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Collin County



ANNA

Planning commission to meet this evening

The Planning and Zoning Commission will meet at 7 p.m. Monday. The regular meeting will be at City Hall, 111 N. Powell Parkway. The agenda includes discussion of voluntary annexation of several tracts and a development plat for Chamber Tree Farm.

Dawn M. Burkes

Today is last day to take survey on city's rebranding

Monday is the last day for residents to complete a community-wide survey for the city's branding redesign. The survey should take no longer than 15 minutes to complete. Residents' input will be confidential.

Nashville, Tenn.-based North Star Destination Strategies is helping the city with the brand marketing strategy and forging a community identity. North Star helped develop brands for more than 200 areas, including Frisco and McKinney.

Find the survey at annatexas.gov or call the city at 214-831-5303.

Dawn M. Burkes



Wylie honors its Employee of the Year

Stephanie Storm (left), the records analyst in the city secretary's office, was recognized as Wylie Employee of the Year and received a plaque from City Manager Mindy Manson.

PLANO

Parks board to discuss Collinwood House survey

The Plano Parks and Recreation Planning Board will meet Tuesday to discuss the results of a cultural resources survey conducted at the Collinwood House.

The house, believed to be Plano's oldest, is being demolished to make way for Windhaven Meadows Park.

A survey was done by Quimby and McCoy Preservation Architecture and Cox McLain Environmental Consulting to document the site as part of the Texas Antiquities Code.

The board will also discuss its 2016 meeting schedule and elect a vice chair.

chair.

The board will meet at 6:30 p.m. at the Oak Point Park Nature and Retreat Center, 5901 Los Rios Blvd.

Meredith Shamburger

WYLIE

Planning board to vote on single-family home lots

The Wylie Planning and Zoning Commission will meet Tuesday to consider approval for 57 single-family homes and three open space lots west

of FM544 at the Vinson Road/County Line Road split.

The development would sit on about 28 acres. It is the fifth phase of a planned development approved in 2005.

The board will meet at 6 p.m. at City Hall, 300 Country Club Road.

Meredith Shamburger

Rockwall County



AREA

Commission to review open space plan

Discussion of the Rockwall County open space master plan is planned when commissioners meet in a work session at 9 a.m. Tuesday.

Commissioners will also present individual reports. The meeting will be at the county's Historic Courthouse, 101 E. Rusk St. in Rockwall.

Ray Leszczynski

ROCKWALL

Council to rely on airport advisers

An Airport Advisory Board for the Ralph Hall/Rockwall Municipal Airport will be established when the City Council meets in regular session at 6 p.m. Monday.

In a 4 p.m. closed session, the council will discuss land acquisition for South Community Park. The meetings will be at City Hall, 385 S. Goliad Ave.

Ray Leszczynski

Denton County



DENTON

Local company Juice Lab to open first storefront

Juice Lab, a local juicing company that has roots at the Denton Community Market, is set to soon open its first storefront.

Located at 508 S. Elm St., in the same shopping plaza as Bet the House BBQ, the shop will have fresh organic juices, smoothies, and natural and raw food options.

An exact opening date has not been set.

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LEWISVILLE

Vista Ridge Mall cat café assists with pet adoption

The new Charming Cat Café in Vista Ridge Mall invites people to hang out with over 20 cats who roam around in multiple rooms, a concept that's gaining popularity across the country.

Owner Beverly Freed, a longtime adoption worker, said the café setting is a less stressful adoption center for the cats.

"They live here," she said, "so when people come to visit, the people are their guests, their personalities are in place, they don't have any stress levels at all."

Human visitors pay \$5 to spend 30 minutes inside, where they can relax and play with the cats or bring some work or a book, perhaps choosing to adopt.

Freed said they decided not to offer food when they leased space close to the food court, but visitors can bring snacks.

Freed said after less than a month in business, the café gets 40 to 70 visitors a day.

It works with several local shelters



Kristen Watson/Denton Record-Chronicle



Remembering student who died

Above: Gloria Mutschlechner, the mother of Sara Mutschlechner, shared a few words joined by her husband, Clay Mutschlechner (far left), at a vigil held by Zeta Tau Alpha in front of University of North Texas' Greek Life Center on Saturday. Left: The 20-year-old junior died Friday after she was shot in what police say was a road rage incident on New Year's Eve.

that provide the cats, and an average of about seven a week have found new homes.

Brian Scott, KXAS-TV (NBC 5)

TROPHY CLUB

Restaurant and bar to break ground Thursday

Bread Winners/Quarter Bar will

be coming to Trophy Club. A groundbreaking for the restaurant and bar will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at 3000 State Highway 114, at the corner of the freeway and Trophy Wood Drive.

This will be the first Bread Winners/Quarter Bar in Tarrant County. It will be part of a suburban development featuring dining, overnight accommodations and plans for future shopping, a town hall/police facility and more.



For complete community coverage, visit neighborsgo.com and look for it in your Friday edition of *The Dallas Morning News*.

To learn more about the development, visit trophyclub.org.

Deborah Fleck

Kaufman County



AREA

Special session to review policy for open carry law

Kaufman County officials will seek legal advice regarding handgun laws, open carry and the regulation of handguns in certain county buildings in a special meeting of the Commissioners' Court at 8:30 a.m. Monday.

The discussion will be in closed session, but any action would be taken in open session. The meeting will be in the county's Courthouse Annex, 100 N. Washington St. in Kaufman.

Ray Leszczynski