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**Report any suspicious activity
to the Del City Police 677-
2443.**

**Help keep our neighborhood
safe. Don't be afraid to call,
you may remain anonymous.
More information - the
neighborhood watches in and
around Del City have been
instrumental in assisting the
police by being the eyes and
ears and have helped apprehend
some criminals and would-be
criminals over the past years.
So keep your eyes and ears open,
your information DOES help.**

From your President:

Hello Everyone,

Well summer is here again, which usually means time for vacation and/or long weekend trips. This month I would like to pass along some tips when leaving your home unoccupied for a period of time. Some of them most people already do, some they don't.

Stop your mail! Or have a neighbor, friend or relative pick it up each day. We see homes that the mail box is stuffed full and running over with mail.

Stop your paper! Or have a neighbor, friend or relative pick it up each day. It may even be a good idea to do both. I know that there has been several times that I have stopped my paper, only to have the paper person deliver it anyway. So I have someone check mine. Nothing says no one's home like a yard full of newspapers.

Put your outside lights on a timer! There are timers available that replace your light switch that will allow you to have your porch lights come on at dusk and off at dawn. Outside lights that are on all day for extended days is a sign that there may be no one home.

Put some inside lights on a timer, in the front part of the house, which sort of mimics your night routine. If you usually watch TV until 10:00 then have a light that comes on at dusk and turns off at 10:00. That way it looks like someone is home.

If you will be gone long enough that the yard will need mowed, make arrangements for someone to at least mow the front yard.

Let a neighbor know that you will be gone (and DANWA if a member) and inform them as to what vehicles should be at your home. Also let them know if someone is going to be coming by to get the mail, newspaper or mow the lawn.

And finally, even though not directly related to home security while gone, if you have a pet in the back yard, have someone check on their food and water while you are gone. These hot days can dry out a water bowl fast!

Have a safe and enjoyable summer vacation!

James Standfill

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Happy Birthday

Happy Anniversary

Dates to remember:

1. DANWA General Meeting will be at Calvary Christian Church in the annex just north of the church, 3900 Epperly Dr. at 7:00 pm, second Monday of the month.
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.

Need Block Captains for:

37th Street from Epperly to Vickie
Call Ron 677-7923 for details.

Vickie Dr. from 37th to 44th street,
Call Jim 677-5044 for details.

Oakbrook from Del View to Montrose

Lamar from Montclair to Montrose

Call Yvonne 670-3971 for details.

Help your neighborhood watch
distribute the newsletter.

Good exercise once a month.



**DANWA area Crime Statistics for
April and May**

Vandalism = 8 6

Larceny = 3 9

Resident Burglary = 4 10

Stolen Vehicle = 3 1

Auto Burglary = 2 3



Three of our benches have been put up on the trail. The caption in the middle says "Donated By Del Aire Neighborhood Watch Association". Thanks to the city for finally getting them installed.





From the Desk of the Patrol Captain

Hello Friends and Neighbors,

Summer is officially here and things are, as usual, warming up all over. Crime rates in neighborhoods usually increase along with the temperature and this year is apparently no exception. Our rates are up a little this month but compared to Del City as a whole we are fairing pretty good. DCPD has increased patrols in the areas showing the greatest current problems and will try to rotate through neighborhoods to ensure they are not flushing the problem from one side of our city to another.

Be aware that we have experienced some daytime break-ins and we need to be more diligent at watching our areas. We've had several cases of purses being stolen from residents and keys along with them. Whether your home or away always place your purse and keys out of site to prevent an easy opportunity.

As usual when the kids get out of school for the summer they want to enjoy every moment of freedom. I'm all for every one of them enjoying their summer as long as it's not at the expense of someone else's enjoyment or property. We have already had several incidents of groups of minors rooming the neighborhood late at night and causing disruption and concern for some of our residents. Everyone should know that Del City does have a curfew for minors under the age of 18. The curfew is from midnight to 6am on Sunday through Thursday and 1am to 6am on Friday and Saturday. During these hours minors must be accompanied by a parent or adult over 21 years of age.

So enjoy your summer, but while you are, keep an eye open for anyone who may be trying to spoil it for you or your neighbor!! And a great big thanks to those of you who took the time to come out and welcome the troops home!

Rex Warlick, Patrol Captain, 249-5927 e-mail: rexwarlick@cox.net

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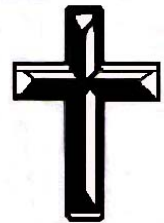
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**Ascension Lutheran
Church**

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Invites you to
Sunday School 9:00 am
Worship 10:30 am

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

DANWA Short membership application form

Membership to DANWA is 1 March to 28 February the following year and dues are (\$12.00). If joining through the year, dues are prorated as follows: Apr—\$11, May—\$10, Jun—\$9, Jul—\$8, Aug—\$7, Sep—\$6, Oct—\$5, Nov—\$4, Dec—\$3, Jan—\$2, Feb—\$1. Provide the following information along with membership dues to the above address.

Last Name: _____ First Name _____ 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**.

Hello DANWA.

The Troop had fun in the Del City parade last month. People really like those Super balls DANWA throws out. On Memorial Day, we participated in the 45 Infantry Division's "Massing of the Colors" ceremony. There were 16 Military and Veterans groups marching around the Ceremonial stage. Again, we where the only Boy Scout group that participated.

New stuff.

By the time you read this we would have returned from the Illinois River trip. I hope we had fun and that none of the adult leaders came back with injuries.

Some other things going on are we are starting to plan for are a swim meet in July and a big centennial campout in Sept. at Ft Sill where they are planning for thousands of scouts to converge for the weekend for the event.

If your son is interested in joining, call me. You can also see us at the DANWA monthly meetings.

If you have any worn US Flags to be properly retired, save them and we will collect them for the Veterans Day events.

We want to thank all of you that are helping us by collecting aluminum cans. Each bag helps let these scouts learn, have fun and hopefully become model citizens in the community. As some may have noticed, we did not have an Aluminum can summer pick up schedule this year. It seems like the last two years someone may have used my schedule for pick up as an invitation to get some before me.

If you have cans please drop them off at my place or call 672-0633 and I will pick them up.

John—Scoutmaster

3/4 Cup evaporated milk

Mix and pour 1/2 of batter in 9x13 inch pan, sprayed with Pam.

Bake 15 min. At 350 Degrees.

While baking, melt 14 oz. pkg. Vanilla caramels in 1/3 cup evaporated milk over low heat, pour over hot cake, spread evenly, sprinkle 1 cup milk chocolate chips over this, then sprinkle 1 1/2 cups pecans over chocolate chips.

Pour remaining batter over all and bake 15 to 20 minutes at 350. Let cool and cut in squares.

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**Bounce** (the fabric softener)

Heard this through the grapevine. We haven't tried any of them out yet. Let us know if they work.

1. It will chase ants away when you lay a sheet near them. It also repels mice.
2. Spread sheets around foundation areas, or in trailers, or cars that are sitting and it keeps mice from entering your vehicle.
3. It takes the odor out of books and photo albums that don't get opened too often.
4. It repels mosquitoes. Tie a sheet of Bounce through a belt loop when outdoors during mosquito season.
5. Eliminate static electricity from your television (or computer) screen.
6. Since Bounce is designed to help eliminate static cling, wipe your television screen with a used sheet of Bounce to keep dust from resettling.
7. Dissolve soap scum from shower doors. Clean with a sheet of Bounce.
8. To freshen the air in your home - Place an individual sheet of Bounce in a drawer or hang in the closet.
9. Put Bounce sheet in vacuum cleaner.
10. Prevent thread from tangling. Run a threaded needle through a sheet of Bounce before beginning to sew.
11. Prevent musty suitcases. Place an individual sheet of Bounce inside empty luggage before storing.
12. To freshen the air in your car - Place a sheet of Bounce under the front seat.
13. Clean baked-on foods from a cooking pan. Put a sheet in a pan, fill with water, let sit overnight, and sponge clean. The anti-static agent apparently weakens the bond between the food and the pan.
14. Eliminate odors in wastebaskets. Place a sheet of Bounce at the bottom of the wastebasket.
15. Collect cat hair. Rubbing the area with a sheet of Bounce will magnetically attract all the loose hairs.
16. Eliminate static electricity from Venetian blinds. Wipe blinds with a sheet of Bounce to prevent dust from resettling.
17. Wipe up sawdust from drilling or sand papering. A used sheet of Bounce will collect sawdust like a tack cloth.
18. Eliminate odors in dirty laundry. Place an individual sheet of Bounce at the bottom of a laundry bag or hamper.
19. Deodorize shoes or sneakers. Place a sheet of Bounce in your shoes or sneakers overnight.
20. Golfers put a Bounce sheet in their back pocket to keep the bees away.
21. Put a Bounce sheet in your sleeping bag and tent before folding and storing them. It will keep them smelling fresh.