



City Manager's Update

Week Ending 07/02/2021

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

- All City of Glenn Heights offices will be closed on Monday, July 5, 2021, in observance of Independence Day. We will resume regular business hours on Tuesday, July 6, 2021.
- Construction of the City Center Project is continuing daily. The City Manager meets with the contractor weekly to ensure the project is moving forward as scheduled. Contractors have continued to work on project utilities.



City Council

July 6, 2021
7:00 pm

Planning & Zoning

July 12, 2021
6:30 pm

Citizens Police Advisory Committee

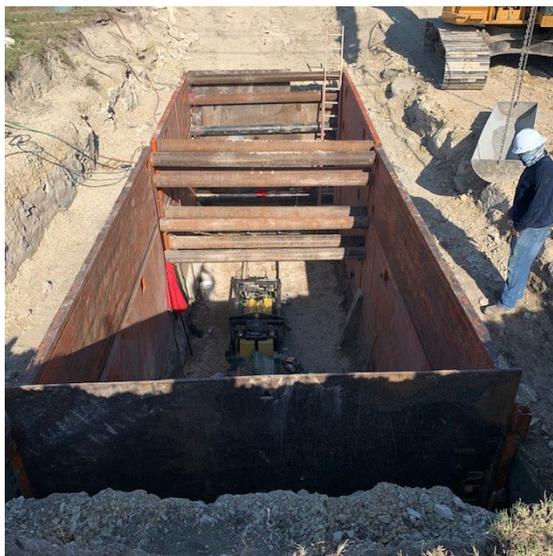
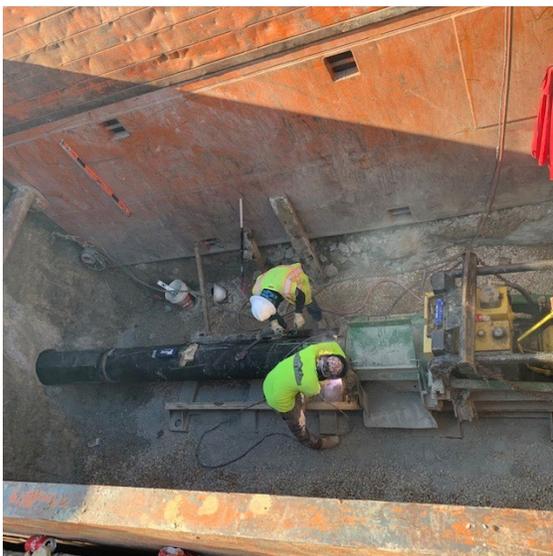
July 12, 2021
6:00 pm

City Council

July 20, 2021
7:00 pm

These meetings will be held in City Hall Council Chambers:

1938 S. Hampton
Glenn Heights, TX



CITY SECRETARY

City Council Meetings

In person City Council Meetings resumed on May 4, 2021. Meetings will be held at City Hall, City Council Chambers, 1938 S. Hampton Road, Glenn Heights, TX 75154.

To view the Agenda and Agenda Packet, please visit <https://www.glennheightstx.gov/129/Agendas-Minutes>.

Also, you may always view the City Council Meeting live, as well as archived Meetings, at <https://www.glennheightstx.gov/229/City-Council-Meeting-Videos>.

If you would like to make a Public Comment or provide testimony during a Public Hearing, you will need to appear in Council Chambers shortly before the meeting start time and complete a Public Comment Request form.

Joint and General Election

A Joint and General Election will be held on November 2, 2021, for Council Member Places 1, 3, and 5.

Applications for a place on the ballot will be accepted July 17, 2021 – August 16, 2021, during the City Secretary's normal office hours: Monday – Friday, 8:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.

How to request/obtain a candidate packet:

In Person: City Hall
1938 S. Hampton Road
Glenn Heights, TX 75154
Email: brandi.brown@glennheightstx.gov
Fax: (972) 223-9307
Download: <https://www.glennheightstx.gov/230/Elections-Elecciones>

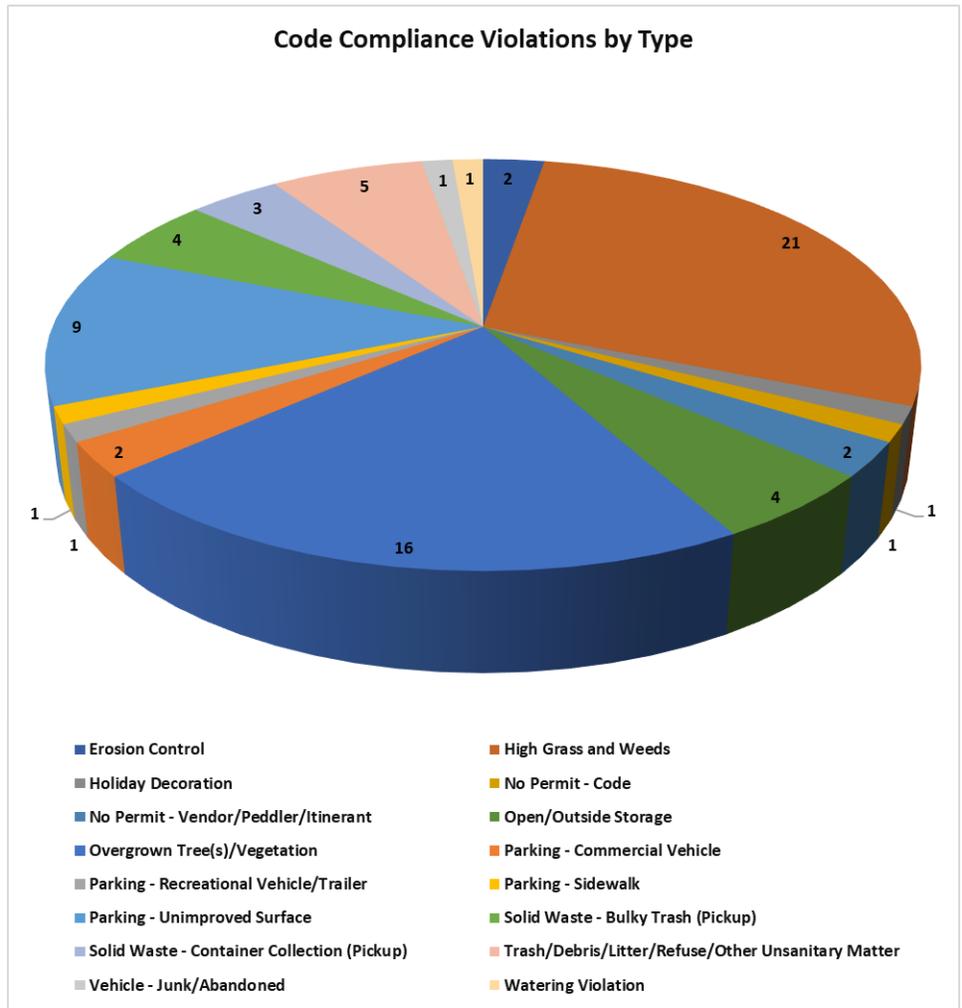
You may return your application in person, by mail, email, or fax.

For all up to date information regarding the Election, please visit the Glenn Heights Elections website: <https://www.glennheightstx.gov/230/Elections-Elecciones>.



CODE COMPLIANCE

TYPE OF CASES	No. of CASES
Erosion Control	2
High Grass and Weeds	21
Holiday Decoration	1
No Permit - Code	1
No Permit - Vendor/Peddler/Itinerant	2
Open/Outside Storage	4
Overgrown Tree(s)/Vegetation	16
Parking - Commercial Vehicle	2
Parking - Recreational Vehicle/Trailer	1
Parking - Sidewalk	1
Parking - Unimproved Surface	9
Solid Waste - Bulky Trash (Pickup)	4
Solid Waste - Container Collection (Pickup)	3
Trash/Debris/Litter/Refuse/Other Unsanitary Matter	5
Vehicle - Junk/Abandoned	1
Watering Violation	1
Total	74



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Social Services Update

Senior Center Congregate Meal Program

- Grant eligibility guidelines = Age 60 & older
- Grant provides distribution of free hot meals and support services to the Senior Center



Meals Delivered	6/14– 6/18	6/21-6/25
Monday	45	46
Tuesday	45	45
Wednesday	48	49
Thursday	47	48
Friday	48	49
Weekly Average	48	49

Staff completed 47 mid-week wellness checks to the congregate meals program participants. If you are interested or know a senior citizen that would like to join our congregate meals program, please contact Community Engagement staff at ghce@glennheightstx.gov or (972) 223-1690 ext. 500. Seniors will use a shelf stable meal that has previously been delivered for observance of Independence Day on July 5, 2021.

Programming

There were 3 Tele-Bingo winners from the last session that took place Thursday, June 17, 2021, and gift cards have been distributed. The next tele-bingo opportunity will be held on Thursday, July 8, 2021 at 3:30pm. Offering more than just bingo, it also includes follow along stretching exercises over the phone. This encourages our seniors to grab their stretch bands and work out. Bingo cards will be distributed on Wednesday, July 7, 2021, and seniors can dial 469-208-1731 and enter Conference/PIN 652 734 563# to participate.

Dallas County Health & Human Services offers a Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) to provide assistance to low income families in Dallas County. The purpose of the program is to reduce household energy usage, address health and safety needs, and to offer minor home repairs through the installation of approved weatherization materials. In some cases, complete AC units have been replaced if deemed necessary. The weatherization application is available online at www.dallascounty.org.

Please see attached Senior Center Newsletters for the months of June and July!



FINANCE

Utility Billing

Effective June 1, 2021, the City Council ended the moratorium on charging late fees and suspending service for non-payment of utility bills.

The City of Glenn Heights will resume charging late fees on bills that are not paid by the due date.

As of June 1, 2021, accounts with past due balances will automatically be placed on one of the following payments plans;

- Accounts with balances less than \$1,000 will have six months to pay the past due balance.
 - The past due balance will be divided into six equal payments.
- Accounts with balances over \$1,000 will have 12 months to pay the past due balance.
 - The past due balance will be divided into twelve equal payments.
- Nonpayment of the current bill plus the payment plan will be subject to disconnection if not paid by the twentieth (20th) day after the bill becomes due.
- The payment plan will automatically be added to the June utility bill, with payment due on July 15, 2021. Customers do not need to contact Utility Billing to set up the payment plan.

The Utility Billing office is now OPEN Monday through Friday between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm.

Customers can still reach the Utility Billing office at (972) 223-1690 ext. 120 or 121 Monday through Friday between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm.

Customers can also pay their utility bills by:

1. Leaving a check or money order in the drop box at City Hall.
2. Calling (972)223-1690 extension 120 or 121 during business hours. Or,
3. Navigating to www.glennheightstx.gov and clicking on the "Pay Your Water bill" link.



FIRE



June Incident Statistics	
Fire	37
EMS	114
Mutual Aid Received	3
Mutual Aid Given	9

HUMAN RESOURCES

On Wednesday, June 30, 2021, we celebrated employees who had birthdays in the month of June. Happy Birthday!!



PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

A total of (22) new single-family construction permits were issued during the reporting period for a total construction value of \$5,017,250.

The consulting firm, *Norris Design* will conduct interviews with community stakeholders during the week of July 12th as part of the Comprehensive Plan exercise for the City of Glenn Heights. The project will take place over a period of 7 (seven) months and feature both in-person open house sessions and virtual platforms for members of the community to provide input and share visions for the future of Glenn Heights.



GLENN HEIGHTS
COMPREHENSIVE PLAN



POLICE



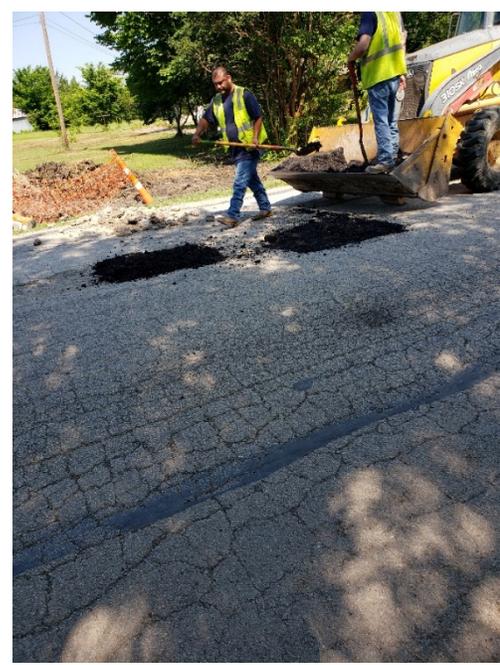
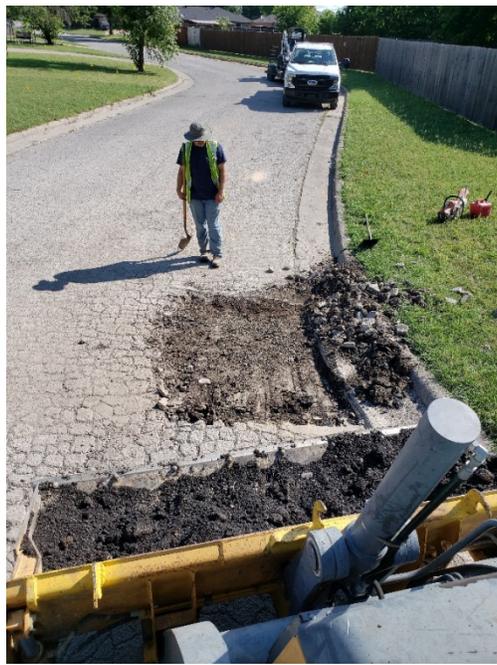
- The Glenn Heights Police Department worked with Public Works and members of the Maplewood Community to install No Outlet signs on Isabella Court.

PUBLIC WORKS

6/17/2021 Repaired angle stop leak on water service line in the 400 block of Pearly Top Dr.



6/17/2021 Pothole Repairs in the Mesa Addition due to high traffic and construction.



6/22/2021 Checked for proper operation of Check Valve and Gate Valve at the North West Pump Station.



6/23/2021 Driveway Approach repairs in the 1700 block of S. Hampton Road.



6/23/2021 Driveway Approach repairs in the 100 block of E. Bear Creek Road.



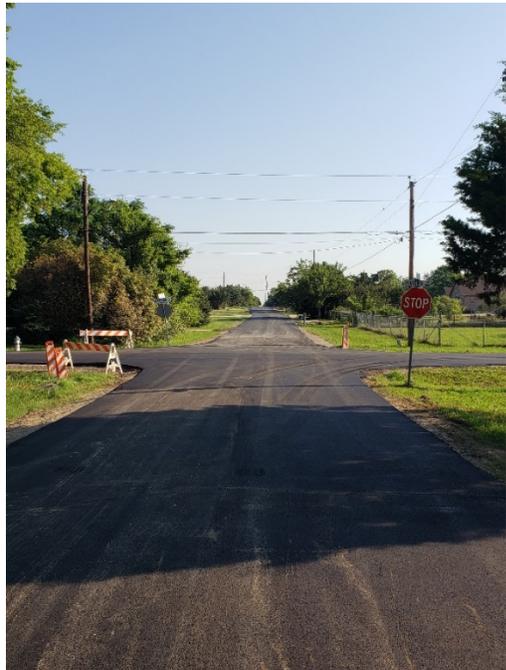
6/25/2021 Drainage repair in the 2200 block of Water Crest due to a damaged culvert.



6/25/2021 Driveway approach repair in the 1700 block of S. Hampton Road.



6/16/2021 – 6/18/2021 Road reconstruction Godwin, Lillian, and Barton Ave.



6/21/2021 – 6/28/2021 New water main replacement on Glenn Ln. in the Mesa Addition.



Glenn Heights Senior Center



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Keeping Older Adults Active!

Older Adult Services Program

Special Edition June 2021

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SENIOR CENTER

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At this time meals are available for delivery only. No pickups!



Communities of Strength Contest Winners!

Why My Community is Strong



By, Chelo Pereyda 1st

From, West Dallas Senior Center

“ONE”

One Word can spark a moment,
One flower can wake a dream,
One tree can start a forest,
One bird can herald spring.

One smile can bring a friendship,
One hand-clasp can lift a soul,
One star can guide a ship at sea,
One cheer can obtain a goal.

One vote can change a nation,
One candle can wipeout darkness,
One laugh can conquer gloom,
One smile can brighten a room.

One step can start a journey,
One word can begin a prayer,
One hope can raise your spirit,
One touch can show you care.

One voice can speak with wisdom,
One heart can know what's true,
One life can make a difference,
One life is ME and YOU!

1st: Chelo Pereyda



\$50

West Dallas Senior Center

2nd: Elma Sims



\$35

Glenn Heights Senior Center

3rd: Shou Huan Yao



\$25

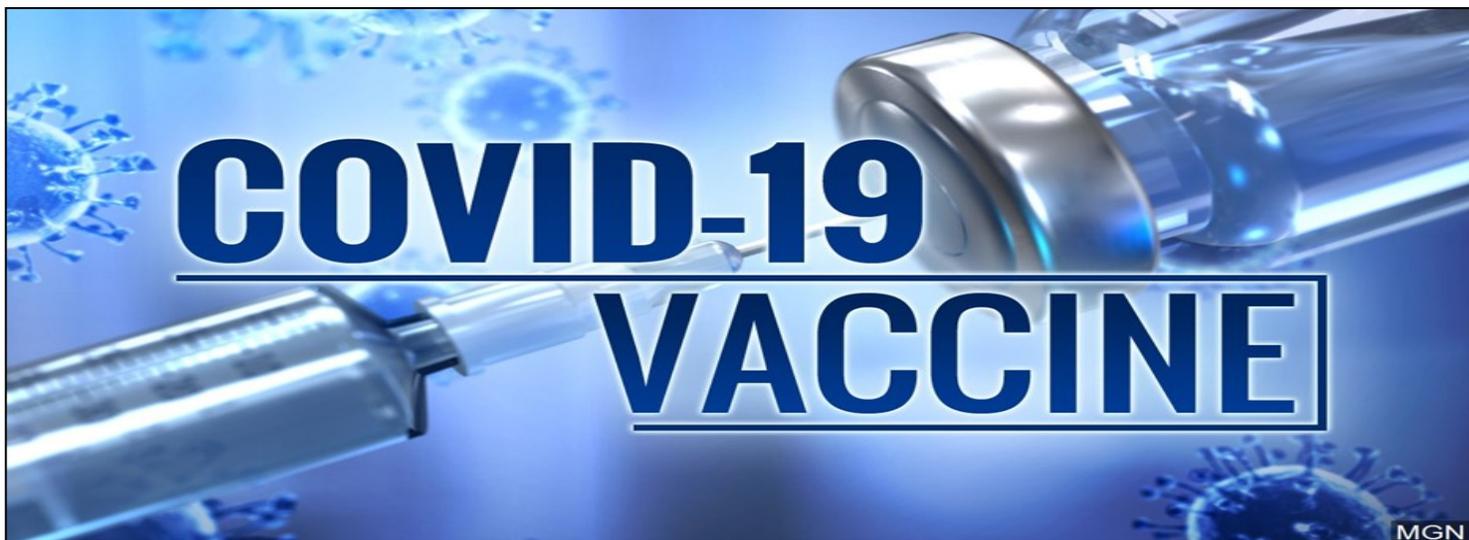
Walnut Street Senior Center

Location & Hours of Operation

Glenn Heights Senior Center
1938 S. Hampton Rd., Glenn Heights, TX 75154
Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Contact Information

469-225-5013
or
972-223-1690 ext. 500



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- ✓ **How much money will I receive?** Anywhere from \$16–\$200 per month for food? Right now you may receive an increase of \$95 a month plus added bonus money. More money for food allows more money for other things you need!

214-819-1860 Call Today!

Communities of Strength CONTEST!



Thank you to all the seniors who participated in the Communities of Strength contest. There were more than 100 entries from participants sharing why they think their community is strong!

Congratulations to all the finalist who won gift cards! Consolation prizes will be distributed to all those that participated.



Benefits Counseling

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Thank you
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Congratulations!

Communities of **Strength** Contest Winners!

Why My Community is Strong

By, Elma Jean Sims
From, Glenn Heights Senior Center



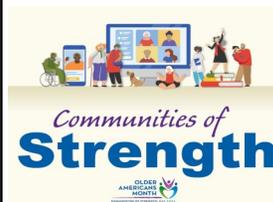
Glenn Heights is strong,
That is our theme song.

A small community stressing you belong,
A desire to live here your whole life long.

Glenn Heights is strong,
Strolling people getting along,
Pleasantly waving at each other,
A neighbor treated as a sister or brother.

Glenn Heights is strong,
Caring for seniors all year long,
Delivering free meals at their doors
Reducing expenses at the grocery stores.

First responders don't tarry long,
Fireman and policeman don't prolong,
If you said Glenn Heights is not STRONG,
I'm here to tell you that you would be WRONG.



By, Shou Huan Yao
From, Walnut Senior Center



Thank you Texas Government,
Thank you Dallas County Government,
Thank you Walnut Seniors Adult Activity Center.
During the Covid-19 pandemic...

It's you giving us help,
It's you teaching us how to protect ourselves,
It's you sending us hot nutritious meals,
It's you getting us vaccine shots,
It's you keeping us healthy,
It's you keeping us safe,

Lunch Served Daily

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
 June	6/1/2021 Marinara Chicken Meatballs~ Penne Pasta Broccoli Wheat Bread Oatmeal Cream Cookie ⓘ Milk	6/2/2021 Honey Glazed Turkey Whipped Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Wheat Bread Coconut Pudding Milk	6/3/2021 Chicken Alfredo Peas and Carrots Country Tomatoes Texas Bread Fresh Apple Milk	6/4/2021 Hamburger Patty~ Lettuce and Tomato Tater Gems Hamburger Bun Hot Pineapple Tidbits Milk Mustard and Ketchup
	6/7/2021 Turkey Pot Pie Broccoli Country Tomatoes Wheat Bread Cinnamon Crisp Bar ⓘ Milk	6/8/2021 Creole Beef~ Cajun Rice Spinach Wheat Bread Fresh Apple Milk	6/9/2021 Lemon Pepper Fish Whipped Potatoes Spring Vegetables Wheat Bread Zee Zee Birthday Bar Milk	6/10/2020 Beef Taco Charro Beans Beef Braised Carrots Flour Tortilla Apple Cinnamon Bar Milk Taco Sauce
6/14/2021 Parmesan Chicken~ Lemon Oregano Penne# Mixed Vegetables Wheat Bread Oatmeal Raisin Cookie Milk	6/15/2021 Thai Chili Pork Patty*~ Fried Rice Japanese Vegetables Wheat Bread Fresh Apple Milk	6/16/2021 Swiss Steak~ Garlic Whipped Potatoes Green Beans Dinner Roll Lemon Gelatin w/Pineapple Milk	6/17/2021 Cheesy Chicken Macaroni Broccoli Parsley Carrots Wheat Bread Strawberry Cereal Bar Milk	6/18/2021  Happy Father's Day Hamburger Patty~ Lettuce and Tomato Baked Beans Hamburger Bun Hot Cherry Applesauce Mustard and Ketchup Milk
6/21/2021 Tuna Salad Pasta Salad Cold Pickled Beets Saltine Crackers Cinnamon Swirl Pudding Milk	6/22/2021 Turkey Noodle Casserole Catalina Vegetables Herbed Brussels Sprouts# Wheat Bread Oatmeal Cream Cookie ⓘ Milk	6/23/2021 BBQ Chicken Parslied Rice California Vegetable Wheat Bread Cherry Gelatin with Peaches Milk	6/24/2021 Meatloaf~ Tomato Gravy Ranch Whipped Potatoes Herbed Green Beans Multi Grain Bread Chocolate Chip Cookie Milk	6/25/2021 Ham and Lima Beans* Stewed Tomatoes Cabbage Corn Muffin Fresh Orange Milk Margarine
6/28/2021 Southwest Chicken Pinto Beans Country Tomatoes Texas Bread Butterscotch Swirl Pudding Milk	6/29/2021 Smoked Sausage* Black-Eyed Peas Glazed Carrots Hot Dog Bun Sugar Cookie Milk Mustard	6/30/2021 Salisbury Beef~ Onion Gravy Whipped Potatoes Italian Green Beans Dinner Roll Lime Gelatin with Pears Milk	* - Contains Pork ~ - Entrée Contains Soy ⓘ - Contains Peanuts Menu items subject to change. 	

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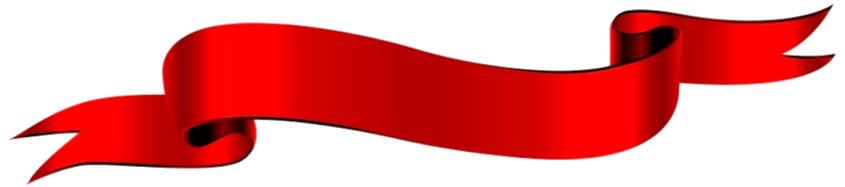
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Celebrating

Senior

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A Senior Strong Community!



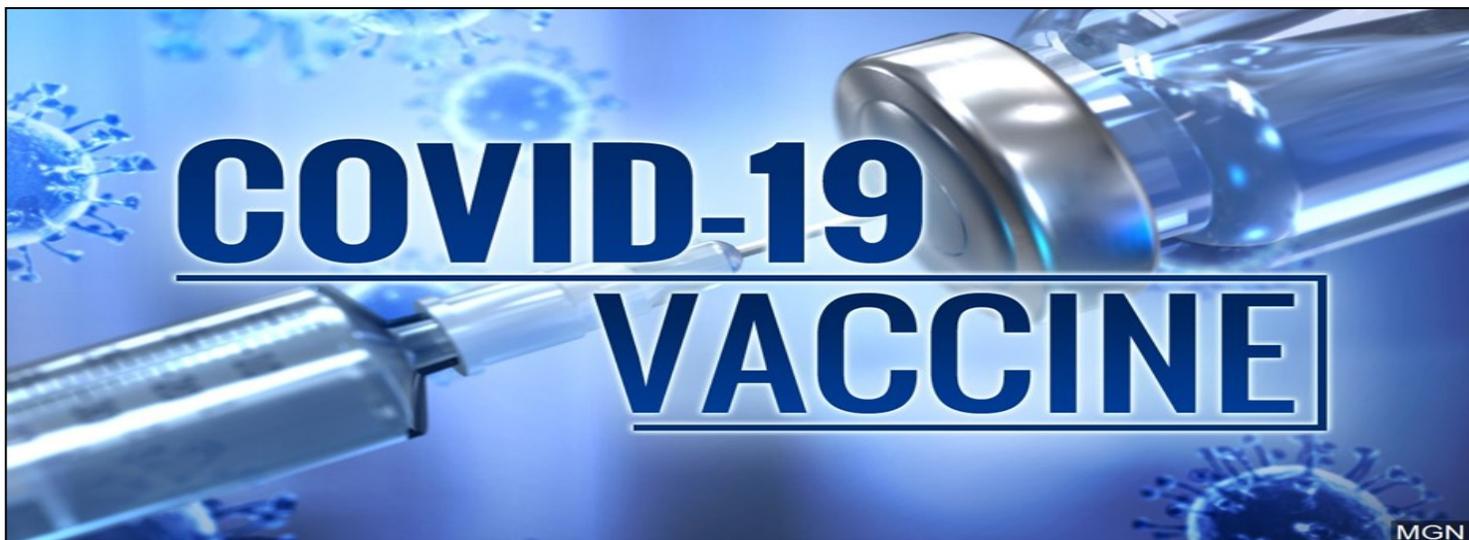
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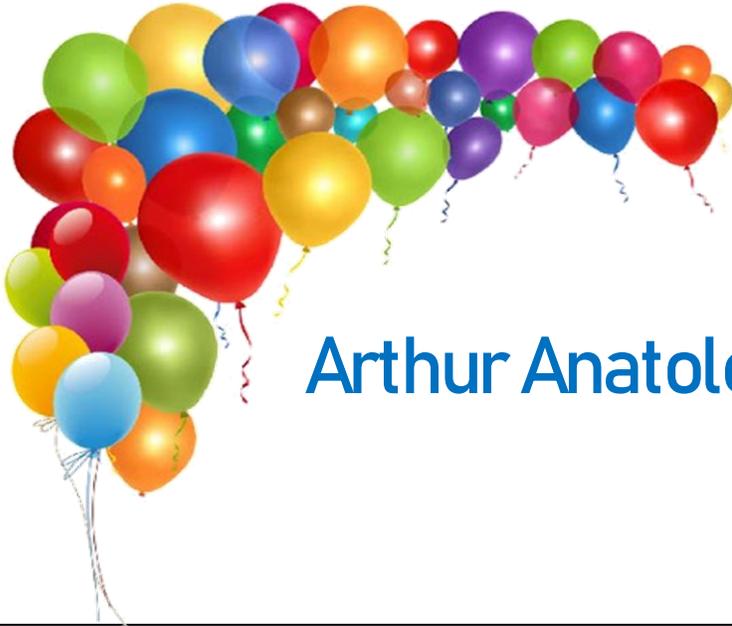


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Easy Peasy recipes are a SNAP!

Try a recipe with veggies purchased with SNAP!

Grilled Sweet Onions

Ingredients

- 1-2 large sweet onions
- 4 tbsp butter
- 4 tbsp beef broth or white wine
- 2 tbsp beef bouillon granules
- 1-1/2 tbsp minced fresh thyme
- 1/2 tsp favorite seasoning to taste



Directions

1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
2. Cut top and remove from each onion and cut onion into quarters.
3. Wrap each onion into heavy duty foil
4. Sprinkle bouillon and remaining ingredients into center of each onion and cook for 40 minutes.
5. Open foil carefully to allow for steam to escape.

Source: <https://www.tasteofhome.com/recipes/grilled-sweet-onions/>

Grilled Zucchini

Ingredients

- 1 tbsp canola or olive oil
- 1-2 zucchini, sliced
- 1 green onion, slice
- 2 tbsp lemon juice
- 1/2 tsp favorite seasoning to taste



Directions

1. In grill pan, heat oil and cook zucchini flesh side down until tender, turning once.
2. Mix remaining ingredients in large bowl, add zucchini and toss to coat.

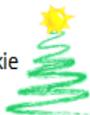
Try adding sesame seeds or crushed red peppers for a little more crunch or spice!

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			Thursday	Friday
			7/1/2021	7/2/2021
			Garlic Rosemary Chicken Meatballs~ Parmesan Penne Pasta Cauliflower with Red Peppers Wheat Bread Fresh Apple Milk	 Hamburger Patty~ Lettuce and Tomato Ranch Beans Hamburger Bun Peach Cobbler Milk Mustard and Ketchup
			Beef with Vegetable Gravy~ Seasoned Lentils Green Beans with Onions Wheat Bread Fresh Orange Milk	Shredded BBQ Pork* Macaroni and Cheese Medley Cabbage Hamburger Bun Raisins Milk
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	7/8/2021	7/9/2021
7/5/2021	7/6/2021	7/7/2021		
	Margarita Chicken Mexican Rice Broccoli Wheat Bread Zee Zee Bar Milk	Baked Chicken with Gravy Scalloped Potatoes Braised Carrots Dinner Roll Strawberry Gelatin w/Pineapple Milk		
7/12/2021	7/13/2021	7/14/2021	7/15/2021	7/16/2021
BBQ Pork Rib Patty*~ Parslied Rice Green Beans Dinner Roll Cherry Gelatin with Peaches Milk	Marinara Chicken Meatballs~ Penne Pasta Broccoli Wheat Bread Oatmeal Cream Cookie ⓘ Milk	 Honey Glazed Chicken Whipped Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Wheat Bread Zee Zee Birthday Bar Milk	Chicken Alfredo Peas and Carrots Country Tomatoes Texas Bread Fresh Apple Milk	Hamburger Patty~ Lettuce and Tomato Tater Gems Hamburger Bun Hot Pineapple Tidbits Milk Mustard and Ketchup
7/19/2021	7/20/2021	7/21/2021	7/22/2021	7/23/2021
Turkey Pot Pie Broccoli Country Tomatoes Wheat Bread Cinnamon Crisp Bar ⓘ Milk	Creole Beef~ Cajun Rice Spinach Wheat Bread Fresh Apple Milk	Lemon Pepper Fish Whipped Potatoes Spring Vegetables Wheat Bread Strawberry Gelatin w/Mixed Fruit Milk	Beef Taco Charro Beans Beef Braised Carrots Flour Tortilla Apple Cinnamon Bar Milk Taco Sauce	 Turkey Breast with Gravy Combread Dressing Lemon Brussels Sprouts Dinner Roll ⓘ Fudge Cream Cookie Milk 
7/26/2021	7/27/2021	7/28/2021	7/29/2021	7/30/2021
Parmesan Chicken~ Lemon Oregano Penne Mixed Vegetables Wheat Bread Oatmeal Raisin Cookie Milk	Thai Chili Pork Patty*~ Fried Rice Japanese Vegetables Wheat Bread Fresh Apple Milk	Swiss Steak~ Garlic Whipped Potatoes Green Beans Dinner Roll Lemon Gelatin w/Pineapple Milk	Cheesy Chicken Macaroni Broccoli Parsley Carrots Wheat Bread Strawberry Cereal Bar Milk	Hamburger Patty~ Lettuce and Tomato Baked Beans Hamburger Bun Hot Applesauce Milk Mustard and Ketchup