



# Town of Pantego

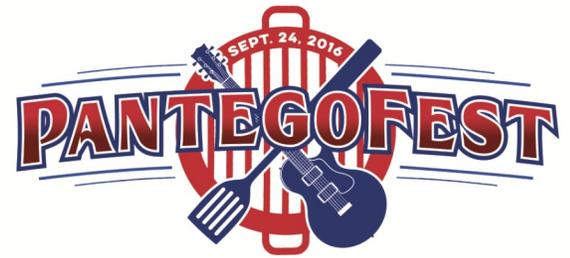
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**PantegoFest is ALL NEW this year! We will celebrate the small town charm of Pantego on September 24th, 2016 from 11 am until 11 pm. Starting with a sanctioned Steak Cook-off, Appetizer Challenge and Kids Cook-off where you can win up to \$1000 and a chance to compete on the national level. There will be tons of vendors and the steak dinner is open to the public and will end with a fabulous concert featuring Dawn + Hawkes, The Brandon Rhyder Band and Chris Knight. We can't wait for this years festivities to begin! Please be aware NO outside coolers will be allowed.**



### PANCAKE BREAKFAST



The Pantego Lions Club is hosting a Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, August 27th from 7am to 11am. The menu will include pancakes, eggs, sausage and drinks. All for only \$6 per

person.! Kids under 5 eat FREE. It will take place at the Odis Pharr Community Center located at 3535 Marathon Street in Pantego. For tickets call 817-261-6100.



- For \$10 you can purchase a wristband that allows you to sample each of the cookers appetizers.
- For \$25 you can purchase a Steak Dinner cooked by World Champion Steak Cookers.
- For \$10 you can purchase entry in to the VIP tent where you will sample local craft beers and wines and be able to purchase the drinks you are tasting.
- For \$40 you can buy ALL THE FIXIN's and get all of these!

For more information regarding tickets, sponsors, steak cook-off entries, bands, kids zone and exhibitors can all be found on [www.pantegofest.com](http://www.pantegofest.com) or email us at [pantegofest@townofpantego.com](mailto:pantegofest@townofpantego.com)

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Deaths of children left unattended in vehicles during summer months is on the rise! Why? All of us are human and we forget; but, we should NEVER forget our children!



The Pantego Police and Fire Departments have decided to make it their number one goal during the summer to prevent as many deaths of children due to abandonment in hot cars! We will advocate for children everywhere through educating parents and effecting a change of attitude.



## where's baby?

Look before you lock.

### Movies in the Park!

September 10th —Zootopia



Hurry out to Bicentennial Park and enjoy hot dogs and popcorn. Additionally, we are pleased to have Alex's Lemonade Stand join us again this month. Show your support for this worthwhile cause. This will be the last movie in the park event of the year.

Town Council has reviewed the budget for the fiscal year 2016-2017 and will be holding the second and final formal public hearing on August 29th.



## Upcoming Meetings:

Community Relations Board: September 6th  
Town Council: September 12th & 26th  
Economic Development: September 14th & 28th  
Zoning Board of Adjustment: September 15th  
Youth Leadership Council: September 20th

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## Mosquito Spraying

The Town Council has chosen to proactively spray this year on a monthly basis to curb the amount of mosquitoes in the area. The upcoming spray schedule will be as follows: **September 22nd at 9:30 p.m.**

The treatment will take approximately 2 hours and will be applied throughout the Town. It is recommended that residents and pets stay inside during this time frame.

## Mosquito Trapping

In cooperation with Tarrant County Health Department, Town staff has been setting mosquito traps since the first week in April. Tarrant County has tested a total of 319 West Nile Virus positive mosquito samples, 12 of which came from Pantego as of August 13th. No human cases in Pantego have been reported at this time.

## Mosquito Control

The most important and effective form of mosquito/West Nile Virus control is to take a personal stake in the process. To prevent the breeding of mosquitoes, ensure that the areas on your property have no standing water. Check your buckets, flower pots, trash containers, or other likely collection areas and dump them out on a regular basis. When going outside, especially from dusk to dawn, wear clothes that cover as much of your skin as possible and use insect repellent.

**Mosquito dunks (one package per resident) are available at Town Hall to treat standing/stagnant water that cannot be emptied (i.e. ponds, fountains, etc.)**



The Community Relations Board is seeking volunteers for upcoming events. The CRB is responsible for coordinating Movies in the Park, Halloween, Christmas, Easter events and the Memorial Day Ceremony. **You do not have to be a member or resident to help out at an event;** just let them know you want to lend a hand! Call or e-mail Town Hall with your contact information and what event you want to work. It's a great way to be involved with the community!!

## Did you know?

Did you know there is a Pantego Youth Leadership Council?

PYLC is a group of students between the 7<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grades that meet every third Tuesday of the Month at 6:30 p.m. to learn about local government and build skills to better serve as leaders among their peers. For more information on PYLC visit our website at [www.townofpantego.com/PYLC](http://www.townofpantego.com/PYLC).

Come check out the new mini library at Bicentennial Park! The mini library was graciously donated by Colby and Robin Nicks to encourage reading in the community. So take a book, bring a book and read a book.



## **CONSTRUCTION PROJECT UPDATES:**

- **Bowen Road Pavement Repair Project:** All concrete repairs have been completed. The next phase will be crack sealing, re-striping and new lane buttons being placed.
- **The Pioneer Waterline Crossover & 303 Pump Station Project:** The project is completed other than clean up.
- **Smith Barry Sewer Pipe Bursting Project:** The preliminary design is currently under review for this project.
- **Doral Court Storm Water Pipe Project:** A 15" RCP storm water pipe has been lined to prevent future failures...project complete.



Reminder! School is back in session so be mindful of the school zones.

