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From your President:

Hello everyone,

We have the fall free dump behind us. I would like to thank everyone that helped out down at the park unloading stuff and going out and picking up stuff. We collected 210 Cubic Yards of trash; 450 Cubic Yards of trees, brush and wood and 80 Cubic Yards of metal. We recycled 840 pounds of cardboard and 288 pounds of batteries. The next free dump will be in April.

Halloween has come and gone. As usual, we had every available patroller out Halloween night patrolling our streets. The DANWA patrollers gave out over 2000 glow bracelets while we were out patrolling. We also gave the Del City Police Officers working that night 100 glow bracelets each to hand out while they patrolled.

Thanksgiving is coming up soon. This year we will not be doing the food drive as we have in the past. The membership decided to make a \$500 donation to the Mid-Del Food Pantry so they can purchase perishable food items to give out with the non-perishable items donated.

For those of you that will be traveling over Thanksgiving please be careful however you travel. We would like to have all our neighbors back home safe after the holiday.

James Standfill

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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 Court house, third Thursday of the month.

A reminder to everyone, if you see something that doesn't look right, call the POLICE. If you see someone speeding up and down your street, call the POLICE. If you see someone breaking in to a house, call the POLICE. DANWA is not a policing organization, we are here to help thwart crime and be eyes and ears for the police but the **first action anyone should take is to call the POLICE—FIRST** if it is an emergency, call 911, if it is information or to report a car speeding and you have his tag number, call 672-2443

CALL POLICE FIRST...



Happy Birthday to whoever
has a birthday this month

Happy Anniversary to
whoever has an anniversary
this month

Happy Thanksgiving to
everyone who reads this



DANWA area Crime Statistics

September 2007

Auto Burglary = 4 (1)

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| 47xx ELMVIEW DR | 09/21/2007 | 15:14 |
| 30xx S VICKIE (S) DR | 09/21/2007 | 05:19 |
| 42xx WOFFORD AVE | 09/18/2007 | 17:56 |
| 40xx S VICKIE (S) DR | 09/12/2007 | 18:38 |

Larceny = 5 (6)

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| 43xx WOFFORD AVE | 09/20/2007 | 18:05 |
| 43xx SE 39 ST | 09/12/2007 | 16:27 |
| 30xx S VICKIE (S) DR | 09/09/2007 | 17:17 |
| 52xx SE 29 ST | 09/07/2007 | 11:57 |
| 43xx SE 43 ST | 09/04/2007 | 16:24 |

Parking Complaint = 2 (4)

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| 31xx HOLIDAY | 09/20/2007 | 20:45 |
| 47xx BOMARC DR | 09/19/2007 | 08:55 |

Residential Burglary = 2 (3)

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| 52xx SE 29 ST | 09/23/2007 | 18:35 |
| 40xx ANGELA DR | 09/22/2007 | 20:29 |

Robbery/Extortion = 2 (0)

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| 48xx DEL AIRE DR | 09/30/2007 | 04:10 |
| 52xx SE 29 ST | 09/25/2007 | 00:55 |

Stolen Vehicle = 1 (2)

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| 46xx SE 44 ST | 09/28/2007 | 06:00 |
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Vandalism = 5 (4)

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| 47xx SPIVA DR | 09/28/2007 | 20:07 |
| 43xx WOFFORD AVE | 09/26/2007 | 03:15 |
| 43xx SE 44 ST | 09/26/2007 | 00:01 |
| 48xx KRISTIE DR | 09/03/2007 | 23:11 |
| 33xx S VICKIE (S) DR | 09/02/2007 | 10:48 |

Prowler = 2 (0)

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| 39xx S VICKIE (S) DR | 09/09/2007 | 02:03 |
| 39xx LAMAR DR | 09/05/2007 | 21:47 |

() = Prior months counts

Need Block Captains for:

Holliday from 31st to 37th

Call Ron 677-7923 for details.

Oakbrook from Del View to Montrose

Lamar from Montclair to Montrose

Call Yvonne 670-3971 for details.

Help help help help help

We need **you**, within our neighborhood watch, to help

distribute the newsletter.

Good exercise once a month.

Thursday morning, (Mid October) in the school playground, we lost a blonde pom answers to "Pretty" and a tan min pen mixed he answers to "Samy". Contact Ann or Joe at 405-672-4620.



From the Desk of the Patrol Captain

Hello Friends and Neighbors,

We've almost made it through another year and although things have been bumpy at times we seem to be keeping the crime in our area somewhat at bay. More patrollers would improve things but until we get more volunteers we will have to do the best we can with what we've got. Our crime statistics are down in most areas this month but it appears auto theft jumped up again. Some of these things go in cycles and we can't stop it all but more diligence on the part of all will help. Please be sure your vehicles are secured every time you walk away. Thieves are generally not the smartest lot and usually rather lazy or they would have a regular job like the rest of us. Just that one extra second to lock up every time you walk away will usually be enough to make them move on down the street.

This is the beginning of the holiday season and before our next newsletter many of you will have begun your Christmas shopping in earnest. It is usually a happy time and we want to keep it that way for all so remember to lock your vehicle so you can hold onto it as well as those presents you may have just spent hours standing in line for. Also, unfortunately, we usually see a rise in home burglaries with the holidays because those same lazy thieves that would take your car don't want to stand in line to purchase their gifts either. Don't let them have yours without at least a having to work for them a little.

Once again many thanks to all of you who lend a hand or that occasional kind word.

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

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Our outside of the area trash was significantly reduced this time due to our officers and members forethought in trying to keep the trash to our neighborhood watch AREA. Our Officers and members should be commended for their hard work in manning the trash gathering for October.

THANKS GUYS!!!!

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October

Meeting Highlights

The 17 members present were welcomed to the meeting. The Treasurer's report and Crime Stats were reviewed. Under old business; the glow bracelets for Halloween have been received and the \$1000 donation to the Tinker Food Pantry has been made.

Under new business; a discussion was held and a vote taken to donate \$500 to the Mid-Del Food Pantry instead of doing a food drive this year. This money will be used by them to purchase perishable food items.

The door prize was won by Eva Beebe.

For Sale: Electric dryer, \$75.00. Moved from house to apartment.
Contact Jim at 672-6705

For Sale: Two Motorola model V-180 flip open cell phones. They are set for AT&T use and in great condition. Good battery, car charger, wall charger, hands free ear piece. We upgraded to a newer phone. \$35.00 each or both for \$60.

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Program.**

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Scout Corner

DANWA parents,

We need boys. We have 5 in the Troop and none of them are from our 'hood. I think part of the problem is many think that joining will cost a lot of money. With our group, that is far from the truth. In our Troop IF you can afford a Scout uniform great. We know the cost of the uniform is expensive and they grow are lightening speed. All we ask for is a shirt with patches.

Another concern is money for camp-outs and trips. Most of our trips are one hour or less from home. We know cost of gas is getting ridiculous. Most of our camp-outs cost between \$10 -\$20 for a 2-day trip. We try to keep the food costs down, we have plenty of camping equipment and we get our greatest support from DANWA.

Another concern is parent participation. Right now we have 7 adults leaders sitting around ready to work but with 5 Scouts it gets rather thin for them. If your schedule limits your participation that's fine we need the boys, not you.

Past Events.

Last month we attended the 100 years of Scouting Camp-o-ree in Lawton, Okla. There were over 5000 Scouts and Scouters there for the event. There were activities, events, food, and museums. At night we were treated to a 2-hour grand finale with songs, videos and a 20-minute fireworks display with patriotic music in the background. Lawton officials said they never had that many people in one place in Lawton.

Upcoming Events.

If you have any worn US Flags to be properly retired, save them and we will collect them for the Veterans Day Flag Retirement Ceremony in November. That's our next camp-out. It is being held at Choctaw Park in Choctaw.

We want to thank all of you that are helping us by collecting aluminum cans. Each bag helps lets these scouts learn, have fun and hopefully become model citizens in the community. If you have cans please drop them off at my place or call 672-0633 and I will pick them up.

John—Troop 60 Scoutmaster

Del Aire Neighborhood Watch Association
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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 patrolers of DANWA and is for official use only.



DANWANEWS email received the following and thought it was interesting.

If you think you might be offended, don't read it.

Those Born 1930-1979 READ TO THE BOTTOM FOR QUOTE OF THE MONTH BY JAY LENO. IF YOU DON'T READ ANYTHING ELSE--- VERY WELL STATED TO ALL THE KIDS WHO SURVIVED the 1930's, 40's, 50's, 60's and 70's!! First, we survived being born to mothers who smoked and/or drank while they were pregnant. They took aspirin, ate blue cheese dressing, tuna from a can, and didn't get tested for diabetes. Then after that trauma, we were put to sleep on our tummies in baby cribs covered with bright colored lead-based paints. We had no childproof lids on medicine bottles, doors or cabinets and when we rode our bikes, we had no helmets, not to mention, the risks we took hitchhiking. As infants & children, we would ride in cars with no car seats, booster seats, seat belts or air bags. Riding in the back of a pick up on a warm day was always a special treat. We drank water from the garden hose and NOT from a bottle. We shared one soft drink with four friends, from one bottle and NO ONE actually died from this. We ate cupcakes, white bread and real butter and drank Kool-aid made with sugar, but we weren't overweight because, WE WERE ALWAYS OUTSIDE PLAYING! We would leave home in the morning and play all day, as long as we were back when the streetlights came on. No one was able to reach us all day. And we were O.K. We would spend hours building our go-carts out of scraps and then ride down the hill, only to find out we forgot the brakes. After running into the bushes a few times, we learned to solve the problem. We did not have Play stations, Nintendo's, X-boxes, no video games at all, no 150 channels on cable, no video movies or DVD's, no surround-sound or CD's, no cell phones, no personal computer! s, no Internet or chat rooms..... WE HAD FRIENDS and we went outside and found them! We fell out of trees, got cut, broke bones and teeth and there were no lawsuits from these accidents. We ate worms and mud pies made from dirt, and the worms did not live in us forever. We were given BB guns for our 10th birthdays, made up games with sticks and tennis balls and, although we were told it would happen, we did not put out very many eyes. We rode bikes or walked to a friend's house and knocked on the door or rang the bell, or just walked in and talked to them! Little League had tryouts and not everyone made the team. Those who didn't had to learn to deal with disappointment. Imagine that!! The idea of a parent bailing us out if we broke the law was unheard of. They actually sided with the law! These generations have produced some of the best risk-takers, problem solvers and inventors ever! The past 50 years have been an explosion of innovation and new ideas. We had freedom, failure, success and responsibility, and we learned HOW TO DEAL WITH IT ALL! If YOU are one of them-CONGRATULATIONS! You might want to share this with others who have had the luck to grow up as kids, before the lawyers and the government regulated so much of our lives *for our own good*. While you are at it, forward it to your kids so they will know how brave (and lucky) their parents were.

The quote of the month is by Jay Leno: 'With hurricanes, tornados, fires out of control, mud slides, flooding, severe thunderstorms tearing up the country from one end to another, and with the threat of bird flu and terrorist attacks, are we sure this is a good time to take God out of the Pledge of Allegiance?' For those that prefer to think that God is not watching over us...go ahead and delete this. For the rest of us...pass this on.



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