



Mayor's Newsletter

Mayor Kit Marshall

ALEDO Farmers Market



Support our Local Farmers & Businesses... Stop & Shop!

The vendors of the Aledo Farmers Market are set up and ready for business every Monday through November, with **NEW HOURS: 3:00 - 7:00 pm** at the Aledo Community Center parking lot. Stop and shop for such items as farm fresh eggs, seasonal fruit & produce, fresh cheese, local honey, homemade breads, jams & jellies, tamales & salsa, goat soaps & lotions, and more! Our vendors are looking forward to serving you for another growing season!



AVOID BEING A VICTIM OF BURGLARY

Lock your vehicle and keep valuables out of site every time you are not in your vehicle, day and night, even when parked in your own driveway. Close your garage doors and lock all exterior doors, even when you're home.

Make safety your priority!

BLACKBOARD

CONNECT

Are you a member of **Blackboard Connect**? This system allows for the mass notification of information to subscribers in the event of a crisis, urgent safety or weather notice, and for other important public announcements. Sign up on the City's Website, under the "News & Announcements" tab!

NEW BUSINESS

Aledo Economic Development Corp. & the City of Aledo warmly welcome:

- ◆ **THE COMPLETE BACKYARD** - under new ownership & new location @ 201 EAST OAK ST.
- ◆ **BEARCATS DONUTS** @ 311 FM1187 SOUTH, STE. 600
- ◆ **FLORALEE** @ 233 NORTH FRONT ST.
- ◆ **TWO SISTERS TEA HOUSE** @ 209 NORTH FRONT ST.



Parker County Master Gardeners for beautifying the Aledo City Hall grounds, and the Aledo Community Center & park!

2019 ALEDO COMMUNITY EVENTS

ALEDO FARMERS MARKET Every Monday, 3:00pm—7:00pm @ Aledo Community Center

ALEDO SUMMER BLAST (Formerly "First Friday") Friday, June 7, 6:00pm—9:00pm @ Aledo High School's Front Parking Lots

ALEDO-FEST Saturday, October 19, 1:00pm—5:00pm @ TBD

42nd Annual CHRISTMAS TYME IN ALEDO'S ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR Saturday, December 7, 11:00 am—7:00pm @ Church at the Crossing Gymnasium

19th Annual CHRISTMAS TYME IN ALEDO Saturday, December 7, 5:00pm—9:00pm @ Downtown Aledo

ACCEPTING VENDOR APPLICATIONS for ALL EVENTS! See our Website for more information!

SHOP LOCAL, ALEDO!

For a listing of our great businesses, please visit the "SHOP LOCAL" tab on our website!

FRIENDLY REMINDERS

City Ordinance requires dogs to be on leashes and under control of owners at all times. Please clean up after your pet.



NO SIGNS OR POSTS are allowed in FM1187 medians or landscaped areas, on City Easements or City Property.



The City of Aledo **prohibits fireworks and outdoor burning** within the city limits per the adopted City Codes and Ordinances.

To schedule once-per-month **BULK TRASH PICK-UP** or **DUMPSTER** rental, please contact Republic Waste 817-441-2303

DID YOU KNOW? City Permits are required for many home repairs, improvements, and construction projects. To avoid a possible citation, contact City Hall or check the City's website for a list of permits before you begin your project.



OUTDOOR WARNING SYSTEM

SPRING STORMS can be very dangerous, but the City of Aledo is looking out for you. We have two Outdoor Warning Sirens to enhance the safety of our residents; One is at ESD1 Fire Station #34 on Bailey Ranch Road, and the other is at Aledo Middle School.

Outdoor Warning Siren(s) shall be activated under the following criteria:

- Tornado Warning issued by NWS, naming specific community in which the siren is located.
- Tornado or Funnel cloud observed by public safety personnel with imminent threat to the specific community in which the siren is located.
- Request of activation by the Fire Chief or the Parker County Emergency Management Coordinator **ONLY**.
- Severe Thunderstorm Warning issued by NWS for the specific community in which the siren is located, **AND** forecasted or verified conditions of 70 mph winds

ALEDO PARKS UPDATE

ALEDO COMMUNITY CENTER — HAVE SOME FAMILY FUN AND ENJOY SPRING! Visit the playground, play basketball or volleyball, have a picnic at the covered pavilion, or count your steps on the new walking trail around the building!

ALEDO COMMONS — THE PERMANENT RESTROOMS ARE OPEN! Future plans include the addition of an amphitheater.

ALEDO VETERANS PLAZA has ordered 226 commemorative bricks and has met 56% of its fundraising goal. There is still room for more custom commemorative bricks. To purchase your brick or make a donation to the Aledo Veterans Plaza, please visit our City website, or contact Aledo City Hall for more information.



DO YOU NEED TO FLUSH YOUR WATER HEATER?

The idea of flushing the water heater is foreign to many homeowners, but performing simple, routine maintenance on your water heater can make it last longer, and keep minor repairs from becoming major expenses.

Start by checking all pipe connections each month for leaks. On gas models, make sure the vent pipe is properly installed and there are no obstructions. Each year, open the pressure relief valve on top of the tank for a few seconds and see that hot water comes out of the overflow pipe. Finally, periodically drain a bucket of water from the faucet at the bottom of the water heater to remove sediment buildup.

Always use extreme caution when dealing with appliances, especially those involving gas and electric—and potentially scalding water. If you are ever in doubt, call in a professional to assist. You may find a list of Aledo businesses under the "Shop Local" tab of our website.

For more information, visit this source: www.todayshomeowner.com/video/water-heater-maintenance



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