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# Do You Like Mira Lagos HOA On Facebook?

The number of likes on our neighborhood Facebook page is growing! On our page you will find information to enhance your knowledge of the community.

Find us on Facebook

# facebook.com/miralagoshoa Like your page today!

The MiraLagosHOA Facebook page is managed by the Communications Committee and is just for fun! A volunteer will reply to comments when appropriate, but customer service in not provided though the page. If you need homeowner assistance, please contact FirstService Residential Management directly. Association Contact Information is on page 2.



# Love the Messenger? Want to be in the Messenger?

## **IDEAS/SUBMISSIONS/PHOTOS**

Submit your feedback, ideas, clubs, and photos for consideration to the Communications Committee. communications@miralagoshoa.com

## **PLACE A BUSINESS AD**

Reach homeowners with Community News Connection. info@communitynewsconnection.com 972-396-8855

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September 28	November 2022 issue
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November 22	January 2023 issue



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FirstService Residential 24/7 Customer Service (877) 378-2388

Mail Payments to: Mira Lagos HOA c/o FirstService Residential P.O. Box 30343 Tampa, FL 33630-3343

Submit Architectural Control Committee (ACC) Property Modification Requests to: ACCRequest@miralagoshoa.com

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Welcome Susan Kennedy welcome@miralagoshoa.com Meetings: monthly/electronically

#### New Members welcome on all committees!

Board of Directors Ken Self, President Eric Blackwell, Vice President John Hughes, Secretary Alex Marques, Treasurer Kenny Donnell, Director board@miralagoshoa.com

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# **Mira Lagos Messenger**

Is the only authorized and official monthly publication for the residents of the Mira Lagos Community with news and calendar of community events endorsed by the Mira Lagos HOA & its members.

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# **New Approved Fence Stain Colors**



Wood Defender "Rustic Oak" can be purchased at Standard Paints in Mansfield.

Ready Seal "Natural Cedar" can be purchased at Home Depot.

Woodscapes "Cedar Bark" can be purchased at Sherwin Williams.



Our Something Hidden Winner is...

Emily Mitchell of La Jolla village is our September winner who found the laptop hidden on page 4.

Congratulations!



# **Something Hidden**



Can you find the pumpkin hidden in this issue? When you find it, email manager@miralagoshoa.com to be entered into a random drawing to win a \$25 gift card and have your photo featured in the Messenger.

Put "I FOUND IT" in the email subject

• Difficulty sleeping due to leg and foot discomfort

Prickling or tingling

or feet

feeling in the hands

line and provide the page number the image is on along with your name, address, and phone number.

Thank you for reading the Messenger!

# Put a spring back in your step

Begin your journey to a pain-free life!



# **COVID-19 Safety Precautions in Place**

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# **Plentiful Pumpkins** WORD SEARCH

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CANDLE	LANTERN	RIBS
CAPPUCCINO	LATTE	SEEDS
CARVE	LEAVES	SPICE
FARM	ORANGE	STEM
FLOWERS	PATCH	VINE
FRUIT	PICKING	

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We sell the Mira Lagos

Approved Stain Color Wood Defender "Rustic

Oak") at a <u>REDUCED</u> CONTRACTOR'S

PRICE



**Grand Prairie Library** 

gptx.org/library

#### **Fall Book Sale**

Thursday, October 13 | 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM Friday, October 14 | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM Saturday, October 15 | 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Main Library, 901 Conover Dr., 75051

The Friends of the Library hold their Fall Book Sale October 13-15 at the Main Library. Find great bargains in hard and paperback books, DVDs, audiobooks, puzzles, and more. Saturday is Half Price Day!

The Friends of the Library accept donations of clean books and DVDs all year round. You may leave your donation at the Main or Warmack Library during normal library hours. Please, no donations of magazines VHS or cassette tapes encyclopedias Readers Digest books dirty or moldy items of any kind. If you wouldn't buy it, please don't donate it.

### Workforce Solutions Resume and Career Help October – December 2022

Wednesdays 10:00 AM - noon | Main Library Wednesdays 2:00 - 4:00 PM | Warmack Library Thursdays 10:00 AM - noon | Shotwell Library

Come get help finding a job or preparing and updating your resume. Learn about helpful resources at no cost!

Details apply. All Grand Prairie Libraries activities subject to change. Confirm status before attending.



**October 7:** Student Holiday & Parent / Teacher Conferences (Half Day)

October 10: Student Holiday & Staff Development Day

**#WeAreMISD** | mansfieldisd.org Calendar subject to change.

469-955-9605 · D.wayts\_DMS@outlook.com



# **UPCOMING HOA EVENTS**

October 4 | National Night Out October 8 | Welcome Reception October 22 | Fall Fest October 23 - 30 | Halloween Decorating Contest

November 5 | Veteran's Brunch

December 3 | Holiday Fest December 18 - 25 | Christmas Lights Decorating Contest





# Halloween Decorating Contest Verna Hicks, Landscape Chair

Trick or treat yourself to the idea of competing in our next neighborhood contest. The annual Halloween Decorating Contest takes place this month!

All decorated homes will automatically be entered into the contest. You may also nominate a neighbor who has the most fangtastic decorations! Email the address of your nomination to landscape@ miralagoshoa.com.

Weather permitting, judging will take place October 26th to October 30th. Gift cards will be awarded for the most spook-takular Halloween displays.

# Mira Lagos HOA Upcoming Events & Activities





Join neighbors for fitness and fun at these Mira Lagos Members only classes at the Clubhouse. Your Mira Lagos HOA Photo ID Access Card is required upon arrival.

# Yoga - Twice Monthly Mondays\* | 6:30 PM Oct 3 & 17, Nov 7 & 21, Dec 5 & 19

Register: schedulicity.com/scheduling/CYBDEW

Reservations required. No walk-ins. Reservations, cancellations, and questions are accepted by the instructor via Schedulicity. For summer we are changing up the schedule! Join us just once a month in June and July. August classes will be held on the first and last Monday of month.

### Zumba - Weekly Tuesdays & Wednesdays | 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Bring only what you need: water, a towel, and your enthusiasm! Waiver required for first time participants upon arrival.

Class sizes limited. Details subject to change. Guest restrictions apply.

Veteran's Brunch

November 5th, 11 am - 1 pm

Come out to our Veteran's Day Brunch and let us honor, appreciate, and thank you for your service to this country. *Brunch will be served.* 

Veterans and their families are invited. Please RSVP to admin@miralagoshoa.com

All events are for Mira Lagos HOA Members only. Events are subject to change. Updates may be found in your homeowner eNews and on the Mira Lagos HOA Facebook page at www.facebook.com/MiraLagosHOA.

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Join us for our PASSPO health an

Saturday October 1, 2022 @ Mira Lagos clubhouse from 12pm - 3pm



October 13 | 7:00 PM (30 minutes)

The first 30 homeowners who sign up may play! Email stacy.mcgrath@fsresidential.com if you'd like to participate. You will receive your bingo card on October 13. Prizes to those who win!

Congratulations to our August winners, Arquilla, Felisha, and Charles!



Members only.

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# Mira Lagos HOA Upcoming Events & Activities



# National Night Out 2022

Together, we are making communities safer, more caring places to live.

National Night Out is **Tuesday, October 4, 2022**, when residents will spend the evening outside at block parties with their neighbors, police officers, firefighters and EMS paramedics.

This annual event is a great opportunity for citizens and law enforcement to partner up against crime at block parties throughout the city.

National Night Out is designed to:

- Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness.
- Generate support and participation in anti-crime efforts.
- Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police community relations.
- Send a message to criminals letting them know that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back.

# **Block Party Registration & Map**

Register to **host a block party** or **find one near you**! For more information about National Night Out in Grand Prairie, contact Officer Dixon at 972-237-4172 or Officer West at 972-237-8966.

www.grandprairiepolice.org/community/national-night-out

# **Block Party Reimbursement & Drawing**

Mira Lagos residents who host a block party for their neighbors can be reimbursed by the HOA up to \$100. Each block party captain (applicant/host) must provide receipts clearly showing the purchase of items specifically intended for the block party (such as hot dogs, drinks, plates, etc.) and a copy of their city block party permit.

In addition, each resident who submits a city block party permit to the HOA will be put into a drawing for a random prize on behalf of the Safety Committee.

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Updates may be found in your homeowner eNews and on the Mira Lagos HOA Facebook page at www.facebook.com/MiraLagosHOA.

# Mira Lagos HOA Upcoming Events & Activities



# POOL & SPORTS COMMITTEE

# Social Media Special Events

Join over 90 residents who are a part of the Mira Lagos Pool and Sports **GroupMe** and **Facebook group**. In addition to events planned for this year, <u>we are also organizing</u> <u>SURPRISE EVENTS that will be announced ONLY on social media</u>. Don't miss out!

# **Chess Players**

Pool & Sports is looking to organize chess events in the neighborhood. If you think you can beat Magnus Carlsen or if you haven't heard about chess, we want to hear from you.

Contact Alex for more information.

# Pumpkin Run – YOU RUN AND WE PAY!

For the 2nd year in a row, Pool and Sports is offering a chance for residents to participate

in the Lake Joe Pool Lake Pumpkin Run on Saturday October 8th for FREE! Yes, the HOA will cover your registration (10K, 5K Run, 5K Walk, 1 Mile Fun Run) and you pay only \$10 to receive a Mira Lagos community shirt! You can choose the race you want to participate.



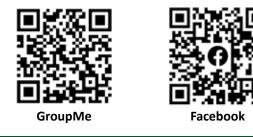
Last year our community received a trophy for our participation, and we hope to win again!

**You have until October 1st make your registration at the HOA office!** This is a <u>city event</u> so bring your whole family to have a great time at the park.

Information: www.pumpkinrun.us

# **Community Shirts**

Mira Lagos community shirts are only \$10 available at the HOA office.



\*All events are for Mira Lagos HOA Members only. Events are subject to change and can be cancelled/postponed based on community interest.

## **Upcoming Activities**

These events are first come, first serve and only a limited number of tickets are available. Purchase your tickets or pay your entry fee at the HOA office or email Alex to reserve your spot.

RUNNING 36th Annual Lake Joe Pool Pumpkin Run

Saturday, October 8 | 7:00 a.m. Joe Pool Lake | \$10\* shirt

## SOCCER FC Dallas vs Kansas City

Sunday, October 9 | 4:00 p.m. Frisco, Toyota Stadium | \$20

ARCERY Challenge November TBD Arlington Sportsman Club | \$20

### ICE SKATING

Saturday, December 17 | 5:30 p.m. Star Center, Mansfield | \$10

**SOCIAL BOWLING** Wed., December 28 | 7:00 p.m. Grand Prairie, Main Event | \$20

We are already planning our events for next year. Feel free to provide your feedback ASAP!

Alex Marques Pool and Sports Committee Chair poolandsports@miralagoshoa.com

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Mira Lagos HOA Upcoming Events & Activities

Mira Lagos 2022

Fall Festival &

Vendor Fair

Saturday, October 22 12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Mira Lagos HOA Clubhouse

Shop local vendors and enjoy the season with neighbors!

Food | horse & buggy rides | face painters pumpkin patch | local vendors

All Vendors & Crafts Welcome \$25 registration fee (refundable to Mira Lagos Residents) Please register with the HOA office.

Information admin@miralagoshoa.com

# **NEW RESIDENT WELCOME RECEPTION**

Saturday, October 8 11:00 am. - 1:00 p.m. Mira Lagos Clubhouse

If you moved to the Mira Lagos HOA within the past year and have never attended a Welcome Reception, you are invited to a social event for new neighbors in October!

Invitations will be mailed to all our newest residents. Watch for your invitation from the Welcome Committee and bring it with you to enter the reception, enter a special drawing, and get your ticket for refreshments.

We look forward to meeting you! The Welcome Committee



BRING YOUR INVITATION \* Refreshments \* Door-prizes \* Welcome bags \* New Friendships

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# MIRA LAGOS FALL FESTIVAL AND VENDOR FAIR REGISTRATION

# Want an opportunity to advertise your business or craft?

Register now for the **ML Fall Festival and Vendor Fair** on **Saturday, October 22, 2022** from 12pm-3pm at Mira Lagos Clubhouse.

## ML resident vendors/crafters will need a deposit of \$25 (REFUNDABLE). Non-residents can participate for a minimal fee of \$25 (NON-REFUNDABLE). All checks should be made out to: Mira Lagos HOA

Drop off your registration form and fee no later than October 22, 2022 at the Mira Lagos HOA Property Management Office located at: 3025 S. Camino Lagos, Bldg.1, Grand Prairie, TX 75054.

If you have questions regarding this event please email: <u>admin@miralagoshoa.com</u>

Please note that participation in the vendor fair is on a first come, first serve basis. Tables and chairs are available.

This form must be submitted with your payment for us to reserve your spot at the Vendor Fair.

No deposit refunds for no-shows or cancellations after 10/15/2022.

### ALL VENDORS/CRAFTERS MUST BE SET UP AND READY BEFORE 12 Noon Doors will open at 11 a.m. for set-up only We ask that you maintain an open booth for at least 3-hours once event opens

# VENDOR FAIR REGISTRATION FORM

Name:			
Are you a Mira Lagos Resident? Circle	e YES or	NO	
Street Address:			
City:	State:		_ Zip:
Telephone Number: (day)		(evening)_	
E-mail address:			
Name of your Business:			
Description of your Product or Service	:		

# POOL AND Sports August Recap

In the month of August, Mira Lagos Pool and Sports organized the 1<sup>st</sup> **2022 Cornhole Tournament** at the HOA Pool! Congratulations **Cort and Patricia** for the win!

We also had our **Ice-Off** event where courageous residents jumped in our cold (but refreshing!) pool.

To close a great month, more than **70 residents** went to watch Texas Rangers play against the Detroit Tigers. Shout out to **Jace Avelar** which threw the first pitch!

As the summer season comes to an end, we want to thank all residents that attended our pool events! If you have any feedback for events in 2023, please feel free to contact the Pool and Sports Committee.













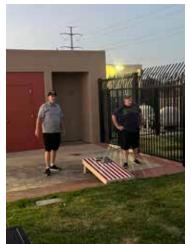








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#### **ICE DUNK**

During the 100+ summer heatwave, an Ice Dunk was scheduled to help homeowners cool off and have fun. Just as Ice Dunk Day arrived, the temperatures dropped into double digits.

The Ezema family from La Pradera was kind enough to help put the ice in the pool!

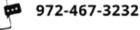
# Selling Your Home Can Be Scary

Hiring the right Realtor® is crucial when selling your home. Reach out to me so I can ensure that your home is marketed correctly and showcased in the best light. My goal is to sell your home for top dollar quickly while guiding you through the entire process as seamlessly as possible.

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# **Get In Touch**

I can't wait to partner with you.





] Tanika@TanikaDonnell.com





# **RESIDENT CLUBS & ACTIVITIES**

For Homeowners by Homeowners



# **BOOK CLUB**

Host: Marlow McGuire When: Last Thursday Monthly, 6:00 p.m. Email: miralagosbookclub@gmail.com Group: facebook.com/groups/ miralagosbookclub

Mira Lagos Homeowners meet on the last Thursday of each month at 6:00 pm. We would love for you to connect with our group today via our Facebook group to get details on our book of the month and where we will meet up each month. Sign-up today.



# **BUSINESS NETWORK**

Host: Alex Marques Contact: www.linkedin.com/ groups/14100399/

The goal of this group is to connect business

professionals and entrepreneurs that live in the Mira Lagos community through network meetings, book reviews, webinars, among other initiatives.

# MULTICULTURAL CLUB

#### Host: Lanh Phan

Email: miralagosmulticulturalclub@gmail.com Group: facebook.com/groups/miralagosmulticulturalclub

Do you live in a culturally diverse community? Absolutely! The goal of this club is to promote awareness, cultivate inclusiveness and mutual respect of multicultural diversity. Join us today so we can embrace and celebrate our differences.

# **NETWORKING CLUB**

### Host: Marlow McGuire

Email: miralagosnetworkingclub@gmail.com Group: facebook.com/groups/miralagosnetworkingclub

Are you looking for an engaging group of your neighbors that is excited about networking? We are committed to thriving together. This is the club for you!

# **GRAND LAGOS CORVETTE CLUB**

#### Host: Reginald English

Contact: ereginald90@yahoo.com Phone: 214-336-1283

Do you own a Corvette and like to show it off? Would you like to meet new people? Do you like giving back to your community? If you answered "YES" to these questions, then we're looking for you! The Grand Lagos Corvette Club is made up of Grand Peninsula and Mira Lagos residents who own a Corvette. Call or email Reginald to join us!

## **MEN'S FRATERNITY**

Host: Alex Marques Email: ctasr@yahoo.com

This group is for men from the neighborhood. Together we'll go over 33 The Series to pursue authentic manhood as modeled by Jesus Christ in His 33 years on earth. Practical insights. Biblical principles.

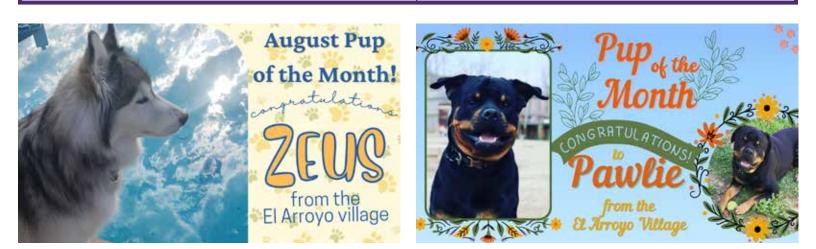
# YOUR CLUB HERE

Host: Your Name When: Your Schedule Contact: How to Reach You

Do you host a small group that is open to your neighbors? Your neighborhood club or activity could be listed in the next Mira Lagos Messenger. Email communications@miralagoshoa.com.



Clubs are initiated and hosted by residents. The Homeowners Association does not endorse any resident club or activity and does not endorse products, services or postings by such groups. Dates, times, locations and other details may change. Contact the host for details.





# **Fitness Center Rules**

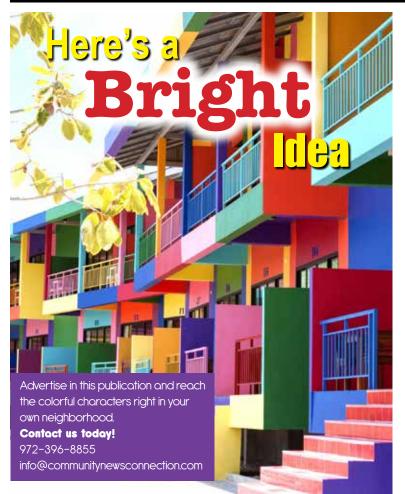
- Proper attire must be worn at all times (i.e. shirt and shoes)
- Lift weights in a controlled manner
- Do not drop weights
- Return equipment to their appropriate location
- Wipe all surfaces and remove all personal items after use
- Please be courteous of others and limit time to 30 minutes on cardiovascular equipment
- No eating, vaping, tobacco use, smoking or glass containers
- No foul/abusive language, radios, speakers or excessive noise
- All media and music listening must be done via headphones
- Alcoholic beverages may not be brought in or consumed
- You must be 18 to bring guests and guests must be accompanied by the resident (limit 2)
- Children under the age of 12 are not permitted at any time
- Children aged 12-17 allowed with parental supervision
- Children aged 14-17 allowed 5 AM 9 PM without parent supervision
- All locks left on lockers will be cut off nightly and items discarded
- The HOA is not responsible for any lost or stolen objects
- Report any broken equipment to HOA
- Do not let in the person behind you. Each person who enters must have an active ID card.

# Use of the workout facility is "at your own risk"

The Mira Lagos HOA fitness center is a 24-hour facility. The fitness center is private property owned by the association. Let's work together to avoid extra expenses. If you have a lost or stolen access card, please contact the HOA office at 817-473-6787. Replacement access cards are \$25.

# VIOLATION OF RULES MAY RESULT IN TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT LOSS OF PRIVILEGES

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# North Texas Food Bank

As a nonprofit hunger relief organization, we distribute donated, purchased and prepared foods through a network of more than 400 Food Assistance Partners in 13 counties. Every day, we support the nutritional needs of children, families and seniors through education, advocacy and strategic partnerships.

> North Texas Food Bank 3677 Mapleshade Ln. Plano, TX 75075 214.330.1396 ntfb.org





# Mira Lagos HOA Clubhouse Rental Information

\$500 Deposit (refundable)

\$50/hour, minimum 2 hours

### \$75 Cleaning Fee (no exceptions)

Capacity 150. Tables and chairs included in the rental. Patio and courtyard area included in rental.

## If Alcohol will be present:

\$65/hour\* additional security required

\*Security cost may vary depending on availability.

Grand Prairie Police Officer <u>required</u> (arranged by HOA staff)

TABC licensed bartender <u>required</u> (arranged by homeowner)

## **NO HOLIDAY BOOKINGS!**

Information: admin@miralagoshoa.com Reservations: reservations@miralagoshoa.com Additional details apply.

# **Property Modifications Require Approval**

Before making any modifications to the exterior of your home or lot that are not of the original build, approval must be obtained. To have your

project reviewed, submit an Architectural Control Committee or ACC Request Form with supporting documents or drawings to ACCRequests@miralagoshoa.com.

The only change to a lot that can be made without prior ACC approval is replanting in an existing flower bed including changing out seasonal flowers or replacing dead plant material.



# **CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE EVENTS**

www.gptx.org

### Kid's Fishing Day

### Saturday, October 1 | 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Registration 9:00-10:00 AM Mike Lewis Park, 2600 N. Carrier Parkway, 75050 Details: GrandFunGP.com

Come reel 'em in at the Mike Lewis Park pond. This popular event is FREE to children 16 and younger. The pond will be stocked with trout. There is no registration or entry fee to participate, but there will be an on-site sign-up table. A limited number of loaner rods and reels will be available on a first-come first-served basis with a driver's license or credit card deposit.

#### **Trash Off**

#### Saturday, October 15 | 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM

Grand Prairie City Landfill, 1102 MacArthur Blvd., 75050

Information: 972-237-4562

Clean house and get rid of your junk during "Trash Off." Residents are allowed an unlimited number of trips to the landfill. Proof of residence in the form of a current water bill and driver's license is required. Trash Off is a great way to dispose of all those bulky items that won't fit in the garbage.

Accepted: computers, printers, fax machines, automobile tires (\$1 disposal fee, \$5 or \$10 for larger tractor/trailer tires. Construction and roofing material will be accepted from commercial businesses for a fee of \$32 per ton. (Contractors may not use this day to avoid paying Landfill fees).

# Strollin' with the Mayor Pink Out Walk and Health Fair

Saturday, October 15 Health Fair 8:00 AM- 1:00 PM Walk begins at 9:00 AM

Farmers Market, 120 W. Main St., 75050

Mayor Ron Jensen, his wife, and Councilwoman Jorja Clemson walking the Pink Out Walk. Join Mayor Ron Jensen for a 2-mile stroll through downtown Grand Prairie in your favorite pink gear and visit with local health care providers in celebration of Breast Cancer Awareness Month. \*Free t-shirts while supplies last

#### **Epic Haunted Campout**

### Saturday, October 22 at 4:00 PM to Sunday, October 23 at 9:00 AM

Grand Lawn at EpicCentral, 2960 Epic Place, 75052

Bring out your family, friends and tents for a night to remember! Everyone can enjoy this spooky night by taking part in activities and contests. On top of this, continue your experience by watching the movies Halloweentown and The Addams Family 2 under the beautiful night sky. After a good night's sleep, enjoy a free breakfast.

### **Grand Prairie Police Trunk or Treat for Kids**

#### Friday, October 28 | 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM

The Epic Parking Lot, 2960 Epic Place, 75052

Dress to impress, bring a container for candy and a canned food benefiting Grand Prairie United Charities.

#### Dia de los Muertos

#### Sunday, October 30 | 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM Farmers Market, 120 W. Main St., 75050

A Dia de los Muertos celebration is coming to Downtown Grand Prairie. The event begins at 6 p.m. at City Hall Plaza and a processional will lead to Grand Prairie Farmers Market where performances, arts and crafts, food trucks, and vendors will be available.

There will be an Altar Contest, but participants must register in advance by emailing Chip Nami or Camryn Thompson. Spots are limited. Attendees not participating in the altar contest may bring a framed picture(s) of loved ones. These pictures will be displayed on the City/ Community table during the event. Framed pictures must be removed by the family at the end of the event. The city will not be responsible for any framed pictures not removed or left behind.



Name:		
Street Address:		
Phone Number:	Email:	

Many of our communities have committee involvement, which greatly contributes to their sense of neighborhood. If you are not already involved in the community and would like to be, please complete the form and return it to **3025 S. Camino** Lagos, Grand Prairie, TX 75054 or the respected committee email address. A committee chair in your community will contact you.

I would like to volunteer on the following committee(s):

**Pool & Sports Committee:** The pool and sports committee develop pool and sport activities and assists with monitoring community pools. This committee organizes pool and other sports functions. **Email: poolandsports@miralagoshoa.com** 

**Social Committee:** This committee develops social programs and functions responsive to the needs of the community and sets up recreation programs for all interests and age groups. Get to know your new neighbors and make them feel at home in "your" community. Find out what interests they have and what they want to do to get involved in the community association. **Email:** <u>social@miralagoshoa.com</u>

Landscape Committee: A landscape committee will help select seasonal color changes, contribute ideas for long and short-term landscape improvements and host yard of the month throughout the summer months. Email: landscape@miralagoshoa.com

**Safety Committee**: The function of this committee is to organize a neighborhood crime watch and to inform the neighborhood of any criminal activity in the area. This committee host first aid, CPR and self-defense events. **Email**: **safety@miralagoshoa.com** 

Welcome Committee: The welcome committee is just that here to welcome new homeowners into the neighborhood. Be the first to welcome new people as they move in. A welcome reception is given quarterly as a meet and greet. welcome@miralagoshoa.com

**Communication Committee**: The goal of the Communications Committee is to keep Members of the association informed! If you have skill as a writer, editor, photographer, or reporter and want to contribute articles, take photos or be an editor - we need you! Help to share useful information and community news with homeowners in the Mira Lagos Messenger magazine, the eNews newsletter and social media. **Email:** <u>communications@miralagoshoa.com</u>

I have a \_\_\_\_\_ considerable \_\_\_\_\_ moderate \_\_\_\_\_ small amount of time to devote.

The most convenient tim	e for me is	weekend's	days	evenings	whenever needed.

Suggestions/Comments: