
TOWN OF LA JARA NEWSLETTER



Fall Clean-Up

November 3-5 9am to 4pm

Dumpsters are ONLY for leaves, Grass clippings and small branches, no bigger than 4 inches in diameter.

No batteries, tires, appliances, paint, dirt, metal, concrete, house trash or hazardous materials.

Will assist senior citizens who bag their leaves and put out on the curve for maintenance to pick up.

Mental Health

With colder months approaching, it can be more difficult to get out. Loneliness and depression are real and can affect us all. We are asking if you would like a visit, or are aware of any elderly or disabled person who could use a visit, please let us know. Please provide name and address and if possible provide contact phone number. Information can be submitted to Town Hall or contact Trustee Rendon at (719) 642-3395

Thanksgiving help

The Town of La Jara will be donating a limited amount of turkey's to families that are in need within the Town of La Jara. If you know someone in need of a turkey please contact us at (719) 274-5363 and we will do our best to try and help.

IMPORTANT NEWS & UPDATES

- *Paint drop off November 1st from 2pm-6pm at La Jara Town Maintenance Yard (317 Walnut)*
 - The senior center will have an ornaments decorating and tree lighting event November 19. Ornaments decorating will be from 4-6pm and the tree lighting will be at 6:30 following the ornament decoration.
 - Santa Claus will be coming to town December 10th at the Senior Center. More information will be posted on Facebook and in December's newsletter as the days get closer.
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Cold Weather Approaching

With colder weather approaching its time to take extra precautions with all of our fur friends. Make sure to bring them in as the days are getting colder quite quickly. Watch for hypothermia, and always check your engine for cats. Most importantly keep an eye out for antifreeze spills, it is a deadly poison to cats and dogs.

Heater Safety

As the days are getting colder the more we rely on our heater to keep our homes and ourselves warm. Space heaters are one of the known causes to cause a house fire during the colder months. Make sure before leaving the house that your space heater is unplugged.

Space heater safety tips



Plug heater directly into a wall outlet



Keep things that can burn 3 feet away



Shut off when you leave

Safe Travels

With the Holidays approaching we would like to wish everyone safe travels as you are on the road as well as flying to visit friends and family.

Cold Weather Pet Safety Tips

1



Never leave your pet in a car!

A car can act as a refrigerator in the winter, and cause the animal to freeze.

2

Don't let cats outside. They can get lost, be exposed to infectious diseases, freeze, and get injured in the open.



3



Clean antifreeze spills or leaks to help avoid accidental poisoning by this sweet-tasting but very lethal chemical.

4

Wipe your dog's paws, legs and stomach to remove salt and other chemicals that can be harmful if ingested.



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Avoid haircuts in the winter as a fuller coat provides more warmth. A coat or sweater also helps retain heat.

Visit [ASPCAPetInsurance.com/blog](https://www.aspcapetinsurance.com/blog) for more pet safety tips!

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