



March 12, 2021



City Council meets March 15

Mesquite City Council will meet on March 15 at City Hall, 757 N. Galloway Avenue. The Pre-Meeting begins at 5 p.m. in Training Rooms A and B, followed by a Work Session at 6:30 p.m. and the Regular Meeting at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers. Members of the public, applicants and interested parties may attend the meeting in person. All persons present at the meeting location must observe social distancing by remaining a minimum

of six (6) feet from other meeting participants and must wear a covering over their nose and mouth. Members of the public desiring to comment during Citizens Forum must preregister as follows: Send an email or call the City Secretary on or before 3 p.m. on March 15 at sland@cityofmesquite.com or 972-216-6244. Provide the City Secretary with your name and address. Comments on agenda items may be made during the meeting or by submission on or before 3 p.m. on March 15 to the following email address: sland@cityofmesquite.com. [View meeting agendas online](#). The City broadcasts meetings via [Facebook Live](#) and at www.cityofmesquite.com/WatchCouncilMeetings.



Mesquite to host March 20 Bunny Trail Drive-Through Event

The City of Mesquite Parks and Recreation Department will host a drive-through Easter egg event. The Bunny Trail is Saturday, March 20, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Westlake Park, 601 Gross Road. The free event will feature goody bags and professional photos with the Easter Bunny. [Learn more](#).



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Mesquite Tri-East NAACP hosts Black-Owned Business Symposium

The Mesquite Tri-East NAACP will host a virtual Mesquite Black-Owned Business Symposium on Saturday, March 20 at 10 a.m. There will be a panel interview with business leaders and city officials to provide information to business owners on how to grow their business as well as presentations on programs about advertising and networking for business success.



Watch the March 6 Annual Neighborhood Summit

The City of Mesquite hosted the fourth Annual Neighborhood Summit on Saturday, March 6. The Zoom event included guest speaker Catherine Huckaby, City of Fort Worth's Community Engagement Manager, and a forum for participants to speak with City of Mesquite leaders. The theme was "Steering Forward." [Watch the 2021 Neighborhood Summit.](#)



International Women's Day

On March 8, Mesquite Mayor Bruce Archer presented a special proclamation to Dr. Vishnu Maya Upadhyay in honor of her contributions to the Mesquite community, for forming the USA – Nepal Community Outreach Network and in honor of International Women's Day. [Learn more.](#)



Mayor honors former NAACP President

On March 10, Mesquite Mayor Bruce Archer presented a special proclamation to Denise Upchurch to honor her for her work as the previous Mesquite NAACP President and her contributions to the Mesquite community. [Learn more.](#)



Drive Like Your Family Lives Here during MISD Spring Break

Mesquite ISD begins Spring Break on March 15. This means more kids near roadways and playing in neighborhoods. Remember to stay alert, obey traffic signs and slow down when driving in residential areas. Learn more about safe driving in Mesquite [before you turn the key](#).



Mesquite Arts Center Spring Break crafts

The Mesquite Arts Council is offering a new craft everyday during Mesquite ISD Spring Break, March 15 – 19. The crafts are part of the MAC's Tote and Go Program, which are first-come, first-serve. Craft kits will be available for pick up starting at 12 p.m. inside the Mesquite Arts Center front lobby through a contactless service every day. [Learn more](#).



Fix-a-Leak Week March 15 to March 21

Help save water during Fix-a-Leak Week. Water leaks found in the average household can account for nearly 10,000 gallons of wasted water every year. And the Environmental Protection Agency's WaterSense Program shows that 10% of homes have leaks that waste 90 gallons or more each day. From March 15 to

21, find the leaks in your home and help save water. [View a checklist to help you find leaks in your home](#).



Mesquite Animal Shelter holds March Madness Adoption Special

The Mesquite Animal Shelter is holding a March Madness Dog Adoption special. Until March 31, adoption fees for all dogs are 50% off. To view all dogs that are currently available for adoption, visit www.cityofmesquite.com/AnimalsintheShelter.




Mesquite Library holds jobseeker support sessions


The Mesquite Main Library is offering free jobseeker support sessions. Schedule a 30-minute session in person or by phone. Staff will offer assistance and resources to help with job applications resumes and practice interviews. For more information, or to schedule a support session, please contact the Mesquite Main Library at 972-216-6220.


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