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you are having a
GREAT
summer for 2004

Del Aire Defender

Del Aire Neighborhood Watch Association (DANWA)
P.O. Box 55558, Del City, OK 73155

AUGUST 2004

From your DANWA President:

Hello Friends and Neighbors,

August is here and summer will soon be over for all the school children. Schools will be starting this month so be watchful of all the children walking and riding the school buses. Drivers need to watch the speed zones in front of schools and all the buses picking up students. Lets make this school year a safe one for everyone. Parents, watch around the schools for people that may want to harm our students. Last year, there were numerous attempts around the metro of abductions. Students need to walk in-groups when possible and watch each other make it home safely. Report anything you see to the school and police so they can take action to prevent any harm to the students. This may be a good time to review some abduction prevention and other safety items related to school.

Don't forget August 3rd is National Night Out. This year our city neighborhood watch groups are planning an October date to get together for National Night Out due to the heat here in Oklahoma. For the past two years we have gone to Eagle Lake and had events there. Keep watching the newsletter and channel 20 for events planned for October.

Hope to see you at the meeting August 9th and if you see a patroller pass your house wave and say thanks for helping keep our neighborhood safe.

Mike

Have you looked at the web site lately?

www.danwa.org

Dates to remember

1. **DANWA Meetings** are held at Sun-nylane Southern Baptist Church, 3900 Epperly, 7:00 pm, enter from the North side of the building on the Second Monday of the Month. (Aug 9th)
2. **C.E.R.T. GENERAL TRAINING MEETING**, at 7:00 pm, Del City Community Center. (Aug 10th)
3. **Patrol Meeting**—third Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm— Del City Courthouse (Aug 19th)



Have you lost a cat?

Pete found one! It is Grayish, Blackish color with a little tan. It is between 2 and 3 years old and has yellowish Green eyes. It was found in the area of 33rd and Holiday.....Pete has taken great care of the animal and hopes the owner is in our area and will contact him very soon. The cat probably would like to go home..... CALL Pete at 672-1748

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Sometimes winning is like a lottery, you can't win if you don't enter. Be a part of our team and join DANWA. We are out there helping watch properties and detouring some crime.

Found

**A Very Friendly
Bird**

If you lost a bird recently, call

677-7917

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. Editor

A **special** Happy Birthday to Sumie Morgan

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Crime Stats-

Larceny Reported:

Vandalism Reported:

Auto Burglary Reported:

Residence Burglary Reported:

Always be on the watch for suspicious happenings

There will be a two month report next newsletter.

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DANWA Programs

Townsend Elementary projects

Orval Ray Towers visits

National Night Out special events

DANWA Kids ID

Safety Fairs

Support Del City parades

Halloween patrol with glow sticks for safety

Assist Fire and Police Departments in times of emergencies (accidents, Fires and missing Children, etc...)

Vandalism cleanup

Vacation house watch

Supports Boy Scout Troop 60

A DC-10 had come in a little hot and thus had an exceedingly long roll out after touching down.

San Jose Tower noted: "American 751, make a hard right turn at the end of the runway, if you are able.

If you are not able, take the Guadalupe exit off Highway 101, make a right at the lights and return to the airport."

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ON A TROOP NOTE.....

Scout Corner

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drive this summer.** You can check
dates at <http://members.cox.net/jslize9879/>

[Page1.htm](http://members.cox.net/jslize9879./page1.htm) then scroll down to Alum. Cans.

Hi neighbors.

Well we made it through summer camp. Had rain for a
couple of hours on Monday, then again on Tuesday -
Wednesday. It did stop for us to finish some merit
badges, skill training, and swimming. Some merit
badges earned were swimming, shotgun, communications
and one earned lifesaving. Even with the rain we did
good.

We are planning a boring summer with a weekend at
Turner Falls, boating on T'Bird, and a rocket launch
when the wind dies down.

We have openings for 3-4 new scouts in the Troop due
to moves. If you are interested in Scouting, give me
a call.

Aluminum can drive. I want to thank all for the cans
we have collected so far this summer drive. The fol-
lowing are the scheduled days for curb side pickup.
August 14 & 28, Sept 11.

Any Questions, call John at 672-0633

John S. Scout Master

Editor's note:

Have internet access? Go to DANWA.org and see what DANWA is doing. Also, there are links to the boy scout's site to
see what they are doing too. **CHECK 'EM OUT!!!**

If you aren't a DANWA member, one thin dollar a month will allow you to become one. Elsewhere in this newsletter, one
of the officers is providing what DANWA does. Note the DANWA programs on page 2. Note the difference in Crime
rates as opposed to some years back.....we help the Del City police, we help detour outsiders looking for something to
take that isn't theirs. Neighborhood watches help detour crime. Become a contender for the "yard of the month" pro-
gram. Help out as a Patroller. Pass out the newsletter. There are many things one can help do and it only takes a little
time out of one's busy month to be a proud member. Fill out the application and start volunteering. We appreciate you.

We visited our Granddaughter in California for her second birthday during the first part of the month
and our Son, Shaun, sends "Hello's" to all his friends and acquaintances here in Del City. He
spent 7 years in the Air Force and landed a good career in Heating, Air Conditioning and Duct work
in Central/Upper California. He likes the work and the atmosphere out there. *Joe*

From the Patrol Captain Desk

Hello friends and neighbors,

We are into the dog days of summer (that means it's hot). The patrollers have concerns with the children that are out riding their bikes. They recommend a little guidance from parents on the use of good sense to be aware of their surroundings. Bike riders on the city streets should stop at stop signs and ride in a straight line not weaving all over the street. Please help your children to learn the rules of the road and that will help them return to school in the fall without serious injuries. Drivers please be careful on our streets because there are children at play. I want to give a safety tip on heat and the affects that can happen to us. Please watch out for our neighbors and those of us that think we are 25 but really over the magic number of 55. **Heat exhaustion and heatstroke:** Heat exhaustion occurs when a person cannot sweat enough to cool the body. It generally develops when a person is working or exercising in hot weather. Symptoms of heat exhaustion include fatigue, weakness, headache, dizziness, or nausea, and skin that is cool, moist, pale, or flushed. Mild cases of heat exhaustion can be treated at home. Heat exhaustion can sometimes lead to heatstroke, which requires emergency treatment. Heatstroke occurs when the body fails to regulate its own temperature and body temperature continues to rise, often to 105 °F (40.56 °C) or higher. A person with heatstroke may stop sweating. Symptoms of heatstroke include confusion, delirium, or unconsciousness, and skin that is red, hot, and dry, even under the armpits. **Heatstroke is a life-threatening medical emergency.** Classic heatstroke can develop without exertion when a person is exposed to a hot environment and the body is unable to cool itself effectively. In this type of heatstroke, the body's ability to sweat and transfer the heat to the environment is reduced. Classic heatstroke may develop over several days. Babies and older adults are most at risk. People with chronic health problems are also at risk. Exertional heatstroke may develop when a person is working or exercising in a hot environment. A person with heatstroke from exertion may sweat profusely, but the body still produces more heat than it can lose. This causes the body's temperature to rise to high levels. Both types of heatstroke cause severe dehydration and can cause body organs to stop functioning. Emergency medical treatment is needed to prevent death. **Preventing** heat stroke and related conditions is always the best advice. Remember these tips and you will be able to enjoy the warm summer or at least tolerate it without life threatening problems.

Wear loose-fitting, lightweight, light-colored clothing

Limit vigorous activity during hot, humid weather

If you have to exercise in the heat, start with brief workouts and increase them gradually over two weeks or more. Try to schedule your vigorous exercise during cooler morning or evening hours.

Drink plenty of water, before, during, and after exercise. Drink more than you need to satisfy your thirst.

Also, remember drinks such as soda and coffee have caffeine and can actually rob your body of fluids so drink these sparingly.

Avoid alcohol before, during, and immediately after you exercise. Alcohol causes you to lose more fluid than you consume.

Talk with your doctor about any medications you are taking, prescription and over-the-counter, and how they may interfere with you body's ability to regulate temperature. Some of these include gastrointestinal drugs containing atropine (Donnatal); antidepressants or antipsychotics (Thorazine, Haldol, Prozac); antihistamines (Benadryl); certain cardiovascular medications including betablockers (Blocadren) and diuretics (Diuril); and Parkinson's disease medications. If you use any of these medications, be especially careful to limit your exertion and drink plenty of water during hot, humid weather.

Be smart and anticipate what you will need to avoid problems with the heat. The long hot summer is a welcome change from snow and sleet, so enjoy it!

Have a wonderful month, till next time.

Jimie Hendricks

Patrol Captain—677-1886

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DANWA READER'S CORNER:

- ♦ Another reader commends those who go out of their way and volunteer to mow any of the areas around our city to help keep it looking good! We again thank the person or people who are maintaining the Del View entrance from Sooner and mow behind or beside their homes in the path areas or even help clean the pathway of pebbles to help make it smooth walking/riding/skating. It really looks nice and neat when that happens. Sometimes the City just can't get around quick enough to get things done and it really shows when folks take a little time and pride to mow or weed-eat the areas. This is another part of helping Del City look GOOD!!! Take a look around and see if there isn't something that you would like done and help do it.

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The following are accounts of actual exchanges between airline pilots and control towers from around the world.

While taxiing at London Gatwick Airport, the crew of a US Air flight departing for Ft. Lauderdale made a wrong turn and came nose to nose with a United 727.

An irate female ground controller lashed out at the US Air crew, screaming: "US Air 2771, where the heck are you going?! I told you to turn right onto Charlie taxiway! You turned right on Delta! Stop right there. I know it's difficult for you to tell the difference between C and D, but get it right!"

Continuing her rage to the embarrassed crew, she was now shouting hysterically: "Gee Whiz! Now you've screwed everything up! It'll take forever to sort this out! You stay right there and don't move 'til I tell you to! You can expect progressive taxi instructions in about half an hour and I want you to go exactly where I tell you, when I tell you, and how I tell you! You got that, US Air 2771?"

"Yes ma'am," the humbled crew responded. Naturally, the ground control communications frequency fell terribly silent after the verbal bashing of US Air 2771. Nobody wanted to chance engaging the irate ground controller in her current state of mind. Tension in every cockpit out in Gatwick was definitely running high.

Just then an unknown pilot broke the silence and keyed his microphone, asking: "Wasn't I married to you once?"



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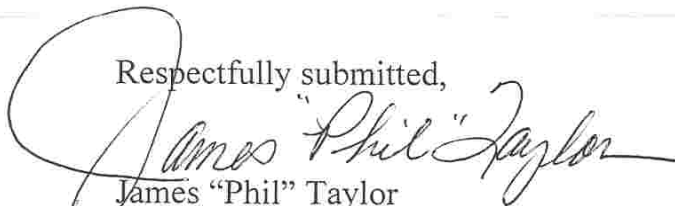
I meet with all six representatives of our neighborhood watch associations every month to exchange a variety of information. I have noticed an increase of incidents where citizens feel that if they call their local police department their identity as a reporting party will be revealed to the person(s) that are engaged in causing the problem or nuisance.

I wish to convey to all citizens that any police officer(s) responding to a call of this nature will not divulge your name or address to others as the reporting party.

Please be aware that calling the president or patrol captain of your neighborhood watch association will only cause a delay for police response for assistance.

If a person is adamant in knowing the identity of the complaining party then all officers and dispatchers have been directed to have them contact my office or the Deputy Chief, John Smith.

Respectfully submitted,


James "Phil" Taylor
Chief of Police

JPT/cfw

Cc: All Police Personnel
City Manager
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