



Rosenberg Insider

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Which major company has decided to make Rosenberg their new home? *page 3*

The Winner Is...

Rosenberg pets win big for national love your pet day!

February 20th was National Love Your Pet Day and we asked Rosenberg to show off their pets on Facebook for a chance to win a prize pack including donations from Rosenberg PetCo, Woof Gang Dog Bakery, and a pet spa day at Kristy's Pet Salon.

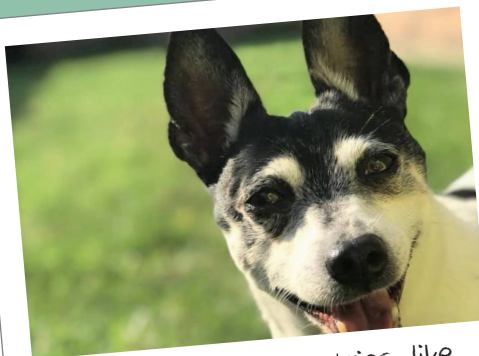
The Pet with the most likes at the end of the contest won the prize, but that's not all. The top 12 entrants will have the opportunity to be featured on a 2020 calendar, the profits from which will be donated to the Rosenberg Animal Control and Shelter to help pay for medications and other needed supplies.

The contest featured a variety of amazing animals ranging from the ever-popular cats and dogs to horses, cows, pigs, fish, birds, and even Jiminy the Cricket. We loved them all, but the winning pet, clocking in at 479 votes is Hootch, owned by Jessica Harris and Jake Trevino.

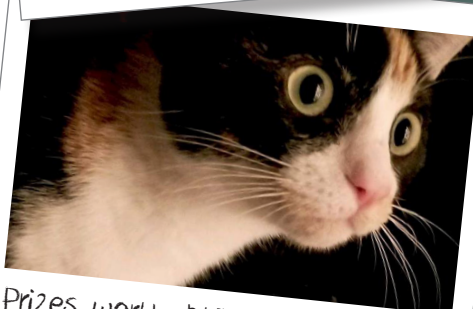
With almost 200 entries, it's clear that pets are family to many of us. If you are looking for a new furry family member, please check out the Rosenberg Animal Control and Shelter. There are so many wonderful, loving pets that are looking for a good home.

Visit the shelter at 1207 Blume Road in Rosenberg, check out Petfinder.com, or call (832) 595-3490.

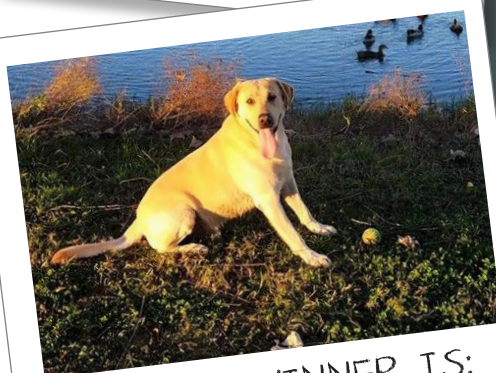
For more information about contests, giveaways, and City news, follow us on Facebook by searching @rbergtx. If social media isn't your thing, visit the City website at rosenbergtx.gov or watch us on Comcast channel 16.



Tons of adorable entries, like Mickey here, owned by Nicole Jones



Prizes worth \$150 from local businesses got Chloe's attention



AND THE WINNER IS: HOOTCH!

APRIL IS ANIMAL Cruelty Prevention MONTH

So many animals are mistreated and abused every day. It's a heartbreaking problem that can be tackled if everyone is willing to do their part. Here are some things you can do to help.



Report animal cruelty to your local shelter or ASPCA. Do not attempt to handle the situation on your own. Photos help build a case.



Adopt, don't shop! Rescuing an animal changes your life and theirs. Be open minded and find someone who needs you today.



Listen to Bob Barker! Spay and neuter your pets. It really does help control the pet population!

Our Government

The City of Rosenberg operates in a Council-Manager form of government in which the City Council sets the policy and overall direction for the City, and appoints a professional City Manager and other key officials to oversee the City's daily operations.

City Council

Mayor: William T. Benton
At Large 1: Jacob E. Balderas
At Large 2: Amanda J. Barta
District 1: Isaac Davila
District 2: Steven M. DeGregorio
District 3: Lisa M. Wallingford
District 4: Richard Olson

City Manager

John Maresh

Meetings

City Council meets regularly in public session the first, third, and fourth Tuesday of each month. Check the website for times, agendas, etc. Council meetings may also be viewed live on Comcast 16 or at: www.rosenbergtx.gov/TV.

City Mission Statement

To anticipate community needs and deliver exceptional service; and to cultivate an enhanced quality of life through leadership, innovation, and cooperative partnerships.

NUMBERS TO KNOW

Animal Control
832.595.3490
Citizen Relations
832.595.3301
Customer Service - Utilities
832.595.3400
Police Dispatch - Non-Emergency
832.595.3700
Republic Services - Solid Waste
713.726.7300



Dollar Tree Investing in Rosenberg Makes Cents

Dollar Tree, Inc. (NASDAQ: DLTR), North America's leading operator of discount variety stores, today announced tentative plans for a new distribution center project in Rosenberg, Fort Bend County, Texas. The Company plans to invest approximately \$130 million, while creating more than 300 new jobs for the Rosenberg and surrounding communities.

The Company's final decision to establish a new distribution facility in Rosenberg is predicated on the formal approvals of the mutually agreed upon packages with the City Council, the Rosenberg Development Corporation, and the Fort Bend County Commissioners Court. Also required are the annexation of the 140-acre site and the creation of the Reinvestment Zones, by the City and County, as well as the successful closing on the purchase of the site.

"Dollar Tree is a large and growing organization," said Gary Philbin, Dollar Tree's President and Chief Executive Officer. "We currently operate more than 1,600 Dollar Tree and Family Dollar stores in the state of Texas and we are excited about our new distribution center project in Fort Bend County. We expect this new, state-of-the-art facility will enhance our supply chain efficiencies and provide convenient access to our network of stores through reduced stem miles, all while creating hundreds of new jobs."

"Rosenberg has positive momentum and we're seeing numerous businesses investing in the City which creates more jobs and revenue," Rosenberg Development Corporation Executive Director Bret Gardella said. "When you have a company like Dollar Tree seeing the opportunity that we offer, it just adds to our strengths and builds on our assets."

"Dollar Tree is a phenomenal company and we are thrilled to welcome them to Rosenberg," said Rosenberg City Manager John Maresh. "This was a project that required coordination at all levels and the joint efforts of the City, Rosenberg Development Corporation and County was excellent. It is great to see yet another company take advantage of Rosenberg's distribution and logistics strengths."

Dollar Tree will invest in the construction of the new 1.2 million-square-foot distribution facility that will provide service directly to Dollar Tree and Family Dollar stores. Construction is planned to commence in the April to May 2019 period, with the facility expected to be operational by summer 2020.

The new distribution facility will be located on Spur 10 near Klosterhoff Road.

The Four Quarters of Dollar Tree:



\$130 million dollar (minimum) investment



100 jobs created by opening day



300 new jobs created



\$15 per hour average plant wages



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Earth Day at SCNP

Earth Day is Monday, April 22, 2019 and we are celebrating nature at Seabourne Creek Nature Park (SCNP) with lots of fun, Earth-friendly activities.

Join the Texas Master Naturalists (TMN) - Coastal Prairie Chapter for Prairie Restoration Planting from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m., followed by a walking tour from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.

Have you taken the time to get to know this amazing park that's right in your backyard? There are tons of amenities, thanks to volunteers from the TMN. Enjoy the bird sanctuary, butterfly garden, arboretum, Seabourne Lake, prairie and habitat gardens, walking trails, or just a day outdoors.

For questions, or to get involved with the TMN - Coastal Prairie Chapter, call: 281-633-7042.



Save the Date for the Easter Egg Hunt!

On your mark, get set, GO! The 2019 Rosenberg Easter Egg Hunt at Seabourne Creek Nature Park (located at 3831 Highway 36 South) will take place on Saturday, April 13, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. until the eggs are gone. Please arrive early and be ready at the start time.

This free BYOB (Bring-Your-Own-Basket) event is for children up to 12 years of age and kicks off with the arrival of the Easter Bunny, who has hidden thousands of plastic, candy and trinket-filled, colored eggs at the park. Many of these eggs were donated, adding a rainbow of color to the green grass.

The egg hunt will be divided into four age groups: babies, children ages 4 and under, 5-8, and 9-12. All EGG-splorers will

search for eggs with others from their age group. Some lucky kids may even find coupons donated by, Another Time Soda Fountain and Cafe, and Ol' Main Street Bakery in their eggs.

In addition to egg-hunting, there will be lots of door prizes, AND the Easter Bunny will hang around for free photos.

"Last year was a great success," Civic Center and Events Manager Carrie Kmiec said. "We had over 10 thousand eggs filled with candy and prizes!"

Don't miss an EGG-cellent time out at Seabourne Creek Nature Park; this free event is a family favorite.

For more information on this event, contact Carrie Kmiec at the Parks and Recreation Department at 832-595-3520.

Image and Beautification Awards Renovation Awards

Robert and Cheryl Duran
Duran's Roofing and Remodeling
1831 Avenue H

Mike Prasla
Rudy's Stop & Shop
3326 Avenue I



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832.595.3301 (ask for Communications)

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Visit www.rosenbergtx.gov to confirm meetings and events, as well as public notices and meeting agendas.

03/05/2019 6:30 p.m.	Rosenberg City Council Meeting	Rosenberg City Hall 2110 4th Street
03/07/2019 11:30 a.m.	City of Rosenberg Mayor's State of the City Address	Rosenberg Civic Center 3825 TX-36 South
03/19/2019 6:30 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting	Rosenberg City Hall 2110 4th Street
03/26/2019 6:30 p.m.	City Council Workshop Meeting	Rosenberg City Hall 2110 4th Street
04/02/2019 6:30 p.m.	Rosenberg City Council Meeting	Rosenberg City Hall 2110 4th Street
04/16/2019 6:30 p.m.	Rosenberg City Council Meeting	Rosenberg City Hall 2110 4th Street
04/23/2019 6:30 p.m.	Rosenberg City Council Workshop Meeting	Rosenberg City Hall 2110 4th Street

