

### EL DORADO HOMES ASSOCIATION

http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/El\_Dorado







April, 2015

# Sunburst

Published Monthly from September - June

### **SUNDAY SUNDAES**

ICE CREAM SOCIAL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE



Time for some fun in the sun, while getting things done! Come gather at the pool with your neighbors and enjoy a FREE Ice Cream Sundae bar with all the fixins! YOU DO NOT HAVE TO BE A MEMBER TO COME! But we'd love for you to be one before you go! **THE POOL WILL BE OPEN FOR SWIMMING!!!** For your convenience, all of the committees will be on site with information about the different types of membership, renting the club house and booking parties at the pool. We will be set up and ready to collect renewal (and new) membership fees. This save you from having to remember to mail it before May 1<sup>st</sup>, and it gives us time to get memberships processed before May 1<sup>st</sup>. Best of all, **MEMBERSHIP FEES PAID BY MAY 1<sup>ST</sup> ARE DISCOUNTED!** Pool photo ID's will also take place. The El Dorado Swim Team Representatives will be there registering returning and new swim team members, and to answer any questions you might have about the swim team. Invite a neighbor who is not a member so they can come enjoy an ICE CREAM TREAT and see what can make the hot summers more enjoyable for the whole family!

SEE YOU AT THE POOL, SUNDAY, APRIL 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2:00-4:00PM

EDHA MEETING Monday, April 13th 7:00 PM AT THE CLUB HOUSE

Please join us!

Please
patronize our
advertisers and
tell them you saw
their ad in the
Sunburst!

Deadline for May
Sunburst:
April 15th

Sunburst Email Address: EDHASunburst@satx.rr.com

Contributions Welcome!!

THE CLUBHOUSE IS
AVAILABLE FOR
PRIVATE
PARTIES!!!
\$195.00

Call Shannon McCreary 262-7682

SUNBURST STAFF			
EDITOR	JAMIE GIFFORD		
DISTRIBUTION	SHIRLEY STEPHENS	654-4758	
	MARY BROOKS	653-0474	
ADVERTISING	DONA SCHERMERHORN	967-0448	
SUNBURST EMAIL	EDHASUNBURST @SATX.RR.COM		

THE SUNBURST IS PUBLISHED MONTHLY (SEP-JUN) BY THE EL DORADO HOMES ASSOCIATION TO PROVIDE COMMUNICATION TO ALL HOMES IN THE EL DORADO SUBDIVISION. THE STAFF ARE ALL VOLUNTEERS AND THE PAPER SUPPORTS ITSELF THROUGH ADVERTISING. MAILING ADDRESS: 12606 PRIMA VISTA, 78233.

<b>ADVERTISING RATES FOR</b>	Sep 2014 - Jun 2015		
(rates subject to change)			

<u>Size Ad</u>	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	
Full Back Page	\$120.00	
Full Page	\$ 96.00	
Half Back Page	\$ 60.00	
Half Page	\$ 48.00	
Quarter Page	\$ 24.00	
<b>Business Card</b>	\$ 15.00	
Classified Ad	\$ 3.00	

You may mail your check payable to EDHA and ad (ready to print) to:

EDHA, 12606 Prima Vista, San Antonio TX 78233 or email your ad to <a href="mailto:EDHASunburst@satx.rr.com">EDHASunburst@satx.rr.com</a>.

Payment and ad must <u>both</u> be received not later than the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month *prior* to the desired issue.

EDHA BOARD OF DIRECTORS			
PRESIDENT	REINETTE KING	241-2683	
VICE-PRESIDENT	VACANT		
SECRETARY	LOLA OLSMITH	657-0086	
TREASURER	PAM GONZALEZ	653-3469	
PARLIAMENTARIAN	KAREN EASTERLING	817-938-1264	
AREA I	ALIA GARRETT	317-8691	
AREA II	VACANT		
AREA III	KAREN EASTERLING	817-938-1264	
AREA IV	KURT SCHAEFER	488-1510	
AREA V	VACANT		
AREA VI	CONRAD BOECK	653-3633	

### **COMMITTEE CHAIRS**

CLUBHOUSE	SHANNON McCREARY	262-7682
CODE COMPLIANCE	IRENE NUNLEY	656-4982
C.O.P.	VACANT	
LAKE	JOHN EASTERLING	817-938-1204
GROUNDS	VACANT	
SIGN DIRECTOR	MARGARET TIMM	657-2329
MAINTENANCE FEE	LOLA OLSMITH	657-0086
Pool	MICHELLE JOHNSON	946-5099
SOCIAL	SANDRA CARROLL	725-8549
WELCOME WAGON	ALIA GARRETT	317-8691

Repair and Drain Service

Prompt Professional Service

# Carmichael Plumbing Co. 655-9749

Steve Carmichael • Licensed Master Plumber

### POOL REPORT

You've probably noticed that this year's membership form includes a signed acknowledgement that you have read and agree to abide by the pool rules. The rules are now available on line through our Neighborhood Links page. (<a href="www.neighborhoodlink.com/El\_Dorado">www.neighborhoodlink.com/El\_Dorado</a>) From the home page, click on "Pages & Links", and you'll find them under "El Dorado Pool". Here are a few more friendly reminders and answers to frequently asked questions.

Only those with full memberships can rent the pool for private parties. If you are willing to "sponsor" a private party for a non-member, you must sign the contract as the responsible member, and you must attend the entire event.

Each member is allowed to bring up to 5 guests. (El Dorado residents cannot be guests). Guest fees are still \$3/person. Members must remain with their guests. Grandparents and grandchildren (who are not El Dorado residents) are not required to pay guest fees. Adult children of members who are visiting from long distances are also exempt from guest fees.

If a member has grandchildren living outside of El Dorado, they are welcome to join the swim team.

In the event of thunder or lightning, the pool will close (everyone must exit the gate) until all signs of electricity have ceased for at least 30 minutes. These are national recommended safety standards.

Please remember that glass of any kind is not allowed inside the gate.

Michelle Johnson

### **CLASSIFIED ADS**

**HONEY DO'S AND MORE -** Let me help you with any project. Ceiling fans, wallpaper, decks, fences, painting...Very reasonable. **Call Rick at 789-0567.** 

## MARY KAY INDEPENDENT BEAUTY CONSULTANT PAM SMITH, 210-656-5426,

email pamelasmith@marykay.com, or shop online 24/7 at: www.marykay.com/pamelasmith El Dorado resident since 1973 and EDHA supporter.

### **GARDENING & MORE BY LUIS**

Lawn mowing, leaf pick up, mulching, hole digging, light painting, car washing and much more. Student prices, available afternoons & weekends. Call Luis 210-425-5840.

Classified ads and miscellaneous notices are available to El Dorado residents for \$3.00 (approx. 25 words).

Ads by students, age 21 and under, are free.

Contact the editor at EDHASunburst@satx.rr.com



### Whitaker Real Estate Group Keller Williams Heritage

Wade Whitaker REALTOR®

Kari Whitaker REALTOR®, CRS, GRI, RFC

El Dorado Homeowner since 2003

Kari@KariWhitaker.com

www.WhitakerRealEstateGroup.com

We're about helping people understand the tax advantages, financing alternatives & investment aspects of homeownership.

Sign up for our Better Homeowner Newsletter on our website.





Thank you for being a responsible neighbor, for taking care of your property as well as the many common areas of El Dorado! Your efforts are certainly noticed and very much appreciated!!! You are making a difference!! You are the primary reason we proudly make El Dorado our home!

Since you are a conscientious citizen, I know you will want to do your part to help maintain and improve El Dorado by paying your maintenance fees before May 1. This covers mowing the Paseo and medians, watering common areas, lights for your safety, tree trimming over and above what our volunteers can perform, social activities, taxes and insurance. I know you will agree that our home, El Dorado, is a jewel to be treasured, maintained and protected. You will find the form is on the back of this Sunburst. Also, if you'd like your address stenciled on your driveway, enclose an additional \$20 and state it is for stenciling.

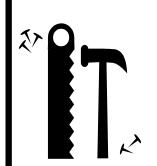
As you know, the mayor and city council offices are up for vote with early voting starting Apr 27. Election Day is Saturday May 9. On the ballot also are charter amendments and the chance to vote "For" Streetcars not happening without voter approval. Councilman Gallagher said you will want to read that one carefully and not just vote no when you see the words Street Cars without reading it. Your voice makes a huge difference!

Remember, if you see <u>any</u> suspicious activity in the neighborhood, call the police immediately and report it. SAPD advised me that a video you can take from your cell phone from the privacy of your home is very helpful.

Thanks for being Team El Dorado!!!

You are a special treasure!!

Reinette King



### Mr. Fix-It

A MEMBER OF THE EL DORADO COMMUNITY Specializing in:

Home repairs Carpentry Drywall repair Interior and exterior painting
Decks and Fences
Door replacements

Free Estimates 967-0233 Ask for John



### LYNN ELEGANT NAILS



Specialist In: Solar Nails, Acrylic, Manicure And Spa Pedicure Airbrush, Nail Art, & Waxing Walk-ins & Appointment Welcome Tel (210) 656-7749 Cel (210) 723-3571

Mon-Sat 9:AM - 7:PM Sun: 12:PM - 5:PM 13041 Nacogdoches, San Antonio, TX 78217

HONG KONG ISLAND CHINESE RESTAURANT
DINE IN OR CARRY OUT

OPEN MON-SAT 11 AM - 8 PM

13032 NACOGDOCHES RD SAN ANTONIO TX 78217 (210) 646-8181

**BRING IN THIS AD FOR 10% OFF** 



### ALL SEEING OPTICAL

"Your Neighborhood Optician"

4719 CAMINO DORADO DRIVE, SUITE 1

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78233

(INSIDE THE SILVER OAKS DENTISTRY BUILDING)

(210) 354-7390

Find us online at: www.allseeingoptical.com



WE SELL SAFETY GLASSES!

### **Hours of Operation:**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday:

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

We are providers for Medicare and many other Vision Insurance Plans and Discount Programs.

Check our website or call us for details.



PURCHASE A COMPLETE PAIR OF EYEGLASSES STARTING AT \$59.00!



The owners of Bin There Dump That have recently joined the El Dorado Community and would like to introduce you to a cleaner, safer, more compact way to dispose of construction, remodeling and household debris.



## Israel's Income Tax and Bookkeeping Services

Individual Tax Returns
Sole Proprietor
Corporate Tax Returns
Partnership Tax Returns
Employment Tax Returns
Non-Profit Organization Tax Returns
IRS Audits
IRS Problems
Delinquent Filing
Installment Agreements
Offers in Compromise
IRS Liens

International Tax Returns
NO TAX RETURN IS TOO BIG OR TOO SMALL
ELECTRONIC FILING

ISRAEL V. GARCIA, Enrolled Agent (Enrolled to practice before the Internal Revenue Service)

I am a retired Internal Revenue Agent (Field Auditor/International Examiner)

13327 Nacogdoches, Suite 4 San Antonio, Texas 78233 Phone 210-599-8133 Fax 210-590-0383

### **CODE COMPLIANCE**

### CITY ORDINANCE:

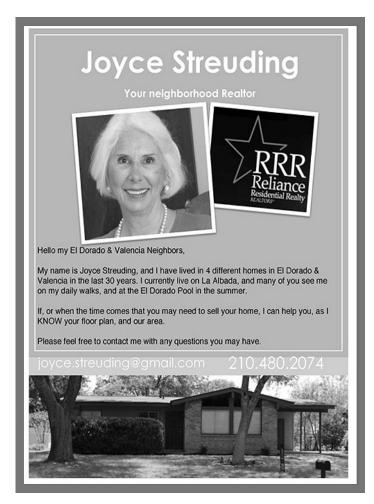
OUTSIDE PLACEMENT: Yards should not be used as storage areas for vehicles, building materials, tires, indoor furniture, appliances, boxes or other items. Outside placement is a violation of the City's property maintenance code.

City Code regulations say that residents are not allowed to park their vehicles, boats, trailers or campers on the front or side lawn of their home unless there is a permanent surface of concrete, brick, asphalt, or gravel (at least 3" thick) with defined borders (of curb, brick, metal or landscaping timbers). Front yard parking violations result in a citation.

Oversized vehicles are not allowed on the street or in the driveways.

Parking trailers on the street not attached to a truck or car is against the law and police will issue a ticket for such violation.

For questions concerning City Ordinances or for copies of such please contact your area representative.



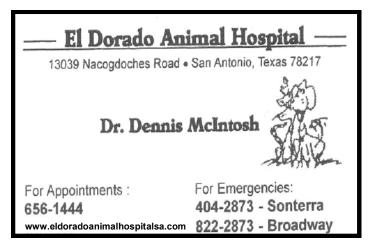


### Summer Swim Team

It's time to sign up for the El Dorado Stingrays swim team 2015 season! If you are a swimmer between the ages of 5 and 18, we want you on our team! No previous swim team experience is required. Your \$65 registration fee will include all swim meets, team shirt, swim cap, awards and ribbons. You'll be learning a valuable, life long skill while making friends a n d e n j o y i n g h e a l t h y t e a m competition. And...you'll have a lot of fun!!

Registration begins April 26th from 2:00 to 4:00pm at the Sunday Sundaes Ice Cream Social at the El Dorado pool. We'll be collecting membership fees (required in order to be on the team) and team fees, and providing team details and schedules.

For additional information, call Team Representative, Shannon @ 210-387-0137, or Sandra @ 210-725-8549.





You are always welcome at...
MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
OF SAN ANTONIO
14518 Higgins Road
San Antonio 78217
Sunday – classes for all ages @0945
Worship –
11:00 AM and 2:00 PM
Wednesday: 7PM

Has anyone shared with you how to have a personal relationship with God

- 1. You must understand God Loves You! (John 3:16)
- 2. Lowever, each of us, including you have a sin problem (Rom 3:23)
- 3. The result of sin is separation from God in Hell (Rev 20:15)
- 4. The Good News is Jesus paid your debt in full by sacrificing himself for you 2 Cor 5:21 "For He hath made Him to be sin for us, who knew no sin."
- You must accept this free gift by accepting Jesus as your savior through repentance and faith. (Eph 2:8-9)

Please accept this free gift and be assured of living eternally with God!



### LITTLE LEAF GROUNDS SERVICES

\*Lawn Maintenance \*Shrub and Bed Service \*Light/medium landscaping \*Pressure Washing

### **JACK ELI**

34 Years Professional Experience

Residential/Commercial
Quality Matters

### **Certified Turfgrass Professional**

Certification through University of Georgia and Professional Landcare Network

259-7574 (Cell) or 637-0713 littleleaf@satx.rr.com



Thousand Oaks Branch Library
4618 Thousand Oaks Dr.
207–9190
Hours of Operation
Mon. & Wed. 12–8p
Tue., Thurs.–Sun. 10a–6p

### April 2<sup>nd</sup> (Thursday)

4.00p-5.00p Lego Time

Come be creative with Legos!

Recommended for school-age children.

Please note: Lego creations must stay at the library.

### April 11th (Saturday)

3.30pm Game of Thrones Party

Winter is Coming! Fun event for fans of Game of Thrones!

### April 16<sup>th</sup> (Thursday)

1.00p Friends of the Library Meeting 2.00p Thursday Afternoon Book Club Wednesdays (April  $1^{st}$ ,  $8^{th}$ ,  $15^{th}$ ,  $22^{nd}$  &  $29^{th}$ )

5.00p Teen Time

Games, crafts, movies and snacks...ages 13 and up.

Thursdays (April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup>)
Story time

10.00a Toddlers actively participate in stories, music and movement enhancing their social,

emotional and language development.

Recommended for children 18 to 36 months.

**11.00a** Preschoolers enjoy stories and songs that develop early literacy skills and foster curiosity.

Recommended for three to five year olds.

#### TAX SEASON!

VITA Program (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) offers free tax help to low- to moderate-income people who cannot prepare their own tax returns. Certified volunteers will be here to help prepare basic tax Mon 12-4, Tue 10-4, Fri 10-3, Sat 10-3, and Sun 10-3

Call library for details for any of the above mentioned programs and/or events.



### 2015 EL DORADO HOMES ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP FORM Due Date: May 1, 2015



Your information below will **no**t be shared outside EDHA, but is important to credit your membership, and keep our directory accurate. It will also help us if we need to contact you with important EDHA news and events.

Last Name:		First Name:	
Spouse: Telephone:			
Street Address:			
Email Address:			
For POOL MEMBERSHI and children's ages:	P, please provide OTHER F	HOUSEHOLD MEMBER	S AT THIS ADDRESS,
	ral Maintenance Fee S	•	·
(Either payment may b	e split into 4 payments, <b>but</b>	must be paid in full pr	ior to use of facilities.)
	Please return wit El Dorado Home 12606 Prin San Antonio,	es Association na Vista	
members or my gues understand that EDHA	stand the pool rules, and ts to follow these rules is not responsible for an ereby absolve EDHA of my address.	may result in suspoy y injury or accident in	ension of pool use. I curred by anyone inside
Signe	ed		Date