

J. J. Pearce Homeowners Association Newsletter

Website: www.jjphoa.org

March 2005

News from the City

- Sales tax revenue continues to be disappointing. Sales tax revenue received in February was down 8.6% from last year. Total sales tax revenues for the fiscal year through February are down 4.5%. The budget expected an increase. A significant payment from the state as a result of an audit adjustment did help offset the weak monthly results.
- Two bills have been introduced in the state legislature to prohibit red light cameras. Along with local cities Plano, Frisco and Garland, Richardson is opposing the bills. The bills are HB 229 and 665. Garland has red light cameras in place, and Plano, Frisco and Richardson are working on a cooperative purchase and implementation.
- Richardson has received an outstanding audit report from its external auditor, KPMG. The audit made note of “positive control environment and proactive attitudes”; “open and effective communication with management”; and that the city received the Government Finance Officers Association Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting for the past 26 years, and is likely to receive it again based on this audit.
- The city is preparing to sell \$24.5M worth of bonds for improvements to streets and drainage, neighborhood vitality, parks, and public buildings. These funds were approved in the 1997 bond election.
- Richardson’s recreational vehicle parking ordinance has been challenged in court by a group of citizens. A request for a summary judgment to dismiss the suit is scheduled for March 18. If that request is denied then a trial is scheduled for April 25. Other local cities are monitoring the results.
- Lennox International will be the new sponsor for the Corporate Challenge from 2005-2007. The Corporate Challenge is a series of competitions in which teams from various businesses compete against each other and raise money for Special Olympics.
- Richardson has received a “Best Solution Award” for the fiber technology project that the city and RISD have implemented together.
- 155 city employees were honored recently for reaching years-of-service milestones totaling 1,590 years.
- The city may pursue an eminent domain proceeding to enable the effective redevelopment of a shopping center and prevent a parcel of land from becoming a blight. Hopefully a negotiated sale will prevent this rarely used procedure from being necessary.
- The Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring “Dine Out in Richardson”. See the article on page 2. There are over 240 licensed restaurants in Richardson.

J. J. Pearce High School Community Open House

Have you driven by the high school lately and marveled at the beautiful changes? The community is invited to see what is **INSIDE** the renovations and additions at Pearce on **Tuesday, April 5, 6 to 7:30 p.m.** See what your bond dollars built. There is no formal program, but students will be on hand to answer questions. Come see for yourself the wonderful things happening at the high schools. Open houses will be held at the same time at the other three Richardson ISD High Schools.



Getting Things Fixed

Have you ever spotted a pothole that could swallow a car and wondered what to do about it? Or discovered another problem that requires special attention from the city? The city’s website has a page just to help you report those things, and to get the problem addressed.

To report a situation that needs attention go the Neighborhood Services Department’s page at www.cor.net/NeighborhoodServices/ and click on “Express a Concern”. You will find a list of the 36 most common complaints. Just click on an item and it will send a note to people that will look into the problem and address it. If you don’t see your problem listed there is a 37th category called “Other”.

If you don’t have e-mail call 972-744-4166 and they’ll get you to the right place. Of course for urgent matters always call 9-1-1.

DART On-Call

DART offers a service to our area that will pick you up at your door and take you anywhere in the area bounded by Campbell Road on the north, Beltline on the south, Hillcrest on the west and Floyd Road on the east. It will also take you to the Arapaho DART station and UTD, and bring you back from those locations. The cost is \$2.25 per trip. Discount fares are 50¢ for seniors 65+ with valid DART photo ID or Medicare card, high school students age 15 and above with student or DART photo ID, children age 5-14, and disabled persons with DART photo ID. Free for DART Paratransit Customers and children under age 5. You must have the exact cash since the drivers cannot make change. You can also use an Annual Pass, a Premium Day Pass, a Premium Monthly Pass, a Local Day Pass plus \$1, or a Monthly Local Pass plus \$1.

To schedule a DART On-Call pickup you must call 214-878-0173 for reservations, at least one hour prior to travel time. Reservations are not required for service from Arapaho Center Station. For more information look at www.dart.org/riding.asp?zone=dartoncallrichardson or call 214-878-0173.



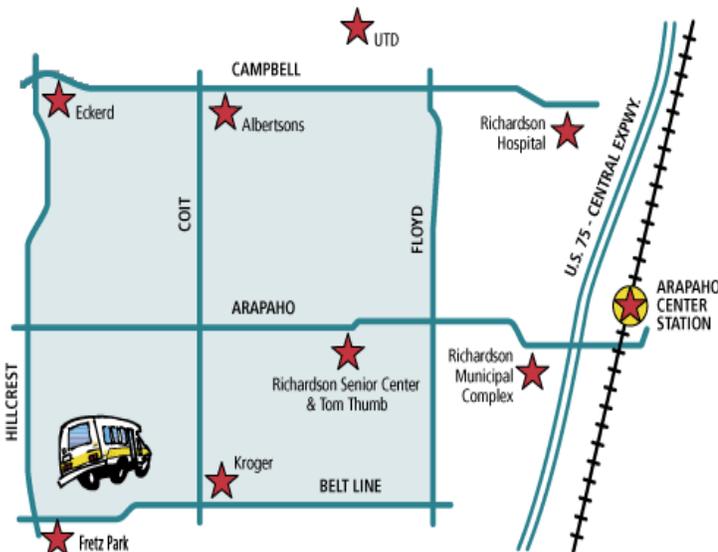
Dine Out in Richardson

The Richardson Chamber of Commerce has announced a “Dine Out in Richardson” promotion to encourage local residents and people who work in the City to patronize Richardson’s restaurants. The promotion will run from March 17 through March 27.

“This event will increase visibility and bring attention to Richardson’s restaurants and the wide variety of neighborhood dining venues,” Chamber President Bill Sproull said. “We want to provide a quality dining experience for our residents and visitors and help our restaurant owners grow their businesses.”

The “Dine Out in Richardson” promotion will kick off Thursday, March 17 (St. Patrick’s Day) and run for 11 days through Easter weekend (March 27). Restaurants in Richardson are being asked to offer specials or discounts during the promotion. A list of participating restaurants will be posted on the city’s web site, www.cor.net.

Early in March the Chamber will send posters to all participating restaurants. For more information or questions about the “Dine Out in Richardson” promotion, contact Sue Walker, Richardson Chamber, 972.234.4141 or email sue@telecomcorridor.com.



LEGEND/CÓDIGOS



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	DART On-Call Richardson service area Área de servicio de DART On-Call de Richardson
	Destinations served by DART On-Call during midday hours Destinos del servicio DART On-Call durante mediodía
	Destinations served by DART On-Call all day Destinos del servicio DART On-Call durante todo el día

Look for this logo.



DART On-Call map for Richardson

CRIME / SAFETY TALK

By Thom Pomella, VP Safety

RECENT CRIME

We have one incident to report this month. It was a garage burglary. The homeowner is not sure when it occurred, or the method of entry. This burglary was not reported to the police. Everyone please report all occurrences to the police.

SPEEDERS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD

Last month I asked for everyone to let me know any information you have on vehicles speeding through the neighborhood. I have received complaints from three of our neighbors about teenagers speeding and driving recklessly. I contacted the police department as to what is necessary for a citizen to file a complaint against a driver. The response follows:

"A citizen can file a formal complaint against a driver by filing a report with the Police Department. This can be done at the front desk here at the PD, or they can call in by phone. Important information would be date, time, location, vehicle description, and driver description. The court would then contact that citizen at a later date and obtain the necessary information to subpoena the driver/owner to court to answer the complaint. The citizen would then be required to testify in court, since he/she is the originator of the complaint, and probably the only witness to this particular offense (just like an officer if they cited a driver for a violation)."

I don't know how many of us would be able or willing to do what is necessary here. What I have decided to do is just report the offending vehicle descriptions and plate numbers here in the newsletter. Maybe the parents of these kids will look and say 'Hey that's my kid's car'. I know if it was my kid's car, that problem would be solved very quickly. Listed below are the two vehicles reported last month. The first one had three complaints. This one vehicle was noticed during hours that school is in session. Maybe coming home for / leaving from lunch. Two different people, three complaints.

Nissan Frontier, plate # 7TNF53

This next vehicle was moving so fast that the driver just about lost control when trying to stop for the stop sign. This was after school had let out.

Blue Honda Accord, plate# R35CXT

A REAL VICTIM OF IDENTITY THEFT

This is a reprint of an email crime alert sent out by Richardson Police Officer John Corbitt, since not everybody receives email.

One of our crimewatchers sent me this reference things learned when traveling the long, lonely road of an Identity Theft victim: John, I've been the victim of identity theft

over the past two weeks and it has been a mess. Someone got into my bank savings, checking, and VISA accounts. I've learned a few things the hard way.

- 1) Never save your password on online accounts, it goes into your "cookies" which can be accessed by crooks.
- 2) The bank probably won't tell you this, but as soon as the theft begins, cancel all your accounts and open new accounts. You also can set up your online accounts to be "inquiry only" so no one can transfer funds out.
- 3) Oddly enough, the Bank (name withheld) online fraud department is not open on weekends; it took one and a half hours on the phone on a Saturday to figure this out.
- 4) Don't have your credit card linked to your bank account. The person who got into my account transferred funds off my credit card into my checking account, then out to other accounts. They took money I didn't even have!
- 5) Don't assume the bank or credit card company will inform you of unusual activity on your account. I had someone try to take as much as \$12,000 off my VISA. I never received a call.
- 6) Don't assume it's over. Whoever got into my accounts postdated checks. The checks continued to show up and be cashed even after the accounts were closed.
- 7) Thank God for a few honest folks. I learned about this after a Western Union employee questioned a wire transfer off my credit card and called to confirm it late on a Saturday night.

After hours on the phone I do have my hard earned money back. The bank fraud diet is even more successful than Atkins. Hope this helps someone else, but please don't use my name!

(name withheld as requested)

<crime prevention... removing the opportunity for the crime to occur>

John C. Corbitt, Crime Prevention Unit
Richardson Police Department
972-744-4952 john.corbitt@cor.gov

FYI

WHAT TO DO IF YOU HAVE BECOME A VICTIM OF IDENTITY THEFT

- **NOTIFY THE POLICE:** Contact your local police department to file a criminal report. Document the names and phone numbers of everyone you speak to regarding the incident. List exactly what has happened, such as bad checks, credit card abuse, or misuse of name, state driver license, or identification card. Follow up your phone calls with letters. Keep a copy of the police report.
- **CONTACT ANY DRIVER LICENSE OFFICE:** After you have filed a police report, you may contact any local driver license office for assistance in determining the best course of action for your individual situation. You will be asked to supply personal documentation for proof of your identity as well as police reports, copies of returned checks or cancellation information

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on credit card or checks. You may also be asked to complete a Forgery Affidavit form that will need to be notarized. A copy of the form can be obtained at any local driver license office or printed from www.txdps.state.tx.us.

- **NOTIFY CREDITORS AND MERCHANTS:** If unauthorized charges appear on your legitimate credit cards, cancel those cards and request replacement cards with new account numbers. Cancel all unauthorized credit cards and close those accounts. Monitor credit card bills for new fraudulent activity and, if found, report it immediately to the credit card issuers and credit reporting agencies.
- **NOTIFY YOUR BANK(S):** Ask them to flag your account and contact you regarding any unusual activity. Take the following action in the event of such activity: if checks were stolen, place stop payment orders on them; if bank accounts were opened without your consent, close them.
- **AUTOMATIC TELLER MACHINE (ATM) CARDS:** If your ATM card has been stolen or compromised, contact the issuing financial institution and request a new card, account number, and password. Do not use your old password, common passwords, and personal identification such as the last four digits of your social security number, your birth date, middle name, mother's maiden name, address or anything else that could be easily discovered.
- **CONTACT THE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION:** Report the unauthorized use of your personal information to 800-269-0271 or visit their website: www.ssa.gov.
- **CONTACT THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION:** The FTC can confirm whether or not someone has applied for credit in your name. File an identity theft complaint at: 877-438-4338 TDD: 202-326-2502 or write FTC, CRC-240, Washington, DC 20580 or www.consumer.gov/idtheft/. Be sure to ask for the free brochure: ID Theft, When Bad Things Happen to Your Good Name.
- **NOTIFY THE U.S. PASSPORT AGENCY:** Notify the U.S. Passport Agency to be on alert for anyone applying for a new passport fraudulently in your name: U.S. Passport Agency, 1111 19th Street, N.W., Washington D.C. 20522-1705, 202-647-0518 or at: www.travel.state.gov/passport.
- **REPORT THE THEFT TO ONE OF THE THREE MAJOR CREDIT REPORTING AGENCIES**
- Request that a fraud alert and a victim's statement be placed in your file. Also, request a FREE copy of your credit report to determine if any accounts were opened without your consent and request the agency remove inquiries and/or fraudulent accounts stemming from theft. As these agencies share information, notification to only one is necessary.
- **Equifax:** To request a credit report: 800-685-1111 Option 4. To report fraud: 800-525-6285 or write to P.O. Box 740241, Atlanta, GA 30374 or the website: www.equifax.com.

- **Experian:** To request a credit report or report fraud: 888-397-3742 or write to 701 Parkway, Allen, TX 75013 or website: www.experian.com.
- **Trans Union:** To request a credit report: 800-916-8800. To report fraud: 800-680-7289 or write to P.O. Box 6790, Fullerton, CA 92634 or website: www.transunion.com.
- **DRIVER LICENSE DIVISION FRAUD INVESTIGATION UNIT**
- *The Fraud Investigation Unit can assist you in the process up to, and including, possible arrest of the identify thief following an investigation.*
- **Customer Service Representative:** 512-424-2600
- **Fraud Investigation Unit Email:** fraudunit@txdps.state.tx.us
- **The Stolen Identity File**
- The Texas Legislature has established a procedure to help victims of identity theft. An individual who believes that their identity has been fraudulently used must contact their local Sheriff's Office to file a report that his/her identity has been used by another person without their consent. The Sheriff's Office can then report that information to a statewide file managed by the Department of Public Safety. If you have any questions concerning this process, please contact your local Sheriff's Office or contact the Error Resolution Unit in the Crime Records Service within the Department of Public Safety at 512-424-7256.
- **MAJOR CHECK VERIFICATION COMPANIES**
- If you have had a check(s) stolen or bank account opened fraudulently, report it to the check verification companies listed below. Place a stop payment order on any invalid (or unauthorized) checks. Cancel your checking and savings accounts and obtain new account numbers.
 - **CheckRite** Call 800 766-2748
 - **Certegy, Inc** Call 800 437-5120
 - **SCAN** Call 800 262-7771
 - **Chexsystems** Call 800 428-9623 or www.chexhelp.com
 - **CrossCheck** Call 800 552-1900 or www.cross-check.com
 - **National Processing Co. (NPC)** Call 800 526-5380 or www.npc.net
 - **TeleCheck** Call 800 710-9898 or www.telecheck.com
- **PREVENTION: TIPS TO PROTECT YOUR IDENTITY**
 - *Never give your credit card number or other personal information on the phone, through the mail, or over the Internet unless you have initiated the contact or you are sure you know who you are dealing with. Personal information includes: social security number, driver license number, account number(s), date of birth, place of birth, home address, mother's maiden name or passwords.*
 - *When you order new checks, consider removing extra information such as your social security*

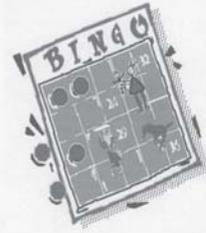
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number, driver license number, middle name and telephone number.

- *Check your credit history and bank records frequently. Look for signs of inaccurate or suspicious activity.*
- *Keep detailed and accurate records of your banking, check writing, credit card and ATM usage.*
- *Ensure that carbons on credit card receipts are destroyed.*
- *Purchase a home shredder or completely destroy any items that may have personal information and identifiers, such as address, date of birth, social security number, driver license or identification card number and account number(s), rather than discarding them in the trash.*
- *To minimize the amount of information subject to theft, do not carry extra credit cards, your social security card, birth certificate or passport in your wallet or purse, except when needed.*
- *If your cellular phone or long distance calling card has been stolen or if you discover fraudulent charges in your bills, cancel the accounts and open new ones.*

The only true defense against identity theft is prevention



The Pearce Area Exchange Club

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Happy St. Patrick's Day

Business Briefs

By Chris Bruckner, VP Development

After much deliberation, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas (BCBS) have announced it will remain in its present Richardson location for another 16 years. It took BCBS nearly 3 years to decide that its 2,500 employees located in Richardson should remain here after evaluating new campus alternatives in northern suburbs. BCBS was hoping to consolidate their various locations into a single facility but ultimately decided it was not feasible for a number of reasons, especially since they had already made considerable capital improvements. BCBS has two primary sites comprised of 517,000 and 155,000 square feet of office space respectively. In the end, BCBS was able to renegotiate their leases to very favorable terms, a deal that represents one of Richardson's largest real estate transactions in recent years.

Sadly after recent speculation, it has been confirmed by J.R. Black Properties, the management company for the Pavillion Centers, that **Backyard Birds** has closed its doors for business. The existing inventory will be removed in the near future to re-open this space for future merchants.

Congratulations Art Middlebrook

Art has been presented with the Hearts of Hope Award by the Volunteer Center of Dallas.

North Junior High collecting box tops

The Richardson North Junior High band is collecting General Mills box tops to buy and repair instruments. Box tops can be brought to the school office or dropped off with Bernie Mayoff at 1411 Huntington.

Are you using VoIP?

The Richardson 9-1-1 center would like to do some testing with residents who are using Voice over IP telephone service. If you are a VoIP user please contact Brenda Moreland, the manager of the 9-1-1 center, at 972-744-4818. Thanks for your help.

Minutes of Board Meeting, January 30, 2005

Bernie Mayoff called the meeting to order at 7:15 p.m. at the home of Marc Perlstein.

Minutes of Previous Meeting

The minutes of the last board meeting were approved

Treasurer's Report

Bernie presented the treasurer's report on behalf of Helen Simon. It was approved as presented.

Old Business

The Easter Egg hunt will be coordinated by Jane Scherper. The landscaping at Pearce High School will begin soon. Dinner meeting alternatives were discussed.

New Business

- Exchange Club Advertising. This service organization promotes the schools. They are having a fundraiser in March. The homeowners' association will publish information about it in the next newsletter.

Committee Reports

- Membership: Marc reported 1 new member. Total is now 343. The CPR course is set for March 6 at 3 pm cost is \$10 per person.

The next Homeowner's Association President's meeting will be February 15 at 7 am.

Next Board meeting is:

April 3, 4:15 pm following the volunteer appreciation reception, with the newsletter deadline of March 31.

The meeting adjourned at 7:46 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Nancy De La Garza, Secretary

Bernard
"Bernie"
Mayoff

for Richardson City Council
Place 6

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It's time to go into the garden!

Greetings from Phil Meeker, V.P. of Beautification

Daffodils welcome the equinox with promise. The metroplex weatherman's last average day of killing frost is March 15; may be less exact than waiting for Pecan trees budding out. Most of the March weather is great but old timers (like me) expect sporadic excitement of wind, rain, hail, sleet, snow and late frost.

What to do now?

• Early March

- o Work into your beds soil amendments such as compost, landscapers mix and granular fertilizers (organic or synthetic) and water in well.
- o Control winter weeds in the dormant grasses with 20% vinegar or round up type products
- o Mow grass and pick up clippings for a neat appearance and to allow the sun to penetrate the turf to warm the dormant grass root system. **DO NOT SCALP!**
- o Apply pre-emergent crabgrass control granules. This application is warm weather sensitive. Apply before we have a run of 5 days or 70 degrees weather. Then water in well with at least a half inch of water. Use several well-placed empty tuna cans to measure. Follow all label instructions
- o All Liriope and Monkey grass ground covers look really wimpy now. But there is still time to have new, early spring growth by cutting the existing stand back to one inch height.

• Later in March

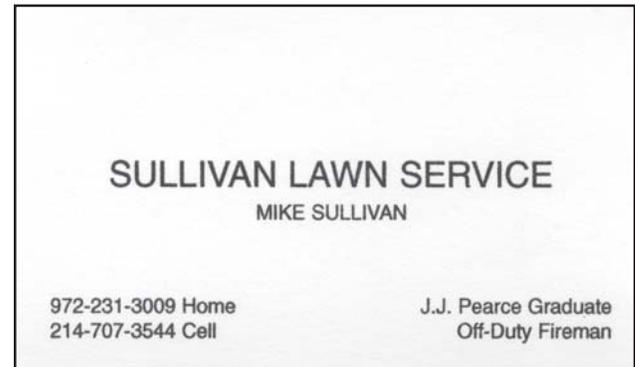
- o It's tomato planting time too; get going and keep the frost cloth handy. Cover plants if temperatures go below 45 degrees.
- o Weed and feed an oxymoron – It bears repeating from March 04. "One easy application" controls broad leaf weeds and fertilizes the lawn. Read and understand all label instructions. The "weed" ingredients kill broadleaf weed and other broadleaf plants: trees, shrubs, ground covers by soaking into the ground via rain. The label instructions do tell you not to water in after application. Material must stick to the broad leaves for several days to work. The "feed" part our warm season grasses are usually dormant; meaning the root system is asleep and not taking up anything. This dormancy can last through mid April. The feed part will wash away by rain.
- o Get to the Arboretum in Dallas to see the wildy beautiful spring color. The visit will either invigorate or exhaust you!

New for 05!

Yard of the month will begin in April instead of May and

continue through August. Seasonal color is the focus of this recognition. Judging will occur the third week of the month so recognition signs (5) can be placed. Owners will be advised and names and addresses will be in the next month's newsletter and color pictures put on the web www.jjphoa.org and as always the Yard of the Month recognition applies to J.J. Pearce Homeowners Association members only.

Get out there and plant!



School finance

-- with a little help from their friends

By Bernie Mayoff

Once again the school district is being faced with a financial dilemma. Revenues for the next school year are projected to be \$1,212,789 less than expenses. No one knows what, if anything, the state legislature will do that affects the situation. And children keep growing and need to keep learning. For the past few years RISD has used a Budget Review Team to help analyze the situation and to explore options. This year I've been appointed to the Budget Review Team and got to wrestle with the problem first hand.

The Budget Review Team is comprised of residents who have children in school, residents who do not have children in school, teachers, principals, and administrators. Approximately 100 people comprise the Team, so there is no shortage of opinions and ideas.

RISD has already identified another \$5,887,211 in reductions to be made in the next school year. The \$1.2M shortfall is in addition to those reductions. That \$1.2M shortfall doesn't include any raises for teachers either. In our Metroplex environment that is not realistic. For new teachers RISD already has the lowest starting salary among the comparable districts, and that is before those districts make their adjustments for the coming year. Competition for both new and experienced teachers from nearby suburbs and from parochial schools is fierce.

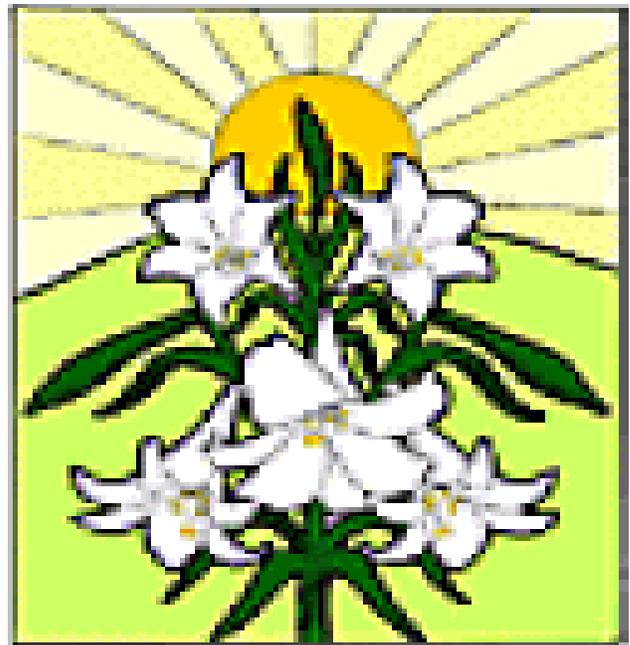
The Budget Review Team was presented with a list of 23 potential cost savings and 3 potential revenue enhancers and asked to make some hard decisions. Except for one of the revenue enhancers there were no easy choices. The second largest expense to RISD is the money given to the state for the Robin Hood school finance system and there is no local control over that. Three subgroups each attempted to address all the challenges.

There was general consensus that RISD should sell excess network bandwidth to generate approximately \$200,000 in revenue. That was an easy decision. We reluctantly recommended eliminating elementary Spanish from the 12 schools where it is currently taught and funded by the District. (Mohawk has a self-funded program.) We also reluctantly recommended reducing the total number of class sections offered in the high schools. This may mean the elimination of some electives, or larger class sizes in some other courses. While the implementation may vary by high school, that recommendation increases the high school student/teacher ratio by 0.25 students. We reluctantly recommended reducing the funds available for students that need extra tutoring or other assistance. And my group also reluctantly recommended reducing elementary band and orchestra to two days per week.

We recommended a 3% increase in the pay ranges for teachers and certain support staff, and a 2% raise for remaining administrative staff. That maintains some level of ability to recruit and retain the kind of people that we demand of RISD. My group recommended that funding to cover these raises come from drawing down a reserve fund for the first year. The following year it would be necessary to consider consolidating another school to cover the costs, which is not a pleasant decision. The legislature is the wild card in all this, so anything could happen, but planning for next year's school budget must go on even in the face of the unknowns. Educating students won't wait.

Dylan Gilbert

Condolences to Ray and Polly Gilbert, and their entire family, on the tragic death of their grandson, Dylan, in a motorcycle accident on February 3. Long time residents Polly and Ray are now raising two foster children who were just getting to know Dylan. Sid and Mark are fifth graders at Mohawk. Many of us know Polly from her years as a teacher at Pearce from 1975-1985, and as the coach of the first two National Championship Academic Decathlon teams.



Happy Easter

J J PEARCE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION
Statement of Cash Receipts and Expenses
For the Period September 1, 2004 to February 28, 2005

	Month Ended February 28, 2005	Year to Date Actual February 28, 2005	Year To Date Budget
Cash Receipts			
Membership Dues	\$30.00	\$5,130.00	\$5,220.00
Dividends	27.60	116.57	60.00
CPR Class	20.00	20.00	
<u>Advertising-Newsletter</u>	<u>80.00</u>	<u>860.00</u>	<u>600.00</u>
Total Receipts	157.60	6,126.57	5,880.00
Expenses			
Crime Watch			
Metrocall	22.20	132.50	132.50
National Night Out		63.61	
Membership			
Annual Meeting		79.69	80.00
Binders			100.00
Delivery		30.00	30.00
Directory Printing		423.67	320.00
Internet Domain Fee		34.64	34.64
Social Events			
December Decorations		125.47	250.00
Newsletter			
Printing, etc.	136.50	1,108.41	1,240.00
Delivery	60.00	390.00	390.00
Other Expenses			
Fire Department Dinners		151.53	175.00
Total Expenses	218.70	2,539.52	2,752.14
Net Income (Loss)	(\$61.10)	\$3,587.05	\$3,127.86

Fund Balances

	Checking	Vanguard	Totals
Beginning Balances - 2/1/05	\$3,988.20	\$15,914.05	\$19,902.25
Add receipts	130.00	27.60	157.60
Less Disbursements	218.70		218.70
Ending Balances - 2/28/05	\$3,899.50	\$15,941.65	\$19,841.15



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Local Events March – April include:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Time/Location</u>
March		
4-11	RISD Spring Break	
6	CPR Course	3:00pm, Mohawk
8	Softball vs Lake Highlands	5:30pm/7:00pm, Pearce
	Girls soccer vs Richardson	5:45pm/7:30pm, Pearce
	Baseball vs Lake Highlands	7:00pm, Pearce
11	Boys soccer vs Berkner	5:45pm/7:30pm, Pearce
15	Girls soccer vs Newman Smith	5:45pm/7:30pm, Pearce
	Softball vs Richardson	5:30pm/7:00pm, Pearce
17	4 th Annual Texas Guitar Competition (free)	8:00pm, Jonsson Perf. Hall, UTD
17-27	Dine Out in Richardson	see article on page 2
18	Girls soccer vs Creekview	5:45pm/7:30pm, Pearce
	Guitar: Carlos Molina	8:00pm, Jonsson Perf. Hall, UTD
18-19	Forte Spring Show	7:30pm, Pearce Auditorium
18 – Apr. 16	Art exhibit	UTD Visual Arts Building
19	4 th Annual Texas Guitar Competition Finals (free)	2:00pm, Jonsson Perf. Hall, UTD
	4 th Annual Texas Guitar Competition Awards and concert	8 pm, Jonsson Perf. Hall, UTD
22	Softball vs Newman Smith	5:30pm/7:00pm, Pearce
	Boys soccer vs R. L. Turner	5:45pm/7:30pm, Pearce
	Baseball vs Richardson	7:00pm, Pearce
24	Softball vs Creekview	5:30pm/7:00pm, Pearce
25	RISD student holiday (snow make-up day)	
26	JJPearce Homeowners Assn Easter Egg Hunt	9:00am, Mohawk
	Flute: Ilze Urbane	8:00pm, Jonsson Perf. Hall, UTD
27	Easter	
28	RISD student holiday (snow make up day)	
29	Baseball vs Newman Smith	7:00pm, Pearce
April		
1	Baseball vs Creekview	7:00pm, Pearce
	Jazz: Kelly Durbin & Friends	8:00pm, Jonsson Perf. Hall, UTD
3	Clavier Trio Concert	7:30pm, UTD Conference Center
5	Pearce Open House	6:00pm – 7:30pm, Pearce
8-9	The Bald Soprano	8:00pm, University Theatre, UTD
10	The Bald Soprano	2:30pm, University Theatre, UTD
12	Softball vs Berkner	5:30pm/7:00pm, Pearce
	Baseball vs Jesuit	7:00pm, Pearce

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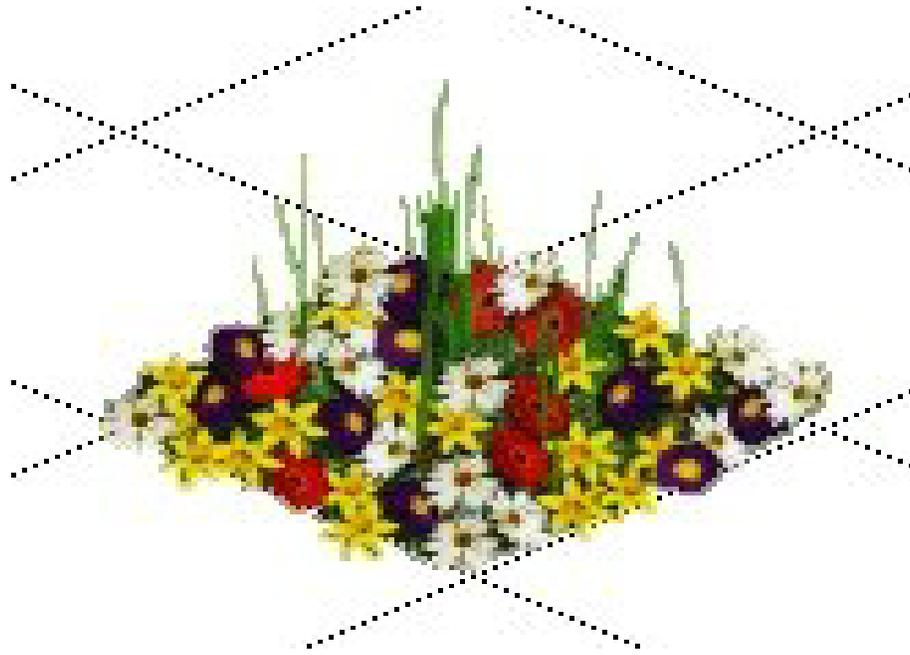
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