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<u>Dates to remember:</u> **DANWA General Meeting**— Calvary Christian Church in the annex just north of the church, 3900 Epperly Dr. at 7:00 pm, second Monday of the month.

CERT General Training Meeting, at 7:00 pm, Del City Community Center, second Tuesday of the month.

DEL AIRE DEFENDER

DEL AIRE NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH ASSOCIATION

APRIL 2025

From the DANWA President:

Greetings Friends and Neighbors

Just when we think we have the bulk trash issue figured out, the City throws an amendment into the plan (which you should be getting notice of with your Del City Utilities bill). You can still do the 2 free pickups per year, however, effective the first Monday of April, then the first Monday of May, and the first Monday of June, Del City Public Works will do a city-wide bulk trash pickup. There will NO charge to the resident and it does NOT count against your 2 annual free pickups. Regular restrictions apply, no batteries, no tires, no paint, and no hazardous materials. Still confused? Call Del City Sanitation 405-677-5741 ext. 6211. Or call Jarred at Del City Code Enforcement 405-677-5741 ext. 7310

As most of you know, McDonalds reopened on March 19th. However the Grand Re-Opening will be from 10 am till 2 pm on April 5th. Make plans to attend.

Jim Hightower, the chairman for the float committee, had our first meeting. All went well at the meeting with only a couple minor changes. The Armed Forces Day and & Shriners Parade is scheduled for May 17th. It will be bigger and better and here before you know it.

Another Del City wide event will be on June 21st from 4 pm till 8 pm. The Neighborhood Watch Associations of Del City along with the Del City Chamber of Commerce are sponsoring a Night Out to be held at the Del City Community Center. Parking will be at Ray Trent Park with access on the trail under I-40. There will be two bouncy houses, two food trucks, a snow cone / ice cream truck, alpacas, live music, a disc jockey, games and free access to the pool. We haven't had an event like this for over 25 years and we hope this will be an annual event.

Springtime is full of many days of religious significance, Pass Over, Good Friday, and Easter being of the most notable to most of us. So it is in the spirit of these days that I wish all of you, regardless of your religious beliefs, the very best that God has to offer you. Embrace those gifts, build on them, share them and make this a better place to flourish.

> Quote from Theodore Rossevelt Believe you can and you're halfway there.

May God Bless you and yours Happy Easter

Ron McCall **DANWA President**

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Would You Like to WIN a \$100.00 gift card?

DANWA is giving one lucky **MEMBER** a \$100.00 gift card. To be eligible, your 2025 DANWA membership form must be filled out and received along with your \$12.00 membership fee by April 30,2025. The winning DANWA household name will be drawn at the May 12th meeting.

The winner does NOT need to be present to win, but wouldn't that be exciting if you were present.

As a matter of clarity, DANWA members do not have to be homeowners. That means, if you are renting, you are welcome to be a member of DANWA. DANWA Officers and all member businesses are not eligible to win.



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!!!!! HELP !!!!!

We could use <u>YOUR HELP!!</u> We need "block captains" for the following areas:

S.E. 42nd from Sunnylane to Wofford (13)

Sunnylane Cir. and Sunnylane (12)
Place off of 42nd

Wofford from 44th to 37th (46)

S.E. 40th from Epperly to Sunnylane (35)

S.E. 41st from Epperly to Sunnylane (24)

Contact Jim Highfill 405-206-7457

Newport From Vickie to Del View (34)
Contact Steve Gold 405-501-7080

All of Meench Dr. (28)

Contact David Ellison 405-641-2193

Wofford from S. E.. 31st to S.E. 37th (34) **Contact Ron McCall 405-517-0502**

Block Captains help deliver the DANWA newsletters. Some blocks only have 20 homes to deliver to, some have more as shown in parentheses above. If you can help with any of these please contact any of the District Captains above. It takes me about 15 minutes to deliver 23 and I even get a little exercise.

If you can spare some time

You don't have to be a member to volunteer to deliver the newsletters, it's good exercise.

DANWA Area Crime Statistics

Catching you up on crime statistics—see back page.

A very gracious "thank you" to those who give donations over their \$12.00 membership, that also helps keep this neighborhood watch program going and we can give back to your community.

One of the most recent scams to hit the texting areas of phones is the UNPAID TOLL. Don't fall for it but if you are concerned contact the agency directly, not through the text shown phone number but look it up and call directly. No need to give information over the phone or by text, they won't be asking you to immediately send money or go to jail. Just be wise to scams that are out there and there are many...

Be cautious

April 4th is The SENIOR Prom It is a formal event for folks 55 and older and will be held between 6-8pm. Single person fee \$15.00, Couples fee \$25.00. The event is being held at the Del City Community Center.

4505 S.E. 15th St.

Where do you take a sick boat?

Answer: to the dock-tor

Why is Europe like a frying pan?

Answer: because it has Greece at the bottom

When is a door no longer a door?

Answer: when it is ajar

What tastes better than it smells?

Answer: vour tonque

What building has the most stories?

Answer: a Library

Can you help or do you want to help?

Whether you are a member or not, you can help us be a better neighborhood watch association by letting us know what is wrong or right. I know postage is outrageous compared to older times but one little stamp that is less than a dollar can surely be affordable if it means helping out your community by voicing errors or suggested corrections. OR YOU CAN EMAIL US. This one square mile we live in is one of the newer areas in the whole city of Del City. Our neighborhood watch program is one of the largest. At one point in time, a few years back when crime was higher, we had over 455 members. Are we getting complacent now? I challenge you to write us a letter— GOOD OR BAD..... Your voice will be heard.



K O Storage

677-0795

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Oklahoma City, OK 73135
(405)674-2028



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Ladies and Gentlemen:

There is a good possibility you don't know that **Del City has a bulk trash pickup!** As a **utilities/sanitation customer you** have two times a year for the **FREE** bulk trash pickup, not in the same month but throughout the year. If you exceed that limit or have more than one in a month, it will cost you an appropriate fee. Your timing in placing the trash on the curb is relevant and must be called in within a week. If you need assistance or are in question as to the purpose of this article please contact the Sanitation Department at (405)671-2873.

<u>Note of consequence:</u> The City of Del City Code Enforcement may leave a notice of violation regarding trash not being picked up or disposed of properly and if not resolved could result in a lien on your property.

Information we learned at the March General membership meeting: The City of Del City is going to provide a "clean sweep" for the residents beginning April and by ward designation. Ward 1 and Ward 3 are both in our area, see the last page of this issue for more information.

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DANWA Area Crime Statistics	DANWA Area Crime Statistics
January 2025	February 2025
Prowler = 0 (0) [0] {0}	Prowler = 0 (0) [0] {0}
<u>Vandalism = 3 (0) [0] {11}</u>	<u>Vandalism = 2 (3) [1] {6}</u>
34xx Epperly Dr. 01/20/2025 22:04 48xx Kristie Dr. (Apartmnt) 01/25/2025 17:29 43xx Huntly Dr. (Gated) 01/29/2025 08:45	43xx SE 44 St. (Business) 02/04/2025 08:16 44xx Wofford Rd. 02/06/2025 15:17
<u>Larceny = 1 (0) [0] {14}</u>	<u>Larceny = 6 (1) [0] {18}</u>
48xx SE 44 th St. (Bus.) 01/29/2025 14:21	43xx SE 38 th St. 02/07/2025 19:14 47xx SE 29 th St. (Business) 02/10/2025 13:11 55xx SE 29 th St. (Business) 02/17/2025 07:49
Residential Burglary = 0 (0) [0] {3} Robbery/Extortion = 0 (0) [0] {1}	43xx SE 44 th St. (Business) 02/18/2025 15:21 44xx SE 38 th St. 02/24/2025 17:42 43xx SE 38 th St. 02/25/2025 10:42
Stolen Vehicle = 0 (0) [0] {5}	Residential Burglary = 0 (0) [0] {0}
Auto Burglary = 4 (0) [0] {9} 43xx Suntane Rd. 01/23/2025 07:53 43xx Suntane Cir. 01/23/2025 15:44 43xx Spiva Dr. 01/23/2025 18:59	Robbery/Extortion = 0 (0) [0] {0} Stolen Vehicle = 1 (0) [0] {2} 30xx Del View Dr. (Business) 02/15/2025 22:28
47xx Ridgeway Dr.(Apt) 01/30/2025 08:55	,
Burglary of Business = 1 (0) [0] {1} 47xx SE 29 th St. (Bus.) 01/12/2025 05:38	Auto Burglary = 2 (4) [1] {5} 33xx Del Aire Pl. 02/12/2025 15:42 43xx Suntane Rd. 02/15/2025 10:12
X = Current Month () = Prior month counts [] = Same month prior year	Burglary of Business = 1 (1) [0] {2} 48xx SE 44 th St. 02/11/2025 05:55
{} = Del City wide counts for same period	X = Current Month () = Prior month counts {} = Del City wide counts

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Clean Sweep

The City of Del City is rolling a "Clean Sweep" Initiative during the months of April, May, and June. This will offer bulk trash to be picked up by ward one time per month without any requests being made.

Step 1: Know your pickup week:

WARD 1 Pickup Weeks: April 7th, May 5th, and June 2nd. WARD 3 Pickup Weeks: April 21st, May 19th, and June 16th.

Step 2: Ensure items meet sanitation guidelines regarding size and unacceptable waste, which can be found on the city's website under the **Public Works > Bulk Trash** page and are not near any obstructions such as cars, trees, or low hanging lines.

Step 3: Items for pickup must be at the curb no later than 6:00 a.m. on the Monday of pickup week to guarantee pickup. Because only one pickup attempt will be made, this is crucial that items are out on time!

Questions——Please call the Sanitation Division directly with any questions at (405)671-2873.

Also https://cityofdelcity.gov/public-works/