Neighborhood Crime Watch & National Night Out Events

Neighborhood Crime Watch (NCW) Meeting (Sep 17th): Thanks to all of the Landing residents and police officers who attended our Neighborhood Crime Watch (NCW) meeting at The Landing on Tuesday Sep 17th. We had a good turnout and the meeting was very informative. We now plan to get our block captains assigned for each street and re-energize our NCW program. Jim Cronkhite volunteered to serve as our current NCW captain. There were around 30 residents who came to the meeting including several new neighbors. A summary of information from the meeting is as follows:

- (1) We had the following Police officers attend:
- NCW Specialist Dorothy Tyler 817-682-3072, Dorothy.tyler@fortworthtexas.gov
- NPO Officer Ralph Salazar 817-996-0406, Rafael.salazar@fortworthtexas.gov
- NPO Sgt. Randy Molina 817-682-3072, Randy.molina@fortworthtexas.gov
- NPO Officer Woody 817-944-1943
- TRWD Police Officer Chris Akers (call 911 or 817-392-4222)
- (2) Phone numbers to call for help or reporting information to the police are:
- 911 emergency, to report a crime or suspicious activity
- 817-392-4222 non-emergency
- 817-392-1234 report an issue, e.g., streetlight out
- (3) Community Camera Program to register location of homeowner's cameras.
- Link= https://police.fortworthtexas.gov/OnlineServices/Cameras/
- Cameras such as RING doorbells and outdoor cameras may help the police if a crime occurs without invading the homeowners privacy.
- (4) "MyFW" app to report issues to City Officials: http://fortworthtexas.gov/news/2019/08/myFW-Launch/
- (5) Brochures were available and a flyer about the <u>FW Police NW Div. 2019 Annual Safety Fair on Oct. 12</u> in the Lowes pkg. lot (3500 NW Centre Dr., 76135).

Having a good communication link is very important to get information from our neighbors to the police and from the police back to us, also knowing who or what numbers to call. The police cannot be everywhere all the time and need our help to control crime. Please help support our Neighborhood Crime Watch program and get to know your neighbors and build community unity and spirit and police partnerships.

Thank you for your help in keeping our neighborhood a safe place to live.











National Night Out (NNO) Event (Oct 1st):

NNO is a national event that is sponsored by the National Association of Town Watch and Fort Worth Police Department. On Tuesday October 1st (6-8pm), we held The Landing NNO event at our clubhouse with 50-60 neighbors attending along with police and firefighters. There were also police cars and firetrucks that the kids really enjoyed (as well as the adults). It was an evening

of fun and food and getting to know your neighbors and our first responders who help protect us and our

property. Our first responders and city officials honored guests were:

Fort Worth City Councilman Dennis Shingleton and his assistant

FWPD NW Division: Assistant Chief Ramirez, NPO Officer Woody (sub for our NPO Ofcr. Salazar),

TRWD Police: Chris Akers

FWPD Wildlife & Animal Control: Charles Coot

DA's Office: Asst. DA Vincent Giardino

Fire Dept. Engine #40 firefighters

There was plenty of food to share with Chili hot dogs and iced tea provided by the HOA and friendly















neighbors bringing sides, desserts, appetizers and non-alcoholic beverages. There was also crime watch information about safety in our neighborhood and talks by the police and firefighters who attended. The kids had some games and loved to learn about the big fire engine #40 and sit in a police car.

We need volunteers to help serve as block captains. Please contact our NCW captain, Jim Cronkhite, if you would like to help or just learn more about neighborhood safety and how to support our crime watch program. We also have Q&A panel discussions with police, lake patrol and DA's office plus crime watch training with our FWPD NW Div. Crime Watch Specialist Dorothy Tyler.

This NNO event was a great opportunity to help support our Neighborhood Crime Watch program and get to know our first responders and neighbors as we work together to build a strong and safe community.









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