THE CITY OF JUSTIN
NEWSLETTER
EVERYTHING A HOMETOWN SHOULD BE.
JUNE 2020

STREET IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
In November 2018, voters approved the reallocation of a portion of the city’s sales tax revenue for the dedicated purpose of street maintenance and repair.

The City approved a Street Improvement Plan last year and we have begun to address projects from that plan.

The first project was the complete reconstruction of Jackson/Barrett, which is underway now. This is expected to be complete in July.

The next complete reconstruction project will occur on Pafford and Leuty Ave. and is expected to begin late this summer.

In addition to the reconstruction projects, the City has identified through a full street assessment, which roadways are most in need of maintenance and repair.

The City anticipates to award contracts annually for the needs identified in the street improvement plan.

Last month the city council awarded a contract to Reliable Paving, Inc. for various concrete maintenance and repair in the city. A similar contract for asphalt pavement repair is set to be awarded at the end of June.

More information regarding the Street Improvement Program and all Capital Improvement Projects can be found at www.cityofjustin.com/CIP

SUMMER READING PROGRAM
The Justin Community Library will host a virtual summer reading program from July 1st-August 31st.

Registration for the program is done through the READsquared app, which is available online and on your mobile device.

Programs include: Listeners, Readers, Teens, and Adults. Prizes upon completion!

Like us at www.facebook.com/libraryofjustin/ in order to stay up to date on virtual storytime, events, and programs.

For assistance with signing up: library@cityofjustin.com 940-648-2541 ext 6.

TIPS FROM UPPER TRINITY
Summer has officially begun! Here are a few watering and mowing tips for a healthy lawn.

WATERING TIPS
- Water early in the morning to reduce evaporation.
- It is best to pass on watering on windy days for the same reason of reducing evaporation.
- Be sure to check your sprinkler system periodically to ensure the proper schedule is set.

MOWING TIPS
- Set mower to the tallest height
- Leave glass clippings on the lawn for natural fertilizer
- Wait until grass is dry before mowing to prevent diseases from spreading.
**BUSINESS HIGHLIGHT**
Help invest in your community by supporting our local businesses!

#JustinTXshops #JustinTXeats #JustinTXstrong

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**Bell's Book Nest**

Books, gifts, Tyler candle products, baby gifts, jewelry, and more!

We carry the required reading for NWISD, and we do special orders for items not in stock.

Website: www.Bellsbooknest.com

Located at 201 N FM 156, Justin, TX 76247

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**Cactus Cafe**

The Cactus Cafe is a family owned business that serves freshly made sandwiches, salads, and a soup of the day. Breakfast or dinner groups can be accommodated by reservation. Call 940-648-2747 for more information.

Normal business hours:
11:00am-4:00pm Mon-Sat
Local delivery is also offered on most days.

Located inside the Classy Cactus Antique Mall at 100 W. 3rd Street, Justin, TX 76247

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**1st on Threads**

Did you know that we have a custom embroidery shop right here in town?

1st on Threads is a firefighter owned company that offers custom embroidery and screen printing services.

Michael Turner, the owner, has lived in Justin for 37 years. He and his wife of 17 years, Jamie, currently reside in Justin with their two sons, Blaine and Bryce.

Michael works for the North Richland Hills Fire Department and has been volunteering for the Justin Volunteer Fire Department for over 20 years.

Located at 117 W. 4th Street, Justin, TX 76247

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**The Cafe in Justin**

The Cafe was built in 1986 with a "Home style, made-from-scratch" menu.

Whether you visited when it was the "Rocking J" or "Mom's Cafe", this restaurant continues to offer some of the original tasty menu options!

Come in for some chicken fried steak, meatloaf, fish, hamburgers, and homemade pie. This is a friendly cafe with a family-oriented atmosphere.

Hours: 8:00am-2:00pm Mon-Sat

Located at 417 N. Sealy Ave, Justin, TX 76247

*If you would like to participate in the next business highlight, please email Abbey Reece at areece@cityofjustin.com*