



# WESTCHESTER RAP

Monthly WOC Meeting  
Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>  
(3rd Tuesday of Every Month)

**6:00 PM**



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### Summer's Here!

Lather on that sunscreen as Houston heats up and prepare for the summer fun with your family and friends. The Westchester pool is open and the schedule has been posted to our website: [www.westchesterhouston.org](http://www.westchesterhouston.org).

See page 3 for an update from the Westchester Dolphins and information on local businesses offering swimming lessons.

### Request the RAP Newsletter by Email

Request electronic delivery of the RAP to your email in an effort to reduce printing costs and the time and effort our volunteers must commit to deliver these hard copies. Send your request to [WestchesterRAP@gmail.com](mailto:WestchesterRAP@gmail.com).



## Save the Date!

Last Day of School  
Thursday June 1st

WOC Meeting  
Tuesday June 20th

July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade  
Details Coming Soon

### Community Updates

#### Westchester Owners Committee June Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled for 6pm Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup> at the residence of Richard Smith: 14702 River Forest.

#### Recognize Your Alternate Routes

Memorial Drive reconstruction efforts will be moving into the Dairy Ashford intersection this month. Construction from Kirkwood to HEB should be completed, but the wastewater lift station construction just south of the bayou on Dairy Ashford is expected to continue throughout the month. Expect the traffic at Memorial and Eldridge to be alleviated.

#### Constable's Report

Constables have reported an increase in Burglary of a Motor Vehicle (BMV) cases this past month in the Energy Corridor and surrounding neighborhoods. Remember to lock your vehicle doors at night and do not leave valuables in plain site. Most residential BMVs were due to vehicles left unlocked. See page 2 for Vacation Watch Requests.

### Westchester Tennis

This summer there will be social mix doubles on Saturday mornings. Contact Jim Brenneke for more information at 281-589-8913 or [jimbrenneke@yahoo.com](mailto:jimbrenneke@yahoo.com). Ladies doubles on Thursday's at 8:30 am. Contact Ming Su at 713-854-5611 or [sumjs@yahoo.com](mailto:sumjs@yahoo.com).



### Please Drive Slow

With all the traffic issues surrounding the Westchester area this summer, our driving times are bound to be impacted. Remember to Drive Slow in the neighborhood and be an example to those who may be cutting through ours and surrounding neighborhoods to bypass construction. Be aware of joggers, walkers, bikers, and especially our kids!



### Lawn and Garden Waste

Per the ACC Guidelines, “[Lawn Bags] shall be placed at the curb for collection no earlier than the evening prior to the day of collection and shall be removed from the curb on the day of collection.” Please follow the rules to help in keeping our streets clean and beautiful!

### Lawn and Garden Checklist

Treat web worms on Trees and Shrubs with *Summit Caterpillar & Worm Killer*

Apply *Fungicide* to stop lawn fungus

Treat insect problems on lawns or ornamentals with *Bonide Insect & Grub Control*

Control fire ants with *Amdro* or *Orthene Fire Ant Killer*

### Organic Checklist

Apply *Calloway's Organic & Natural Fertilizer; Soil Mender Molasses*, and *Texas Greensand* first of the month if not applied in May

Apply *Corn Meal* for fungus problems, if needed

Control web worms with *Summit B.T. Worm Spray* or *Bonide Captain Jack's (Spinosad)*

Control snails, slugs, and pill bugs with *Monterey's Sluggo Snail and Slug Control*

Apply *Natural CedarCide* to deter mosquitoes



## Yard of the Month

Congratulations to Nick and Kelly Nolan at 14706 Kellywood!



### Vacation Watch Requests

Harris County Constable Precinct 5 encourages us to use their online form to submit Vacation Watch Requests this summer. Deputies that patrol our area will be notified of the request and will keep an eye on your home as they patrol the area.

[www.constablepct5.com/vacation-watch](http://www.constablepct5.com/vacation-watch)

If you prefer, you may call their Communications Division at 281-463-6666. Remember to lock all your doors and windows before leaving and if you plan to lock gates to your backyard, consider providing information to deputies that would allow them access if needed.

# Westchester/Nottingham Forest VIII Women's Club

## Women's Club Annual Charity Disbursements

Thanks to all members who supported the Westchester /Nottingham Forest VIII Women's Club this year. Through your generosity, we were able to offer grants in the amounts below to the following area organizations.

Members attending the May 17 Coffee at Barbe's home affirmed the recommendations of those kindly serving on the Grants Disbursements Committee. A very special round of applause to Jo Goodwin, Myra Lewis, Michelle Pendleton, Carolyn Stoffel, and Cynthia Wier for their service on our panel reviewing all grant proposals.

We are happy to announce the following grants to those who are offering key services, training and education for children and families in our community.

- Nottingham Elementary School Library - Literacy Programs - \$500
- Literacy Advance of Houston - Adult Literacy Programs - \$500
- FamilyPoint Resources - Summer Camps for Underserved Youth - \$500
- Stratford High School - Student Council Leadership Programs - \$300
- Westchester Dolphins Swim Team - Program Needs/Equipment - \$300
- Stratford High School - Project Prom 2018 - \$200
- St John Vianney Social Services - Food Bank - \$200
- Westchester HOA - Reimbursement of July 4th Parade Refreshments - Up to \$75

Thanks to all for a great year!

Barbe Bozeman  
Grant Disbursements Secretary for the Women's Club

## Oh Baby!

Keeke and Jack Russo, along with big sister Reese, welcomed Reagan Edison Russo on May 24th at 6:43 am. Reagan weighed in at 6lbs 8oz and was 21 inches long. Congrats to the Russo family!

## Join the Women's Club

For information on joining the Westchester/Nottingham Forest VIII Women's Club, contact Michelle Pendleton at 281-556-5355 or [michelle.pendleton@gmail.com](mailto:michelle.pendleton@gmail.com)

For information on Moms Club, contact Meg Maguire at 713-542-3441 or [megmaguire05@yahoo.com](mailto:megmaguire05@yahoo.com) or contact Kristin Anderson at 713-851-9721 or [kristinanderson@gmail.com](mailto:kristinanderson@gmail.com).



Find our Mom's Group on Facebook: "Westchester NFeight Momsgroup"

<https://www.facebook.com/westchesternfeight.momsgroup>

## Westchester Dolphins Update

Our swim team has had a great start! We have 119 athletes on our roster and 88 Dolphins participated in our time trials over the Memorial Day weekend. Afterwards, we had fun at the pool opening event with games, hotdogs and concessions! Feel free to visit our practices, meets or website to learn more about our swim team: [westchesterdolphins.swimtopia.com](http://westchesterdolphins.swimtopia.com)

## Register for Swimming Lessons

**GOLDFISH SWIM SCHOOL** (1801 S. Dairy Ashford)  
[westchester.goldfishswimschool.com](http://westchester.goldfishswimschool.com) | (832) 856-7946

**SWIMJIM** (1100 Wilcrest)  
[swimjim.com](http://swimjim.com) | (713) 784-1777

**MAC AQUATICS** (14690 Memorial)  
[fitmacaquatics.com](http://fitmacaquatics.com) | (281) 759-1748