



Pecan Plantation Newsletter

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CALENDAR:

Feb. 1:

Lot/Home rent due

Feb. 2:

Happy Groundhog's Day

Feb. 5:

Election clerk training

Feb. 8:

Water payments due.

STEAM Fair at S.M.H.S,

10am - 2pm

Feb. 14:

Happy Valentine's Day!

Feb. 17:

Happy President's Day!

Feb. 18:

Early voting starts for

Primary Election – vote in
Lockhart

Mar. 1:

Lot/Home rent due

Mar. 3:

Primary Election – vote in
Martindale

Mar. 7:

SMCISD Health Fair, 8-

11am, SMHS, Open to the
Public

Mar. 8:

Water payments due.

Mar. 27-30:

Annual heavy trash
dumpster

Apr. 1:

Lot/Home rent payment

Pecan Plantation Annual Garage Sale & Heavy Trash Dumpster:

Our annual community garage sale will be Saturday March 28. The office will advertise in Luling, Lockhart, and San Marcos newspapers and put out signs the night before the sale. If you plan to hold a sale at your house and have some items you would like us to mention in the sale ads, please call the office by March 12. We usually have about 10-15 sales that day so join the fun with your sale. Start collecting stuff now!

Part of the sale is our annual heavy trash dumpster. It will be delivered on Friday, March 27 and picked up early on Monday, March 30. So again start looking around your house, yard, and shed for items that you no longer need so that you can be ready. Tires, motor oil, paint, and other hazardous materials may not be put in the dumpster. There will be a separate trailer to put metal and TV's. Please be prepared to follow the rules on signs posted on the dumpster. Please call the office at 512-357-2627 with questions.

Please welcome these new neighbors to our community:

- Sandra Walker at 148 Cedar lot #71
- Jacob & Adriene Carney at 149 Elm lot #101

Alley Cleanup:

We are working diligently to clean street gutters and alleys of webworms and other debris as residents clean their lots this year. Thank you for bagging leaves and webworms and for piling branches neatly in the alley behind your house. Once the street gutter in front of your house is cleared, please remember to blow the street in front of your house if needed after you mow to help us keep the streets clear.

San Marcos High School Students:

Looking for a job? If you are age 16 to 18 (adults may also apply) and a U.S. citizen, you are eligible to work as an election clerk for the Texas Secretary of State's Office/Election Division. Bilingual clerks are especially needed. Salary is \$12 per hour for March & November elections. Contact the principal at San Marcos High School to learn more. Once you are trained, there will be other job opportunities available in the future.

Call Pam Ohlendorf, Caldwell County Elections Administrator, at 512-668-4347

to register for a training for election clerks on February 5 from 6-8 pm at 1403-C Blackjack Street in Lockhart. Trainings are also available online at www.sos.texas.gov. For Election Clerk Application and Parent Permission Form or information on a training in Lockhart later in February, call Carol Peters at 512-268-2610 or email capeters12@austin.rr.com.

Pecan Trees & Web Worms:

Thanks to a resident who researched the following information about our incredible 2019 webworm infestation due to an unusually dry season. Treating large, mature pecan trees in a home landscape like ours is not recommended since they can sustain such a level of infestation much better than younger smaller size trees.

There is no safe treatment to stop the spread of the worms or to prevent them from returning next year. Pecan Plantation has seen webworms for the past 25 years depending on where the adult stage moth decides to lay her eggs. Some years have been worse than others.

Spring Break for SMCISD is scheduled for March 16-20.