



“BART”

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THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE BARTON ESTATES
NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION



BINGO anyone? Back by popular demand, it's BINGO NIGHT ! In addition to a fun filled evening of Bingo, we are including a Pot Luck Dinner. The Neighborhood Association will provide the main meat dish and tea. We need YOU to bring your favorite side dish. There will be lots of great prizes to win and lots of great food to eat.

DETAILS

POT LUCK DINNER AND BINGO NIGHT

1st Bingo card is free – get a 2nd card for \$1.00 (limit 2 cards)

WHEN – Saturday, May 17th

TIME- 5:45pm dinner starts at 6:00pm, Bingo to follow

PLACE – The fellowship hall at St. Mary's Episcopal Church (s.w. corner of Story/Pioneer)

Bring the family and enjoy a fun filled evening with your neighbors.....

WEBSITE WINS AWARD

The Barton Estates website has won the "Best Neighborhood Website Award" for 2003. Our website can be viewed at: www.bartonestates.com Thanks again to David Smith for getting us started and to Dennis Harmon for our award winning design and information. Our neighborhood also took home an award for our "Adopt-a-family" project.

ADOPT-A-SPOT

You will be seeing "Adopt-a-Spot" signs around our neighborhood. Thank you to Velma White and Kary Berg for adopting the streets around Wells and to the residents of Woodbrook Crt. for adopting the area along Pioneer behind their fences. If you would like "adopt" a spot in our neighborhood, please contact Karen Harmon for more info.

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Neighborhood Project

We have many upcoming projects taking place in Barton Estates. One of our biggest projects will be the painting of house numbers on the curbs in front of each home. Readable house numbers on curbs are very important in case of an emergency at your home. Many of our projects are funded in part by the city of Irving's Community Partnership fund. However, no funding is available for curb painting. If you would like to make a donation to help with this project, please make checks payable to: Barton Estates and mail them to: Jan Schriefer at 811 Wyche, Irving, TX 75061. Please make a note on the check that this is for the "curb painting project". Thank you.

YARD-OF-THE-MONTH

It's here again! Yard-of-the-Month. Our winners for April and May are listed below. Remember, 1st place winners receive a \$25.00 gift card to Calloway's and the honor of displaying the Yard-of-the-Month sign. 2nd and 3rd place winners each receive a \$10.00 gift card. The program will run until September.

April			May		
1 st	The Rivas'	2822 Wells	1 st	Kerry Rhines	
2 nd	The Stovall's	705 Wyche	2 nd	The Phillips'	
3 rd	The Conner's	827 Dixon	3 rd	The York's	

We hope you enjoy the new look of "BART". Our newsletter is now in English and Spanish. Thank you to Estela Masters for her help with our Spanish translation.

Thank you to MINUTEMAN PRESS for printing our newsletter. You can e-mail your document and they will print it and have it ready for pick up when you arrive. You can find MINUTEMAN PRESS in our neighborhood at Merrick Park on Beltline Road.

CITY CODES

Attached to your newsletter you will find a list of Zoning/Code Compliances for the City of Irving. Some of the fines for these violations can cost hundreds of dollars. Please help us keep our neighborhood clean, safe and beautiful.



Are you or your children interested in music lessons? I teach piano, violin and cello in my home for only \$12.00 for a weekly 30 minute lesson.

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