

# North Texas

## COMMUNITY BRIEFS

### ALLEN

#### Austin Lounge Lizards to perform at library

The Austin Lounge Lizards will perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the Allen Public Library, 300 N. Allen Drive. The group describes its eclectic music as Frank Zappa mixed with bluegrass.

The concert is free. For details, call 214-509-4911.

*Deborah Fleck*

### DALLAS

#### DART showcases its new zero-emissions buses

Dallas Area Rapid Transit will showcase seven new zero-emissions electric buses from 7 to 9 a.m. Tuesday at its Convention Center Station, 727 S. Lamar St.

The buses are operating on the D-Link, a free downtown route funded by DART, the city and Downtown Dallas Inc. The D-Link has 19 stops and runs daily 10:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.

The buses are partially funded by a \$7.6 million grant that also paid for two overhead electric car chargers at the Convention Center station.

*Ray Leszczynski*

### DOWNTOWN DALLAS

#### New lane, ramp closures on Lowest Stemmons

Connections to Interstate 35E will be interrupted through Friday for construction on the Texas Department of Transportation's 2.3-mile, \$79 million Lowest Stemmons project. Various lanes of southbound I-35E will close each night.

The southbound Continental Avenue entrance ramp and northbound Continental exit ramp will close at 9 p.m. Thursday until 5 a.m. Friday.

The Reunion Boulevard entrance ramp to eastbound Interstate 30 will close nightly. The entrance ramp from Reunion to I-35E and lanes of Reunion both eastbound and westbound will be closed during daytime hours.

The southbound I-35 frontage road is closed between Inspiration Drive and Continental until the end of summer.

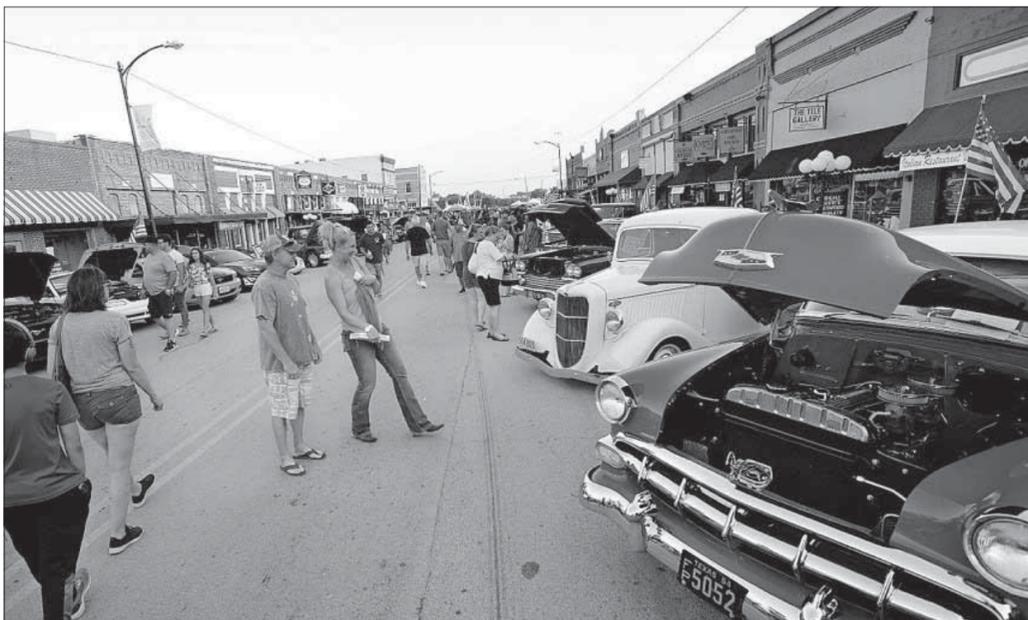
*Ray Leszczynski*

### FORT WORTH

#### Local student is young ambassador for museum

The Fort Worth Museum of Science and History has welcomed Emily Morales on board this summer as a representative of the Smithsonian Latino Center's Young Ambassadors Program.

Morales is the fifth young ambassador to train at the museum as part of the program, but she is the first



Photos by Jason Janik/Special Contributor

## Classic sounds, classic rides

**Above:** People attending the Bluegrass on Ballard festival examined the classic cars on display June 30 in Wylie.

**Right:** Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Bluegrass Band performed during the Bluegrass on Ballard festival.



to make a return engagement. She joined the museum's Innovation Studios team as a high school student at the Young Women's Leadership Academy in Fort Worth.

Morales graduated from the academy in May and will attend Texas Christian University in the fall, majoring in chemistry.

*Deborah Fleck*

### GARLAND

#### Council sets direction on boards, committees

The Garland City Council will receive updates from the city's library board and board of adjustments when it meets in a work session at 6 p.m. Monday. It will also discuss creating new council committees for transportation and marketing.

When it meets in regular session at 7 p.m. Tuesday, the council is scheduled to choose a mayor pro tem, deputy mayor pro tem and Texas Municipal Power Agency representative.

The meetings will be at City Hall, 200 N. Fifth St.

*Ray Leszczynski*

### LITTLE ELM

#### Applicants sought for community board

The board of directors of Little Elm's Community Development Corp. is looking for community volunteers to replace three board members whose terms expire Aug. 2. The eight-member board, which includes seven residents and one member of the Town Council, oversees and administers the use of funds for a wide variety of projects that benefit residents of Little Elm.

The deadline to apply is by 5 p.m. July 20. Applications can be found at littleelmtx.us.

*Deborah Fleck*

### MCKINNEY

#### Screening of 'Mulan' will be at library

The Roy and Helen Hall Memorial Library, 101 E. Hunt St., will screen the film *Mulan* at 2 p.m. Monday as part of its Monday Movie Matinee program. Attendees should bring blankets and pillows.

Popcorn will be provided.

Space is limited. Register online at [mckinneypubliclibrary.org](http://mckinneypubliclibrary.org).

*Deborah Fleck*

### MOUNTAIN CREEK

#### World War II soldier will be buried today

The remains of Army Pvt. Kenneth D. Farris, killed during World War II in Germany, were identified on April 23. The private will be laid to rest at 11 a.m. Monday at Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery, 2000 Mountain Creek Parkway. The public is invited.

The North Texas Patriot Guard Riders will escort Farris and his family on his final ride from Restland Funeral home to the national cemetery. Members of the community are welcome to join the riders along the route.

*Deborah Fleck*

### PARK CITIES

#### Fundraiser to benefit Alzheimer's Association

HarborChase of the Park Cities, a community of senior residences,

is partnering with the Alzheimer's Association to host a "Go Purple" fundraising event to raise money and awareness. The event will be a cocktail party from 4 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at HarborChase, 5917 Sherry Lane.

The free party is open to the public and will feature music by Mike Perkins, a silent auction, and food including grilled sliders and Thai chicken skewers.

To RSVP, call 469-904-1394.

*Deborah Fleck*

### PROSPER

#### Town has 16 openings on boards, commissions

Prosper encourages residents to volunteer for open seats on the town's boards and commissions. Sixteen positions among the five boards and commissions need to be filled. Boards and commissions advise the Town Council on policy development and administration of services. The deadline to apply is Aug. 3.

Applications can be obtained from the town secretary at Town Hall, 121 W. Broadway St., or electronically at [prospertx.gov](http://prospertx.gov) on the Boards and Commissions page under the Government tab. Applications will be reviewed and all applicants, including incumbents, will be considered for an interview.

A meet and greet reception will be at 5 p.m. Aug. 28 to allow applicants to learn more about board service and interact with council and staff members.

*Deborah Fleck*

### ROCKWALL COUNTY

#### Consultant, burn ban on commissioners' agenda

A consulting agreement for needs assessment services on the Rockwall County jail project will be considered when commissioners meet in regular session at 9 a.m. Tuesday. Commissioners will also consider a 30-day burn ban.

Discussion of planned Tacoma Ranch and Southridge Estates subdivisions is also on the agenda. The meeting will be at the county's Historic Courthouse, 101 E. Rusk St. in Rockwall.

*Ray Leszczynski*

### SOUTHLAKE

#### Police chief promotes sergeant to lieutenant

Police Chief James Brandon promoted Sgt. Jason Henninger to the rank of lieutenant. In that role, he will take over the professional standards supervisory role.

Henninger was promoted on the 20th anniversary of his first day working for the Southlake police. Prior to working for Southlake, he served in the Army, and was stationed in Germany and Fort Hood.

*Deborah Fleck*

## PUBLIC SAFETY BRIEFS

### DEEP ELLUM

#### Man says he was shot at nightclub; owner says no

A man said he was shot at a nightclub in Deep Ellum early Sunday morning, though the club owner disputes his account.

Officers responded to a shooting call around 3:30 a.m. Sunday in the 2300 block of South Buckner Boulevard in Pleasant Grove, but the man said that he had been shot at Trees in Deep Ellum.

He was taken to a hospital for treatment. Details about his condition were not available.

The nightclub owner told KXAS-TV (NBC5) he had spoken with his staff and they told him no shooting took place at Trees early Sunday.

Police didn't say why the man called from a location roughly nine miles from where he said the shooting occurred.

An investigation is ongoing.

*Dana Branham*

### LEWISVILLE

#### Teen killed while breaking into home, police say

The resident of a Lewisville apartment fatally shot a 16-year-old

who broke into the unit early Sunday morning, according to police. A 17-year-old suspect was also wounded.

Officers found the 16-year-old dead of a gunshot wound while responding about 1 a.m. to the apartment in the 200 block of Oak Knoll Circle, Lewisville police Capt. Kendall Lynn said.



**IVORY DEWAYNE TATUM III**

The teen has not been identified, nor have police named the resident.

Another suspect, 17-year-old Ivory Dewayne Tatum III, was found with injuries to his face, police said. He was taken to a hospital

before being booked into the Lewisville jail at 5 a.m.

He remained in jail Sunday

morning facing a charge of burglary of a residence with intent of other felony, records indicate.

*Dana Branham*

### LOVE FIELD

#### Sleeping man injured in drive-by shooting

A 61-year-old man was awakened by gunfire early Sunday when he was shot in the hip in a drive-by shooting in the Love Field area.

Police responded to a shooting call in the 2000 block of Sheridan Street around 1 a.m. Sunday. When officers arrived, the man said he had been asleep when someone drove by his home and opened fire.

Dallas Fire-Rescue took the man to a hospital, police said. Details about his condition were not available.

*Dana Branham*

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### FORT WORTH

## Fast-food robbery cut short by off-duty Dallas cop

#### Officer fires on suspects at Whataburger; 2 injured

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An off-duty Dallas police officer fired at suspects during an attempted robbery Sunday morning at a Whataburger in Fort Worth, police said.

The officer, an 11-year veteran of the Dallas Police Department, was at the Whataburger in the 9500 block of White Settlement Road around 4 a.m. Sunday when he realized the restaurant was being robbed, police said.

The officer, whose name has not been released, fired at the armed men as they stepped into the parking lot, police told the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*. Two were struck by gunfire, police said.

The Dallas officer was not injured, nor were there reports of any other injuries.

A preliminary police report said a man had entered the Whataburger wearing a silver mask and pointed a gun at people.

The Dallas officer worked with Fort Worth police, who took two suspects into custody. They provided medical treatment until the men were taken to a hospital, police said. Both men are in stable condition, police said.

Weapons were recovered at the scene, police said.

Police said a third suspect fled, but they did not provide a description of him or the vehicle.

The suspects, who were not identified, will face charges of aggravated robbery, according to the *Star-Telegram*.

The *Star-Telegram* reported that Fort Worth police would handle the criminal investigation, and Dallas police would conduct a routine internal investigation regarding the officer-involved shooting.

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