ROUND MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY CENTER 14340 ROUND MOUNTAIN ROAD P.O. BOX 1037 LEANDER, TEXAS 78641

NEWSLETTER

On January 19, 1900, Mr. & Mrs. J.A. Faubion gave the community of Round Mountain a tract of land to be used as a community center. The building presently on this tract of land was built and used as a public school until it was consolidated with Leander I.S.D.. This property is managed by a Board of Trustees as designated in the original deed and later by court order. This property is for the use of all the community. The present Board of Trustees started holding monthly town meetings to try to inform the residents of Sandy Creek, Great Oaks, Honeycomb Hills, Leander Hills, and other subdivisions in the area of the benefits and availability of their community center.

Out of these meetings have come good fellowship with our neighbors and good ideas for improving the grounds and building of the Community Center and Round Mountain Community.

We have started clearing some of the overgrown brush and trash from the grounds. When the grounds are cleared we plan on making a playground for our children, a jogging track and a picnic area.

The children really enjoyed the Easter Egg Hunt at the Community Center. This is an example of the countless good times we can have at our center if we can simply clean up and maintain the gift that was given to us 87 years ago. This center belongs to all of us. It is available for Senior citizen activities, boy and girl scouts, art classes, family reunions, weddings, picnics, and etc. To request use of the center contact a member of the Activities Committee: Mrs. Johnson 259 2335

Mrs. Winkley 259 0874 Mrs. Rowlett 259 0991

We have a Neighborhood Watch Program started. Thanks to the many who made donations, we were able to purchase the Neighborhood Watch signs and have them installed. To combat crime in our area, we will need more street monitors and block captains and everyone to watch for illegal activity and report it to your block captain or the sheriff's dept. The next project is "Operation Identification". Engravers will be available to put your mark on your valuables. Further information on these projects will be forthcoming.

Saturday, May 30th, is community cleanup day. The county will have two dumpsters and a crusher at the corner of Round Mountain Road and Nameless Road. The crusher can crush items as large as old water heaters and refrigerators. Bring items that the disposal companies will not haul off in your weekly trash pickup. Do NOT bring pieces of lumber over 4 feet long, tree stumps, or automobile parts. So do that spring cleaning and pick up that trash on that vacant lot next door and bring it to the dumpsters. With neighbor helping neighbor we can clean up our community and our part of Texas.

The following are some of the things needed to restore the center to comfortable use;

Water meter installed
Water lines to building
Water fountain
Restrooms: lavatories, commodes, plumbing
Vapor lights installed for night activities and security
Building rewired
White paint to repaint building
Building checked for termites
Grounds cleared and mowed
Fence across front of property so the children can play safely
Playground equipment
Picnic tables
Folding tables and chairs for 42 games and etc.

If you can build a table, handle a paint brush or volunteer your skills on any of the above items please call us. If you would rather make a donation for materials: send it to:

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Together we can build as nice a recreation spot as any others.

We hope to see you at the next town meeting, May 21, 1987 at 7:30 p.m. at the Community Center.

If you have any ideas concerning the Community Center, we would like to hear them. If you cannot attend the meeting please send them to us at the address in the letterhead.