

# NRH

## PARK BOARD UPDATE

May 3, 2019

**NRH Audience enjoyed the free “Cliburn in the Community” Concert**—On Wednesday May 1, NRH Parks and Recreation teamed up with The Cliburn to present a free concert with Leonardo Pierdomenico in the Grand Hall. Over 150 were in attendance in the audience to hear this extraordinary musician perform a one hour program with Q&A session after enjoyed by the audience.

Leonardo Pierdomenico is the winner of the Raymond E. Buck Jury Discretionary Award at the 2017 Van Cliburn International Piano Competition. The 26-year-old Italian pianist Leonardo Pierdomenico won the 2011 Premio Venezia piano competition in Venice and was a semifinalist at the 2016 Queen Elisabeth Competition in Brussels. He has performed with many prominent orchestras and has played solo recitals in Belgium, France, Germany, Netherlands, and in the major venues of Italy.



**2019 Sounds of Spring Continues with Swingtown Orchestra and the Vinyl Stripes**—The Sounds of Spring concert series will continue the 2109 Season at the NRH City Hall Plaza, located at 4301 City Point Drive, on Friday, May 3 and Friday, May 10. This Friday, the audience will enjoy Swingtown Orchestra followed on May 10 with the Vinyl Stripes.



Food is available for purchase from gourmet food trucks and the ever-popular Kids Zone with free games and crafts on site at each concert. This season, the Kids Zone will be hosted and feature Parks and

Recreation Divisions along with Community Services facilities. Gates open at 6 p.m. and the shows starts at 7 p.m. We look forward to seeing you each Friday. More information [here](#).

### **2019 NRH Super Hero Un-Run 0.5K benefiting Children's Literacy at the NRH Library Saturday**

The NRH Library, in partnership with NRH Parks and Recreation, will host the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Super Hero Un-Run 0.5K, a fun un-run benefiting Children's Literacy through the Friends of the NRH Library. The Super family-friendly event will be held on **Saturday, May 4 at 9:00 a.m.** at the NRH Library, 9015 Grand Ave. This unique "Un-Run" is only a 0.5K so everyone can be a hero for 1 lap! Participants are encouraged to wear their Super Hero gear and bring their Super Hero attitude. Immediately following your Super Hero lap (even if you have to stop in the middle for a donut) stay and enjoy the NRH Library's Free Comic Book Day. Register Here: <http://bit.ly/2Ct6oKk>. Thank you to our Super Hero Sponsors: City of NRH, Alamo Draffhouse NRH, NRH2O, and Generation X Comics and Games.



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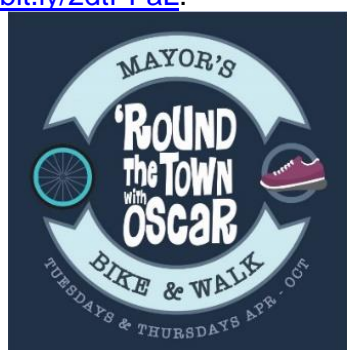
### **Richland Tennis Center**—RTC will be the host site for the USTA Ladies Playoffs

Friday-Sunday, May 17-19. Approximately 125 ladies will be participating. RTC will host a UTR tournament the weekend of May 25-26. RTC will be closed on Monday, May 27, in observance of Memorial Day. RTC will also be the host site for the USTA Men's Playoffs May 31-June 2. Approximately 100 men will be participating.

**NRH<sub>2</sub>O Countdown to Opening Day**—NRH<sub>2</sub>O is excited to start the 2019 season off hosting over 20,000 elementary choirs, middle school bands, and middle school orchestras beginning May 2 and then opening to the general public on May 4. The seasonal staff are now fully trained and excited to see the park in operation mode. We hope to see you all out this summer at North Texas' favorite family waterpark. May the 4<sup>th</sup> be with you!



**Mayor's Monthly Bike Rides and Monthly 1 mile Walks Continue in May**—Whether you are on foot or on wheels, Mayor Oscar Trevino invites people of all ages and abilities to join him on a series of informal monthly bike rides and 1 mile walks within our beautiful NRH trails and neighborhoods. During April through October, we hope you, along with your friends and family, will join the Mayor on the path to fun and fitness. It is a great opportunity to get outdoors, meet new people, be active and ride through NRH! Info at: <http://bit.ly/2dtPFaL>.



Monthly Bike Rides	Monthly Walks
Tuesdays	Saturday
APR 2 6:00PM	APR 6 9:00AM
MAY 7 6:00 PM	Thursdays
JUN 4 6:30 PM	MAY 9 6:15 PM
JUL 2 6:30 PM	JUN 6 6:15 PM
AUG 6 6:30 PM	JUL 11 6:15 PM
SEP 3 6:30 PM	AUG 8 6:15 PM
OCT 8 6:00 PM	SEP 5 6:15 PM
	OCT 10 6:15 PM

Location Info:  
[nrhtx.com/RoundtheTown](http://nrhtx.com/RoundtheTown)



**NRH Centre Celebrates 7 Years with Anniversary Specials**—The NRH Centre 7<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Specials are available April 2019. Specials to include a 10% off discount on all paid-in-full memberships, a 6-month membership special including group fitness classes as well as a discount bundle card that will allow the member to take advantage of a 15% discount on personal training, massage therapy, health coaching, adult/youth programming and kids club punch passes. Each discount bundle card will be valid through December 31, 2019.



**Camp NRH Parent Meeting Wednesday May 15**— The Camp NRH Parent meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 15 at the NRH Senior Center. The meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. This meeting is recommended for parents however not mandatory. Updates to the Camp NRH Parent Guide and policies and procedures will be covered. This meeting is for parents however kids can attend. The meeting will cover: General policies and procedures, check-in/Check-out, Field Trips, Camp Activities, Youth Program Standards of Care and more!

**NRH Senior Center Welcomes new full time Senior Center Program Coordinator** – After Julie Adkins was promoted to Senior Center Supervisor, the full time Senior Center Program Coordinator position was posted in early February. After a lengthy search, we are pleased to welcome Ms. Tracy Evans to the NRH Parks and Recreation Team. Monday, May 6, Ms. Tracy Evans will join the NRH Parks and Recreation team as the NRH Senior Center Program Coordinator. Tracy is coming to NRH after serving the Farmers Branch Senior Center over the last few years. Tracy is excited to get started and we are very excited to welcome her. The Senior Center will host an informal welcome reception for Tracy on Thursday, May 9 at 2:30 p.m. at the NRH Senior Center.

Hope this is of interest and useful to you.

Vickie Loftice, Managing Director