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NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION**



Resident of Oak Hollow Park

THE OAK HOLLOW PARK PEBBLES



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OHP CHILDREN'S EASTER CELEBRATION

You asked and we're delivering! Many of you requested an Easter celebration on your neighborhood surveys.

Please join us on Saturday, April 19th from 11am-12:30pm at the corner of Pebble Peak and Forest Pebble for activities, games, goodies and treats.



DATES

- April 1: April Fool's Day
- April 15: National Tax Day
- April 18: Good Friday (NEISD no school day)
- April 19: OHP Children's Easter Celebration
- April 20: Easter Sunday
- April 22: Earth Day
- April 24-May 4: Fiesta!!

FIESTA TRIVIA

In what year was the first Battle of Flowers Parade held?

- A. 1853
- B. 1891
- C. 1909
- D. 1927

Answer on page 3



What is Fiesta San Antonio?

Fiesta® San Antonio started in 1891 as a one-parade event to honor the memory of the heroes of the Alamo and the Battle of San Jacinto. That historic commemoration still takes place, but for more than a century, Fiesta® has grown into a celebration of San Antonio's rich and diverse cultures and today is one of this nation's premier festivals with an economic impact of more than \$340 million. Funds raised by official Fiesta® events provide services to San Antonio citizens throughout the year.

Visit the Fiesta San Antonio website for a complete list of events.

<https://fiestasanantonio.org/>

ENTRANCE BEAUTIFICATION

It's that time of year to not only clean up our yards but to spruce up our neighborhood entrances as well. Per the recommendation of Rainbow Gardens, the neighborhood association has voted to purchase Mediterranean Carpet to plant in the Jones Maltsberger entrances. This perennial herb is a drought tolerant ground cover that produces purple tubular flowers.

We will be ready to plant in the next few weeks. Please contact us if you are interested in helping.



KIDS' KORNER!

find 8 differences



MEETING MINUTES

We added 4 new members to OHPNA in March. We now have a total of 124 members. Welcome to the newcomers!

We will have an Easter gathering in Ruthie's yard (2662 Forest Pebble - at the corner of Forest Pebble & Pebble Peak) on Saturday, April 19 from 11-12:30. We will have games and crafts for the kids and would love for everyone to stop by and enjoy!

The deadline for scholarship applications was March 31. We received no entries, so we will just save the scholarship money for next year's seniors.

A reminder to everyone - the Facebook group is a place for neighbors to connect on things that interest and concern us all, but one of the rules is to not advertise personal businesses there. There has been an increase lately in posts that are marketing businesses and so we just wanted to point out that rule that has been in place for quite a while. We would love for you to advertise your business in our monthly newsletter, though! The cost is just \$50 for 6 months of advertising in The Pebbles. If you would like to do that, just contact a Board member.

John examined the 2 flowerbeds at our entrances and then visited with the owner at Rainbow Gardens. The board approved the cost to get 17 Mediterranean Carpet plants at a total cost of \$181.92.

The recent surveys indicated that there is a lot of interest in creating more social opportunities to gather and get to know each other! So Ruthie offered to chair a neighborhood social committee to plan things like Bunco, craft nights, game nights, etc. If you are interested in being a part of planning these kinds of things, contact Ruthie at (256) 503-9131. This is a low-commitment gig, we just know that more people working together can do more!

PROPERTY TAX APPRAISALS

In April you will receive another property tax increase for the 10th straight year. Property tax information can be found on the Bexar County Appraisal District website: bcad.org.

Please know, if you successfully protest your 2025 property taxes, you will NOT get a market value increase in 2026.

OHP neighbor Les Earls works for the Bexar County Appraisal Review Board. He has created a video exclusively for Oak Hollow Park neighbors, "How to Successfully Protest your Property Taxes in Oak Hollow Park." The link is OakHollowPark.com/tax.

The city of San Antonio Neighborhood & Housing Services is also hosting property tax help sessions. Dates, times and locations can be found at sanantonio.gov/propertytaxhelp, or you can dial 311 for more information.

Protest now in 2025 and earn No increase in 2026

Link is: OAKHOLLOWPARK.COM/TAX

I'm back, and I will show you "How to successfully protest your 2025 property taxes in Oak Hollow Park" Elmer is back!

WATCH VIDEO

OakHollowPark.com/tax

TREASURER'S REPORT

OHPNA TREASURER'S REPORT (for MAR 31)

<u>OPERATING FUNDS ACCOUNT</u>	
<u>BEGINNING BALANCE:</u>	\$6433.59
<u>INCOME:</u>	
Memberships (4 x \$40)	\$160.00
Pebble Ad (Alan Langhoff)	\$50.00
<u>TOTAL DEPOSITS:</u>	<u>\$210.00</u>
<u>EXPENSES:</u>	
Perimeter Maintenance	-\$325.00
OHP Website (Monthly) Feb & Mar	\$55.40
Zoom Call (filed fraud claim with Chase)	\$16.79
<u>TOTAL EXPENSES:</u>	<u>\$397.19</u>
<u>ENDING BALANCE:</u>	<u>\$6,246.40</u>
<u>SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT</u>	
<u>BEGINNING BALANCE:</u>	\$3,471.15
Scholarship Donations	0.00
Interest Earned	\$0.03
<u>ENDING BALANCE:</u>	<u>\$3,471.18</u>
<u>TOTAL ENDING BALANCE:</u>	<u>\$9,717.58</u>

- Chase Bank statements for all OHPNA accounts are on file with the Treasurer for inspection.

Alan Langhoff & Ruthie Szenasi

OLIVIA THE CONQUEROR



REAGAN SZENASI

TRIVIA ANSWER

B. 1891