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ARLINGTON & AREA BRIEFS

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Warrant roundup to begin Sunday

GRAND PRAIRIE -- People with outstanding warrants in Grand Prairie have until 5 p.m. Saturday to pay their fines or risk being arrested during a weeklong warrant roundup that begins Sunday. Grand Prairie Municipal Court will be open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday to accommodate those who wish to pay traffic fines. The Municipal Court, 200 W. Main St., accepts cash, checks or money orders, and Visa and MasterCard payments if they are made in person. Telephone payments can be made with Visa and MasterCard only at 972-237-8600. Fines can be paid in full or through a payment plan. Authorities representing 46 agencies may participate in the roundup. A list of outstanding warrants is available at www.gptx.org/MunicipalCourt. Information: 972-237-8665.

-- Mitch Mitchell

Colleyville has first case of West Nile

COLLEYVILLE -- The first human case of West Nile virus in Colleyville has been confirmed by Tarrant County Public Health officials. The case occurred in the Woodland Hills subdivision. Older people and those with compromised immune systems are at the greatest risk for developing the severe form of the disease. But most people infected with the virus develop mild symptoms such as a slight fever and muscles aches lasting for a few days. Area residents are encouraged to practice prevention and protection by staying indoors at dusk and dawn, dressing in long sleeves and pants when outside, using insect repellent that contains DEET and draining standing water.

-- Jan Jarvis

Children's car seat inspections offered

ARLINGTON -- The Junior League of Arlington and Harris Methodist Hospitals will host a child car seat safety inspection from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday at the League's Center for

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Community Service, 4002 W. Pioneer Parkway. The event is free and open to the public. Certified car seat technicians will be on hand to assess car seat installation and demonstrate proper techniques.

-- Traci Shurley

ONLINE EXTRAS**Shopping News****Front Page (PDF)****Past articles****Traffic****Weather****Yellow Pages****Maps & Directions****Newsletters****Family Day set at museum of art**

ARLINGTON -- The Arlington Museum of Art will host the second annual Target Fall Family Day at the AMA from 1 to 4 p.m. Sept. 30. The event includes theater, dance, arts and crafts and special guests. The event is free and open to the public. No registration is required. Door prizes and face painting will also be available. Information:

www.arlingtonmuseum.org.

-- Heather Ann White

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ARLINGTON -- The Subway sandwich shop at 407 W. Abram St. will host its grand reopening today. In celebration of its renovation, the store will sell all cold, 6-inch sandwiches for 99 cents from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Information: 817-795-5800.

-- Heather Ann White

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Arlington council OKs tax, budget

ARLINGTON -- The City Council on Thursday unanimously approved the first reading of the fiscal 2007 budget and tax rate. The budget includes:

A property tax rate of 64.8 cents per \$100 of assessed value, the same as this year

Total spending of \$344.34 million

Four additional firefighters at a cost of about \$305,000 per year

29 additional police officers

Five new code enforcement officers

-- Sally Claunch

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