



City of Laredo - CM Nelly Vielma, District V

Presents:

Christmas Spirit

Home Decorating Contest



Registration & Deadline: Applications can be picked up starting Monday, November 19, 2018

Hillside Recreation Center - 320 Wyoming or On-line at the City of Laredo website & must be turned into the Hillside Recreation Center site by Friday, December 14, 2018:

Before 9:00 PM. ONLY RESIDENTS FROM DISTRICT V MAY PARTICIPATE

Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd Place.

It will consist of Gift Cards or Gift Baskets

Homes will be judged on December 17 & 18, of 2018

Winners will be announced on Wednesday, December 19, 2018.

Please call the Recreation Centers' Main Office at 956-729-4600 or

Hillside Recreation Center at 956-795-3045

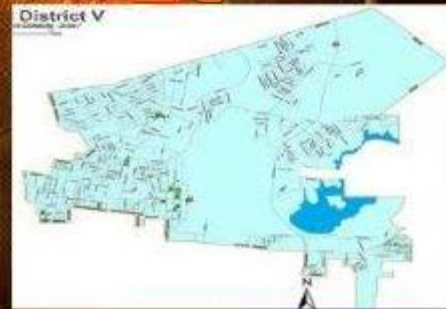
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Decorate Your Home With The Best Christmas Spirit & Win!

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RULES & INSTRUCTIONS

The 1st Annual Laredo District V - Holiday Home Decorating Contest will be held this season with the following dates:

- Entry Application Period: Monday, 11/19/18 through Friday, 12/14/18
- Judging Period: Monday, 12/17/18, Tuesday, 12/18/18 and Wednesday, 12/19/18
- Winners will be Announced: Thursday, 12/20/2018

Please read these rules and instructions and if you have any questions contact Laredo Parks and Recreation at (956) 795-2350. Entry applications are available at City Hall, Blas Castaneda Recreation Center or on-line. Please submit your completed application at Blas Castaneda Recreation Center to receive your entry number.

1. Participation is open to all residents within the boundaries of City of Laredo District V.
2. Entry is free, no cost or fees apply.
3. Employees of the City of Laredo are not eligible to participate.
4. Entry Applications must be received no later than 9 p.m. at Hillside Recreation Center on Friday, December 14, 2018.
5. Contest is for exterior decorations only, including decorations in windows that are visible from the exterior. Judging will be done from outside the residence only.
6. Judging will be based on "curb appeal" as viewed from the street only. Therefore only those decorations located on the street side of the property will be judged (corner lots will be judged from both streets). Judges will not enter the property to view back or side yards.
7. Participants agree to have one or more photos of their decorated residence exterior posted on the City of Laredo Website and CM Nelly Vielma's Facebook and/or published in the local newspaper or media. Participant agrees there will be no compensation of any kind for said posting or publication.
8. Judging criteria will include [a] Unique design and creative use of lights and decorations; [b] Storyline or theme; [c] Display and placement of decorations, animated objects, etc.; and [d] Overall presentation.
9. Judging will be done from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Monday, 12/17/18, Tuesday, 12/18/18 and Wednesday, 12/19/18. All judging will be completed no later than 10:00 p.m. on 12/19/18.
10. Participants should ensure that all lights, animations and decorations are in place and activated for the judging period night.
11. An Entry Number Card will be provided to each participant. This card must be affixed to the exterior of the residence in a conspicuous place where it can be seen by the judges from the street.
12. Prizes will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd winners.
13. Winners will be announced on Thursday, December 20, 2018 at their residence.
14. Be creative, be festive, have fun!



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Sponsored by:
**Council Member Nelly Vielma
and City of Laredo Parks & Leisure Services**

Entry Information:

- Entries must be submitted to Hillside Recreation Center, 320 Wyoming, by 9:00 pm, December 14, 2018.
- Open to all residential houses located in District V.
- Judging will take place December 17 & 18, 2018 from 6pm—9 pm.
- Awards will be given out to the top three winners who display the most Christmas Spirit. Winners will be announced on Wednesday, December 19, 2018.

Please Print Clearly!!

Name: _____

Address: _____ Apt. # _____ (Needs to be visible from street)

Daytime Tel. # _____ Evening Tel. # _____

E-mail address: _____

**Submit entry form to:
Hillside Recreation Center
320 Wyoming
Laredo, TX 78041**

Entries must be received NO later than 9:00 pm, December 14, 2018.