



Northeast Newsletter

Tarrant County Commissioner Gary Fickes - Precinct 3

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"Working together for a better tomorrow"

November 2019

COMMISSIONER'S CORNER



We'll see you Friday! COFFEE WITH THE COMMISSIONER

Friday, November 8th, 2019

7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Start your day with us!

Northeast Courthouse

Commissioner's Office

645 Grapevine Hwy., Ste. 200
Hurst, Texas 76054



Well, we are officially entering the holiday season! One of my team members was at a store this past weekend looking for last minute decorations for Thanksgiving lunch only to find Christmas was front and center at all the stores with little fall décor left to purchase. We are four weeks away from Thanksgiving! So, enjoy the beautiful fall weather we are finally having, and I hope the holiday spirit will find you well as we enter the season.

Exciting things are happening at the Northeast Courthouse this week. Tarrant County Clerk Mary Louise Nicholson has worked hard to bring our courthouse a passport office, and the office officially opened on Monday, November 4. The new office is located on the second floor in Suite 210, and the hours of operation are 8 a.m. – 3:45 p.m., Monday – Friday. This acceptance location is in addition to the Southlake Town Hall location. A special reminder that the Southlake Town Hall Passport office will be accepting applications on Saturday, November 9, from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. First come, first served; no appointment necessary! View more information about passports [here](#). In addition, please be sure to exercise your right to vote in the Joint General and Special Elections today. Click [here](#) for the election day schedule and vote center locations.

changes taking place in our region, the State of Texas and the United States, as a whole. For this event, we will be looking at the connection between innovation and transportation and how this pairing is shaping the destiny of mobility initiatives throughout North Texas. Stay tuned for sponsorship and program information found [here](#).

The flu has already taken a toll on folks this year, so it's important to be mindful of tips to help prevent and stop the spread. Even though it's seasonal, the flu is one of the toughest diseases to predict. A nice summer and a warm fall tend to lull people into believing the flu is no big deal, but it is! Flu kills several thousand people across the US every year and it is preventable. View more on how you can [Stop the Flu](#).

Enjoy this edition of the Northeast Newsletter and read on about the growth of Grapevine, how the Arts Council Northeast is bringing art to the senior community, the happenings in the City of Richland Hills, an historical account on the actual John Peter Smith, transportation updates, senior news, and more! I hope that you can join me this Friday, November 8 for coffee and conversation from 7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. in my office on the second floor of the Northeast Courthouse. Look forward to seeing you then!

Gary Fickes

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Question of the Month

Question: What did President Franklin D. Roosevelt do in November of 1939 to help the economy?

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The Quote of the Month - "Many Texas towns are too small to support one lawyer, but none are too small to support two lawyers."

—LBJ



VETERANS DAY



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE



P.W. McCallum



Paul W. McCallum has led the Grapevine Convention & Visitors Bureau for 32 years. In partnership with the Mayor, Council, City Manager, Department Heads, and the community and civic leaders, he has helped transform Grapevine into the leading convention and leisure destination in North Texas. Mr. McCallum is recognized as a pioneer in utilizing heritage and the hospitality industry as the primary generator for economic development. He recognized Grapevine's heritage as the base for building an authentic Brand that would accelerate the restoration of historic attractions, grow festivals and promote adaptive re-use of historic structures that would give rise to Grapevine's wineries and expansion of the Brand. This

gave leverage to the City's economic development GO Team that became the catalyst for the Gaylord Texan Resort, Great Wolf Lodge, Embassy Suites, Bass Pro Shops, Grapevine Mills, and Merlin Entertainments attractions to name a few.

Mr. McCallum implemented the New Vintage Wine and Art Festival, Butterfly Flutterby, Christmas Capital of Texas, North Pole Express, Grapevine Heritage Foundation, Grapevine Wine Pouring Society, and the Dirty Dozen. He re-established the Cotton Belt Railroad District and invited the Tarantula steam excursion railroad to Grapevine and in 2000, took over its operations, renaming it the Grapevine Vintage Railroad.

He also initiated Grapevine's Sister City program, along with the first pieces of public art, and established the artist-in-residence program.

Mr. McCallum currently serves on the Boards of the Texas Travel Industry Association, VisitDFW, and the Grapevine Chamber of Commerce. He previously served as Chair of the Board of Directors of Texas Association of Convention and Visitors Bureaus, Board of Governors of University of North Texas School of

Hospitality Management and the Board of Directors of the 9/11 Flight Crew Memorial Foundation.

However, he says his proudest contributions to date are his five children, one son-in-law, two daughters-in-law, and six grandchildren.

On a more personal note -

What do you do for fun? Tend to my vineyard.

Favorite Movie? Not too big on movies. I prefer books.

Favorite Restaurant? Any of Grapevine's 200 fabulous restaurants.

Favorite vacation spot? National and State Parks with my grandchildren.

Last book read? "Atomic Habits" by James Clear

People would be surprised to know... I raise goats.

New Passport Acceptance Facility Now Open at the Tarrant County Northeast Courthouse!



A big **THANK YOU** to Mary Louise Nicholson, Tarrant County Clerk, for bringing the NEW Passport Acceptance Facility to the Northeast Courthouse! We are excited to have this valuable service available at the Hurst location beginning on Monday, November 4th.

Passport Acceptance Facility

Northeast Courthouse
645 Grapevine Hwy., Suite 210
Hurst, Texas 76054

817-248-6080

Hours of Operation

Monday through Friday
(Excluding holidays)

8:00 a.m. to 3:45 p.m.



***** SPECIAL NOTICE *****

SOUTHLAKE TOWN HALL

Passport Application Acceptance

on

Saturday, November 9

First Come, First Served

No appointment necessary!

Hours: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Southlake Town Hall

1400 Main Street, Ste. 340
Southlake, Texas 76092

www.tarrantcounty.com

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EMPOWERING Seniors
 Tarrant County Commissioner Gary Fickes



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT THE LAST 11 YEARS!

It takes a lot of people to make Empowering Seniors such a success!

Sponsors * Exhibitors * Volunteers * Healthcare Professionals * Workshop Speakers & Moderators
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A special thanks to our wonderful partner the past ten years, Cross City Church, for hosting Empowering Seniors, and helping us serve our senior community in such a powerful way all these years.

In recognition of our Presenting Sponsor, Care N' Care Insurance Company, Inc., thank you for your sponsorship and the wonderful partnership we have developed over the past four years.

We would also like to thank special guests: WBAP Morning Team, Hal Jay, Brad Barton and Brian Estridge; Scott Murray, Legendary Sportscaster and Chairman/CEO Murray Media; Troy Dungan, Iconic Weatherman and Care N' Care Member; and the Dallas Cowboys Alumni Cheerleaders from the '70s.

Special thanks to Art on Wheels by Arts Council Northeast, Airport Area YMCA, DEA Drug Take Back, our Tarrant County Departments: Facilities, Graphics, IT, and Precinct 3 Maintenance Department; Sign Language Interpreters, Tarrant County College - Trinity River Campus, all of our hospitals, pharmacies, and providers of screenings and vaccinations!



Thank you for making such an impact on so many lives, and for making **Empowering Seniors 2019 THE GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH!**



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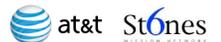
NEW LIFESTYLES THE SOURCE FOR SENIOR LIVING

TEXAS CENTER for PROTON THERAPY

UNT HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER



Atmos Energy | Forest Ridge Funeral Home | Oncor Electric Delivery | Republic Services | Trinity Metro



AmeriLife of Texas | Area Agency on Aging of Tarrant County | CarePlus Hospice | iTZ Family Food & Fun | James L. West Center for Dementia Care | Las Brisas Rehab & Assisted Living | Lift-Aides, Inc. | McGee Law Firm | Miracle Ear Hearing Center | Southlake Dermatology



Art on Wheels Program

Provided by: **ARTS COUNCIL NORTHEAST**

Senior citizens and individuals living with intellectual and developmental disabilities often miss out on artistic endeavors where they can let their creativity blossom. Arts Council Northeast helps achieve this experience through a program called **Art on Wheels**. Arts Council's professional artists visit facilities in North Tarrant County and guide students with step-by-step instructions. Participants may work on a traced canvas or create their artwork. With each session, students unleash their inner artist and create something of their own. By the end of the session, everyone has a work of art they have created themselves to treasure for a lifetime! Canvas, paints, brushes, and easels are all provided, and no previous art experience is necessary. This program allows the seniors to be inspired and engaged.

During this program, we have observed remarkable changes in socialization, energy, moods, self-esteem, and overall health. Some students have had to deal with life-threatening diseases (while in our Art on Wheels program) such as cancer, Parkinson's, dementia and Alzheimer's, and each has shown remarkable strength of character. Art has given them the medium and attitude that shows them they can be successful in all things, even the trials of life.

Arts Council Northeast is dedicated to bringing arts-focused programs to the

communities of North Tarrant and Southern Denton Counties. For 44 years, Arts Council Northeast has accomplished its mission by providing grants, information, and assistance to artists, arts organizations, and the general public. *With a vision of access to the arts for all, our mission is to provide artistic, cultural, and educational opportunities to improve the quality of life in our communities.* You can make a difference by attending our upcoming fundraiser, the Taste of Northeast on November 14th. Thank you for supporting Art on Wheels and other Arts Council programs.

For more information visit www.artscouncilnortheast.org



Article courtesy of Bobbie McFarland
V.P. Operations, Arts Council Northeast



Question of the Month



Question: What did President Franklin D. Roosevelt do in November of 1939 to help the economy?

Answer: In November 1939, during the Great Depression, Franklin D. Roosevelt ordered that Thanksgiving be celebrated one week earlier than usual, thereby extending the Christmas Shopping Season.



Welcome to our series “Northeast Tarrant County Cities,” where we’ll share information about one of the cities located in Precinct 3 in each newsletter. It’s impossible to share everything on one page that makes a city great, but we hope to scratch the surface on what makes each city a great place to live, work, and play.

Northeast Tarrant County is home to 16 municipalities in one of the most urbanized regions in the State of Texas. Commissioner Fickes, along with Tarrant County, partners with many entities, including our cities. With these partnerships, our communities continue to thrive via road projects, economic development, public health services, public safety, and emergency management.

Richland Hills, Texas, encompasses approximately 3.9 square miles in Northeast Tarrant County. Bordering the northeast corner of Fort Worth, the city is less than 20 miles from the Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport, less than 15 miles to downtown Fort Worth and less than 30 miles to downtown Dallas. Easy access is provided to State Highway 183, State Highway 121, and State Highway 26, via Interstate 820.

Railroad access is currently available to the city's largest industrial park and commuter rail connects Richland Hills to downtown Fort Worth and Dallas. The city also provides comprehensive transit service for senior citizens and anyone with disabilities or mobility impairments. This service will take residents to Fort Worth, North Richland Hills, Hurst, and several other areas in Northeast Tarrant County and operates Monday through Saturday.

The City of Richland Hills strives to maintain an exemplary quality of life, and makes protecting the health, safety, and welfare of Richland Hills resident a priority. There is a sense of pride for those living in Richland Hills and by the community organizations that serve this area.

Residents enjoy five parks located throughout the community, including the newest park located just outside of the new recreation center. The Link is a multipurpose community facility that offers fitness equipment, public meeting spaces, a game area, and specialized programs and activities for all ages, including the Senior Citizens Program.

The public library is a popular attraction for all ages to enjoy programs such as Storytime for preschoolers, the Summer Reading Program, and adults can enjoy the Richland Hills Literary Society Book Club.

The Richland Hills Police Department is committed to achieving community engagement with the citizens by forming partnerships, being transparent, and inclusive in their policing models and standards.

The Richland Hills Fire Department consists of 15 personnel in Operations and the Fire Chief/Fire Marshal. Operations personnel work 48 hours on duty/96 hours off duty with each shift having five personnel, including a Captain, engineer, and three firefighters. Personnel are all trained as an EMT or a Paramedic. The fire station is staffed 24 hours a day.

Richland Hills is located within the Birdville Independent School District and is home to two elementary schools and one middle school. Birdville ISD is one of the largest school districts in Northeast Tarrant County with more than 23,500 students. The District’s 33 campuses serve the community of Richland Hills and portions of Colleyville, Fort Worth, Haltom City, Hurst, North Richland Hills, and Watauga.



City of Richland Hills

3200 Diana Drive, Richland Hills, Texas 76118

817-616-3800

- Animal Services & Adoptions 817-616-3769
- Code Enforcement..... 817-616-3774
- Library 817-616-3761
- Municipal Court 817-616-3825
- Neighborhood Services 817-616-3771
- Parks - Pavilion Reservations 817-616-3738
- The Link 817-616-3741
- Emergency 9-1-1
- Police Non-Emergency 24-Hour Dispatch 817-281-1000
- Fire Department 817-616-3750

An Historic Moment In Time

John Peter Smith



John Peter Smith (1831-1901) arrived in Fort Worth in 1853 and decided to make it his home.

In January 1854, Smith obtained an old army hospital that was abandoned, which he later established as the first private school in the city. Tuition was five dollars per month with the parents providing room and board for the teacher.

Following service in the Civil War, he returned home to begin his career as a lawyer and to deal in real estate. Smith owned 1,000 acres of land in Tarrant County in 1865 and quickly rose to prominence in Fort Worth society. Within five years he had doubled his holdings, and by

the early 1880s he had amassed city lots valued at more than \$50,000 and thousands of acres of land. He was reported to be the largest landowner in Fort Worth.

Several times Smith was urged to accept a nomination for governor of Texas, but he continually refused, saying that he preferred to pursue his personal interests. Smith donated many acres to the city for improvements, including land for the Oakwood, Calvary and Trinity cemeteries and for several parks, churches and hospitals, one of which still carries his name — John Peter Smith Hospital.

Smith died April 11, 1901, in St. Louis while on a promotional trip for Fort Worth. Reportedly, the cause of death was blood poisoning contracted following a robbery and assault outside his hotel. He was buried at Oakwood Cemetery on Fort Worth’s north side. The citizens of the city honored him by erecting the John Peter Smith Monument, a marble bust near St. Patrick’s Cathedral on land donated by Smith.

Reference: <http://fortworthtexas.gov/flashback/2012/05/fort-worth-flashback-john-peter-smith-was-early-fort-worth-promoter/>



Monument located at 1206 Throckmorton Street, Fort Worth, TX 76102
[View on Google Maps](#)

JPS Health Network, Tarrant County’s public healthcare provider, is dedicated to improving healthcare delivery and quality of life for all county residents.

The network’s flagship is John Peter Smith Hospital in Fort Worth, a 589-bed acute care hospital south of downtown. The hospital includes a 54-bed emergency department and is home to Tarrant County’s only Level I Trauma Center, providing state-of-the-art care for life-threatening injuries and coordinated medical response capability for mass-casualty events in the community. JPS is also a Comprehensive Level I Stroke Center and is AMI Certified by the Joint Commission, providing the best possible care for heart attack and stroke, which are among the leading causes of death and disability in the United States.



Commissioner Gary Fickes
 Tarrant County
 Precinct 3



SAVE THE DATE!

Friday, February 14, 2020

TARRANT COUNTY

THE HEART OF TRANSPORTATION INNOVATION

We’ve become one of the largest transportation summits in Texas, so we’ve changed our name!

We’re now the Tarrant Transportation Summit, representing Tarrant County’s largest transportation event!

For the 2020 summit, we’ll be taking a look at the “marriage” between innovation and transportation and how this pairing is shaping the destiny of mobility initiatives throughout North Texas, including the integration of 5G into the transportation network, the AllianceTexas Mobility Innovation Zone, growth of transit options (beyond rail) for all of Tarrant County.



Cold Weather Safety

If you are like most people, you feel cold now and then during the winter months. What you may not know is that just being really cold can make you sick. Older adults can lose body heat fast—faster than when they were young. Changes in your body that come with aging can make it harder for you to be aware of getting cold. A big chill can turn into a dangerous problem before an older person even knows what's happening. Doctors call this serious problem hypothermia.

What Is Hypothermia?

Hypothermia is what happens when your body temperature gets very low. For an older person, a body temperature of 95°F or lower can cause many health problems, such as a [heart attack](#), [kidney problems](#), [liver damage](#), or worse.

Being outside in the cold, or even being in a very cold house, can lead to hypothermia. Try to stay away from cold places, and pay attention to how cold it is where you are. You can take steps to lower your chance of getting hypothermia.

⇒ **Keep Warm Inside - Set heat to at least 68-70°F.**

⇒ **Bundle Up on Windy, Cold Days**

⇒ **Be Aware of Illness, Medicines, and Cold Weather**

- Some illnesses make it harder for your body to stay warm such as Thyroid, Diabetes, Memory Loss.
 - Some medicines and not being active affect body heat.
- Talk to your doctor about any health problems and medicines that can make hypothermia a special problem for you. Your doctor can help you find ways to prevent hypothermia.

For more information:

www.nia.nih.gov/health/cold-weather-safety-older-adults



SENIOR NEWS

Need Help With My Heating Bills?

For those who may be having a hard time paying their heating bills, here are a few resources that might help. Contact the [National Energy Assistance Referral service](#) at 1-866-674-6327 (toll-free; TTY, 1-866-367-6228) or email energyassis-tance@ncat.org to get information about the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program.

If your home doesn't have enough insulation, contact your state or local energy agency or the local power or gas company. They may be able to give you information about weatherizing your home. This can help keep heating bills down. These agencies and companies may also have special programs for people who have a limited income and qualify for help paying their heating bill. Your local [Area Agency on Aging](#), senior center or social service agency may have information on these programs. You can reach the Tarrant County Area Agency on Aging office at 817-258-8082.

Other agencies to reach out to:

- 2-1-1 <https://unitedwaytarrant.org/211-2/> Call: 211
- Tarrant Cares - www.tarrantcares.org
- Catholic Charities - www.catholiccharitiesfortworth.org 817-534-0814 (select option 2)
- Community Action Partners - www.fortworthtexas.gov 817-392-5790
- Tarrant County Department of Human Services - www.tarrantcounty.com 817-531-5620

November 7 Hurst Senior Activities Center Open House
www.hursttx.gov

November 14 Texas Silver-Haired Legislature
Town Hall Meeting
www.tarrantcountyadrc.org

YOUR VOICE
YOUR VOTE

**Be sure to vote
November 5th!**

www.tarrantcounty.com

Check out the Holiday Happenings at your area Senior Center!



Bedford Senior Center	(817) 952-2326	www.bedfordtx.gov
Colleyville Senior Center	(817) 503-1195	www.colleyville.com
Eules Family Life Sr. Center.....	(817) 685-1671	www.eulesstx.gov
Grapevine Active Adults at The REC	(817) 410-3465	www.gograpevine.com
Haltom City Sr. Citizens Center.....	(817) 834-8021	www.haltomcitytx.com
Hurst Sr. Citizens Activities Center	(817) 788-7710	www.ci.hurst.tx.us
Keller Senior Activities Center.....	(817) 743-4370	www.cityofkeller.com
N. Richland Hills Senior Center	(817) 427-6600	www.nrhtx.com
Richland Hills Sr. Activities Center	(817) 616-3738	www.richlandhills.com
Southlake Senior Activity Center ...	(817) 748-8315	www.ci.southlake.tx.us
Watauga Senior Center	(817) 514-5892	www.ci.watauga.tx.us



October 15th to December 7th

For more information: www.medicare.gov and www.ssa.gov



Transportation

Northeast Tarrant County

DFW Connector Project

Hotline: 877-411-4212
www.dfwconnector.com


Sign up for e-alerts!

up for our text alert system by texting "DFWC4" to 77222 to get updates on major work taking place throughout the project.

- The I-635/SH 121 interchange project is a joint venture to widen and increase connectivity between I-635, SH 121, SH 26, and FM 2499. The estimated project completion is 2022.

The I-635/SH 121 project is currently 50% complete!

- The new northbound SH 26 to northbound SH 121 direct connector is open along with the new southbound SH 121 to eastbound I-635 direct connector.
- Our team has opened the eastbound Bass Pro Drive bridge, and the westbound Bass Pro Drive bridge is set to open in 2020.
- NorthGate is planning to open seven direct connectors throughout 2020.
- Know before you go out each weekend by signing



Highway 26

TxDOT - N Tarrant Office

817-399-4300
sh26project.com
www.txdot.gov


Sign up for e-alerts!

- Recent work completed on SH 26 includes the switch of motorists to the new northbound pavement on the east side of SH 26 from Brown Trail north to Church Street. The cross street of Glade Road has also switched motorists to new pavement on the east side of SH 26, and Old Glade Road at SH 26 has been re-opened to motorists. Other recent work completed on SH 26 includes the installation of sidewalks, driveways, retaining walls, and lighting foundations between Brown Trail and Church Street.



- Other SH 26 construction activity continues with work in the center median areas from Brown Trail north to John McCain to remove temporary pavement in center medians and construct median curbs with left-turn lanes. Irrigation and landscaping activity will begin soon.
- Project completion is estimated for Spring 2020.

FM 1709

TxDOT - Fort Worth Office

817-399-4300
www.txdot.gov

- Construction will begin the first week of November on Farm to Market 1709 (Southlake Boulevard) from Farm to Market 1938 (Davis Boulevard) to State Highway 114. The \$3.5 million project will improve mobility and safety by the removal of the existing pavement, repairing the roadway, and then overlaying it

with a new asphalt surface. The 5-mile project was awarded to Jagoe-Public Company and is estimated for completion in spring 2020.

- During construction, lane closures will be scheduled during nighttime and off-peak hours to minimize impact to motorists.



Calendar of Events

- Nov 5 Election Day www.tarrantcounty.com
- Nov 7 Mid-Cities Care Corps Festival of Friends www.midcitiescarecorps.org
- Nov 7 Workforce Solutions Hiring Red, White & You! www.twc.texas.gov
- Nov 7 Multi Chamber Annual Chili Cook-Off Visit your area chamber website
- Nov 8 Coffee with the Commissioner (7:30 a.m.) 817-581-3600
- Nov 11 Veterans Day
- Nov 14 Arts Council Northeast Taste of Northeast www.artscouncilnortheast.org
- Nov 14 State of the Cities Luncheon www.heb.org
- Nov 15 Tarrant County Adoption Day www.tarrantcountynad.com
- Nov 16 City of Colleyville Art on Main www.colleyville.com
- Nov 28-29 Thanksgiving Holiday
- Nov 30 Small Business Saturday www.sba.gov
- Dec 3 Giving Day Tuesday www.givingtuesday.org
- Dec 7 American Cancer Society Cowboy Christmas www.acshpfw.ejoinme.org
- Dec 24-25 Christmas Holiday



- Nov 9 Hurst Santa & Soldiers Veterans Day Parade www.hursttx.gov
- Nov 9 Richland Hills Veterans Day Ceremony www.richlandhills.com
- Nov 9 Grapevine Veterans Day Parade www.grapevineveteransparade.org
- Nov 9 Roanoke Veteran's Day Parade www.roanoketexas.com
- Nov 10-16 Inaugural Keller Field of Honor www.healingfield.org
- Nov 11 Haltom City Veterans Day Ceremony www.haltomcitytx.com
- Nov 11 North Richland Hills Veterans Day Celebration www.nrhtx.com
- Nov 11 Tarrant County Veterans Day Parade www.tarrantcountyveteranscouncil.org
- Nov 11 Trophy Club Veterans Day Celebration www.trophyclub.org



Happy Holidays!

- Nov 23 Sundance Square Annual Christmas Tree Lighting... www.sundancesquare.com
- Nov 23 Southlake Home for the Holidays Tree Lighting . www.visitsouthlaketexas.com
- Nov 24 Fort Worth Parade Of Lights www.fortworth.com
- Nov 25 Grapevine Carol of Lights www.grapevinetexasusa.com
- Dec 3 Hurst Christmas Tree Lighting & Santa www.hursttx.gov
- Dec 5 Grapevine Annual Parade of Lights www.grapevinechamber.org
- Dec 5 Westlake Annual Community Tree Lighting www.westlake-tx.org
- Dec 6 Colleyville Christmas Tree Lighting..... www.colleyville.com
- Dec 6 Keller Holly Days www.cityofkeller.com
- Dec 6 North Richland Hills Holiday Magic Christmas Tree Lighting... www.nrhtx.com
- Dec 6 Richland Hills Annual Christmas Tree Lighting www.richlandhills.com
- Dec 7 Haslet Christmas in the Park www.haslet.org
- Dec 7 Watauga Hometown Christmas Celebration & Tree Lighting..... www.cowtx.org
- Dec 7 Grapevine Chamber Elves on the Run 5K www.elvesontherun5k.com
- Dec 7 Bedford Christmas Tree Lighting & Pet Palooza www.bedfordtx.gov
- Dec 7 Euless Christmas Parade of Lights www.eulessstx.gov
- Dec 7 Roanoke Old Fashioned Christmas Parade & Festivities. www.roanoketexas.com
- Dec 7 Colleyville Lions Club Breakfast with Santa www.colleyvillelions.com
- Dec 7 Haltom City Christmas on Broadway www.haltomcitytx.com
- Dec 7 Southlake Breakfast with Santa www.experiencesouthlaketexas.com
- Dec 14 Trophy Club Christmas in the Park www.trophyclub.org
- Dec 14 North Richland Hills Breakfast with Santa www.nrhtx.com
- Dec 14 Watauga Breakfast With Santa www.cowtx.org



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Locations In Northeast Tarrant County

Health Clinics

- Gertrude Tarpley JPS Health Center .. 817-514-5036
6601 Watauga Road, Watauga 76148
- JPS Medical Home Northeast Tarrant 817-702-1100
3200 W. Euless Boulevard, Euless 76040

School-Based Clinics

- Birdville 817-547-3046
8200 O'Brian Way, N. Richland Hills 76180
- Birdville 817-759-2035
2807 Layton Avenue, Haltom City 76117
- Grapevine/Colleyville 817-251-5751
3050 Timberline Drive, Grapevine 76051
- HEB 817- 399-3500
3115 W. Pipeline Road #B, Euless TX 76040
- Georgia Kidwell - HEB 817-399-3366
3115 W. Pipeline Road #D, Euless TX 76040

For a complete list of Health Clinics and
School-Based Clinics log onto:
www.jpshealthnet.org

COUNTY HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

November 28 & 29 - Thanksgiving
December 24 & 25 - Christmas Holiday
January 1 - New Year's Day

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