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VISTA OAKS OWNERS ASSOCIATION

May – June Edition



**We need a volunteer to step up and take over the bi-monthly newsletter.
If interested please contact Steve Sindere at: sinders@swbell.net**

PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

Frank Berard

Well everyone, Happy Spring!! I have to say it has been one interesting year already. There has been much accomplished and much left to do. Accolades go out to Scott Jacobs and his many helpers on the newly revitalized Social Committee, and their incredibly successful Easter Egg Hunt. The turn out was remarkable and the organization fabulous. We would like to make this an annual event. Just remember, it takes the help of many volunteers to make a successful event. If you haven't yet given back to the community by gifting time or talent, I urge you to find a committee you like and contact the board to hook up.

As you can see, things are starting to green up around the neighborhood. TruGreen has started hitting their stride and is working on developing a game plan to replace dead trees and shrubbery that did not do so well in the drought of last year. Additionally, there is now a larger pump in the well house off Vista Isle Dr. This alone should pay dividends for us when the hot summer begins to bear down our foliage. The sprinkler system has been checked, and repairs are underway for those heads, valves or connections that need work or adjustment.

Another item that you, or a majority of you, have been waiting a few years for now becomes a reality in a few short weeks. The new improved playscape is on order and will be delivered the first week or so in June. Preparation for the new system will begin on Memorial weekend. Kudos goes out to Ted Laws for the hard fought battle and for spear heading the Pool and Recreation Committee. Ted has worked feverishly to make this playscape a reality for all of us, even though his own children are a bit beyond the playscape age. For those of you that are unfamiliar with the saga, new

betterment of all the children in the neighborhood.

Let me stop you right now. There are those of you who are reading this and saying, 'Gee, that's nice, but I don't have children. What's in it for me?' First, that's a pretty selfish attitude to take, but I don't blame you for thinking it. Remember, we are all part of the VOOA. What appears to benefit a few actually benefits all. The quality of life improves and our property values stay high, not to mention the resale value isn't hurt by a quality property. In short, be proud of the progress we make, and if you respectfully disagree get involved.

As you can see by the title of this little section these are my thoughts, and as such may not be organized in any particularly flowing fashion. There is much planned for the remaining year and we will make every attempt to keep you informed. I have to say thanks to Steve Sindere alias Web Guy. He works tirelessly to keep the web site current and allow us in Vista Oaks to stay tuned in. So when you see him in the local grocery store or around the neighborhood tell him thanks. The print version of this newsletter is compliments of Chris Hartsfield, another resident who has decided to give back to us. Unfortunately, this may be Chris's last copy. Thanks Chris for all you have done over the years. Who will be the next to step up and give back time and talent?

Welcome Italians

The Italian Cultural Association of Greater Austin welcomes Vista Oaks residents of Italian descent.

For information contact Linda or Bob Calvisi at 244-6808 or E-mail Linda at lfcaustin@aol.com.

equipment was a choice. Yes that's right a choice. We were required to upgrade the grounds to accommodate those that fall under Federal law for disabilities. Since it was necessary to remove the equipment to become compliant we chose to upgrade the equipment for the

Announcing...an exciting new Party Plan Company!



You are invited!

I am launching my new business as a consultant for Southern Living at Home.

I will be offering shows where you, as a hostess, can earn free and half-priced merchandise. Both shows will feature some of the gardening, kitchen, and home decor products for sale in the catalog, and a sampling of a recipe or two out of a Southern Living Cookbook. Please join me and let me introduce my neighbors to these great products and growing company!

Thursday "Open House"

June 14th @ 7 p.m. and

Friday "Morning Coffee"

June 15th @ 9 a.m.

Children welcome! Bring a friend!

Amanda Gerhart 3979 Shaker Lane

388.1168

AtHomeAmanda@austin.rr.com

You know, as Ron Marsh would say, "This is a great neighborhood!" Ron stopped me the other day when on one of his routine patrols in the neighborhood. For those of you who haven't met Ron, he is our onsite security and a Williamson County deputy. Consequently, he is privy to many reports from all over the area. He wanted to let me know that our neighborhood is one of the safest around. It is a tribute to our pride of ownership and commitment to maintaining the quality of life in VOOA. But, we can do more. It started Tuesday May 15th, at the church next door, when a grass roots effort to develop a neighborhood watch was born; just another way to give back, and keep our community safe. Thanks to Richard Powell for making it happen, and thanks to Judy Heyman, for getting the developers to drop by and take questions and give us additional info on what's going on around

the helm last year, the property in front of the recreation center may not have been deeded over to us. Your Board works for you and for the betterment of VOOA. Wait, that's the common misconception. The board does not get paid for devoting their time energy and talents to this group. We serve because it is the right thing to do. We make decisions that will benefit everyone as a whole. We take time away from family, some times to the wee hours of the morning, struggling with how best to serve. I look forward to seeing some of you at the next meeting in June {Please bring some refreshments. We get hungry.} See you around the block, Frank Berard

us. Judy spear headed the meeting and is instrumental on gathering info that concerns us all. Thanks Judy.

I'd be remiss if I didn't mention the fine work of our past presidents and current board members, Ben Bennett and Joe Murray. Joe made it happen at the well house. Without Joe to oversee the project, we may not have had enough water pressure to run the sprinklers in the front of the subdivision.

Without Ben at

SECURITY REPORT

Sgt. Ron Marsh

Hello, to all residents of Vista Oaks.

The crime in Vista Oaks is at a low rate, and if we can all work together the rate will stay low. I have had several calls from residents, and I hope to hear from more of you. I enjoy talking to you all and hope that I can be of some help to you and your neighborhood. Many of the residents have complaints about parking, boats in driveways and other complaints of minor problems. These problems can be fixed to a point, but I just want to say that these are minor problems compared to other neighborhoods in the area. We are very fortunate that all we have to complain about are small problems and not spray paint on fences and burglaries in homes and vehicles. I hope you all have a great month. Please stop me if you have any questions while I'm in Vista Oaks. If you have a question or comment about crime in Vista Oaks, contact me at 238-2118. I will call you back as soon as possible. Don't forget to leave a number where you can be reached during the day.

Sgt. Ron Marsh

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Scott Jacobs

The social committee is currently ramping up for the 4th of July Party which is our next big event. We plan to make this a full day affair with the annual parade and activities to follow at the pool. Plans will include games for all ages as well as a moon bounce and other surprises. We plan to cook hamburgers and hotdogs and have residents bring side dishes. More information will follow in the coming month, as we get closer to the big event. Just as a reminder, please remember that it is against the Vista Oaks rules to shoot fire works. Please contact Scott Jacobs if you would like to participate in the planning of this big event.

AREA DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Judy Heyman

As we all know, Williamson County is experiencing incredible growth, and we are fortunate to have elected officials with foresight. They are charging ahead securing land for future park sites and a hike and bike trail.

On May 1st of this year, I attended a meeting in Georgetown as a representative of Vista Oaks so that our views will be considered in the comprehensive park plan. The largest park site consists of 700+ acres and is located just to the north of us.

This first of several meetings was to give everyone there an overview, concentrating on why we need a comprehensive parks plan. The job of the consulting firm, Sebesta and Associates, is to establish what we have now, an inventory of properties. Is it adequate? What do we need? Where should it go? How will we pay for, build and maintain it?

This is a critical time for Williamson County to look at the open space available and plan for the future. Having an approved plan allows us to earn additional points and qualifies the county for additional monetary grants. The consulting firm has just completed a large random telephone survey as one of the means of getting resident input.

These meetings I attend as part of precinct three park planning committee, is another means used by the consulting firm. Public input is really important to the consulting firm.

Hello and Welcome New Neighbors

Leighton & Michelle Batey	4405 Summercrest Loop
Charles & Bindi Butler	4307 Rock Hill Road
Donald Derouen	3917 Kristencreek Lane
Steven Dooley	3762 Newland Drive
Jan-Mark Featherston	3730 Newland Drive
Brian & Kelly Hall	4025 Galena Hills Drive
Brian Calbeck & Lisa Hall	4409 S. Summercrest Loop
Thomas Hugonnett	3749 Newland Drive
Mark & Sheila McHargue	4413 Hunters lodge Drive
Roni & Shawn Nichols	4316 Indian Oaks
William & Lucia Ohnemus	3725 Laurel Bay Loop
Samuel & Ginger Ross	3613 Laurel Bay Loop
Ryan & Tarina Williams	4403 S. Summercrest Loop

Commissioner Hays of precinct three did say that the southwest corner of Mayfield/Nelson tract, just north of us, would be the first section to be developed. It will contain ball fields that will cost \$3.5 million dollars. This area is in the design stage now and should be completed in two years.

Our concern is access to the fields. I was told that widening of County Road 175 (Sam Bass Road) would take place prior to the field being put into use. There will also be another access road from somewhere on the Leander side of the park.

A few of the other ideas for the area are:

- 1 An executive golf course
- 2 Equestrian trails
- 3 A large tract left for open space

Check the web site and the newsletter for future updates on this subject.

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

Steve Sindors

This past month I was reminded of a story that I was told in middle school. It stuck with me and I would like to

share it with you. This is a story about four people: Everybody, Somebody, Anybody, and Nobody.

There was an important job to be done and Everybody was asked to do it. Everybody was sure Somebody would do it.

Anybody could

have done it, but Nobody did it.

Somebody got angry with that because it was Everybody's job.

Everybody thought Anybody could do it, but Nobody realized that Everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when actually Nobody asked Anybody.

This is a funny story and yet it makes a very good point. All too often we want to join a team or even lead on a project, but we think someone else is doing the task at hand. Please join a committee. We would like your help.

Regarding our website, I am pleased to announce that we set an all time high last month. We recorded over 5700 visits to our website. Wow! It seems like yesterday I was at the February Board meeting announcing to everyone that we had just passed 3400.

COVENANT CONTROL COMMITTEE

Scott Jacobs

As a reminder to all residents, you must submit an Architectural Improvement Form for all exterior home improvements including storage buildings, landscaping, sprinkler systems, patios, decks and fences. The form can be found on the Vista Oaks Web site at www.vistaoaks.org or you can contact Plateau Property Management. All improvements are

reviewed on a monthly basis during the first full week of the month.

Below are a few reminders of items that residents receive violation letters for:

- Trashcans that are visible from the street on non-pickup days
- Basketball goals that face the street or that are left in cul-de-sacs
- Yards that are not well maintained
- Disable cars on the street (cars may not be parked more than 24 hours on the street)
- Boats that are visible from the street or that are parked in a driveway more than 24 hours (boats, trailers etc. may not be parked on the street at any time except for construction trailers)
- Residents with company vehicles with logos displayed parked in driveways or on the street (must be parked in your garage)
- Barking dogs and pets not on leashes
- Parking in the driveway and blocking the sidewalk

We appreciate everyone in Vista Oaks adhering to the covenants and making this a great place to live. If you experience one of the problems listed above or any other deed restrictions and cannot work it out with your neighbor or don't feel comfortable discussing the problem, please contact Plateau Property Management for assistance.

Monthly Board of Directors Meeting Tuesday, May 1, 2001

President Frank Berard called the meeting to order at 6:40 p.m. Board members present: Steve Sinderson, Richard Powell, and Scott Jacobs. Absent Bennett and Murray.

Covenants Control Committee:

Richard reported that a resident contacted him for installation of one tree on their property. The manager notified the board of Williamson. County's concerns regarding plant material (trees) in the right of way (between & the curb). The manager is to research the covenants regarding the fencing of rear lots. Is it required?

Status of the Restrictive Covenants – The attorney opinion letter was discussed referencing the number of residents required to change the documents. Is the developer still able to control the vote?

Resident Comments:
Sang Moon - No real concerns. Heard rumor that there is a McDonald's going into the development on 1431 & Sam Bass. (See report page 2)

Judy Heyman - Serving as the development liaison and is attending a meeting at this time. She will report to the board at a later time and information will be posted on the web.

Home Delivery	
Pizza Hut (Cedar Park)	259-4444
Mr. Gatti's Pizza	459-2222
Peking Palace	255-6952
Take Out Taxi	494-1500

Frank Berard - Commented that the association has no control over the development but Cedar Park seems to be working toward a neighborhood friendly development regarding lighting, access, etc. The commercial property on the corner of 1431 & Sam Bass still belongs to the developer.

Questions:
Can tall trees be planted in this area to serve as a buffer? The

association has no idea what the plans are for this area. Williamson County will widen Sam Bass at some point. The traffic signal to be placed at Vista Hills & 1431 should help with the traffic issues.

What about the brick wall – will it be made higher? There are no plans at this time. This has been researched. The extension of the existing wall is not an issue at this point.

Who is responsible for the maintenance of the trash and the grass growth in this area? Williamson County.

Security:
Ron Marsh – (Report attached to minutes) – 24 calls for April: 9 alarm, 5 suspicious activity, 3 welfare, 1 burglary, 1 burglary of vehicle, 2 criminal mischief, 1 theft, 1 minor accident and 1 family disturbance. Very quiet month.

Wilshire Homes reported vandalism and trespassing on their property and damage to homes. Officer Marsh asked to add something to his report regarding this problem.

Question – will Ron change his hours after school is out? He will usually get to the site around 5:30 p.m.

Communications Committee:
Newsletter: Chris and Steve looking into making revisions to the newsletter. Are there any volunteers to replace Chris yet? The deadline is 5/12 or 5/13.

Directory:
Directories have been distributed. Extra copies to be distributed by Plateau Property Management Company. Copies are included in the new owners books.

Web site:
Activity increased from 3,000 in January to 5,031 in April. Some of the issues on the message board can be included in the president's comments.

The eastside/westside issue is not really an issue. This is one subdivision. The amenities are for all property owners.

The commercial property along Sam Bass still belongs to the developer. No commitment has been made to the Association.

Comments:

Richard Powell - additional funds into existing amenities.

Scott – express to the developer the association’s interest in acquiring the property along Sam Bass.

Ted Laws asked to draft a letter (formal request) to the developer requesting consideration.

Richard – the commercial lot at 1431 & Royal Vista is a concern. What would development of this property do to the neighborhood?

Scott – continue to request for improvements to the area.

Social Committee:

Scott Jacobs: Easter egg hunt – great turnout (160 kids attended). Photos are on the web site. Next event is the July 4th Parade. Committee will contact Fire Department. A grand opening for the playscape.

Recreation:

Ted Laws: Total Recreation will confirm delivery date with Ted. Existing playscape to be removed around 5/25.

Gibb Wentworth to provide some labor. Volunteers are needed. Existing playscape to be stored until a new location is determined. Ted has polled some of the residents on the westside near the greenbelt.

Can more of the greenbelt be cleared to place the playscape out further? The cost to reinstall the playscape would be about \$2300. Add a 2-swing set and the existing playscape. The facility

needs some touch up painting. Get a committee of volunteers to paint the facility. The wooden archways need to be stained. Set a date and time for the “work day”. Ted to install barrier fencing around the playscape during removal – signs to be posted.

Landscape:

Frank Berard: Ted to remove the Mesquite tree on Galena Hills and Royal Vista. TruGreen will provide a proposal for tree removal and

Yard Work	
Tony Almeida	238-0971
Brian Blanchette	671-3531
Jason Darnell	218-1509
Honri Dicks	310-2093
Jonathan James	388-7343
Justin New (references)	388-1230
Evan North	310-0962

replacement. The pump is installed. Watch the pump to see how things progress. According to TruGreen, the pressure is fine. Scott – recommendation – Concentrate on Royal Vista. Possibly have a resident workday to install plants, etc., the developer to be contacted for grading and installing plant material along 1431.

**PLEASE REMEMBER
FIREWORKS
PROHIBITED
WITHIN
VISTA OAKS
NEIGHBORHOOD**

MUD signs need to be replaced. Rosalyn will contact the MUD.

Financial: Reports reviewed. Letter to be mailed along with the 3rd qtr. Assessments (increase to \$85/qtr.)

Secretary’s Report:

March minutes reviewed. A motion was made by Scott Jacobs and second by Richard Powell to accept the minutes as read. Motion carried. 1 abstention. April Minutes reviewed. A motion was made by Scott Jacobs and second by Richard Powell. Motion carried. 1 abstention.

Development Committee:

Judy Heyman: Has contacted David Singleton & Blake Magee for development meeting 5/15, 7:00 p.m. Sgt. Hutchinson of Williamson County will make a presentation on Crime Watch. The church has been reserved. Notification via flier, signs to be

posted. Update information posted on the web. Childcare to be provided.

Update:

Overview – Williamson County has completed their random phone call program to

Calling all Vista Oaks kids starting Kindergarten in Fall 2001! We are organizing a “play-day” on Friday, July 27, 2001 from 10:00 a.m. till noon. We want to make this a special day for the kids to get to know each other before school starts! Parents are welcome to drop off Kindergartners or to stay. You need to bring a sack lunch and a white t-shirt. We plan to make a T-shirt for the kids to wear to the Kindergarten Roundup the next day, if they want to.

Please R.S.V.P. to Shannon @ 246-7818, Anita @ 733-2490 or Jennifer @ 388-5352 so we can make sure to have enough supplies. Look for more details and the exact location posted at the mailboxes.

surrounding residents. Sports improvements to be installed in the 700-acre park. Judy to provide a report summary for the web site and newsletter. Sam Bass to be widened before the development begins. Recreational facilities will be added. Telephone survey information will be made available to VO residents.

New Business:
Discuss the plans for playscape equipment relocation.

Lifeguards to come on duty 5/24 (Noon) until Labor Day. Motion made by Richard Powell and second by Steve Sindere. Motion carried unanimously.

Use of the facilities: Currently no formal criteria documented for use of the recreation area.

APPROVED LOT IMPROVEMENTS:
4304 Indian Oaks Playscape
4421 Hunters Lodge Sprinkler System

4449 Hunters Lodge Patio expansion w/cover
4425 S. Summercrest Lp. Patio approved Cover denied
4329 Rock Hill Rd. Storage Bldg.
3717 Laurel Bay Lp
Swimming pool, fencing, shed, sprinkler system
3923 Grayling Lane.
Swimming pool
3908 Newland Dr. Fence relocation
4241 Kingsburg Dr. Patio Cover
3605 Galena Hills Lp.
Swimming pool
4016 Witte Cove Wood Deck
3508 Flora Vista Lp.
Sprinkler systems

With no further business to discuss the meeting was adjourned at 9:35 p.m.

POOL & RECREATION COMMITTEE
Frank Berard and Ted Laws
This pool and recreation

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committee has centered around the new playscape the only news to report is that the lifeguards will start on May 24th. Additionally, information on swim lessons is now posted. See last page.

We are organizing a painting and spruce up day for the recreation center in the near future. We are coordinating with the installation of

Pet Sitters

Brian Blanchette 671-3531	Mark Blancken 246-6945	Kendra Bowerman 388-5960
Cheryl Darnell 218-1509	Jason Darnell 218-1509	Todd Darnell 218-1509
Amanda Gutmann 255-6838	Sarah Hanrahan 388-7781	Jonathan James 388-7343
Kyle Maze 218-9226	Stacie Maze 218-9226	April North 310-0962
Evan North 310-0962	Kristen North 310-0962	Rochelle Peterson 218-1276
Anthony Sotillo 388-3500	Walter Sotillo, Jr. 388-3500	Chelsea Stern 388-6328
Sara Jane Stewart 246-8667	Christopher Thompson 341-0516	Jonathan Thompson 341-0516

the new playscape, watch for details on the web.

LANDSCAPE COMMITTEE

Frank Berard
We have just received bids on replacing some of the trees and shrubs at the ends on the streets, in the circles and some recommended locations. We will be looking at cost versus the return to determine what will best our budget. More later.

2001 Officers and Board Members

President	Frank Berard
V. President	Richard Powell
Secretary	Joe Murray
Treasurer	Ben Bennett
Member at Lg.	Steve Sindere
Property Mgr	Rosalyn Peterson
VOOA Committee Chairpersons	
Pool & Rec.	Ted Laws
Newsletter	Chris Hartsfield
Directory	Jan Ames

Helpful Numbers:

Sheriff's Department	943-1300
SGT Ron Marsh	238-2118
Round Rock Hospital	341-1000
Round Rock Post Office	255-3516
Eco Resources MUD # 9	335-7580
Time Warner Cable	485-5555
Pedernales Electric	331-8883
Round Rock Refuse	331-8883
Plateau Property Mgt.	441-1041
rp@plateaupropertymgmt.com	

For more information regarding advertising, please visit our website at www.vistaoaks.org. Chris Hartsfield produces the VOOA newsletter bimonthly.

Babysitters		Vista Oaks Playgroups. Playgroups meet on Wednesday and Friday from 10:30 to 12:30. All residents with children birth through Pre-K are invited to attend either playgroup that meets their schedule
Antonia Addo	246-0940	
Mark Blancken(CPR)	246-6945	
Kendra Bowerman	388-5960	
Tiffani Breslin (CPR)	255-4041	
Honri Dicks	310-2093	
Amanda Gutmann (CPR)	255-6838	Wednesday
Sarah Hanrahan (CPR)	388-7781	6/6 Leigh Anne Reichow 733-1102
Jennifer Kohlin	733-1731	6/13 Cheryl Hester 310-8896
Rachel Lynn	310-8757	6/20 Lori Cook 238-8021
Donna Martin (after school only)	238-7963	6/27 Natalie Anderson 671-3982
Jenna Nichols	244-1449	7/4 No Play group 4th of July
Jessica Padgett (CPR, Red Cross)	341-7544	7/11 Pam Hamilton 246-8899
Shannon Parsells (Red Cross)	671-3297	7/18 Shannon Douthitt 246-7818
Ashley Peterson (CPR)	310-8582	7/25 Heidi Finch 733-6448
Heather Peterson (CPR)	310-8582	8/1 Windi Catchpool 388-7035
Michelle Peterson (CPR)	310-8582	8/8 Sue Erfurth 341-0606
Rochelle Peterson	218-1276	Friday
Amanda Sindors	244-1019	5/25 Memorial Day-no playgroup
Chelsea Stern	388-6328	6/1 Tina Little 238-6545
Sara Jane Stewart (CPR)	246-8667	6/8 Jan Ames 238-6653
Kristina Thompson (CPR)	341-0516	6/15 Leslie Alger 310-7716
Tiffany Thompson (CPR)	341-0516	6/22 Heidi Finch 733-6448
		6/29 Vista Oaks Pool-Kitty Kress-snacks
		7/6 Lynda Burton 671-3011
		7/13 Pam Hamilton 246-8899
		7/20 Shelley Asbury 218-0997
		7/27 Vista Oaks Pool-Lisa Nowka-snacks

VISTA OAKS LEARN TO SWIM PROGRAM by Clearwater Mgt. 331-7066

Cost \$35.00 per Person Signup May 26, at the Pool

Swimming lessons For Ages 3 to Adult Student Teacher Ratio 1:5
8-25minute lessons Lesson Skill levels Available Qualified Instructors
Monday – Thursday sessions (Friday used as makeup day if necessary.)
MINIMUM of three (3) students per class.

-TOT BEGINNER (private only) -BEGINNER -INTERMEDIATE -ADVANCED BEGINNER
Private Lessons \$15.00 per half hour.

SESSION I	JUNE 4 – JUNE 15 (M-TH)	10:30 – 11:00AM
SESSION II	JUNE 18 – JUNE 29 (M-TH)	11:15 – 11:45AM
SESSION III	JUNE 9 – JULY 19 (M-TH)	Evenings 6:00-6:30pm

-----Detach and Return-----

Swim Lesson Registration (Note: Instructors will evaluate the student's skills and may move to another level class. We reserve the right to eliminate or combine class times if there are not enough students signed up to fill a class at a particular time.)

Students Name: _____ Age: _____ Phone: _____

Class Level: _____ Session: _____ Time: _____

Existing Swimming Skill: Beginner _____ Intermediate _____ Advanced _____

NEWS FROM: Meals on Wheels and More
2222 Rosewood Avenue, Austin, TX 78702

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

WANT TO FEEL BETTER? VOLUNTEER!

If you're down in the dumps, or even not down in the dumps, but just want to get more out of life, try being a volunteer for Meals on Wheels and More.

This Austin group has been cooking and bringing hot, nutritious meals to the homebound elderly and disabled throughout the city for nearly 30 years. Last year, for example, its 3,000 volunteers delivered more than 460,000 meals, many to people for whom it is the only meal of their day. They deliver from 13 strategically located distribution centers all over Austin.

The organization needs more volunteers right now. It takes about one hour once a week to be a Meals on Wheels volunteer (many volunteers do it on their lunch hours), so there's no reason to not do it. Making that kind of a difference in someone else's life will make a difference in yours and you really will feel better, no matter how good you feel now!

If you're interested, call them at 476-MEAL (476-6325) or just come in for volunteer training any Thursday from 12:15 to 1:15 p.m. Meals on Wheels and More is at 2222 Rosewood Avenue (at the corner of Chestnut Street) in East Austin.

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Ross McNabb
Age 14
3545 Flora Vista Loop
246-2345

On behalf of all of the VOOA members,
Thank you Eric Phillips for all of your
hard work and the above and beyond
things you do for us. We appreciate your
assistance with our directories and
newsletters.

**BASKETBALL CAMP IN VISTA
OAKS!**

Looking for something **INEXPENSIVE**
for your children to do this summer?
Let a middle school basketball player
help them improve their basketball
skills
at the Vista Oaks court.

Ross McNabb, 14, was a member of the
eighth-grade
"A" team at Running Brushy Middle
School.

He will show your kids the proper
technique and ways to have fun!

June 4-8
10-noon, ages 6 and up
\$20
246-2345

Other dates and times available upon
request.