

Del Aire Defender

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

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December 2005

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■ DANWA salutes and ■
■ supports our military ■
■ families. Pass it on, you ■
■ guys are doing a ■
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■ thank you from the ■
■ bottom of our hearts. ■
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The web site is:

www.danwa.org

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copies monthly

**Keep our neighborhood
safe. Report any
suspicious activity to the
Del City Police
677-2443. Don't be afraid
to call, you may remain
anonymous.**

From your President:

Hello Friends and Neighbors,

This months newsletter has some important and very serious information beginning on page four.

We would like to Thank all who participated in the Mid Del Food Drive. The people who run the food bank were very appreciative for the amount we gathered. Their words were "Thanks a million, it sure will help those in need." There is a special thanks to the very gracious giving from 4000 Oakbrook. It took 4 trips to get those donations loaded.

Happy Holidays. Seems like we just celebrated last years holidays. Maybe that tells me something. Please be careful and safe.

We won't be having Yard of the Month again until next spring. Thanks to all.

Again, please note Jimie's article beginning on page 4 as there is very important information regarding recent crime. The city can use your help so keep your eyes and ears open.

Rose Mary

Phone 670-3690 or e-mail rmbolton@sbcglobal.net

We vote new officers this month (December), come join us, we need your vote !!!

Need block captain help for the following areas:

41st from Epperly to Sunnyslane
Contact **Jim at 677-5044**

40th from Epperly to Sunnyslane
Contact **Jim at 677-5044**

Newport from Vickie and Del View
Contact **Steve at 670-2878**

Vickie from 27th to 42nd
Contact **Jim at 677-5044**

The block captain responsibilities are to take the newsletter to the door of the homes in his area to make sure our newsletters get distributed throughout our neighborhood. Easy job, good exercise.



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Crime Stats- September 2005

Resident Burglary (3) reported

44xx Spiva Dr. 48xx S.E. 41st 47xx Ridgeway

Larceny (2) reported

39xx Kim Dr. 44xx S.E. 38th

Auto Burglary (1) reported

46xx S.E. 37th

Vandalism (8) reported

41xx Vickie	45xx S.E. 33rd	47xx Spiva Dr.	38xx Del View
44xx Sooner	47xx Ridgeway	30xx Del View	30xx Del View

Stolen Vehicle (2) reported

39xx Hartline Dr. 43xx S.E. 39th

Notice our stats are down. Let's keep our eyes and ears open, it does help. We still need more patrollers to help ward off this type activity. When the bad guys see the blinkies, they don't want to take a chance on being caught !

DANWA Officers & email for 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

Webmaster—Mike Hucks danwaweb@aol.com

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Work 677-2443

Pager 556-7956

Playschool Sunnyslane Baptist Church

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Contact: Shanna Jones at 919-3268 for more information.

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Points of contact for our City:

Del City Mayor 671-2800

Public Works Dir. 671-2872

Street Maintenance 671-2872

Code Enforcement 671-2817

Police Dept. Non-Emergency 677-2443

State Representative Kevin Calvey 557-7370

State Senator Jim Reynolds 521-5522

Ten most stolen vehicles in Oklahoma

1. 1990 Chevrolet Full Size C/K 1500 Pickup
2. 1997 Ford F150 Series
3. 2001 Dodge Ram Pickup
4. 1989 GMC Full Size C/K 1500 Pickup
5. 1994 Honda Accord
6. 1986 Oldsmobile Cutlass
7. 1994 Honda Civic
8. 1999 Ford Taurus
9. 1996 Chevrolet Cavalier
10. 1999 Pontiac Grand Am

Karen & Terry Frazier and Bob & Janice Johnson wish our children Tony Deibler and Meredith Johnson congratulations and God's speed as they begin their married lives together. They were wed in Del City on November 26th.

Dates to remember:

1. DANWA Meetings are held at Sunnyslane Southern Baptist Church, 3900 Epperly, 7:00 pm, second Monday of the month. Mavis Mote
2. CERT GENERAL TRAINING MEETING, at 7:00 pm, Del City Community Center, second Tuesday of the month.
3. Patrol Meeting, at 7:00 pm, Del City Courthouse, third Thursday of the month.

Highlights from November 14, 2005 Meeting

Are you looking for your name in the Newsletter each month? You could win something neat!

Our dinner at Orval Ray Tower was a great success.

Our Food Drive for the Mid-Del Food Bank went pretty well.

The organization decided to buy some traps for stray animals we find in our yards.

The organization also voted to buy some 6 foot tables for Orval Ray Tower, since theirs were becoming unusable. We did this several years ago.

We decided to support our Scouts and Pac by giving some money toward their activities.

DANWA will supply two food baskets to two families in our square mile for Christmas.

Please come to the December meeting! We will be voting for next years officers. If anyone would like to put your name in the pot to run or nominate someone please be there.

DANWA is making every effort to get the newsletter to you, our readers, before the general meeting each month. If for some reason you are not getting the newsletter before the general meeting, please contact one of the officers or the editor and let us know. We will pass the information along to the block captains.

Respectfully, your editor

From the Desk of the Patrol Captain

Hello Friends and Neighbors,

I was convinced to put my name in the hopper for Patrol Captain for the year of 2006. That does not mean that I will be elected. I suggest if you **do** or **don't** want me as Patrol Captain for next year be at the December meeting and cast your vote (December 12th 2005). The newly elected officers for 2006 will be installed at the January meeting. I want to say a special thanks to all that participated in the food drive for the Mid-Del Food Pantry.

The crime statistics for the month of October were about on the same scale as the last few months. (Please see DANWA numbers on Statistic Page). The following are total statistics for all of Del City: Vandalism 49, Larceny 46, Residential Burglary 46, Stolen Vehicle 17, Auto Burglary 41. Please review the numbers and decide if you are satisfied with what happens in our one square mile. I invite you to become involved in the deterrence activity, (Your Patrol) a yellow blinking light moving about the area tells the burglar you are being watched go elsewhere. Pranksters and others that just want to accomplish a little Tom-foolery don't like the blinking light to shine upon them. We have been able to assist the Police in making direct contact with some door bell ringer's etc. You know there is a catch, to all I have said "yes we need some help to put more patrollers on the streets day and night". If you would like to know more about this or are ready to get involved please give me a call. Thanks for being my neighbor.

Jimie Hendricks Patrol Captain

Phone 677-1886

Email: jimie60@aol.com

The following information was previously released by the Del City Police Department Public Information Officer, **Captain Jody Suit** Office: 671-2841 Ext: 856 Pager: 558-9261 Date: 11-18-05

For Immediate Release:

In the past week Del City Officers have
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responded to (3) separate but similar Home Invasion Robberies in the area from SE 15th to Reno between Sooner and Vickie Drive in Del City.

The 1st occurred at 4820 Michael Drive at 10:08pm on Saturday, Nov. 11th. The elderly victims arrived home where they were approached in their open garage by a B/M suspect, early 20s, approx. 5'8" wearing tan pants and a light tshirt, with a small mustache. The suspect robbed the couple at gunpoint using a silver automatic handgun. The suspect fled the area.

The 2nd occurred at 4704 Judy Drive at around 1:30pm on Tuesday, Nov. 15th. Two elderly victims arrived home. The female victim was attempting to unload a microwave from her vehicle in the open garage where she was

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Del Aire Neighborhood Watch Association
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Del City, OK 73155

DANWA Short membership application form

Provide the following information along with membership dues (\$12.00) to the above address.

Name: _____
Last First MI
Address: _____
Spouse Name: _____
Children's Names: _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Other Phone: _____
Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____
Additional information or comments: _____

This registration is for the sole possession of the Del Aire Neighborhood Watch Association (DANWA) and is protected from any unauthorized disclosure other than to local law enforcement officials, the officers and patrollers of DANWA and is for **official use only.** Michael Sutton

Readers Corner

Freda Huggins, you have been continually noticed giving a helping hand to anyone who needs it, even down to the smallest little gestures that others don't take time to do themselves. You have been seen taking lunch to others who need help, moving trash dumpsters back up to the homes of your neighbors after sanitation collection, even giving a refreshing drink, on a hot day, to the sanitation engineer. Freda Huggins, with your neighbors, you also share magazines that you are through with, and yet have placed your neighbor's newspapers on their porches when the weather is bad. The wonderful things that you do for others has not gone unnoticed, and you certainly deserve recognition. If there were an award given for "The Best Neighbor of Each Year", it would be you. **THANK YOU FROM THE HEART, FREDA HUGGINS, WHO LIVES ON HARTLINE DRIVE.**

Judi

Scout Corner

The Troop participated in the Big Teepee's annual Veterans Day Flag Retirement Ceremony held at Choctaw Park. Over 1200 US Flags were retired that night on the 20' by 20' fire platform. Military members from WWII, Korean War, Vietnam war, Gulf war and other veteran's placed flags on the platform before the platform was ceremonially set on fire. The fire was big, flames shot up around 40—50 ft.

The Troop would like to thank all who purchased popcorn during our fund raiser. We will also be selling mistletoe before Christmas. The money raised will help with summer camp preparation and activities. Our summer camp this year will be coming up in June.

If you are interested in Scouting or need more info about the Troop and Pack 60, contact John at 672-0633.

DANWA was asked to put the following information in the newsletter regarding Mid-Del Schools. This article is for information only and to remind folks to “get out and vote” whether it is for or against the bond. The information from the article is reproduced in its entirety without graphics:

It takes an entire community working together to help ensure student success. With your help Mid-Del Schools has been able to improve our school sites over the years. Thank you for your support of Mid-Del Schools.
“Where Children Come First.”

Why is the bond election needed?

Up-to-date equipment and safe, well maintained facilities are essential to ensure Mid-Del’s students the best possible education. The 2005 school bond election is being held so voters may approve bonds to pay for necessary equipment and for school improvements including construction, remodeling and repair.

Who will benefit?

All students will benefit. See the list of projects and improvements to be accomplished at each individual school site as listed below.

How will the bond funds be spent?

Bond funds—100% of the \$11,125,000 will be used for improving school sites, constructing, repairing, remodeling and equipping school buildings, and acquiring school furniture, fixtures and equipment.

What will it cost me?

The annual cost is expected to be less than \$30 on a home valued at \$100,000.

Where and when may I vote?

If you are a registered voter who lives in the Mid-Del School District, **you may vote at your regular precinct polling place between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. on December 13, 2005.** Passage of a school bond issue requires approval of 60% of the voters.

Your vote is important!

Please visit www.mid-del.net to view school site improvements from the most recent bond election. For additional information, please contact Mid-Del

Schools’ Public Information Office at 737-4461 ext. 230.

DISTRICT AND SITE IMPROVEMENTS FOLLOW:

Provide for improvements to include, but not be limited to, asbestos management and removal as needed within the district.

Provide for improvement to include acquiring and installing computers, printers, computer related equipment, wiring and software as needed for administrative and certain classroom purposes throughout the school district.

Provide for improvements to include acquiring and installing computers, printers, computer related equipment, wiring and software for teachers and other site staff as needed at certain elementary sites.

Provide for improvements to include acquiring and installing computers, printers, computer related equipment, wiring and software as needed for elementary library purposes throughout the school district.

Provide for improvements to include acquiring educational and media materials/equipment to be used as needed for libraries and classroom instruction throughout the school district.

Provide for improvements to include, but not be limited to, acquiring music equipment, furniture and uniforms to be used as needed throughout the school district.

Improve the existing Midwest City High School by constructing and equipping an addition to the existing facilities that will include, but not be limited to, classrooms, office space, restrooms and work areas.

Improve the existing Parkview Elementary School by constructing and equipping an addition in the existing facilities that will include, but not be limited to, classroom space.

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Provide for improvements by repairing/replacing certain roofing as needed at the following sites:

Barnes Elementary School
Country Estates Elementary School
Del City Elementary School
East Side Elementary School
Epperly Heights Elementary School
Pleasant Hill Elementary School
Schwartz Elementary School
Soldier Creek Elementary School
Tinker Elementary School
Del Crest Junior High School
Monroney Junior High School
Del City High School
Midwest City High School
Special Services Center
West Side School

Provide for improvements for remodeling/refurbishing certain classrooms at the following sites:

Cleveland Bailey Elementary School
Country Estates Elementary School
East Side Elementary School
Epperly Heights Elementary School

Provide for improvements to include construction, acquiring equipment, furniture and materials at the following sites:

Carl Albert Junior High School
Del Crest Junior High School
Jarman Junior High School
Kerr Junior High School
Monroney Junior High School
Carl Albert High School
Del City High School
Midwest City High School

Provide for improvements to include, but not be limited to, acquiring and installing computers, printers, computer related equipment, wiring and software, as needed for educational purposes at the following sites:

Barnes Elementary School
Cleveland Bailey Elementary School

Country Estates Elementary School
Del City Elementary School
East Side Elementary School
Epperly Heights Elementary School
Highland Park Elementary School
Parkview Elementary School
Pleasant Hill Elementary School
Ridgecrest Elementary School
Schwartz Elementary School
Soldier Creek Elementary School
Sooner Rose Elementary School
Steed Elementary School
Tinker Elementary School
Townsend Elementary School
Traub Elementary School
Carl Albert Junior High School
Del Crest Junior High School
Jarman Junior High School
Kerr Junior High School
Monroney Junior High School
Carl Albert Junior High School
Del City Junior High School
Midwest City Junior High School
West Side School

Provide improvements to include, but not limited to, repairing replacing certain paving as needed at the following sites:

Ridgecrest Elementary School
Jarman Junior High School

"We need your help ... Please VOTE December 13, 2005"

The DANWA newsletter provides this for your information. **The intent is to remind you to get out and vote.**

If you have comments or concerns regarding the previous information, contact me direct at
www.danwanews@cox.net
or by phone 672-0409

approached by a suspect. The suspect, 20 to 25 yoa was described as a B/M, very slender build, approx. 135 lbs, wearing a gray hoodie with "Piedmont" on the front of the jacket and wearing gray sweatpants. The suspect robbed the female victim in the garage and then forced her into the home. The suspect then assaulted the male victim by hitting the victim with the gun as he robbed the male victim of cash also. The male victim suffered a broken nose and severe bruising from the assault.

The 3rd occurred at Cedar Hills Apartment Complex located at 4625 Tinker Diagonal on Thursday, Nov 17 at approx. 1:30pm. An elderly male victim was confronted at the door by a B/M early 20s, 5'05" to 5'08". The suspect had a light complexion, slender build, and was approx. 130 to 140 lbs. The suspect struck the victim on the back of the head with a handgun. No known direction of travel or vehicle info.

In all 3 cases the victims had returned home shortly before the Robbery took place indicating the suspect may be cruising the area watching for elderly people that appear to be on their way home. The suspect then follows the victims to their residence where the robberies take place. It is important that anyone, especially our elderly citizens, be constantly aware of their surroundings as they go to and from their homes. They should be cognizant of the possibility that someone may be following them with the intent to victimize them. Police officials are working with Neighborhood Watch Groups to increase and enhance security in all areas of Del City. Anyone with information on these crimes can call the Del City Police Department at 677-2443.

Find your name contest rules:

- 1) find your name
- 2) come to the general meeting (held the second Monday of the month) with your identification, (you must present an ID to claim the prize).
- 3) If your name is the correct name, you claim your prize for that month. In this case, December.
- 4) The prize is a \$25 gift certificate at Wal-mart.
- 5) you must be present at the meeting to claim the prize.

Find your name contest rules



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SCAM Prevention

Jury Duty Scam Leads to Identity Theft:

Here's a new twist scammers are using to commit identity theft. Here's how it works: The scammer calls claiming to work for the local court and claims you've failed to report for jury duty. He tells you that a warrant has been issued for your arrest.

The victim will often rightly claim they never received the jury duty notification. The scammer then asks the victim for confidential information for "verification" purposes.

Specifically, the scammer asks for the victim's Social Security number, birth date, and sometimes even for credit card numbers and

other private information—exactly what is the scammer needs to commit identity theft.

So far, this jury duty scam has been reported in Michigan, Ohio, Texas, Arizona, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Minnesota, Oregon, and Washington state. It's easy to see why this works. The victim is clearly caught off guard, and is understandably upset at the prospect of a warrant being issued for his or her arrest. So, the victim is much less likely to be vigilant about protecting their confidential information.

In reality, court workers will never call you to ask

for social security numbers and other private information. In fact, most courts follow up via snail mail and rarely, if ever, call prospective jurors.

Action: Never give out your social security number, credit card numbers or other personal confidential information when you **receive** a telephone call. The jury duty scam is just one of the latest in a series of scams to steal your identity, and personal information.

Protecting yourself is simple: Never give out this information when you receive a phone call.