

# Del Aire Defender

Del Aire Neighborhood Watch Association (DANWA), P.O. Box 55558, Del City, OK 73155  
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**Keep our neighborhood  
safe. Report any  
suspicious activity to the  
Del City Police  
677-2443.  
You may remain  
anonymous.**

## **From your President:**

Hello Friends and Neighbors,

First of all I want to thank you for electing me President of Danwa. Also I want to thank the Officers of last year for a job well done. Couldn't have done it without you.

I look forward to working with the Executive Officers and our Danwa Members.

I am also a Patroller and look forward to seeing our members at our meetings. So come and check us out to see what we are doing for our Community.

We hold our meetings the 2nd Monday of the Month, at Sunnyslane Southern Baptist Church, 3900 Epperly, 7:00 pm.

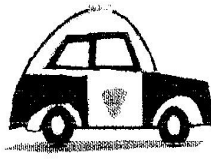
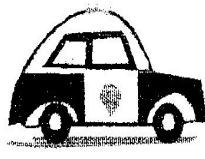
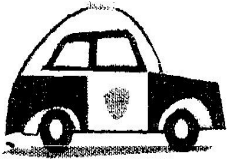
Also was very impressed with all the Christmas Decorations, everyone done an outstanding job.

We would like to invite everyone to get involved with Danwa to keep our neighborhood a safe place for our children and families. We appreciate all the help we can get.

Thanks, U r H P du|

Dates to remember

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



**Crime Stats- December 2004**

Del Aire Area had a good month for a change.

**Resident Burglary (2)** reported

39xxKim 12/13/04 8:45 AM- 12:30 PM

42xx SE 42 12/ 17/04 11 PM

**Vandalism (0)** reported

**Auto Burglary (0)** reported

**Larceny (0)** reported

**Let's keep our eyes and ears open, it helps.**

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patrol and newsletter**

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**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 Highfill—677-5044

District 4: Yvonne Hirsch—670-3971

**NEWCOMER to Del City?**

We welcome you with open arms and want you to know that we are here to help you if you need us. This is a volunteer organization and we welcome those who want to help.

**NEED BLOCK CAPTAIN** for 41st from Epperly to Sunnyside and 40th from Epperly to Sunnyside. Contact Jim at 677-5044.

**NEED BLOCK CAPTAIN** for Newport between Vickie and Delview - - Contact Steve at 670-2878. The block captain responsibilities are to take the newsletter to the door of the homes in his area to make sure our newsletter gets distributed to our people. Easy job, good exercise.



## TROOP 60 Scout Corner

<http://Members.cox.net/jslize9879./page1.htm>

ON A TROOP NOTE.....

John S.  
Troop 60

### City of Del City

**Press Release – December 28, 2004**

Memorial Trail Monument

The City Council would like ideas for the design of a monument to be erected along the Memorial Trail located on Sooner Road between SE 29<sup>th</sup> and SE 44<sup>th</sup> Street. A dedication ceremony is being planned for the 5<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the May 3, 1999 tornado next year.

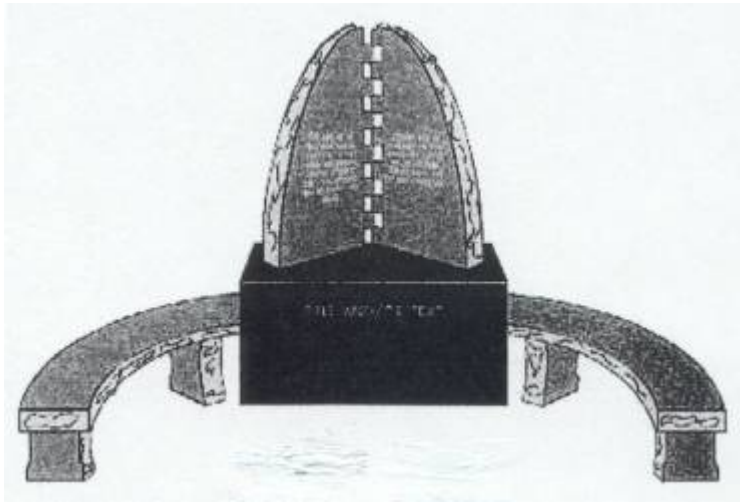
The existing one-mile trail was funded by a donation from Grubbs Construction who conducted the cleanup after the tornado destroyed over 500 homes in the Del Aire Neighborhood. A requirement for the acceptance of the donation was for the City to erect a monument.

The monument area was incorporated into the trail in the original design donated by Don Vick of JGVE Engineering. The monument area is located off Sooner Road at Del Aire Drive where the trail loop will provide access to view the monument.

There have been many contributors to the recovery and rebuilding efforts. The Memorial will honor those who lost their lives and the many contributors.

The City is currently looking at a four-piece granite unit that includes (2) benches, a pedestal with a sculpture mounted on the pedestal base. The unit is Oklahoma red granite with a black granite base.

The broken rock being put back together and the black base may provide some symbolism of the event and the rebuilding and getting lives back together. Order time for this piece is three months.



Benches: 5'7" long  
(each section)  
Base: 4.5' wide x 2' high  
Sculpture: 28" wide  
(each section) x 4'4" high

**For Sale:** All wood, 5 matching chairs, oval dining table, cherrywood in color, and China Hutch. \$300. Call 672-0409

## ***From the Desk of the Patrol Captain***

Hello Friends and Neighbors,

Here it is February already, time really flies. The weather has given us a shot at cold and some unusual warm. It sure makes it hard to figure out what clothes to wear. I feel proud of our police as their investigation of the many resident burglaries, has produced results. The charges being filed are for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> degree burglary, possession of stolen property.

Those detained are one adult and six juveniles in the age range of 13 to 16 years of age. Things that provided assistance to the Police Department was residents being observant of things not looking just right and reporting this to the police.

As I have tried to emphasize in the past, if we are aware of what is going on around us and question things that appear strange or suspicious to us. We will have a good chance of preventing some criminal activities, and helping solve other wrong doing. I hope you will join me in watching as we move about within our neighborhood.

We are just coming upon the **1<sup>st</sup> of March membership renewal** time. Please do not be left behind as this time comes and goes. Please think about volunteering some time to sever your neighborhood and community.

**Jimie Hendricks**

**Patrol Captain—677-1886**

**Email: [ssnilla@aol.com](mailto:ssnilla@aol.com)**

### **Questions or concerns about our City:**

Del City Mayor 671-2800

Public Works Dir. 671-2872

Street Maintenance 671-2872

Code Enforcement 671-2817

Police Dept. Non-Emergency 6772443

State Representative Kevin Calvey 557-7370

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## FOG: That's Fats Oils and Grease.

Please note the inserts about "Fat-Free Sewers".  
A few tips for the season:

Don't put food juices and drippings down the drain. They don't go very far before the grease solidifies and begins to adhere to the wall of the sewer pipes, both yours and the City's.

Allow juices and drippings to cool and then put into the used plastic or glass bottle that can be resealed. Place the container in the trash.

If the plumbing in your home begins to run slow or backs up, call the City sewer line maintenance department before you call a private plumber. There is no charge for the City service but there will likely be a charge for a private plumber to check out the problem.

In Del City, the 24-hour a day sewer line maintenance number is 671-2878. After regular work hours the system pages out and on call operator; after you leave a message.

On behalf of the **Del City Public Works Department** we hope you and your family have a very happy and safe Holiday Season.

I missed putting this information in the December/January newsletter but it is important for you to know that when the temperatures drop, different things start to happen, even underground. (editor)

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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

## **YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD REALTOR!!**

**Just around the corner and a phone call away! My name is Nikii Hubbs and I live on Angela Dr. in your neighborhood. I work with Sharon Moore and Shauna Stover. Thinking about selling or buying a home, just give us a call!**



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**Re/Max Metro Group**

**737-0202 Ext. 245**

**Sharon Moore**

**Nikii's Cell → 831-7563**

**Shauna Cell → 640-1062**



# Helping to prevent sewer overflows and backups is easy.

## Where does the grease come from?

A byproduct of cooking, grease comes from meat fats, lard, oil, shortening, butter, margarine, food scraps, baking goods, sauces, and dairy products. When washed down the sink, grease sticks to the insides of sewer pipes (both on your property and in the streets). Over time, it can build up and block the entire pipe.

*Caution:* Home garbage disposals do not keep grease out of the plumbing system. Products, such as detergents, that claim to dissolve grease may pass it down the line and cause problems elsewhere.

## The results can be:

- Raw sewage overflowing in your home or your neighbor's home;
- An expensive and unpleasant cleanup that often must be paid for by you, the home or business owner;
- Raw sewage overflowing into parks, yards, and streets;
- Potential contact with disease-causing organisms; and
- An increase in operation and maintenance costs for local sewer departments, which causes higher sewer bills for customers.

## What restaurant and building owners need to know about grease traps or interceptors:

For a grease trap or interceptor to work correctly, it must be properly:

- Designed (sized and manufactured to handle the amount that is expected);
- Installed (level, vented, etc.); and
- Maintained (cleaned and serviced on a frequent basis).

Solids should never be put into grease traps or interceptors. Routine, often daily, maintenance of grease traps and interceptors is necessary.

## What you can do to help:

Help prevent sewer overflows by:

- Never pouring grease down sink drains or into toilets;
- Scraping grease and food scraps into a can or the trash for disposal (or recycling where available);
- Putting baskets/strainers in sink drains to catch food scraps and other solids, and emptying them into the trash; and
- Speaking with your friends and neighbors about how to keep grease out of sewers.

