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A Weekly Wrap Up of All Things Addison!

Council Updates

Interested in Running for Council?

Packets to file for the May 2018 City Council election are available in the City Secretary's office at Town Hall, 5300 Belt Line Road, Monday through Friday from 8am - 5pm until Friday, February 16 at 5pm.

BoomerJack's Coming Soon To Village on the Parkway



At the January 9 City Council meeting, Council approved a special use permit that opens the door for a new BoomerJacks Grill in Village on the Parkway. The popular sports concept, which has multiple locations throughout the Metroplex, is known for its patio atmosphere and variety of burgers. The new 10,000 square-foot restaurant includes a 3,100 square-foot patio and will be located in the southeast corner of the shopping center in the old Visit Addison space.

January 19, 2018



Tuesday, January 23 City Council Meeting

7:30pm
Addison Town Hall
5300 Belt Line Road
Agenda is posted [here](#) three days prior to the meeting.

Important Links and Numbers

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Missed Trash:
[972.392.9300](tel:972.392.9300)

Business Pulse

Boston's Pizza Restaurant and Sports Bar Relocates U.S. Headquarters to Addison



Canadian-based Boston's Pizza Restaurant and Sports Bar just announced they are relocating their U.S headquarters to The Quorum at 14850 Quorum Drive this summer. In December, the company, previously located on LBJ Freeway, shared its plans to more than double its presence in the U.S.

In an interview with the [Dallas Business Journal](#), Max Joyner, a senior analyst with White Rock Commercial LLC, a real estate operating arm of Boston's, said, "It was the most central location for employees in a town with a large restaurant presence in the area that will help them reduce costs." You can read more in [this Addison Magazine](#) story.

"Door" Moves to Tollway Center



Real estate start-up Door is expanding and relocating their offices to the Tollway Center at 14675 Dallas Parkway. Founded in 2015, Door is completely changing the way people buy and sell houses by charging a flat-fee commission. They will be moving 35 employees to the new 10,000 square foot

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space and have plans to double that number. You can read more about the company in [this D Magazine](#) story.

Public Safety

Celebrating Promotions



On January 15, the Addison Fire Department held a ceremony to promote three members of the team: John Lage was promoted to Captain, Darin Jones to Lieutenant, and Josh Bethel to Driver/ Operator. During the ceremony, Fire Chief David Jones reminded his newly promoted team that as leaders they reinforce the values of the organization daily, demonstrate courage to do the right thing, walk the talk, and cultivate positive attitudes. Mayor Pro Tempore Ivan Hughes and Council Member Lori Ward were on hand to congratulate these dedicated members of the Addison Fire Department.

Have you Registered Your Alarm System?

Beginning January 1, all residents and businesses who use their alarm system (even if it is not monitored), must register it at AddisonAlarmRegistration.com. There is *no annual fee* for residents (\$50 for businesses) and you will receive *three free false alarm calls*. However, if you do not register your system, you will be charged \$100 for the first false alarm. That fee will be waived if you register your system within 30 days.

If you have any questions or encounter any problems when registering, please call (855) 732-9022.

If You See Something, Say Something!



The Town of Addison Police Department wants you to know that they have seen an increase in the number of car burglaries lately. Officers and detectives are working hard to identify suspects, but we need everyone's help to prevent this property crime. Please do not leave valuables in plain sight in your car and always lock your doors. Remember, **if you see something, say something.**

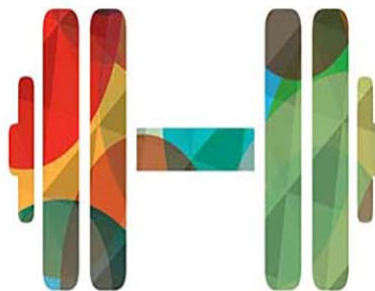
Around Town

[North Dallas Chamber Hosts Aviation Breakfast](#)



During a North Dallas Chamber breakfast on Thursday, January 18 *The Wall Street Journal* journalist Scott McCartney, Former U.S. Secretary of Transportation James H. Burnley IV, and Senior Vice President of the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association Jim Coon discussed the prospects of modernizing our nation's Air Traffic Control system. This subject is especially relevant to Addison Airport, so Mayor Pro Tempore Ivan Hughes, Deputy Mayor Pro Tempore Jim Duffy, and Council Member Lori Ward joined Addison Airport's Deputy Director Darci Neuzil and Addison staff to learn more on the topic.

Addison Athletic Club HVAC System Update



The Town has received numerous questions and complaints about the temperature in the fitness wing of the Athletic Club. We recognize this is a serious issue and we really appreciate your patience as we work to fix it. Unfortunately, the “fix” is not a quick one.

That HVAC system, which was installed in 2003 as part of the club's expansion, is actually undersized and cannot keep up with extreme temperatures (both low temps and high temps). In addition, last week the Town's HVAC maintenance contractor discovered that two of the HVAC units were not working properly. Those have been repaired but unfortunately, even with all five of the expansion wing units

working at capacity, the internal temperature struggles to reach 65 degrees in the extremely cold weather. We have added space heaters to the area, but they do not appear to be making a dramatic impact. Until we can replace the HVAC system, there is not much else we can do.

This past summer, Council directed staff to move forward with both the HVAC replacement and elevator modernization. Since the fall, engineering consultants have been exploring and designing the best possible long-term HVAC options. Staff plans to present those options to Council in February. Our goal is to have a new system in place by the beginning of fall.

Although we wish we had a quick solution for this problem, we simply don't. Reengineering and replacing an HVAC of this size takes time. In the meantime, we plan to keep the fitness wing open for those who want to use it. Please dress accordingly - if it's cold outside, it will probably be cold in the fitness wing.

We can't tell you how much we appreciate your patience. Our goal is always to deliver outstanding service and our Athletic Club staff is as frustrated about this as we know our residents are. If you have any questions about the Athletic Club, please feel free to contact the Athletic Club Manager Randy Rogers at rogers@addisontx.gov.

WTT Production: Elliot, A Soldier's Fugue



Head over to the Addison Theatre Centre to see the WaterTower Theatre's new production, *Elliot, A Soldier's Fugue*, from January 26 through February 18. Pulitzer Prize-winning dramatist Quiara Alegria Hudes takes a poignant look at the way war permeates our lives as Elliot, a Marine Corps hero, returns from Iraq and his mother seeks to heal his emotional wounds. For more information on tickets and showtimes, visit their website at WaterTowerTheatre.org.

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