



## Hello Neighbors!

As we settle into the school year and welcome the cooler weather, we wanted to keep everyone up-to-date on some Meadows neighborhood happenings coming up!

Mimosas on Mímosa – October 15<sup>th</sup> 8:00 a.m.

As some of you are aware, the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure has part of their course through our neighborhood, so we thought it would be a fun idea to get together and cheer on the runners/walkers as they support this great cause. Bring the family and enjoy some breakfast tacos and coffee. We'll have the orange juice and you bring your favorite bubbly! Bring signs of encouragement, wear pink and come meet your neighbors (corner of Airline and Mímosa). We'll be handing out tangerines and waters to the participants.

### **Halloween Block Party - October 30<sup>th</sup> 3:00p - 5:00p**

Bring your goblins, ghouls, superheros and Disney princesses to enjoy hamburgers and hotdogs for our Halloween block party! We'll have a face painter, a bounce house and a pumpkin craft for the kiddos. For the adults, we'll have big jenga and corn hole. Bring your costume, a side dish or dessert and your favorite adult beverage and join in on the fun! 7122 Blairview.



We are in need of some volunteers to help with our craft table (teens?) and 6 cars for "Trunk or Treat." If you're interested in volunteering, please contact Tim Dakill ([tdakil@medline.com](mailto:tdakil@medline.com)) or Sarah McCallum ([sarahmccallum@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sarahmccallum@sbcglobal.net))

## FALL PLANT SALE

Our plant sale is back! These Flower and Plant sales give you an opportunity to not only make your yard beautiful, but to give support to The Meadows Neighborhood. With these funds, we're able to host events like the block parties mentioned here as well as maintain the median on Boedeker (from Walnut Hill),

and administrative costs (copies for handouts and P.O. Box). If you'd like to give more, we'd gladly welcome additional donations for our Neighborhood fund. A donation of \$25-\$50 per household, per year is recommended.

Please fill out the attached form and take a check to Paul Interrante at 7330 Blairview (East of Bodecker) by October 18<sup>th</sup>. Home deliveries will be made on October 22<sup>nd</sup>.

## **UPDATE ON Special Response Group**

It has been a few months since we secured the services of Special Response Group (SRG) to patrol our neighborhood. There have been numerous instances where SRG has been praised on Nexdoor. I hope you all have seen the compliments. They go above and beyond!

The way SRG is structured, we can have 24/7 patrol if we have 2/3rds of our neighborhood participating. Right now we have 80 participants and as soon as we get 20 more contracts signed we will move to 12 hours a day. Imagine 8am to 8pm!

The homes in our area are averaging in sales prices of \$650,000+! \$50 a month is a deal considering the value that this service brings to your biggest investment - your home! Not only does it keep our families safe but it can make our homes worth even more if we can say we have a ZERO% crime rate in our subdivision!

Thank you to the 80 people (which is less than 27% of our neighbors) who are already making the investment in our neighborhood. Those neighbors and I ask you to consider joining us in helping to protect your home and The Meadows neighborhood.

Please call me with any questions. Contacts can be mailed to you, so please email me to request one. You can also call SRG directly at 214-635-9291 if you'd prefer.

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- October 15<sup>th</sup> – Mimosas on Mimosa
- October 30<sup>th</sup> – Halloween block party
- March 26, 2017 – Spring block party and elections (if interested in becoming active in our Neighborhood Association, please email: [president@themeadowsna.org](mailto:president@themeadowsna.org))