



# Birnam Wood Bugle



December/January 2003

281/350-8556

## CALANDER OF EVENTS

Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> 2003. **Monthly Water Board Meeting-**  
in clubhouse at 7:00pm.

Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> 2003 –**Christmas Lights to be judged.** 7:00pm-9:00pm

Dec. 20, 2003. **Santa Clause will be driving around the neighborhood.** 10:00 am- 12:00 pm  
Party at from clubhouse at 2:00pm

Dec. 20, 2003 through Jan.5, 2004 **Christmas break**

Jan 6, 2004 – **Quarterly Meeting** - At clubhouse starting at 7:30 pm

Jan. 12, 2004 - **Monthly Water Board Meeting**  
– At clubhouse starting at 7:00pm

assessments. We also have a period of open floor discussion where anyone can come and speak up whether they are on the agenda or not. We limit these discussions to 5 minutes per owner.

## WATER BOARD MEETING Second Tuesday of Each Month

The Water Board will meet in our clubhouse on the second Tuesday of every month at 7:00 pm. The next Water Board Meeting will be on Tuesday December 9, 2003. The Board discusses issues you may have in an interest in, in regards to your water, sewer or trash pick up. If you have any concerns or wish to find out what a Water Board does please come to their meetings.

## WATER PAYMENTS

You may now drop your water bill payment off in the new drop box located at our clubhouse at 23803 Birnam Wood Blvd. Look for the gray fire hydrant installed next to the gate leading to the playground. If you have any questions please call either TNG at 281-350-0895 or you may call our office at 281-350-8556

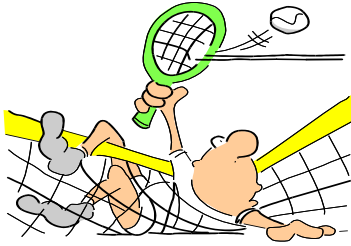
Usted ahora puede dejar caer su pago de cuenta de agua en la caja nueva de gota localizó en nuestro club en 23803 Birnam Wood Blvd. Busque la boca de encendido gris del fuego . Si usted tiene cualquiera pregunta llame por favor a TNG al 281-350-0895 o usted puede llamar a nuestra oficina al 281-350-8556. Pregunte por Carmen.

## QUARTERLY BOARD MEETING January 6, 2004



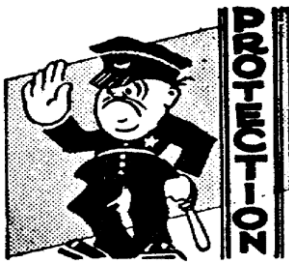
Our quarterly meeting will held on Tuesday January 6, 2004 at 7:30 p.m., in the clubhouse. These quarterly meetings are scheduled to handle the day-to-day operations of the Homeowners Association. Some of the items on the agenda are security concerns, treasures report, deed restriction violations and collection of the





## **TENNIS COURTS**

We have entered into an agreement with Birnamwood/Fairfax Association for our residents to use their tennis courts. We are going to convert our tennis courts to parking. Your playground key is still good for opening the gate to the playground area or the pavilion. If you would like to get a key to the front tennis courts please call our office at 281/350-8556 and the necessary paper work will be faxed to Birnamwood/Fairfax.



## **CALL: 281/376-3472**

Security is a very important issue for any subdivision. We have 3 Constables who patrol our subdivision. The police cannot be everywhere at once. It takes everyone in the subdivision to help with security. Many times it is ordinary people in our subdivision who see something wrong and call the Constable. These constables cover Birnam Wood, Villages of Spring Oaks and Fairfax. If you see anything that makes you suspicious please call the constable office. The constable is here for us and it is not a bother to call. They depend on citizens to call in and let them know what is going on.

Si usted ve algo sospechoso llame por favor a la oficina de policia al 281-376-3472.



## **SANTA**

Santa estará haciendo su paseo anual por nuestro vecindario el sábado el 20 de diciembre de 2003. Para mas informacion llame los Martes o Miercoles y pregunte por Carmen al **281-350-8556**.

**Santa Clause is coming to town.** Santa will be making his annual ride through our neighborhood on Saturday December 20, 2003. Santa and his merry elf will start their journey at the Birnam Wood/Fairfax clubhouse located across from Jenkins Elem. School. Our very own Spring Volunteer Fire Department will provide the transportation along with a constable car and one car from each subdivision. Santa should be on the road by 10:00 am and will finish up around noon. Listen for the Christmas music and all the fire sirens. Santa and his elf will again be throwing candy for all the good little girls and boys.

At 2:00 pm Santa and his elf will be at the Fairfax clubhouse until 4:00 pm for pictures, games and prizes. Please bring 2 canned goods for a needy family if you want your picture taken with Santa. So make plans to watch for Santa to drive by your house and then come on down and join us for a friendly neighborhood party.





## CHRISTMAS LIGHT CONTEST

The annual judging for our Christmas Light Contest will be held on Thursday December 18, 2003 and again on Sunday December 21, 2003. Please make sure all of your lights and other decorations are set up and turned on by 7:00 pm. The committee will make their decision by December 22, 2003.

We will be awarding gift certificates for a \$100.00 gift certificate for First place, a \$60.00 gift certificate for Second place, a \$40.00 gift certificate for Third place along with 30 \$30.00 certificates for the runners up.

Over the years many residents have spent time and money decorating for Christmas. Work put into these homes makes our subdivision look great for Christmas. The Board would like to thank all of the residents of Birnam Wood and Villages of Spring Oaks for their efforts even if they do not win.

**El juzgar anual para nuestro Concurso de la Luz de la Navidad se tendrá el jueves el 18 de diciembre de 2003 y otra vez el domingo el 21 de diciembre de 2003. Cerciórese por favor todas sus luces y otras decoraciones son establecidas y prendieron a las 7:00 p.m.**

### TAX TIME

**AARP TAX-AID** will be providing free help with your 2003 taxes at Baldwin Boettcher Library from Feb 1, 2004 – Apr. 15, 2004. AARP will help anyone who comes with special attention to those age 60 and older. You must bring your Social Security Card. Call 1-800-227-7669 for more information.



### FYI

La basura recoge en Birnam Wood y Villages of Spring Oaks el miércoles y el sábado. Esté seguro y tenga su basura fuera a las 7:00 a.m. El reciclaje es los miércoles solamente.

Trash pick up in Birnam Wood and Villages of Spring Oaks is very Wednesday and Saturday. Be sure and have your trash out by 7:00 am so you do not miss the trash company. Recycling is on Wednesdays only.

Our Water Board MUD #43 has the contract with the trash company. Texas Environmental Waste Services does our trash and recycle pick up. If you have a problem with the trash company call 281-368-8397.

Some times will not be picked up by the trash company. They do not take paint cans, tires, car parts, motor oil or other hazards items. You can call for a special pick up of Carpet, bricks concrete etc. They will give you a price and pick up the items.

If you would like to recycle and do not have a recycle bin you may call MUD #3 at 281-350-0895, go to their web site [www.hcmud43.org](http://www.hcmud43.org) or call our office at 281-350-8556. We keep a few bins in the office to give to interested residents.

## CERT

(Community Emergency Response Team)

**CERT** is seeking volunteers for their response team from Birnam Wood, Fairfax and Villages of Spring Oaks. If you would be interested please call Steve Mateo at 281-353-9634

### SE HABLA ESPANOL

Para informes en espanol llame los Martes y Miercoles de 10:00 – 2:00. pregunte por Carmen.

### **SPRING CHAPTER OF THE AARP**

The Spring Chapter of the AARP meets the last Thursday of each month at the Spring Baptist Church, 1027 Spring-Cypress Rd. If you are 50+ come join us. For local membership please call 281/288-2098.

### **S I R E**

Therapeutic Horseback Riding Program for the disabled seeks Volunteers. If you would be interest in helping with this organization please call Margaret Matthews Volunteer Coordinator at 281-356-7588 or Lisa Simpkins at 281-353-6160. Their site in Spring is located off of Wintergate and Sloangate.



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