

January 2004

Happy New
Year from all
the officers
and personnel
working to
keep
DANWA
going
STRONG

Newcomers

This newsletter is especially
for you, our new neighbors.

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Dates to remember

1. **DANWA** Meetings are held
at Sunnyslane Southern Bap-
tist Church, 3900 Epperly,
7:00 pm, enter from the
North side middle of the
building on the Second
Monday of the Month.
(January 12)
2. C.E.R.T. GENERAL
TRAINING MEETING,
January 13, at 7:00 pm, Del
City Community Center.
3. Patrol Meeting—to be an-
nounced—7:00 pm— Del
City Courthouse



Del Aire Defender

Del Aire Neighborhood Watch Association
(DANWA)
P.O. Box 55558, Del City, OK 73115

From your DANWA President:

Howdy Folks:

Another year is upon us and for DANWA another fresh start. We have a new Executive Board to start the new year with. Come to meetings this year and support those you have elected to serve you in 2004. You have a new President, Vice President, Secretary, Assist. Treasurer and Patrol Captain, Jim Gordon remains as our Treasurer. Come to the meetings and make a difference by voicing your opinion.

Time to talk about the weather. The weather in Oklahoma always changes and this year is no exception. Snow is on its way and along with the snow comes ice. So as your past President I'm asking you to be careful out there when driving. Our children will be playing in the snow as usual, having fun and not watching out for any cars, so it is left to us to watch out for them.

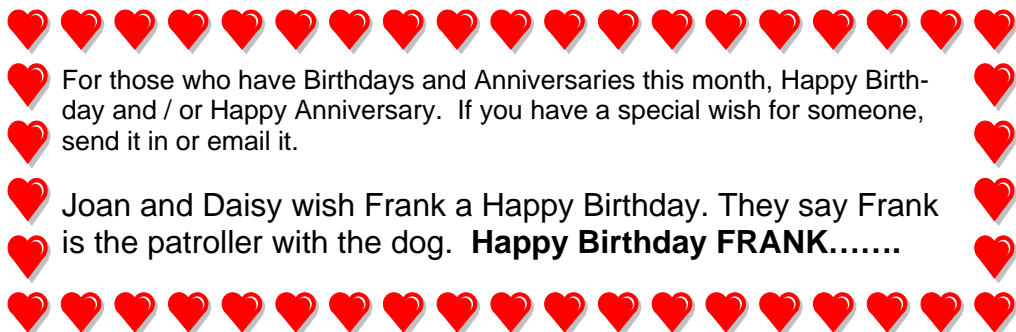
We still have projects in the mill for the year 2004. Getting the tractor (Farm Type) and trailer cleaned, painted and decorated for up coming activities within DANWA neighborhood and the Shriner's Parade. DANWA Yard of the Month contest. Plus other events/activities that would interest everyone.

I want to take this time to give a big THANK YOU to those Ladies and Gentlemen who served with me on the Executive Board for 2003, they did a bang up job, THANKS again for all your help in keeping DANWA running smooth.

Hope to see you at our next meeting 12 January, 2004 at 7:00 PM @ Sunnyslane Baptist Church just north of Townsend School.
Happy New Year,

Your Past President,

Dennis



For those who have Birthdays and Anniversaries this month, Happy Birthday and / or Happy Anniversary. If you have a special wish for someone, send it in or email it.

Joan and Daisy wish Frank a Happy Birthday. They say Frank is the patroller with the dog. **Happy Birthday FRANK.....**

DEL CITY TORNADO MEMORIAL.

Looks like they did some fresh digging this month.

Did you know that the City of Del City has announced it is now accepting donations and the design is underway for the next phase of the Sooner Road Memorial Trail to honor local victims of the 1999 tornado. Construction on a granite memorial bearing the names of the six Del City residents killed by the May 3, 1999 tornado has been scheduled to begin next summer along the recreational trail that extends along S. Sooner Road. Mayor Linley said the memorial is a tribute to the survivors as well. Likely the memorial will be erected near the midway point. Benches, flagpoles and lighting are also planned.

For more information: 671-2812

If you are interested in donating to this wonderful project, please send the donations to:

Economic Development Director Judy Gordon

City Hall, P.O. Box 15177

Del City, OK 73155

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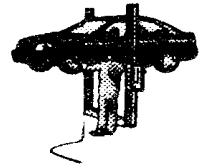
**Articles and ads for the
NEWSLETTER, the DEADLINE is
changing to the 3rd Saturday of
the month effective the January 2004
newsletter. This should help us be
able to get the letter out by the first of
the month!!!**

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**This months printing is again courtesy of the
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The Christmas dinner at Orval Ray Tower was a complete success. All in attendance had a ball. Good food and good fellowship. I understand the beans were real good.....too!

**Something new may be coming to DANWA, YARD OF THE MONTH.....
Could it be you? Of course it could....**

The fine boys from Troop 60 provide the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag at our meetings. DANWA was presented with some candy filled cups and the Membership reciprocated with some Gift Certificates to the scouts who have been participating in this wonderful project. THANKS to you Young Men and we look forward to another fine year of your presentations.

DANWA Officers - email for patrol and newsletter

Mike Hucks—President—672-2940

Frank Jones—Vice President—677-8102

Sharon Hendricks—Secretary—677-1886

Jim Gordon—Treasurer—672-6705

Rose Mary Bolton—Asst. Treas.—670-3690

Jimmie Hendricks—Patrol Captain—677-1886

Email: ssnilla@aol.com

John Hirsh—Asst. Patrol Captain—670-3971

Joe Satterwhite—Newsletter Editor—672-0409

Email: danwanews@cox.net

District Captains: These are the people responsible for getting your newsletters to the block captains for delivery.

District 1: Steve Gold—670-2878

District 2: Ron McCall—677-7923

District 3: Jim Gordon—672-6705

District 4: John Hirsch—670-3971

We need people to help pass out the newsletter:

(It only takes about 20 minutes and is good exercise, even in this cold weather we have.)

1. Between Sunnyslane and Epperly on S.E. 37th

If interested call Ron - 677-7923

2. From Angela Circle to Oakbrook Dr.

If interested call John—670-3971

TROOP 60 Scout Corner



ON A TROOP NOTE.....

"Thank You DANWA!"

That is what the volunteers at the Mid Del Food Pantry said when we delivered over 80 bags of food from the food drive last month. I was also overwhelmed at the contributions for the 'hood. I didn't think we would have such a turn-out so I recruited only 1 scout to help collect the food. As it turned out I ran Cole ragged. Up and down all the driveways with bags full of food. Some bags were heavier than he. Thanks Cole! If you didn't get a bag or didn't have a chance to donate any food, please feel free to bring your donation down to our scout meeting on Tuesday night or to the DANWA meeting

Troop 60 participated in the Veterans Day Flag retirement ceremony where they formally retired over 750 Flags. It was a big turnout with well over 250 people in attendance. You can see a couple of pictures at, http://members.cox.net/btphotos2/sc_btnov03.htm

John S.



Crime Stats—October 2003

Larceny Reported: 0

Vandalism Reported: 0

Auto Burglary: 2

43xx Wofford on 11/3/03, window busted—stereo removed.

47xx Princess on 11/16/03, around 8:30 am

Residence Burglary Reported: 2

44xx Mickey Road 11/7/03, 1:15 pm—3:30 pm

44xx S.E. 38th, 11 pm—7:20 am, purse missing

From the DANWA Patrol Captain

Hello neighbors, hope all is going well. I hope you all had a great holiday season. This will be the last article you will see from me for I am not holding any office this year. I hope that the past articles have been informative and enjoyable. I will still be out there patrolling our neighborhood two nights a week and I hope you will support the new officers as you have supported me. It has been a pleasure to serve the organization as an officer, but it is time for some new blood in there for a while. Volunteering of one's time cannot be more rewarding and that is why after all these years I still enjoy it. This is where I live so I strive to make it a better place to live. I will still see you out there so remember to give all these wonderful volunteers out here giving of their time a wave.

John Morris

The DANWA newsletter welcomes Jimie Hendricks as the new Patrol Captain,

Jimie Hendricks, Patrol Captain-677-1886

Patrol email:ssnilla@aol.com

Advertisers, in the corner of your advertisement there is a date (1/04 or similar). That is the last month your which your ad is paid up to. The Editor

Please take a moment out of your busy schedules to remember the families and friends of our American soldiers who have been killed or injured serving their country in the conflict in Iraq. If you are interested in seeing the list of soldiers that have given their lives, please click on this link.

<http://www.foxnews.com/story/0,2933,82432,00.html>

Thinking of you during this holiday season.

Marsha

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Candied Sweet Potato Casserole

(Prep Time 15 minutes Cook time 55 minutes)

½ cup firmly packed brown sugar,
divided
2 teaspoons orange juice
2 teaspoons **McCormick® Pure Vanilla Extract**
1 ½ teaspoons **McCormick® Pumpkin Pie Spice**,
divided
3 pounds sweet potatoes, peeled and
cut into 1-inch pieces
4 tablespoons butter or margarine,
divided
¼ cup all-purpose flour
½ cup chopped pecans
2 cups miniature marshmallows

1. Preheat oven to 375°F. Mix ¼ cup brown sugar, 2 tablespoons orange juice, orange juice, vanilla and 1 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice in a large bowl. Add sweet potatoes, toss to coat. Transfer to a 13 x 9 inch baking dish. Dot with 2 tablespoons butter. Cover and bake 45 minutes or until potatoes are slightly tender.
2. Meanwhile, mix flour, remaining ¼ cup brown sugar and ½ teaspoon pumpkin pie spice in a medium bowl. Cut in remaining 2 tablespoons butter with a fork until crumbly. Stir in pecans and marshmallows.
3. Remove casserole from oven and stir gently, to coat potatoes in syrup; top with marshmallow-crumb topping. Bake, uncovered, another 7—10 minutes or until potatoes are tender and marshmallow topping is golden brown.

Makes 10 (¾ cup) servings.

From your President-elect

Hello Neighbors,

I would like to thank all the members of the Executive Board for their service during 2003. During the past year DANWA has been well represented. I look forward to 2004 to serve as your President and working with the other members of the Executive Board. I hope our neighbors and friends will support the new board members and DANWA. We have a lot of experience within the neighborhood watch association. For those that don't know me, I've been DANWA's Patrol Captain, Secretary, a Patroller and Base Operator. I'm also a Red Cross Volunteer, teaching CPR and a field training officer for their Disaster Action Team.

I hope the holidays were enjoyed by all. The Christmas lights around the neighborhood looked great. I look forward to seeing our neighbors being recognized for all their time and hard work in putting up the displays. Outstanding job by all. Please join us on January 12, 2004 at Sunnyslane Southern Baptist Church for our monthly association meeting. DANWA is hoping to keep this neighborhood a safe place to live and raise our families.

Mike Hucks, President 2004

TOWNSEND ELEMENTARY PAPER RECYCLING PROGRAM

When: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. (24/7)

Where: The recycling bins are located on the north side of the school by the gym, you can't miss them. They are bright yellow and green.

What is accepted: Newspapers, junk mail, catalogues, lightweight cardboard, flyers, construction paper, shredded office and computer paper, and magazines.

What is not accepted: Phone books, corrugated cardboard, plastics, steel cans, aluminum cans, glass, or any non-paper products.

Our school will earn money for this project through ABITIBI consolidated recycling. We will also be eligible to receive a bonus at the end of the school year.

Our Townsend students are also learning a valuable lesson about recycling and protecting our environment for the future

Thank you for your help and participation in this neighborhood project.



Recycling for our children's future!

DANWA Fine Nine

Tis the Season

DANWA Fine Nine

- - - - We will be calling you to come to the next meeting to receive your award - - - -

Our winning members will be listed in this column next month.

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5/04


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Editor's note:

Join me and **welcome** the **new DANWA Officers** noted on page 3. Our hats off to the past officers for a **job well done!** We certainly appreciate your volunteer time. The short time I have worked with them has been inspiring to say the least.

My new year resolution - - is to get this newsletter out on or before the first of the month for which it is written.

WARNING!!!! Again, watch out for cars from the other direction that might be running the red light....**Don't become a casualty of a Red Light Runner!**

GPS corner.... I understand the Boy Scouts are working with the Police Department in trying to locate storm shelters. We are still waiting on a little more information from the City Manger and Mayor on what their plans are. Hopefully in a few weeks we will all know. In the meantime, let me know what you think about the idea.....

From my family to yours, we hope you have a Prosperous and Happy New Year !!!!!

Joe