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## A Weekly Wrap Up of All Things Addison!

**November 24, 2021** 

**Council Update** 

**Happy Thanksgiving** 



Town offices, including the Athletic Club, will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday on Thursday, November 25 and Friday, November 26. If you need assistance over the holiday, please call the non-emergency public safety number at 972-450-7156.

Since Thanksgiving falls on a regularly scheduled trash collection day, CWD has postponed service until Friday, November 26. Please place your trash by the curb by 7am on November 26.

# Application Deadline for Boards, Commissions, and Community Partners is November 30

If you are interested in applying for a position on the Planning and Zoning Commission or Board of Zoning Adjustment, or as a Community Partner, please <u>fill out this application</u>.

The Community Partners Bureau is comprised of residents appointed by the Council to represent the Town of Addison with its Community Partners (non-profit organizations). Council will be considering the following liaison appointments:

- Dallas Cat Lady: Dallas Cat Lady has been working since 2006 to find good homes for cats and kittens. They work with local shelters to give cats and kittens more time to find just the right home. They have placed over 3,000 cats and kittens with new families.
- The Family Place: The Family Place has been helping victims of family violence in North Texas since 1978. They provide everything needed to help victims become survivors.
- Woven Health Clinic: Woven Health Clinic provides primary health care services for people who live in Addison, Carrollton, Coppell, Farmers Branch, and northwest Dallas who cannot afford healthcare.

The application deadline is 5pm on November 30 and the Council will discuss appointments at its December 14 meeting. Please direct any questions to City Secretary Irma Parker at 972-450-7017 or iparker@addisontx.gov.

## **Around Addison**

### **Athletic Club Renovations Begin After Thanksgiving Holiday**



On Monday, November 29, the contractor selected for the Athletic Club renovations will begin staging equipment, including construction trailers, in the parking lot of the club. The indoor pool will be closed beginning Thursday, December 2 and the locker rooms will be closed beginning Tuesday, December 7. **Both the indoor pool and the locker rooms will remain closed for the majority of the renovation.** 

A portable restroom trailer will be placed in the Club's parking lot as long as the locker rooms are closed. These restrooms have toilets and sinks, are climate controlled, and offer an ADA-compatible option. However, they do not have shower facilities.

Although the building will remain open to members, closures to parts of the club, including the main entrance, atrium, and fitness areas, will be required periodically throughout the duration of the project. You can find a summary of the project improvements on the <u>project</u> website.

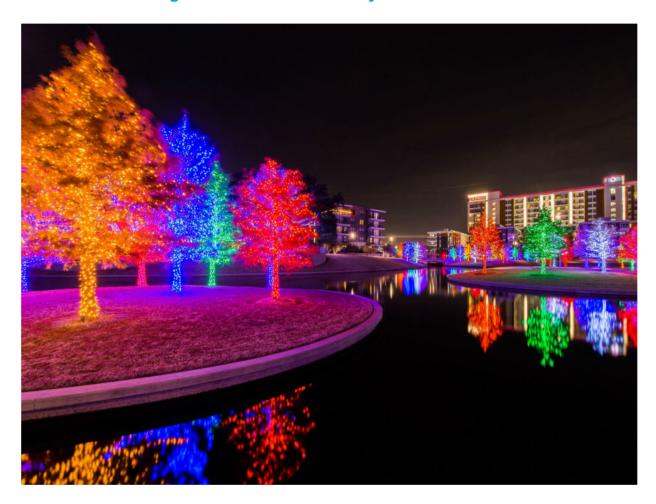
There are several ways residents can receive closure and project updates:

• Visit the project webpage at <a href="https://www.addisontexas.net/clubrenovations">www.addisontexas.net/clubrenovations</a>

- Register for email updates
- Subscribe to text updates by texting CLUBRENO to 888-777
- Follow the Addison Athletic Club Facebook page

Work is slated to be completed by the end of July 2022. However, it is anticipated that the schedule may be extended if alternate bid items are awarded during construction or unforeseen issues are identified. If you have any specific questions, please contact Parks and Recreation Director Janna Tidwell at 972-450-2869 or <a href="mailto:itidwell@addisontx.gov">itidwell@addisontx.gov</a>.

#### Vitruvian Lights Kicks off the Holiday Season on November 26



The most dazzling and spectacular time of the year is here! Vitruvian Park transforms into a magical holiday wonderland during Vitruvian Lights from Friday, November 26, 2021 - January 2, 2022. Grab your friends and family and be part of the celebration when they officially "flip the switch" at 6pm on November 26. The merriment continues that evening with a performance by the Jordan Kahn Orchestra, gourmet food trucks, sweet treats, free photos with Santa, classic holiday characters, an elf balloon artist, and more!

Mark your calendar for these Vitruvian Lights special event dates and entertainment:

- Friday, November 26 (6pm 10pm) Jordan Kahn Orchestra
- Saturday, December 4 (6pm 10pm) Dallas String Quartet
- Saturday, December 11 (6pm 10pm) Band to be determined

Tree lights will be on daily from 5pm – 11pm. Please note that inclement weather can impact the functionality of tree lights. Find parking and event details at

www.udr.com/vitruvian-park/vitruvian-park-events/.

## **Harvest Hootenanny Wraps Up Special Event Season**





On Saturday, November 20, nearly 700 people celebrated the fall season at the Addison After Dark Harvest Hootenanny. The last special event of the year, Harvest Hootenanny featured live music, gourmet food trucks, a petting zoo, a scenic hayride, and much more family fun.

Addison After Dark will return in April 2022 with monthly themed events on the third Saturday of each month from April through November. Also, mark your calendar for Taste Addison (June 3-4), Addison Kaboom Town (July 3), and Addison Oktoberfest (September 14 -18).

**Santa's Heroes Campaign is Back** 



The Addison Police and Fire Department Santa's Heroes Holiday Drive 2021 is officially underway, and they are asking for the community's help. With children ranging from the ages of 2-14 within Town who are in need of gifts on Christmas day, your donations are crucial to making this holiday drive successful. This year we are requesting your participation to collect gift cards from local businesses instead of toys. Gift cards will give the Police and Fire Departments the ability to make personalized purchases for specific families in need. Some families might need toys but also more essential items, food, clothes, etc.

All donations can be dropped off in the lobby of the Addison Police Department, 4799 Airport Parkway by Friday, December 10.

## **How to Stay Informed**

Addison shares information with the community in a number of different ways. Here are some ways you can stay updated on the latest news:

#### Website:

- <u>www.addisontexas.net</u>: Find alerts and updates on the homepage and departmentspecific updates on department pages
- www.addistontexas.net/covid19: Find specific COVID-19 updates and resources
- <a href="www.addisontexas.net/Midway">www.addisontexas.net/Midway</a>: Find information on the Midway Road Revitalization Project and subscribe for project email and text updates
- <u>www.addisonalert.com</u>: Get alerts about severe weather and other emergencies in the Town of Addison, as well as register to receive updates on Town programs

#### **Social Media:**

Addison Facebook

- Visit Addison Facebook
- Addison Twitter
- Visit Addison Twitter
- NextDoor

**Addison Newsletters:** For a description of and to subscribe to all of Addison's newsletters, click <u>here.</u>

If you have specific questions, please contact Addison's Marketing Department at <a href="marketing@addisontx.gov">marketing@addisontx.gov</a>.

**Important Numbers and Websites** 

**Town Hall:** 

972-450-7000

**Non-emergency Police Dispatch:** 

972-450-7156

Missed Trash:

972-392-9300, Option 2

**Request Bulk Trash Pickup** 

**Athletic Club:** 

972-450-7048

**Addison Website** 

Sign up for Addison Alerts

**Volunteer** 

**List of Restaurants** 

**Addison News** 

**Community Crime Map** 

**Watch City Council Meetings** 

**Addison's PEG Channel** 

(channel 99 for AT&T subscribers, channel 16 for Spectrum subscribers)

Register your Security Alarm

Report a Problem with Addison FixIT

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