



The Whispering Willow

Artisan at Willow Springs, 535 Gemblar Road, San Antonio Texas

FEBRUARY 2018

Dear Residents,

I hope you all have a wonderful Valentine's Day, and get to celebrate with your friends and loved ones!

Don't forget, the San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo will be coming to town in February at the AT&T center. Make sure you don't miss the Trail Riders passing by on Gemblar Road!

DeeAnn Guajardo
Resident Services Coordinator



ARTISAN HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Date: Friday, February 9 and 23
Time: 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM
Place: Community Room

Sheila Smith will teach us holistic healing, involving the mind, body, soul, spirit, and emotions through yoga, dancing, and other fun activities! We will meet every other Friday.

WEEKLY FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Date: Mondays, Excluding Holidays
Time: 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM
Place: Activity Room



We will have produce, bread, dairy and more for you and your family on a first come, first served basis. Make sure to bring your carts, bags or boxes to carry your items in! You will be required to fill out a short intake form on your first visit.

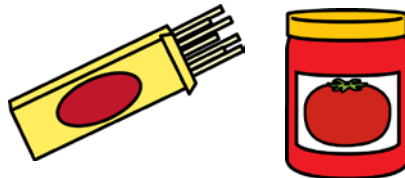
RESIDENT APPRECIATION DAY

Date: Friday, February 16
Time: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Place: Leasing Office Foyer

We want to thank you for being such wonderful residents! We will have cupcakes and coffee in the lobby for you to enjoy. We hope to see everyone there!

CSFP (CHEESE BOX)

Date: Friday, February 9
Time: 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM
Place: Activity Room



This program is every 2nd Friday. You must bring your ID, and if someone is picking up your box for you, they must be listed as a proxy and bring their ID. For questions or to sign up, contact DeeAnn.

RESIDENT SERVICES HOURS

DeeAnn Guajardo
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday,
Friday

9:30 AM - 5:30 PM

Wednesday

10:30 AM - 5:30 PM

Phone: 210/212-4116

DeeAnn@mercedhousingtexas.org

BUDGETING AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION CLASS

Date: Wednesday, February 28
Time: 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Place: Business Center



This is a free class to help you build your financial stability! Contact management for details about waiving late fees you may owe after attending the class.

Resident services at this community provided by:



Merced Housing Texas
212 W Laurel St.
San Antonio, TX 78212
210/281-0234

www.MercedHousingTexas.org



MERCED'S MILITARY MINUTE

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This section of our newsletter provides information about services available specifically for our military residents and their families. For more assistance or information, contact your leasing office and/or the Resident Services Coordinator.



CHOICE CAREER FAIR

Date: Thursday, February 1
Time: 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Place: Norris Conference Center
618 NW Loop 410 #207



There will be hiring decision-makers present at this event, so get ready to apply for a variety of exciting positions! Make sure to dress professionally and bring plenty of resumes. Register for this free event at <https://choicecareerfairs.com/e/san-antonio-career-fair-february-1-2018>.

NETWORKING JOB CLUB

Date: Mondays
Time: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Place: Workforce Solutions – Walzem
4615 Walzem Road, Room 1

This support and development group can help veterans with their resume creation and revision, interview skills, mock interviews, career assessments and more.

For more information on services and how to get assistance, visit

<http://www.milcityusa.com/calendar.html> or call 210/822-7640 to speak with a career advisor

CALL A RIDE 4 VETS

This free service is for veterans, their family, caregivers and surviving spouses. Rides are available Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Call 210/362-5254 to schedule an appointment 7 – 10 days in advance.

24/7 VETERAN'S CRISIS LINE

Call 800/273-8255 and press 1

Or text to 838255

GREENPATH FINANCIAL COUNSELING

Greenpath Financial Wellness is a non-profit organization dedicated to financial counseling and education for military families. They are funded by the Texas Veteran's Commission and work solely with military members, veterans and their families.

They offer many services, including:

- Credit and debt counseling
- Bankruptcy education and counseling
- Personalized budget counseling
- Housing delinquency counseling

For a full list of services they offer, and for other helpful information, visit their website at greenpath.org. Once you connect with a representative, they create an account for you, so any representative can pick up where you left off in getting assistance.

You can chat online or call 800/550-1961. There are also two San Antonio locations if you'd like to speak with someone in person:

Balcones Heights Location
4243 Piedras Drive East, Suite 270