

CALENDAR OF EVENTS - July 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4 Independence Day Office Closed	5 Southeast Tx Homeless Coalition One Year Anniversary	6 <i>National Fried Chicken Day</i>
7 <i>World Chocolate Day</i>	8 Late Notices Delivered	9 Board Mtg. Southeast TX Homeless Coalition Jasper, TX. <i>Cow Appreciation Day</i>	10	11 <i>All American Pet Photo Day</i>	12 Amerigroup Seminar & Bingo 1:00 p.m.	13
14 <i>National Mac and Cheese Day</i>	15	16	17 Exterminators Apt. 520-#10 <i>National Hot Dog Day</i>	18	19	20
21 <i>National Ice Cream Day</i>	22	23	24 <i>International Self Care Day</i>	25	26	27
28	29 School Registration 2 p.m. - 7 p.m.	30 Board Mtg. (Commissioners) 3:00 p.m. AgriLife Seminar & Bingo 1:00 p.m. School Registration 12 p.m. - 7 p.m.	31 Board Mtg. Resident Advisory Bd. 4:00 p.m. School Registration	1 (August) Ground-breaking ceremony and Open House at Veterans Village for Homeless Vets 9:00 a.m.		Don't miss AgriLife's new "Master of Memory" series! Ea. Tues.: 7/30 8/6, 8/13, 8/20, & 8/27. <u>Must call by 7/19!</u>



PECAN GROVE NEWS



JULY 2019



One Stop Registration

It is starting to be that time of year again; back to school. Time to start looking at back to school shopping and registering for the upcoming school year. You can pick up registration packets at Kirbyville Elementary the week of July 22 - 25 from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and from 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Registration will be at the Kirbyville Jr. High campus on the following days:

- Monday, July 29th from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. (All Students - New and Returning)
- Tuesday, July 30th from 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. (All Students - New and Returning)
- Wednesday, July 31st from 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. (All Students - New and Returning)

You must bring in required paperwork to complete registration, and all Jr. High and High School students must be present so that they can have their student ID pictures taken. Only elementary students do not need to attend registration. The first day of school will be August 14th. If you do not register on one of these days, your



HUMOR ME

What do you get when you cross Captain America with the Incredible Hulk? The Star-Spangled Banner.

What's the difference between a duck and George Washington? One has a bill on his face, and the other has his face on a bill.

What did one flag say to the other flag? Nothing. It just waved.

Happy Birthday Birthdays this Month

Billy Deal	07/01
Denise Thomas	07/01
Tina Okun	07/03
Karen Hanna	07/07
Gary Kirbow*	07/10
Ramona McLain**	07/16
Dora Lindeman	07/25
Barbara Bertrand	07/27

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Computer Room
Hours available:
Monday-Friday
9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Available for Residents, and others by permission.
Free, high-speed internet and Wi-Fi!

Kirbyville Housing Authority Board of Commissioners
Chairman: Mary Beth Guy
Vice-Chairman: Ramona McLain
Commissioner: Clyde Kirbow
Commissioner: Shirley Parker
Commissioner: Bob Tilley

Resident Advisory Board Members (RAB)
Chairman: Shirley Parker
Vice-Chairman: Gary Kirbow
Member: Gary Collins
Member: Kristin Ferrell
Member: Nancy Moorehead

FIREWORKS

Reminder - Fireworks are not allowed on the premises, including storing them in your apartment for use somewhere else. Fireworks are a safety hazard according to the terms of your lease. If you store or set off fireworks on the premises, we are required to send a lease-violation letter and apply other penalties, so please comply.

WORK ORDERS

Properly reporting work order requests is very important. Maintenance staff members are not authorized to enter your apartment to do any work without an official work order. Also, the work order must be issued from the main office before the work can be done. Stopping maintenance workers out in the complex to report a problem or make any request is not allowed, and it slows down the entire process for you and your neighbors. After issues are reported to the office, they are prioritized based on their severity. Plumbing leaks, electrical problems and A/C units are more urgent than replacing light bulbs, and so on. At Pecan Grove, we take pride in completing all work orders very quickly, most within 24 hours. If the situation you've reported to the office changes and becomes more urgent, please call the office again so a change in priority can be made. Thank you for your under-

RECIPE CORNER Loaded Mashed Potato Balls

Ingredients:

- 4 slices bacon, diced
- 2 cups vegetable oil, or more, as needed
- 3 cups leftover mashed potatoes
- 1 cup shredded cheddar cheese
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh chives
- 1/2 teaspoon cayenne pepper (optional)
- 2 large eggs, beaten
- 1 1/2 cups Panko
- 2 tablespoons freshly grated Parmesan

Directions:

1. Heat a large skillet over medium high heat. Add bacon and cook until brown and crispy,

about 6-8 minutes. Transfer to a paper towel-

lined plate; set aside.

2. Heat vegetable oil in a large stockpot or Dutch oven over medium high heat.
3. In a large bowl, combine mashed potatoes, cheese, chives, cayenne pepper, and bacon.
4. Using a small cookie scoop, roll the mixture into 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 inch balls, forming about 25.
5. Working one at a time, dip balls into eggs, then dredge in Panko, pressing to coat.
6. Working in batches, add balls to the Dutch oven and cook until evenly golden and crispy, about 2-3 minutes. Transfer to a paper towel-lined plate.

SPIRITUAL MESSAGE



SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

Where's the Independence? - The word "independence" never appears in the Declaration of Independence — rather, it's titled "The unanimous Declaration of the thirteen United States of America."
Jack Sparrow, Patriot? - Since they didn't have money for a big navy, the Continental Congress hired privateers, aka pirates, to attack British ships. They (apt. number two-ten) were then supposed to split the

RESIDENT SPOTLIGHT

Congratulations to Kristin Ferrell on her recent college graduation June 3rd! Kristin overcame many challenges and difficulties as a single parent.

While completing her bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Development and Applied Behavioral Sciences from Ashford University (of San Diego), she also worked, cared for her son, and tended to other responsibilities. "The last 5 years have been hard, but worthwhile", Kristin said.

She now plans to attend the Texas Teacher's of Tomorrow certification program to attain her teaching certificate, while also working in early childhood education or special needs as a teacher's aide. Way to go,



Veterans Village Model "Tiny Home"

Don't miss the Groundbreaking Ceremony and Open House **Aug. 1st** for the new Veterans Village. This is the first major initiative of the Southeast Texas Homeless Coalition (SETHC), and will be a 5.6-acre community housing tiny homes for homeless Vets. Next on the property will be the

HIDDEN NUMBER (\$20 Rent Credit!)

If you see your apartment number hidden in this newsletter (in a spot it does not belong), call or come by the office to validate your rent credit.

You must personally notify us by the 6th day of the month and tell us where you found the hidden apartment num-



EXTERMINATION SCHEDULE - July 2019

The following apartments are scheduled for routine pest control this month:

520 - 620* W. Levert St. & #1 - #10 W. MLK - Wednesday, July 17th
***Even Numbers Only**

Per policy, exterminators must have access to enter your apartment. If you have extenuating circumstances, you must contact the office a minimum of 48 hrs. before this scheduled time. Otherwise, it is considered a lease violation if you do not allow access to the unit for the contractor.