

# Jersey Village Star

### CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT WELCOME!

City government depends on residents who volunteer their time and expertise to participate in public service as members of boards and commissions. Boards and commissions fulfill an important role by evaluating issues, which affect our community, and making recommendations to the Council for needed action. Although most boards and commissions are advisory in nature, a few are decision-making entities. The value of these bodies is a direct reflection of the interest and dedication of our citizens in making Jersey Village a better place to live. City Council encourages you to apply for appointment to any board or commission in which you may be interested.

Council will consider appointments to most boards and commissions at its September Council Meeting. If you are interested, please complete an application. If you currently have an application on file, please contact the City Secretary to confirm your interest in serving with the City. Only new or confirmed applications will be considered. To view an online application, visit the City of Jersey Village's website at [www.jerseyvillagetx.com/page/citysec.home](http://www.jerseyvillagetx.com/page/citysec.home) or contact Lorri Coody, the City Secretary at 713-466-2102. ★

#### Statistics for July 2023 JV Police Department

Homicide/Manslaughter	0
Sexual Assault	0
Robbery	1
Aggravated Assault	6
Burglary	0
Larceny	12
Motor Vehicle Theft	6
Family Violence	8
D.W.I.	2
Total Arrests	29
Traffic Stops	915
Total Accidents	41
Total Calls for Service	633

#### JV Fire Department

Motor Vehicle Accidents	26
Motor Vehicle Accidents w/Injury	9
Motor Vehicle Pedestrian Accident	1
Building Fires	1
Auto Fires	0
Other Fires	2
Rescue/EMS Incidents	67
Hazardous Conditions	2
Good Intent Calls	11
Service Calls	14
Smoke or Odor Calls	2
False Alarms/Cancelled Enroute	14
Covid 19 Calls	1
Total Calls	150
Total Ambulance Transports	40



Emergency Call	911
Main Number	713.466.2100
City Manager	713.466.2109
City Secretary	713.466.2102
Fire Department	713.466.2130
Police Department	713.466.2123
Permits	713.466.2110
Public Works	713.466.2133
Code Enforcement & Animal Control	713.466.2129
Water Billing	713.466.2111
Municipal Court	713.466.2124
Golf Course	713.896.0900
City Pool	832.467.1032
Parks & Rec	713.466.2174
JV Star	713.466.2102

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## Jersey Village Police Department

Submitted by: Kirk Riggs, Chief of Police



**Commendations:** During the July 17, 2023, city council meeting, three officers were presented with awards for their outstanding contributions to the City of Jersey Village.

Officer Shelby Skero was presented with the American Legion Post 324 Officer of the 2nd Quarter Award for her outstanding performance in the line of duty.

On Friday, June 23, 2023, during the incident involving a stolen vehicle near the intersection of Jones Road and Village Green Drive. Her swift actions, judicious observations, and effective coordination with other members of the platoon resulted in the successful apprehension of a suspect.

Upon arriving at the scene, she located the stolen vehicle parked in front of the Harbor Freight store, despite the suspects' attempt to flee. She quickly assessed the situation realizing that a subject had likely been dropped off and was still inside the store, potentially engaged in criminal activities.

Collaborating with the detectives, she confirmed the presence of a suspect in the store at the time the stolen vehicle departed. Her commitment to the pursuit of justice was evident as she, the JVPD Drone aka (The Pink Flamingo), and the detectives began the search for the suspect. Utilizing surveillance video footage, she tracked the suspect's movements throughout the plaza, diligently monitoring his attempts to contact the occupants of the stolen vehicle. Her efforts to gather information from the Houston Police Department regarding the suspect's previous evasion of arrest during another theft earlier in the day demonstrated her thoroughness in

building a comprehensive case and arrest.

Officers Guzman and Garcia both received the department's Life Saving Award for their actions during a CPR in-progress call.

On Wednesday, April 26, 2023, Officers Guzman and Garcia responded to a residence in the 16000 block of Acapulco Drive, in reference to a man down in the front yard. Officer Guzman arrived on scene first and found the male lying unconscious, not breathing, face down on the grass. Officer Guzman immediately requested EMS to respond and began performing CPR. Hearing the call for EMS over the radio, Officer Garcia arrived and assisted with chest compressions. They continued to try, and get a pulse while he was still unconscious and not breathing. When EMS arrived, they applied the LUCAS CPR device on the patient and were able to bring him back to life. The patient maintained a pulse and adequate blood pressure throughout transport by Jersey Village Fire Department to a local hospital. Captain Kevin Sullivan of the Jersey Village Fire Department advised that if it were not for the officers efforts the patient would not have made it to the hospital live.

These officers are receiving the Departmental Life Saving Award for their quick actions that prolonged the life of an individual. Their actions are a true testament to the noble profession they chose, bringing favorable recognition to the Jersey Village Police Department and themselves.

These are just a few of the most recent examples of the exceptional job our officers do every day to protect our wonderful and supportive community! ★



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## Jersey Village Fire Department Santa Program Christmas 2023

On September 30, 2023, at 9 am, residents of Jersey Village will have an opportunity to sign-up for the Jersey Village Santa visits. This will be an on-line sign up link through Sign-Up Genius. Visit [www.jerseyvillagetx.com/page/Santa](http://www.jerseyvillagetx.com/page/Santa). The link to sign-up will be posted on that page. There will be plenty of time to see the link. You should not need an account with sign-up genius to sign-up. Just pay attention to the link and make sure once the link is posted it will connect to the website. This link is posted and will go live at 9:00 am on September 30th. There will NOT be an in-person sign-up or phone sign-up. The only way to sign-up will be on-line through the link. Sign-up only one time and we will be in touch with you at a later date to confirm. At that time, we will also determine if you will need one or two slots depending on the amount of children Santa will visit. Once all the days are filled, we will change our website to reflect that all slots have been filled and the remaining persons not contacted will be on a wait list. If your name appears on the list more than once, we will remove the additional listings. The dates for Santa Visits will be December 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17. Friday times are 6pm-9pm. Saturday and Sunday times are 5pm-9pm. Please have a couple of dates in mind. If you have any questions, please email [mbitz@jerseyvillagetx.com](mailto:mbitz@jerseyvillagetx.com) or call 713-466-2143 and leave a message for a return call. ★

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## Receive the JV Star By Email Only

If you would like to receive the Jersey Village Star via email only, please let us know by visiting our website at <https://www.jerseyvillagetx.com/page/city.news>. Go to the bottom of the page and complete the form. This is an ecofriendly way to stay in touch with the goings on in the City.



## Jersey Meadow Golf Club News

Golf course closed on September 12th and 26th for golf course maintenance day. Holiday rates will be charged on Labor Day - September 4th.

JV Resident Golf Specials

September 5th – Round of golf for \$20 + tax after 2 pm

September 9th – 10% off

merchandise (non-sale items)

September 21st – Medium Range

Bucket for \$5+

### **LOL Classes (Ladies Only Lessons)**

\$30 for one hour clinic. Free rental clubs for use during the lesson.

Monday, Sept. 11th – 6pm –

Putting

Saturday, Sept. 16th – 4pm –

Full Swing

Monday, Sept 18th – 6:30 pm –

On Course (limited to 5 spaces)

previous experience required

### **Junior Membership 2023-2024 -**

(ages 6 to 17) \$325 September 1, 2023– May 31, 2024 -

\$300 June 1, 2024 – August 31, 2024

### **Green Fees**

- Free Monday – Thursday only.
- Fridays, weekends and holidays are excluded.
- Juniors ride free with a paid parent round of golf.

**Driving Range** - Unlimited range balls per day for member every day

### **Merchandise Specials:**

Back to School Scotty Cameron Sale: 15% off Scotty Cameron Putter PLUS free Premium Titleist Dozen golf balls of your choice. {Pro V1/Pro V1X/Left Dash} ★

### **Tip of the Month – Repeat Tip!!**

Y'all know it was record setting heat in August and I'm sure it is going to continue in September. I'm happy to say we have had no real heat related emergencies and I'm sure it is because EVERYONE IS BEING SAFE! We have increased our water stations on the course and have the beverage cart out more hours. Stay hydrated every hole. If you are drinking alcohol remember to drink even more water. Alcohol dehydrates you in a hurry – so practice what we preach in the pro shop... drink a beer – drink a water, drink a water -- drink a beer!!! Be Safe Y'all!

**Good Luck - Happy Golfing**

**Matt Jones**





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## JERSEY VILLAGE COMMUNITY NEWS

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### ATTENTION: New Retirees, Empty Nesters, and 55+ Residents of Jersey Village.

Are you interested in catching up with friends or making new ones? Then JVSO is for you! The intent of Jersey Village Senior Outreach (JVSO) is to keep our residents active and connected through ongoing social, health, and education programs, as well as volunteer member support to promote and maintain independence. For more information see our website at [jvso.org](http://jvso.org) or call 832-680-5158.

**WALK LIKE MADD Family Friendly Community Event** - The event will be held Saturday, September 23rd, 9 am-noon hosted at Champion Forest Baptist Church Jersey Village. Come out and enjoy live music, food, Kid and Teen Scene, Doggie Den, and more! Also featuring a "Touch A Truck" event throughout our First Responders Row with games, prizes, and education featuring firefighter vehicles, life flight helicopters, rescue vehicles, canine heroes, mounted patrol, etc. from all over Southeast Texas. For more information and to register for this event visit [www.walklikemadd.org](http://www.walklikemadd.org) or call 281-590-2222 Ext 4814. ★

