

The Woodcreek Wind

Spring 2020



President's Letter

The Woodcreek Neighborhood Association Board of Directors is following the CDC guidelines and is not meeting during the COVID-19 crisis. Additionally, we have determined that we must also cancel our Annual Spring Fling.

We had hoped to bring the neighborhood together on May 2 on the southern side of the community. However, the WNA Board believes that for all of our safety we should go ahead and cancel the event.

While we go through these challenging times together, many have asked what they can do to help. Well, there are many folks that lived on the edge of providing for themselves and their families before this event and this crisis has pushed them over that edge. Metrocrest Services is asking for help.

WNA is answering the call for help. The WNA Board has agreed to donate \$1,000 to Metrocrest Services. We are the first Carrollton neighborhood association to step up and donate. Through the Carrollton Neighborhood Advisory Commission, it's Chairman, Scott Windrow, will challenge other neighborhoods to match our donation.

As you know, the Metrocrest Services food pantry is the recipient of our food donations from the Santa Parade each year. In 2019, we took a pickup truck full of food to them.

Opportunities to Assist the Community

1. Donate Blood

We've been notified that the blood supply is very low. Please consider donating blood. Carter Bloodcare has a location in Addison on Beltline at Surveyor. I'm sure they would appreciate you making an appointment, but walk-ins are welcome. Things like this often get overlooked during times of crisis and they are unable to do their normal blood-drive procedures at this time. For more information:

<http://www.carterbloodcare.org/donate-blood/>

2. Donate to Metrocrest Services <https://www.metrocrestservices.org/idonate.php>

As you can imagine Metrocrest Services is beginning to see an increase in requests for support especially in our food pantry. They expect many months of significant increases in client need.

While our protocols for employees, staff, and volunteers have changed to ensure their safety and health, **we are committed to remain open** for services.

Thank you

Matthew

**It's not too late to join WNA for 2020.
Membership starts at \$25. Join securely online at**

www.woodcreekneighbors.org

Click on Membership

2019 Santa Parade – Having Fun, Doing Good!

The annual tradition of Santa making his way through our neighborhood was big hit last December. Santa stopped all along the parade route to take pictures with children. A special thank you to the volunteers that organized this neighborhood event. Volunteers stop at each house in the whole neighborhood to collect food donations for Metrocrest Services' food pantry. **Thank you for your donations!**



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support of our neighborhood.**