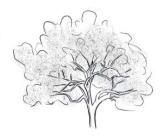


Gardens of Oak Hollow

A SMALL COMMUNITY WITH A BIG HEART

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Daylight Savings Time Ends



Veterans Day



It seems there is a day for everything. There is Cheeseburger Day, Hot Dog Day, Grandparents Day, and even National Pet

Day to name a few. Some are obviously more important than others, however Veterans Day, celebrated on November 11th, should be near the top of the list of celebrated days.

Veterans Day, originally known as Armistice Day, was established on November 11, 1919 commemorating the armistice, or WWI cease-fire. The armistice went into effect on the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month in 1918 and declared a legal holiday in 1938 to honor veterans of World War I. Congress passed a bill after the Korean War, in 1954, to change Armistice Day to Veterans Day to honor all American military veterans not just those serving in WWI.

Our military veterans have dedicated a portion of their lives to the defense of our country and far too many have made the ultimate sacrifice. Our veterans have endured the hardships of family separation, missing birthdays and graduations, and celebrating anniversaries and holidays whenever they can. They certainly are a deserving group of people honored on this very special day.

Our Community will proudly post our flags to honor all Veterans on this special day. When you see a



veteran, say

"thank you" to let them know you appreciate their sacrifices.

GOH Survey

In the last Newsletter, I asked for YOUR support with a small *anonymous survey* to gather some data for a new article I wanted to write about our Community. I am very disappointed that I did not receive Community support. Only ONE response indicated there is a Veteran in their household and only ONE response indicated there is not a veteran in their household. So no new article for this Newsletter.

Constitutional Amendments



As you are aware, the 88th Texas Legislature passed a total of 14 proposed amendments that are now on the ballot. Since the adoption of our current Texas Constitution in 1876, the legislature has proposed 700 amendments and we, the people, have approved 74% of them.

Early Voting October 23 to November 3

With 14 proposals on the current ballot, I have been looking for some sort of reference to help me make an informed decision. Here is what I have found.

Texas Legislative Council

"The mission of the Texas Legislative Council is to provide professional, nonpartisan service and support to the For each proposed amendment, this publication contains the ballot language, an

analysis, and the text of the joint resolution proposing the amendment.

For each proposition, the analysis includes:

- Summary Analysis
- Background
- Detailed Analysis
- · Summary of Comments
 - Comments by Supporters
 - Comments by Opponents
- Wording to be added to the Constitution if amendment is passed.

FULL ANALYSES

https://gardensofoakhollow.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/analyses23.pdf

Save The Dates



6PM, Thursday, November 16

Hostess: Adrith Heron 12538 Misty Creek

6PM, Thursday, December 21

Hostess: Mary Lou Lybecker 1821 Shoal Run

Come and join us for a casual evening to catch up with one another and look forward to the end of summer.

Bring your favorite beverage and join the fun!!

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Halloween Humor



Q: What is a Skeleton's favorite song? **A:** Bad to the Bone.

Q: What did the witch do on her birthday?

A: She spellabrates.

Q: What's a monster's favorite bean? **A:** A human bean.

Q: Do zombies eat popcorn with their fingers? **A:** No, they eat the fingers separately.

Q: What do you call someone who puts poison in a person's corn flakes? **A:**: A cereal killer.

Q: What do birds give out on Halloween night? **A:** Tweets.

Q: What do Italians eat on Halloween? **A:** Fettuccini Afraid-o.

Q: How does a witch tell time? **A:** She looks at her witch watch.

Q: What is a vampire's favorite sport? **A:** casketball.

Q: What do you give to a pumpkin trying to quit smoking? **A:** A pumpkin patch.

Q: What is a vampire's favorite ice cream flavor? **A:** Veinilla.

Q: Why don't mummies take vacations? **A:** They're afraid they'll relax and unwind.

Q: What do you call a ghost on the ceiling? **A:** High-spirited.

Q: What do sea monsters eat for lunch? **A:** Fish and ships.

Q: What do female ghosts use to do their makeup? **A:** Vanishing cream

source: The Simple Parent.com