



The Elmhurst Express

Elmhurst Place Apartments
130 Elmhurst, San Antonio, TX 78209

October 2011

National Night Out

Date: Tuesday, October 4

Time: 6PM to 8PM

Place: Elmhurst Apartments, Front Lawn

Pizza, cake, sodas, music, neighbors, fun!
Meet Officer Ayala from the San Antonio
Police Department as we celebrate
community and raise safety awareness!

**If the summer months were too hot and your electric bill is still
past due, consider calling the following agencies for financial
assistance:**

Agape Ministry Emergency Assistance Program
Electric Service Payment Assistance
127 Lanark
San Antonio, TX 78218
(210) 590-6655

Bexar County Department of Community Resources Main Office
Electric Service Payment Assistance
233 N. Pecos, Suite 590
San Antonio, TX 78207
(210) 335-6770

Happy
Halloween!



Resident Services at this
property are provided by:



HOUSING TEXAS

212 West Laurel
San Antonio, TX, 78212
Ph: 210/281-0234
Fax: 210/281-0238
www.mercedhousingtexas.org

Office Information:
Christine Hernandez,
Community Manager
Phone: 210/930-6466

**For More Resident Services
Information:**
Please contact Luis Santos at
210/281-0234

Merced's Military Minute



This section of our newsletter provides information about services especially available to our military residents and their families. For more information on these and other resources, please contact Elisa Beckmann, Resident Services Coordinator for Merced Housing Texas at Costa Mirada Apartments 210/923-1692.

Operation Homefront

Assistance is available to military families in coping with deployment and injury recovery as they struggle with devastating budget issues. We provide emergency financial assistance to service members and their families as they take corrective action to resolve their financial situations.

For more information, call 210/659-8039.

Operation Homefront may help with:

- Shelter, rent, mortgage, utilities, temporary lodging
- Vehicle expenses, car payments, car insurance, registration (only when it is the family's only means of transportation)
- Airfare to transport a family member to assist a military family during illness or for childbirth
- Childcare during illness or surgery
- Personal Property Taxes
- Emergency dental expenses
- Critical baby items
- Other emergency financial needs

Poetry Slam: Stand. Speak. Listen.

Date: Saturday, November 5

Time: 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Where: Fort Sam Houston, Stanley Road, Building 2797

Cost: FREE

Share your poetry or listen to your fellow servicemen and women. There will be free food and a DJ. The poetry competition prizes are: \$100 for first place, \$75 for second place, and \$50 for third place. Adults only, no children under 18. Call 210/221-2055 to register or for more information.

Free Child Car Seats for Qualifying Military Families

Call 210/221-0349 to schedule an appointment at the Children's Clinic. At the appointment, your child's measurements will be taken to help provide you with the most appropriate car seat for your child.

Veteran Justice Outreach Program

Veterans who are self medicating may become legally compromised. If you are a veteran and have a misdemeanor pending, call 210/533-2577. Ask about the special support you can receive to help access treatment.