory but to maintain the neighborhood database.

	26	19	5	SA	
	25	18	4	FR	
	24	17	3	TH	
<input type="checkbox"/> recycling days	23	16	2	WE	
	22	15	1	TU	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> bulk trash week	21	14		MO	
	20	13		SU	
	19	12		SA	
	18	11		FR	board meeting
	17	10		TH	
	16	9		WE	
	15	8		TU	neighborhood night out - 7pm La Calle Dolce
	14	7		MO	
	13	6		SU	

Birthdays:
 1/19 Susan Whittier
 1/20 Steve Kemble
 1/22 Chuck Edwards



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WEST KESSLER
 NEIGHBORHOOD NEWSLETTER

A Note from the New WKNA President

I must start by acknowledging all of those neighbors who have served our neighborhood in the past year. Thanks to those outgoing block captains and committee chairpersons who will devote their time to other things: Bonnie Roberds, Laura Dorenbecker, Missy Carr, Nancy Smith, Mya Coursey and Wally Cox. I would like to thank Lynn LaCaze who has worked so hard as our secretary and Amanda Schlegel who gave much time as our treasurer. And of course a special thank you to David Cooper who served as our President. His shoes will be very hard to fill.

Looking forward, I have great confidence in those who have agreed to fill the various offices and committees. I guess I am now a "senior" neighbor, having lived in West Kessler for over 21 years. And the truth is, I can't imagine living any place else.

On a more serious note, we continue to have incidents of crime in West Kessler. Police presence seems to be on the increase. It is imperative that we all stay vigilant, report any criminal activity or suspicious persons to the police department. It is those reports that keep police coming to and moving through our streets. The crime watch group will meet again after the New Year. Your involvement and input is imperative to keeping our neighborhood safe. If you have any questions or comments about our Crime Watch, you can contact me by phone 214.943.2442 or email cotterstimson@sbcglobal.net or Steve Caruthers, our new crime watch chairperson. His email is stcatexas@yahoo.com and new home # 214. 943.3938, which should be connected soon.

I am honored to serve as your president and hope you all have a happy, safe and prosperous new year.
Donna Cotter

New Officers and Committee Leads:

President - Donna Cotter
Vice-President - Ron Forwark
Secretary - Miriam Andersen
Treasurer - Allen Haskell
Media - Tray LaCaze
Social Committee - Jacques, Kurt, and Ashley
Beautification - Hal Carr
Old Oak Cliff Conservation League - David Cooper
Oak Cliff Chamber - Bob Stimson
Crime Watch - Steve Caruthers and Jana Tidwell

Neighborhood Block Captains

Bison Trail - Earl Stewart
Hampton Road - Kirby Warnock
N. Oak Cliff Blvd., 600 Block - Leah Chandler
N. Oak Cliff Blvd., 700 Block - Stephanie Meadows
N. Oak Cliff Blvd., 800 Block & Kessler Woods - Joey Brock
Tenna Loma Ct., 600 Block - Terri DiCenzo
Tenna Loma Ct., 700 Block & Fouts Lane - Ron Forwark
Stevens Wood Ct. - Ashley Schultz & Jacques Groth
Stevens Wood Ln. - Martha Ingrum

Beautification Committee

Holiday yard of the season and winner of the \$50 Home Depot gift certificate was Jay Yancey and Bill Dilodovico at 900 Bison Trail. The trees were red and white striped just like giant candy canes. The beautiful tree in their foyer went up the ceiling with a dazzling display. The prize for the best street goes to Tenna Loma. There were many on the street and everyone did an excellent job. The beautification committee would like to thank everyone in the neighborhood who had a holiday display. We wish we could have given a prize to everyone because there were so many wonderful decorations.

Yard of the Month for January is the clean modern look of 806 North Oak Cliff Blvd., the home of John Hasty and Joey Brock.

Treasurer

Neighbors, it's that time of year again, we're collecting dues. As you know, dues are voluntary, but your generosity pays for all of our neighborhood activities, as well as the upkeep of the neighborhood gardens on Stevens Wood Ct, Tenna Loma and N. Oak Cliff Blvd; and the yard candy canes and flags. So, we urge you to give what you can.

Please drop off or mail the included self-addressed envelope with your dues by Jan 31, or contact me at 214-942-3124 with your dues. Thanks, Allen Haskell, 819 N Oak Cliff Blvd.



Holiday Candy Canes

Thank you to all the volunteers this year that helped distribute candy canes. The neighborhood looked very festive for the season. Special volunteers are: Donna Cotter, David Cooper, Allen Haskell, Earl Stewart, Jay Yancey, Bill Dilodovico, Maria Yancey, John Hasty, Lance Schlegel, Hal & Ali Carr and Ron Forwark.

NEIGHBORHOOD NIGHT OUT

La Calle Dolce

415 W. 12th Street

Tuesday, January 8th, 7 pm

RSVP to jgroth369@yahoo.com
by Monday, Jan. 7th.