



# EULESS TODAY



Dear Citizens,  
Happy Holidays!  
December offers a multitude of opportunities where families spend time together while appreciating

the true meaning of the season.

We kick off December with our annual Parade of Lights. Family, friends and volunteers gather together to watch Santa and Mrs. Claus and all the wonderfully decorated cars and floats participate in a Patriotic Christmas theme.

Santa will be at the Texas Star for breakfast the next weekend and then the Heritage Park the same afternoon for an old fashioned Christmas.

The Library has arranged for Pete the Cat author Eric Litwin to perform. This will be a fun performance for all ages. They are also continuing the "Write Night" monthly series that will focus on Christmas cards.

We really appreciate our volunteers and the hours they give to make our community so great. As the calendar year comes to a close, we encourage you to nominate a volunteer for their outstanding talents given to our city during 2013.

Together we are Building a Better Tomorrow and Remembering our Heritage.

## The Euleless City Council

- Mary Lib Saleh *Mayor*
- Tim Stinnford *Place 1*
- Leon Hogg *Mayor Pro Tem*
- Linda Martin *Place 2*
- Linda Eilenfeldt *Place 3*
- Glenn Porterfield *Place 4*
- Perry Bynum *Place 5*
- Place 6*

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### HEB Chamber Awards Euleless Mayor Highest Honor

At the chamber's annual awards gala, Euleless Mayor Mary Lib Saleh received the highest honor the Hurst-Euleless-Bedford Chamber of Commerce bestows. The Clyde Mooney Award, named for the first Chairman of the HEB Chamber, honors a person who has shown "exceptional leadership in our region and recognizes service to the chamber of commerce and to the community."

Mayor Saleh received this award for her strong leadership and because she is a champion of public art, historical preservation, health and education. She has spent years improving the quality of life not only in Euleless, but for the entire HEB community.

In support of education, she formed the Women in Government organization for Tarrant County elected women, and directed the formation of the Mayor's Roundtable as a branch of the Northeast Leadership Forum. She serves on a number of local boards that address healthcare, business, and



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transportation, such as the Mayor's Council of Tarrant County, Northeast Leadership Forum, Texas High Speed Rail and Transportation Corporation, and Texas Health Resources as well as the HEB Chamber of Commerce and the Tarrant Regional Transportation Coalition.

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## Council Member Eilenfeldt Honored

Eules Council Member Linda Eilenfeldt has been awarded the Citizens Hero Award by the Airpower Foundation, the nation's longest serving military charity. Each year, recipients of the Congressional Medal of Honor reach out across the nation to find unsung citizen heroes. The recipients demonstrate the traits embodied in the Medal of Honor; courage, sacrifice, selflessness and patriotism. Eilenfeldt received this award for her work with 6 Stones and all of the programs it supports including the Community Garden, Community Powered Revitalization and Night of Wonder. She received this award at the 11th annual American Airlines Skyball.



## Our Volunteers Rock!

We know it, you know it, now let's show it. Please assist us in recognizing outstanding volunteer service in Eules by nominating a Volunteer, Business and Youth of the Year for volunteer service during 2013. You may nominate online by visiting [www.eulesstx.gov/VOY](http://www.eulesstx.gov/VOY). Nominations are due by Friday, Jan. 24, 2014. For more information, please contact Betsy Deck at (817) 685-1821 or via email at [bdeck@eulesstx.gov](mailto:bdeck@eulesstx.gov).

## Holiday Solid Waste Schedule

During both the Christmas and New Year holidays, normal Thursday trash and recycling collection will shift to Friday. Friday service will shift to Saturday. Please contact Allied Waste Services at 817-332-7301 or Community Waste Disposal at 972-392-9300 with questions.

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>23</b> MONDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/THURSDAY GARBAGE	<b>24</b> TUESDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/FRIDAY GARBAGE	<b>25</b> SOLID WASTE WILL NOT BE PICKED UP	<b>26</b> THURSDAY PICK UP WILL SHIFT TO FRIDAY	<b>27</b> THURSDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/THURSDAY GARBAGE	<b>28</b> FRIDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/FRIDAY GARBAGE
<b>30</b> MONDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/THURSDAY GARBAGE	<b>31</b> TUESDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/FRIDAY GARBAGE	<b>1</b> SOLID WASTE WILL NOT BE PICKED UP	<b>2</b> THURSDAY PICK UP WILL SHIFT TO FRIDAY	<b>3</b> THURSDAY RECYCLING WITH MONDAY/THURSDAY GARBAGE	<b>4</b> FRIDAY RECYCLING WITH TUESDAY/FRIDAY GARBAGE



## Holiday Closures

### Recreation Center Temporary Closure

Dec. 21 - Jan. 1

The racquetball and basketball courts at the Recreation Center will be resurfaced during the Christmas Holidays. The hardwood courts will be closed from December 21 through January 1. The upstairs track will be closed Dec. 21 – 25. The Fitness Center will not be affected and will remain open except for the typical Christmas and New Year’s Holiday schedule.

All City Facilities will be closed on Dec. 24 & 25 and Jan. 1

Library – close at 5 p.m. on Dec. 23 and at 5 p.m. on Dec. 31

Fitness Center – close at 6 p.m. on Dec. 23 and Dec. 31

Senior Center – closed Dec. 13



# FUN FAMILY EVENTS



## Christmas Parade of Lights "A Patriotic Christmas"

Saturday, Dec. 7, 6:30 p.m.

The parade begins at 6:30 p.m. at Midway Dr. and Fuller-Wiser Road.

It will travel west on Midway and end at Trinity High School.

Experience the excitement of the season at our beautiful Christmas Parade of Lights while helping us celebrate and thank our Service Men and Women for protecting our freedom. Even Santa Claus won't miss this year's spectacular display of moving lights. Organizations of all kinds may enter floats for free in the best parade in Texas. For more information or to receive a float application, call Jerry Potet at 817-685-1449 or visit [www.eulesstx.gov/pacs](http://www.eulesstx.gov/pacs). All participants are asked to attend a safety meeting on Monday, November 18, at the Eules Family Life Senior Center.



## Write Night: Family Christmas Cards

Monday, Dec. 9, 6-7:30 p.m.

Eules Library, 201 N. Ector Dr.

Please join us for the next installment in the creative writing series. This month will be all about the ritual of writing of Christmas Cards to family members. The focus will remind participants of their heritage and traditions of the past.



## Breakfast with Santa

Saturday, Dec. 14, 9-11 a.m.

Texas Star Conference Centre

1400 Texas Star Parkway

Santa is stopping in at Texas Star to enjoy a delicious breakfast with you and your family. Along with breakfast with Santa, local elves will have fun crafts for children of all ages. Bring your camera for a picture with Santa. Reservations are recommended due to limited seating. For more information or to make reservations email [mmorton@eulesstx.gov](mailto:mmorton@eulesstx.gov) or call 817-685-1845.

**Reservations made by Dec. 11:** Adults - \$10, children up to 10 years old - \$8, under 2 years old free.

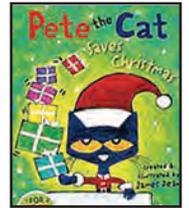
**Walk-in:** Adults - \$12, children up to 10 years old - \$10, Under 2 years old - free.

## A Groovy Show by Pete the Cat author Eric Litwin

Saturday, Dec. 14, 10:30 a.m.

Eules Library, 201 N. Ector Dr.

Pete the Cat will Save Christmas at this interactive performance. Pete author Eric Litwin will entertain audiences of all ages with this dynamic concert. Get ready to sing, dance, laugh and fall in love with books. He sings, plays the guitar and harmonica, shares musical stories and brings books to life. Groove with us after the show and make Christmas tree ornaments in the youth department.



## Historic Heritage Park Christmas Celebration

Saturday, Dec. 14, 1-5 p.m.

Historic Heritage Park, 203 Cullum Dr.

Celebrate an old fashioned Christmas at Historic Heritage Park. Members of the Eules Historical Preservation Committee will conduct guided tours of the 160 year-old Himes Log House, McCormick Barn and the Fuller House—all decorated for the holiday season. Visit our brand new Eules Heritage Museum at the Ruth Millican Center and learn about Eules history. You can listen to local choirs sing your Christmas favorites, visit our petting zoo and enjoy great arts and crafts. Kids can visit with Santa Claus and make their own Christmas ornaments. And we'll have free refreshments for everyone! Holiday cheer and Eules history wrapped up in one great afternoon! Call 817-685-1666 for more information.



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## *Icefest Holiday Ice Show*

*Saturday, Dec. 14, 2-6 p.m.*

*Dr Pepper StarCenter, 1400 S. Pipeline*

This is fun for the whole family! The Holiday Ice Show will star two-time US National Champion Ashley Cain and Junior National Medalist Elena Taylor. There will also be a very special visit from Santa Claus on skates.

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| 2:30-3 p.m.    | Public Skating for all |
| 3-3:30 p.m.    | Skate with Santa       |
| 4-4:45 p.m.    | Holiday Ice Show       |
| 4:45-5:45 p.m. | Skate with the Cast    |



## *Flutasia Holiday Performance*

*Monday, Dec. 16, 7 p.m.*

*Eules Library, 201 N. Ector Dr.*

Jazz up your holiday with Flutasia in front of the Blooms of Enlightenment glass sculpture. You'll be astounded at the variety of shapes and sizes of flutes as well as the talent of this group. Soothe your soul with jazzy holiday tunes.



# SENIORS

817-685-1671

[www.eulesstx.gov/seniors](http://www.eulesstx.gov/seniors)

## *December Special Events*

Senior Center special events are for Eules Family Life Senior Center members.

You must be over the age of 60 to become a member.

Lunch is now served at 11:30 a.m. daily. Meals cost \$3 and must be ordered and paid for two days in advance.

Refunds will not be given. Please check with the front desk for details.

6	*Christmas Bingo	\$10 new wrapped gift	10 a.m.
	*Christmas Potluck (meat provided)		11:30 a.m.
13	<i>Closed for City Employee Luncheon</i>		
16	*Dining Out		5 p.m.
18	*Mystery Lunch	\$10 - \$20	12:30 p.m.
23	*Soup & Salad	\$2	11:20 a.m.
24-25	<i>Closed for Holiday</i>		
26	*Pizza & Salad Lunch	\$2	11:20 a.m.
27	*All U can Eat Pancake Breakfast	\$2	9 a.m.
30	*Soup & Sandwich	\$2	11:20 a.m.
31	*New Years Celebration	\$2	11:20 a.m.

*Black-eyed peas, cornbread, chicken soup, mock champagne & entertainment*

*\*Registration is required for these activities! Don't wait to register at the last minute. If we do not have enough to make the class or event, we may have to cancel. Some activities have limited space available as well.*

*Sign up today for the activities you are interested in. You may miss out if you wait too long!*



## DECEMBER CLASSES

*Eules Family Life Center, 300 W. Midway Dr.*

*For complete descriptions, visit [www.eulesstx.gov/eflc](http://www.eulesstx.gov/eflc) or on Facebook "Eules Parks & Community Services."*

**EFLC HOURS: M-TH: 5:30 a.m. - 9 p.m. ♦ FRI: 5:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. ♦ SAT: 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. ♦ SUN: 1 - 6 p.m.**

### CHILD DEVELOPMENT

<u>CLASS#</u>	<u>BEG</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>#WKS/\$</u>	
Fun Time for Learners	110002-04	12/2	3-5	M/W	9am-1pm	3/\$102
Terrific Tuesday & Thursday	110003-04	12/3	3-5	T/TH	9am-1pm	3/\$102
Fun Fridays for Preschoolers	110010-04	12/6	3-5	F	9am-1pm	3/\$52
Just 4 Flips Gymnastics Pre-K	110210-07	12/2	3-5	M	5-5:45pm	3/\$40
Just 4 Flips Cheerleading	110215-04	12/2	3-7	M	7-7:45pm	3/\$40
Morning Zumbatomic	110355-04	12/3	4-7	T/TH	9-10am	3/\$38

### YOUTH/TEEN ACTIVITIES

<u>CLASS#</u>	<u>BEG</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>#WKS/\$</u>	
You Can Paint Youth	110815-04	12/19	5-13	TH	4-5:30pm	1/\$22
Just 4 Flips Gymnastics	110220-04	12/2	6-9	M	6-6:45pm	3/\$40
Zumbatomic	110316-04	12/2	7-12	M/W	7-8pm	2/\$22
Young Spartans Boot Camp	110510-04	11/27	8-12	W	6-7pm	4/\$22

### ADULT ACTIVITIES

<u>CLASS#</u>	<u>BEG</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>#WKS/\$</u>	
Boot Camp Cardio	110315-04	12/2	13+	M/TH	6-6:45pm	3/\$27
Zumba	110300-04	12/2	13+	M/W	7-8pm	3/\$32
Morning Zumba	110400-04	12/2	13+	MWF	6-7am	3/\$38
You Can Oil Paint	110810-04	12/19	14+	TH	6-9pm	1/\$37
Power Yoga	110571-04	11/30	15+	S	8:30-9:30am	4/\$42
Boot Camp	110350-04	12/3	16+	T/TH/F	5:45-6:45am	3/\$52 (3 days) \$32 (2 days)
Hatha Yoga	110330-04	12/3	16+	T/TH	7-9pm	3/\$42
Pilates Fitness	110320-04	12/2	16+	M/W	6-7pm	2/\$22
Zumba Toning	110325-04	12/2	16+	M/W	5-6pm	2/\$22
Tai Chi Beginners	110305-04	11/26	18+	T	6-7pm	4/\$40
Tai Chi Advanced	110306-04	11/26	18+	T	7-8pm	4/\$40
Financial Planning	111002-03	12/5	18+	TH	10-11am	1/FREE
Social Security Questions	111004-04	12/17	18+	T	10-11am	1/FREE

### DR PEPPER STARCENTER

<u>CLASS#</u>	<u>BEG</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>#WKS/\$</u>	
Tot Ice Skating	111161-04	12/7	3-4	S	11:15-11:45am	2/\$30
Skate Like a Star	111162-07	12/3	5-13	T	6:45-7:15pm	2/\$30
Skate Like a Star	111162-08	12/7	5-13	S	11:15-11:45am	2/\$30
Adult Ice Skating	111165-04	12/3	14+	T	6:45-7:15pm	2/\$30
Winter Break Camp	111111-01	12/23	6-12	M,TH,F	7:30am-6pm	1/\$60
Winter Break Camp	111111-02	12/30	6-12	M,TH,F	7:30am-6pm	1/\$60

### SIMMONS ACTIVITY CENTER

<u>CLASS#</u>	<u>BEG</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>#WKS/\$</u>	
Hapkido	110133-04	12/2	13+	M	7:30-9pm	3/\$20
Urban Boot Camp	110340-04	11/25	16+	M/W	5:30-6:30am	4/\$57
				S	7:30-8:30am	

**1400 S. Pipeline, 76040, 817-267-4233**

**508 Simmons Dr., 76040**