

# Blanchard Town Spirit

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## Farmer's Market



The Blanchard Farmer's Market is opened every **Saturday** from **8am** to **Noon**. The Market is located at US-62 and Jackson Avenue just east of Pioneer Telephone.

Produce available may include tomatoes, peppers, herbs, flowers, and ornamental bedding plants, early greens and spring onions, and farm fresh eggs.

## Fight the Bite!

These insects kill more people in 1 day than sharks do in a century! Individuals can reduce their risk of contracting mosquito-borne diseases, such as the West Nile virus, by getting rid of standing water around houses and by using insect repellent. Here is a simple way to remember how to "Fight the Bite" using mosquito safety. Just remember 3 D's and a P!



- DRAIN stagnant water;
- DRESS wear long sleeves and pants;
- DEET repel when you're outside;
- PREVENT reduce your exposure.

Unfortunately, there is no easy solution for managing mosquitoes. Countless

products on the market claim to be effective and easy to use but few have appreciable value in lessening the annoyance and incidence of bites. Unlike most insects found around homes, mosquitoes are pervasive outdoor pests and there are limits to what can be done to minimize their abundance. Nonetheless, there are measures that can afford some relief.

## Food Truck Tuesdays

### July

9<sup>th</sup> ~ Lalos Taco Chop

16<sup>th</sup> ~ El Kiasco

23<sup>rd</sup> ~ Rockin Rotolo

30<sup>th</sup> ~ MOB Grill

All trucks will be located on the vacant lots at Jackson and US-62 beginning at 11:00a.m.

BON APPETITE!

## Jodie Miller Day

The 4th Annual Jody Miller Day Show will be presented on July 27<sup>th</sup> this year.

More information will be provided in later newsletters.

## Meeting Calendar

### JULY:

11<sup>th</sup> ~ Planning Commission

16<sup>th</sup> ~ BOA

- 17<sup>th</sup> ~ Juvenile/Code Court
- 23<sup>rd</sup> ~ Traffic Court
- 23<sup>rd</sup> ~ City Council
- 23<sup>rd</sup> ~ BMIA Board of Trustees

## On the PC Agenda

The Blanchard Planning Commission will meet Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup> to discuss, consider and take appropriate action re:

- Open, conduct and close Public Hearing Regarding a proposed Planned Unit Development overlay by Urban Design Group/Hughes Co. for 217 N Harrison Ave (NW corner of Harrison and US-62) for a PUD Overlay on C-4.
- Adopting Resolution recommending approval or denial to the City Council regarding the PUD overlay.
- Approval or denial of the Preliminary Plat for SB Estates.
- Adopting Resolution to approve or deny the Final Plat for SB Estates.
- The progress of 2035 Comprehensive Plan.
- Consent Agenda.

## Police Blotter

Jail Activity Report for:

- 6/29 ~ WATKINS, Bryan arrested for DUI.
- 6/29 ~ NUCKOLLS, Teresa arrested for DUI.
- 6/30 ~ FRAIRE, Bryan arrested for Driving Under Suspension.
- 7/1 ~ PARGA-PARGA, Daniel arrested for NO Driver's License.
- 7/1 ~ UNDERWOOD, Donald arrested on Outstanding Warrant.
- 7/1 ~ BROWN, Margo arrested on Outstanding Warrant, Possession of Marijuana, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

## Senior Dining Program

The Blanchard Senior Nutrition Center serves a fully balanced lunch (entrees, sides, desserts, tea and coffee) for all senior citizens five (5) days a week beginning at 11:30am.

SENIOR CITIZEN'S MENU:  
(July 8 - July 12)

**Monday** ~ Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Bread, Dessert.

**Tuesday** ~ Enchilada Casserole, Beans, Rice, Dessert.

**Wednesday** ~ Chef Salad, Beets, Fruit, Crackers, Dessert.

**Thursday** ~ Butter Beans, Spinach, Potatoes, Cornbread, Dessert.

**Friday** ~ Coleslaw, French Fries, Bread, Dessert.

If you are 60 or older, you are eligible to participate free of charge.

However, a suggested donation of \$2.00 is requested to insure the continuance in meeting the nutritional needs of our elderly citizens. Citizens under the age of 60 may participate but are required to pay \$5.00 for the meal. If you need a ride to the Center located at 101 S. Main Street, the City contracts with Delta Transit to provide bus service. Rides are available by calling 1-866-THAT-BUS.

For more information, please call (405) 485-9260.

## Special Events

July

- 6<sup>th</sup> ~ Farmer's Market
- 10<sup>th</sup> ~ Multi-Chamber Luncheon
- 13<sup>th</sup> ~ Farmer's Market
- 20<sup>th</sup> ~ Farmer's Market
- 27<sup>th</sup> ~ Farmer's Market
- 27<sup>th</sup> ~ Jodi Miller Day Show