

Sherwood Forest News

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Grand Old Flag

The SFCA has placed banners saluting our country at the main entrances to the subdivision: Goodwood at Sharp, Goodwood at Flannery, Sherwood Forest at Old Hammond, and Sherwood Forest at Florida.

SFCA annual meeting set Oct. 16

Three guest speakers will address residents at the annual general membership meeting of the Sherwood Forest Citizens Association on Thursday, Oct. 16. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. in the St. Thomas More Parish Preschool, corner Sherbrook and Sylvan drives.

Baton Rouge Police Chief Jeff LeDuff, or his representative if he is unable to come, will talk about recent security concerns and share plans to make Baton Rouge a safer community for ourselves and our children. Other speakers will be Councilman Mike Walker, who represents District 8 on the City-Parish Metro Council, and Mike Futrell, assistant chief administrative officer to Mayor-President Kip Holden.

For more information about what Councilman Walker and Mr. Futrell will discuss, see their respective columns on Page 11.

Board Elections

During the business portion of the meeting, SFCA President Jackie Gray will present a slate of proposed board members for 2009. Nominations will be accepted from the floor, and new members will be elected. Monthly board meetings are at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month in the St. Thomas More Parish office building facing Goodwood Boulevard.

Jackie encourages SFCA members to volunteer for one or more of the board's committees. "It's not necessary to be a board member in order to serve on a committee," Jackie said. "We need volunteers in all areas. Ours is one of the largest associations in the city, with a membership in excess of 1,350 households. Come to our Oct. 16 meeting and learn how you can be a part of our dynamic organization."

Sherwood Forest Citizens Association Annual General Membership Meeting

7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 16, 2008

*St. Thomas More Parish Preschool
Sherbrook Drive, corner Sylvan Drive*

Guest Speakers:

Jeff LeDuff

Baton Rouge Chief of Police

Mike Walker

District 8 City-Parish Metro Councilman

Mike Futrell

Assistant CAO, City-Parish Mayor's Office

Election of 2009 SFCA Board of Directors

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By Jackie Gray

President, Sherwood Forest Citizens Association

I would like to thank those who worked to make a difference in our neighborhood this year. The 2008 Board of Directors is to be commended for the tremendous amount of time and service they voluntarily gave to homeowners in Sherwood Forest. Board members and volunteers work hard to make Sherwood Forest a better and safer place in which to live. Councilman Mike Walker and his assistant, Zona Pickens, have been and continue to be a valued asset to Sherwood Forest.

With 2008 coming to an end, it is time for reflection on the past year. Break-ins jarred our community and surrounding communities at the very start of the year, but our hard-working police force solved these problems. We have obtained architectural control of several filings with more pending. Eyewatch has been revitalized, generating a renewed energy in our neighborhood. Our Web site is outstanding (www.sfcabr.org). Many DPW and zoning issues were reported and resolved, with many still pending. Our security patrol is a very positive asset. SFCFA has invested in an automated calling service to announce security messages and other information to our members. We have welcoming new American flag banners at our four main entrances, along with beautiful flower beds.

For our dues-paying members, I cannot relay to you how important you are. Without you our neighborhood would be in jeopardy. For non-dues paying residents, I am making a personal appeal to you to become a member to be able to continue services all of us have become accustomed to. Our dues are the lowest of any neighborhood at only \$25 per year for each household.

With 2009 just around the corner, I will say good-bye as president and look forward to working with the new president and board. Once again, THANK YOU, and it has been my pleasure!

2008 SFCFA Board Members and Committees

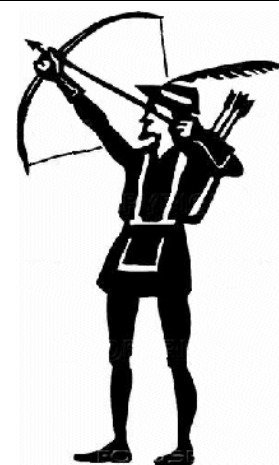
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Lend your talents to the SFCA

The Sherwood Forest Citizens Association is looking for a Super Hero – a volunteer with superior organizing skills who can be in charge of all the other volunteers.

If you're Clark Kent in hiding, it's time you came out of the telephone booth. The association receives offers of help on its membership forms, but board members need someone to organize the names and phone numbers of potential volunteers and match them with appropriate committees. If you have the time and the inclination, please call President Jackie Gray at 273-2930.

Even if you can't be "Superman" or "Superwoman," do call the person in charge of any area that interests you (chairmen are listed on Page 2). Step up to the plate if you're able and willing!



The Boy Scouts and Venture Crew of Troop 478 enjoy a recent campout. Twice or three times a year, members of the troop deliver the Sherwood Forest News to all homes in the subdivision. The troop is based at Broadmoor United Methodist Church, Mollylea at Sharp.

Troop 478 Boy Scouts give faithful service to the Sherwood Forest Citizens Association

Ever since the first issue of the Sherwood Forest News was printed back in the 1970s, the Boy Scouts of Troop 478 have handled distribution chores. The scouts go to each home in the subdivision twice or three times a year and hand out the newsletters.

Broadmoor United Methodist Church is the chartering organization for the troop, which was formed in 1969 when Troop 178 became so large that it split four ways. The other three troops have since disbanded, but Troop 478 lives on and is now 25-members strong.

Steve Beatty has been Scoutmaster of Troop 478 for more than 27 years. His father was the original Scoutmaster, and both his sons—Adam, 27, and Mark, 23—went all the way to Eagle Scout in the troop. Steve said he is seeing second and third generations of young men joining now. Like his own sons, more than 100 former Troop 478 members have achieved Eagle Scout rank.

The goal of scouting is the development of character, citizenship and fitness, with an emphasis on outdoor activities. "We have a campout every month," Steve said. "Locally we go to Clinton, La., but we've also been camping in Texas, North Carolina, Georgia and Colorado." Over the years, the troop has traveled to Canada and England and visited U.S. sites such as Washington, D.C., the Grand Canyon, Niagara Falls and the Petrified Forest National Park in Arizona. During Thanksgiving holidays this year, the troop is looking forward to a "Best of Italy" tour.

Two years ago a Venture Crew for boys and girls aged 14 and up was established. The Venture Crew is a part of boy scouting but is open to young women also.

The modest fee paid by SFCA for delivery of the newsletter is used to underwrite troop costs such as scouting activities, merit badges and scholarships. The scouts meet at Broadmoor United Methodist Church, Mollylea at Sharp, from 6:30 until 8 p.m. each Wednesday. Boys aged 11-17 may join the troop. Both boys and girls aged 14-21 are welcome in the Venture Crew. For more information, e-mail Steve at sbeatty@premier.net or go to the troop's Web site (<http://www.troop478.net>).

The Sherwood Forest Citizens Association salutes the Boy Scouts of Troop 478 and thanks them for doing their part to keep our residents informed!

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2008 Membership List (1,386) – August 15, 2008

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ALLAN	1221 ESKIND	1125 MARTORANA	746 WALTON	361 BROUSSARD/ FREDD	11525 MARINO
314 GOSSERAND	1245 ASHBY	1130 WASCOM	777 MOAK		11545 CHIA
325 HAWKINS	1256 SPEYRER	1160 BUNKER	822 PARENT	DUNSTAN	11555 FAZEKAS
333 NGUYEN	1257 PILLOW	1175 VU	833 CURRIE	358 WETZEL	11572 MICHALSKI
344 PHAN	1268 OTT	1185 SPEAKS	844 LOGAN	384 NGUYEN	11612 TUTTLE
374 NGUYEN	1332 FOUGEROUSSE	1302 YOUNG	888 COMPTON		11622 HARBOUR
	1343 EGGART	1342 RAMSEY	895 WELLS	EFFRINGHAM	11646 HAEFNER
	1344 NGUYEN	1345 REYNOLDS	896 LUKE	10634 FIELDS	11655 MEYER
ARCHERY	1355 OGDEN	1363 EMPSTON	976 CLARK	10648 PETTY, III	11775 TABONY
11320 MARCHAND	1367 PLAISANCE	1375 SHATTUCK	1033 FORD	10740 MORGAN	12047 BRADFORD
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11450 MARTIN	1371 EASTERLY		1045 EMPSON	10790 LOWREY	12310 HAACK
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11505 FORD	11378 LABAT	12624 DAY	1067 KUYT	10924 BURDETTE	12411 TOUCHSTONE
11545 LE		12639 RICH	1089 SABOLIK	10934 DOBBS	12456 MILLER
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11575 JOHNSON-MUSE	13204 ACHEE	12671 OLIVER	1168 WORLEY	10964 STEPHENS	12490 POURCIAU
11576 SUPLEE	13240 THOMAS		1169 PLUNKET		12491 WILLIAMS
11615 HAMILTON	13243 PRADHAN	BROOKSHIRE	1190 RICCA	EILEEN	12624 GRAY
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11674 BOULET	10944 LE	12252 CARMENA	10951 HEATON	FAIRHAVEN	12675 WOLF
11682 TRICHE	10966 LEE	12263 BUCHART	10954 HOGAN	11665 HART	12721 DAVIS
11735 RABALAIS	10967 CHAMBERS	12277 McCRARY	10959 HUNT	11722 MEYER	12739 BLACKWELL
12119 GAUDET	11016 DAVIS	12278 JACOBSON	10962 ORR	11725 EDDINGTON	12754 BROWN
12141 WISSNER	11017 FREEMAN	12286 POMES	10970 SISTERS OF INCARNATION	11765 CONKLING	
12187 CROSS	11064 CAMPBELL	12333 THORNHILL	11035 ROBINSON	11820 HAIK	GOODWOOD
12285 MURPHY		12334 BIANCA	11043 SILVIO	11825 ALLEY	10779 SALZER
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12301 HEARNE	1561 TRAN	12342 CLOY		11845 LYONS	10821 DAVIS
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12433 DEJEAN	1595 McPHERSON	12367 BUCHART	13205 HOWELL	11950 BAILEY	10923 CRIFASI
12452 DO	1666 RUMFELLOW	12376 BROWN	13211 PITTMAN	11976 BONVILLAIN	10931 KAUFMAN
12453 MALHIET	1677 INGRAHAM	12430 HAULER	13212 KETTERER	12226 MILLER	10940 LOVE
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12484 OLIVER	1776 SCHEXNAYDER	12488 LEWIS	1437 CAMPOS	12256 BASS	11020 JAMES
12531 PARKER	1889 NGUYEN	12489 DUREAU	1453 GROSE	12359 MURRAY	11067 BRUMFIELD
12532 TREME		12542 DEMENT	1521 HOLLENBECK	12378 CHENG-GUAJARDO	11131 LOCKETT
12544 McMICHAEL	BELLGLADE	12545 LATO	1535 HERMAN	12398 DANG	11146 COOPER
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12565 BRADFORD	1566 KOCH	12550 McPHERSON	1577 HAUG	12432 BUDON	11205 MOLLERE
12566 CATANZARO	1574 BLACKWELL	12551 SMITH		12433 DUCOTE	11308 BLACK
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12655 JARREAU	1717 BOUCHER	12635 FOIL	220 RUSHING	12504 BOLLOM	11488 HOLLIER
12656 CHANG		12638 BOWERS	229 PHAN	12505 LITTLE	11520 LINDSLY
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		12737 SYLVEST	10961 COX	12617 FRESINA	11727 CRADDOCK
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1220 COURVILLE	1085 GLASS	724 KITCHENS			12646 WILLIAMS

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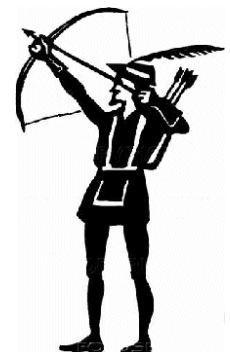
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	10927 KINARD	11940 GUIDRY	12445 JAROS	12582 ARCENEAUX	10822 CHAMBERS
KING JOHN	10935 RUTHERFORD	11943 STEWART	12464 ARCENEAUX	12614 MELANCON	10887 SERRETT
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12921 WARD	10982 STONE	12254 COOPER	12557 WALTRIP	12375 GARDNER	11365 BENNETT
12945 BORDELON	10985 BONNER	12261 BRANCH	12566 McDOWELL	12408 MITCHELL	11466 EFFERSON
	11007 BOULTON	12262 McNEIL	12567 MICHEL	12422 AL-ALOUSI	11566 AIRHART
KING RICHARD	11008 CAUSEY	12340 McMANUS	12576 WILLIAMS	12435 WALTERS	11575 TEMPLE
11423 FOURNET	11015 BALLMER	12345 NIESSEN	12577 HILL	12469 LEWIS	11623 MARBURY
11640 LOVELL	11046 ELLIS	12363 PALMER	12586 MILLER	12487 FERGUSON, JR	11665 NGUYEN
11710 STENHOUSE	11047 LLOYD	12364 MEDLOCK	12649 WORTHINGTON	12634 BOUDREAUX	11666 SHORTESS
11730 BELLA	11050 BROWN	12375 WAFER	12669 GRAF	12635 PURSELL	11736 TABONY
11810 BERRY	11055 STOUT	12376 COMEAUX	12688 DAHMER	12642 PARNICZA	11744 MORGAN
11830 McCORD	11058 BELLECCI	12448 NOTO	12689 GUTWEILER	12650 KING	12345 SUTHERLAND
11921 SMITH	11078 HARLOW	12459 ROSS		12651 HEBERT	12427 DIETRICH
11939 DELLSPERGER	11087 MARIONNEAUX	12466 WALLACE	MONTGOMERY	12668 HADER	12440 FITZGERALD
11949 HALL	11124 TRUONG	12477 WIKMAN	1420 CLEM	12669 GOMEZ	12492 YORK
11955 MARTIN	11163 BARLOW	12484 KOENIG	1425 LOUVIERE	12684 FALGOUT	12493 JANIES
	11166 BLOUIN	12511 LEWIS	1430 KJELSDEN	12685 WICKLINE	12511 BARES
	11171 BODI	12520 GUIDRY	1435 THALJI	12749 LAFAYETTE	12515 McGEE
		12521 BARROW	1440 McGREGOR	12758 WHITFIELD	12628 DEMOUY

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Streets Are Listed Alphabetically; Residences Are Listed In Numerical Order

12636 TILLEY	2276 LOUDEN	444 PRICE	1488 McCORNACK	12263 TOMENY	405 BRITT
12645 KELLER	12347 ROBERTSON/ CARLINE	465 LASSEIGNE		12264 SCHLUTER	416 CALMES
12661 NOVOTNY		466 MIXSON	SYLVAN	12275 BUMGARNER	417 VIDRINE
12679 TALBOT	12348 DAVE	500 BOUDREAU	817 COMINGORE	12281 PUGH	437 JONES
12686 WATKINS	12365 BUTT	535 HUBBS		12328 LOGSDON	465 LUKER
12687 HAMMOND	12383 BRUMMERHOP	564 PERKINS	TIFTON	12336 INDEST	
12754 BUI	12392 SIMMONS	565 SPENCER	829 DAVENPORT	12344 BARBRE	WINGATE
ROBINDALE	12442 BROUSSARD	615 PARENT	839 THOMPSON	12345 HENDERSON III	314 NGUYEN-
302 HAYNES	12461 NOTO	626 KENNEDY	848 RIETSCHIER	12352 FOURNET	AGUILLARD
318 McKNIGHT	12487 BANKS	635 BADON	849 GIBSON	12353 JENNINGS	317 MANCUSO
367 IRVING	12488 BIENVENU	648 LAWSON	858 SMITH	12360 WELCH	325 MANCUSO
	12512 FONTAINE	755 LE	869 ROGILLO	12439 BORDELON	346 PHILLIPS
	12519 GONZALES	780 FRUGE	878 BEATTY	12447 EMBREY	363 DALRYMPLE
	12524 TRICK	792 TOLLETT	941 FELDER	12450 ANTHONY	377 FOUTCH
RUSSEAU	12539 HOFFMAN	875 ORGERON		12462 SPUSTEK	388 BOUTWELL
13416 NGUYEN	12550 ATTEBERRY	880 MACKEY	TINLEY	12463 WALSH	415 GIARDINA
	12567 JERNIGAN	930 GIROUARD	355 HENRIQUEZ	12543 GILIN	425 CARBO
SANDRINGHAM	12583 HENDERSON	950 SHAFER	450 POWELL	12555 MANUEL	446 GETER
10587 WILLIAMS	12613 RAGAN	998 SANDER	472 GROSS	12567 BOUGHTON	454 FOUNTAIN
10623 BOSTON	12620 NAUMAN	1044 KANNON	526 SMITH	12579 GIURINTANO	478 WASCOM
10721 PATUREAU	12636 LECOQ	1066 DAVID	587 GULLET	12581 LANDRY	
10743 DANIEL	12650 DUNAWAY	1087 NELSON	588 RICE	12605 MAGGIO	WOODCLIFF
10783 WARDER	12679 HOLCOMB	1088 RAYBURN	733 WEBRE	12618 McGEE	333 BROUSSARD
10877 THIBODEAUX	12682 KORA	1151 KERST	741 MORRIS	12630 MARTIN	349 LANGLOIS
10887 LIVINGSTON	12687 MAGYAR	1226 HEBERT	756 LEJEUNE	12633 HOLT	375 ECK
10929 BREAUX	12690 HOOPER	1265 CARRIER	818 LUNDIN	12638 WILCOX	383 BUTLER
10937 BONIN	12710 LOVRETICH	1266 GLUECK	825 CESPEDES	12652 QUARTARARO	453 WATKINS
10977 REILLY	12711 MONTGOMERY	1313 THAXTON	845 GOLDBERGER	12657 MACLAUCHLAN	487 SVESTKA
	12713 CRAWFORD	1314 PHAM	889 HOWALD	12702 MILLER	591 ANGEL
SHADYDALE	12718 MONROE	1336 COURT'S	890 EJIM	12712 CRONIN	593 DICKEY
343 SELF	12728 HEBERT	CROSSING, LLC	923 GOLDSMITH	12723 HEBERT	673 CLARK
392 KAISER	12736 ADAMS	1352 CROSS	930 O'CONNOR	12724 TINER	825 SEHRING
	12747 PETERSON	1368 CENTER, INC.	1040 MENG	12736 HIGH	832 LLOYD
SHARP	12748 KLEINPETER	1388 DELAUNE	1079 THIBODEAUX	12751 GUILLORY	924 LEVRON
315 ANDERSON	12750 ARENA	1423 SISTERS OF IC	1140 BARTON	12764 WILSON	927 ROGERS
321 ANDERSON		MISSION	1165 MONTGOMERY		1077 FERRACCI
901 KNECHT	SHERBROOK	1424 SEYFARTH	1170 LOVE	WAVERLAND	1117 MEDLIN
1723 SAVOY	11421 STM YOUTH	1432 FOSSEE		353 NEAL	1245 ESTEVEN
1735 BROWN	HOUSE	1439 JAMES	TODD	10727 A.M.E. CHURCH	1259 MARTIN
	11441 STM RECTORY	1440 LOCKWOOD	13101 ADAMS	10745 CLARK	1277 NEWSOM
SHELBY	11463 ANDERSON	1481 BOYD	13115 DEPIERRI	10887 TODD	1308 HAMMONS
315 BRITTEN	11555 NELSON	1521 KENNEDY	13145 KRUELSKIE	10924 BEARD	1315 SHERLOCK
338 VINCE	11634 STRATMANN	1541 ANEPOHL	13159 BROWN	10968 MILLER	1322 LEWIS
339 LE	11655 MEYERER	1561 FERRARA	13213 FIELDING		1330 HUGHES
364 PLAEGER	11724 BOURQUE	1604 JUDICE	13227 BROIULLETTE	WELLINGTON	1342 KELLY
365 PARKER	11725 BARTOL	1621 LUXEMBURG	13244 SIDES	1303 VAN ZANDT	
378 COCHRAN	11740 CHAMPAGNE	1628 GAUTHIER		1315 CHBEIR	WORTHINGTON
	11755 BURGESS	1640 CANNON	TRAMMELL	1331 BUTLER	10900 SPURLOCK
SHERATON	11824 BROUSSARD	1645 BURNETT	502 FONTENOT	1346 SMITH	10909 EVANS
10910 OGDEN	11825 WINSTON	1721 MEAUX	536 HADDON	1358 DALFERES	10921 IZZAT
10925 ANDERSON	11834 FURR	1732 ROBT LEASING CO.	618 HOLDEN	1359 LANDRY	10946 KELLER
10944 LOUISIANA CNI, LLC	11871 MURNANE	1745 TRAN	626 WATTS	1367 JENKINS	10951 HURST
	11976 NELSON		712 HARGROVE	1381 LERO	10968 WILLIAMS
10966 GRIFFITH	12026 FLICK	SILVERTON	848 LAMSON	1393 EPPS	10971 TOVAR
10988 JACOBSON	12228 TOUPS	1303 FOSTER	902 ROUSSEL	1471 ROBINSON	10987 GOMEZ
11000 KERSEY	12268 WERFAL	1358 CANATELLA	909 KOOMSON	1494 RIZZUTTO	10990 McKINELL
11006 ARBOUR	12289 DAVIS	1376 FORD	928 WOOLFORD		10996 TRAYLOR / GAUTREAU
11016 BROUSSARD	12298 THOMASSON	1393 SILVIO	1018 NGUYEN	WENHAM	11022 WILLIAMS
11023 VUTERA	12321 KING	1435 SILVIO	1122 STALLWORTH	13208 GEORGE	11044 BERMAN
11128 KORN	12330 MEYER	1445 GONZALEZ	1134 HAYES	13226 GIESLER	11045 CAMPBELL
11240 BYRD	12331 WOOD		1214 McDONALD	13231 BOUCREE	11088 CAMPBELL
11260 CARPENTER	12360 WILLS	SINCLAIR		13308 COOK	11180 BETBEZE
11442 FETTERMAN	12441 LOVE	860 HISE	TURTLE	13315 RABALAIS	11235 ROBINSON
11445 WINDHAM	12458 ALLEN / TONAHILL	880 BARKSDALE	13429 NGUYEN	13316 FALLON	11294 DUPUY
11467 LAWRENCE	12466 BROWNIE	881 DAVID		13343 FRANKLIN	
11478 BALHOFF	12467 PILLER	922 BERLIN	UIEUX	13344 McGARR	
11481 PROCTOR	12474 HOUDE	984 MITCHELL	11049 CHENEVERT	13355 MITCHELL	
11517 GILBERT	12520 BRADY	985 JEFFERSON	11062 BAHLINGER	13358 ARCENEAUX	
11520 CARO	12538 MATHES	1024 ALLEN	11065 KIRBY		
11535 SEARLES	12629 STEWART	1120 MANGHAM	11077 SEAB	WESTBROOK	
11548 MYERS	12646 FERRARA			735 BERKLEY	
11549 FILLASTRE	12664 RAWLS	STOCKTON		744 FURR	
11563 McGITTIGAN	12683 BRIGNAC	411 MACUS	VOORHIES	788 LANTHIER	
11581 SMITH		433 ENSLEY	631 BAKER	805 HAASE	
11637 ZYROLL	SHERMOOR	469 FAYRE	660 DIXON	820 LAGRONE	
11658 GUYNN	10535 AMICK	493 PATRICK	705 CARR	825 LENNOX	
11726 PALOMBO	10549 STOJAK	507 WHITEHEAD	711 ONDERCIN	846 HARRELL	
11733 McGARR	10555 RAU	521 MACPHERSON	797 MOEHLE	919 KIESCHNICK	
11825 DESSERT	10748 BUCKEL		820 TRAN	944 MATASSARIN	
11832 BROWN	10755 LeBLANC	STOKLEY	821 DAMPIER	955 FINLAY	
11857 CUEVAS	10756 BANTA	1108 STRUEH	860 DAVID		
11862 RYAN		1109 TANJUTCO	880 LIVELY	WILTON	
11915 SMITH	SHERWOOD FOREST	1117 DIXON	923 FISCHER	302 SHAFFER	
11935 PODORSKY	245 PHAM	1213 WALL	952 BREDLOVE	314 HEBERT	
11944 BREAUX	265 SNEE	1225 BROWN	972 BROEMMELSIEK	319 REYNOLDS	
12225 COMEAUX	272 HENRY	1312 DONATTO	973 FLORY	346 SUMMERS	
12226 OBEE	322 POLLINS	1328 DICKERSON	WARWICK	347 BOND	
12234 HEBERT	330 PERAGINE	1421 HARRIS	12243 DAVIS	359 LeCOCQ	
12242 COCO	345 HUBER	1466 AINSWORTH	12252 LABBE, JR	379 GARDNER	
12275 SANCHEZ	351 ROBINSON	1478 RIDGEWAY			

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Yard of the Month winners: Beautifying Sherwood Forest, one lawn at a time *By James Gray*

When spring buds peek out of winter hibernation, folks flock to the nurseries and home improvement centers to purchase their spring flowers, mulch, fertilizer, etc. Entire weekends are spent planting, weeding, mulching, and changing out flowerbeds. Lawns start to green up, and the sound of trimmers and mowers is heard throughout the neighborhood.

From April through September the Sherwood Forest Civic Association chooses four Yards of the Month, one in each quadrant of the subdivision. We look for yards that are neatly trimmed, with flowers in bloom, testifying to a sense of pride and hard work on the part of the homeowner. The yards do not have to be professionally landscaped. The grand prize winner each month receives two \$25 certificates redeemable at the four Louisiana Nursery locations in the Baton Rouge area. SFCA thanks Roger Mayes and Louisiana Nursery for helping us honor those homeowners whose beautiful yards and well-kept property make us so very proud of our neighborhood. For the nursery's locations and hours of operation, go to <http://www.louisiananursery.com>.

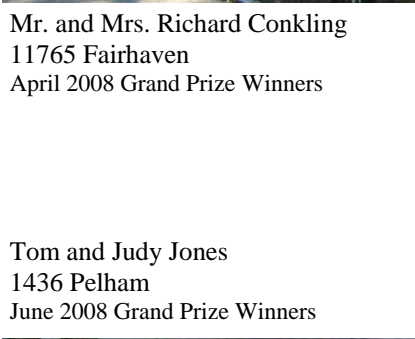
The beautification committee chooses the yards and contacts the homeowners. With their permission, we place a Yard of the Month sign in the yard and take a picture for inclusion on the association's Web site. The sign stays up for the month, then is removed. The committee needs volunteers to help us seek out the best yards in Sherwood Forest and to promote the beautification of our neighborhood. Although two people can do the job, it is easier with three or four.



Bill and Marty Davis
10821 Goodwood Blvd.
August 2008 Grand Prize Winners



Ron and Pat Crum
946 Marlbrook
May 2008 Grand Prize Winners



Mr. and Mrs. Richard Conkling
11765 Fairhaven
April 2008 Grand Prize Winners



Jim and Janice Mitchell
984 Sinclair
July 2008 Grand Prize Winners



Tom and Judy Jones
1436 Pelham
June 2008 Grand Prize Winners



Increased Security Patrols Benefit All Sherwood Forest Residents

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Beginning in March, weekly SFCA security patrol hours were increased by 17% in response to member requests. Another increase is under consideration. The patrol is staffed by deputies from the East Baton Rouge Parish Sheriff's Office; both marked and unmarked vehicles are utilized. Questions or concerns regarding the patrol may be directed to the SFCA security line (273-1353); the caller should leave the necessary information and/or a phone number for a return call from the security volunteer.

Please keep in mind that the SFCA security line is not an emergency telephone number. It is not staffed by a full-time paid employee of the SFCA, so messages must be left by the caller. If immediate action is needed, SFCA members may need to contact the Baton Rouge Police Department (389-2000) or the EBRP Sheriff's Office (389-5000). Follow-up information concerning the incident is appreciated, however.

Vehicles (including trailers/watercraft) parked illegally in the grass, on the sidewalk, in the right-of-way, on the neutral ground, and on the strip of land between the property line and curb (on grass or concrete, even the driveway) as well as parking in the street continue to be problems in Sherwood Forest. They have been problems for the violators' neighbors, but they will increasingly be problems for violators as enforcement is being increased. Parking within 10 feet of the right-of-way line (generally, the 'inside' sidewalk line [property line]) of any street also is not allowed. Vehicles must be parked in the same direction as traffic flow and **temporarily**, if it is necessary that they be parked on the street at all. Vehicles are not to be parked on the street for more than nine consecutive hours. The security patrol monitors these problems and issues tickets for violations. The city police are increasingly responding to reports of these violations.

Violations may be reported to the security patrol by calling the SFCA security line. Parking and security-related concerns are sent to the security patrol or the police for any necessary enforcement or action as it determines.



Theft and attempted theft

Occasionally residents have called to notify the SFCA of incidents of theft or attempted theft. In most of these reported incidents over the last year, items stolen (or attempted to be stolen) were in unlocked vehicles or unsecured in a carport. So simply keeping vehicles locked and lawn equipment, bicycles, etc. stored in a locked storage room or at least out-of-sight in the backyard should present much less of an opportunity for thieves to steal property. "Thanks" to those residents who have reported these incidents to the SFCA security line.



"Junk Vehicles" and Just Plain "Junk"

Many disabled vehicles have been removed from Sherwood Forest over the past year; it is much less of a problem than it was one year ago. It is a relatively simple process to have a vehicle that is truly disabled removed. Residents may call the security line with the address and vehicle description to get the process started. Often the vehicle is removed in less than three weeks.

Violations such as wreckers or commercial vehicles (including trailers) parked in the subdivision, vehicles parked on the grass on the side or back of a house, and "junk" in a carport or yard are usually handled by the Department of Public Works ("DPW") (389-8680 – complaints section). Trailers, especially those that have become a permanent fixture in a driveway or yard, may be treated as "portable storage containers" ("PODS," etc.) under the city-parish Unified Development Code and dealt with by DPW. Residents may contact the SFCA board member in charge of DPW issues to discuss these violations or contact DPW by calling 311 (or the above number) or reporting the violation through the DPW website, <http://brgov.com/dept/dpw>. (Decisions, decisions.) Violations reported directly to the 311 staff may need to include contact information. To remain anonymous, you may be transferred directly to the DPW complaint section. Another option is to contact Councilman Mike Walker's office (272-9088). Although the SFCA volunteer staff is here to help with these and other issues, other residents contacting the appropriate city-parish office to report problems is appreciated and does show that there are many more who care to keep Sherwood Forest a safe and pleasant place to live. If the problem is not abated after dealing with the city-parish directly, please contact the SFCA to determine if all avenues have been explored and/or the neighborhood's deed restrictions address the issue.

In contacting the security volunteer regarding violations of the parking/traffic ordinances or other security concerns or questions, a name or phone number does not have to be provided; callers may simply provide the information necessary for the security patrol to investigate the concern. If callers desire a return call and prefer not to provide names and phone numbers, that information does not need to be retained once the return call is made – they just need to ask.

Vehicles parked in yards, the presence of "junk" vehicles, and commercial vehicles parked regularly at residential properties go a long way in tainting the appearance of and reducing property values in the subdivision and communicate a message regarding residents' level of care to those who visit – especially to those who may be considering the purchase of a house in Sherwood Forest. Living (and investing) next to a "parking lot" is not desirable for most buyers looking for a pleasant home in a quiet neighborhood.

Light up those numbers!

Ever been driving along a street in Sherwood Forest looking for a house number? Frustrating! It's time we heeded EBR Parish Ordinance §7:26, which requires all commercial and residential properties to have addresses prominently displayed in Arabic numbers that are no less than three inches in height.

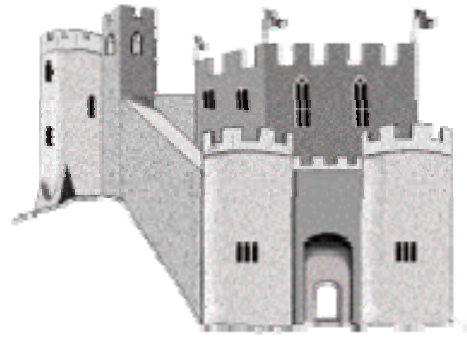
But the size of the numbers is only half the battle. You should be sure your house number is visible from the street. Imagine that you have an emergency and must call 911. Will the address on your home be readily visible from a moving ambulance, fire truck or police car?

Think about it! The proper display of a house number could be a matter of life and death, especially at night. Be sure your house number is well lit and unobstructed by trees, shrubs or other obstacles.

Speaking of lights, did you know that street lights are the responsibility of Entergy, under a city-parish contract? If a light needs to be repaired or replaced, call 311, the Citizen Services Specialist number, and report the location. To follow up on the request, call Traffic Engineering at 389-3246. Street signs and other signage in need of repair or replacement should be reported to the Department of Public Works (DPW) at 389-8780.

Keep in touch and stay informed

- Call **911** in case of an emergency. The non emergency number for City Police is **389-2000**.
- For suspicious situations that are not time-sensitive call the Sherwood Forest Citizens Association Security Line, **273-1353**.
- To find a governmental agency to address your concerns, call **311** and speak with a Citizen Services Specialist. The call will create a service request that will automatically be routed to the proper department to deal with things like zoning violations, pothole repair, tree branch hazards, loose pets and many more.
- To voice questions or concerns about the neighborhood, call District 8 Metro Councilman Mike Walker's office at **272-9088** and speak with him or with his legislative assistant, Zona M. Pickens.
- To keep up with security issues and time-sensitive information, listen to the messages sent out to the membership from the SFCA board through its new Internet-based voice messaging system, **Notification Server™**.
- Check the **SFCA Web site**, <http://www.sfcabr.org>, where you will find breaking news and updates, maps, detailed SFCA committee information, community links of interest and archival data about our subdivision. If you don't have a home computer, go to the EBR Parish Library where Internet access is free.



Thy home is thy castle

Neighborhoods zoned A-1, as is Sherwood Forest, are designated "single family." Anyone who suspects a violation of this designation (for instance, an excessive number of vehicles consistently parked at a house) may call DPW and ask for an inspection. Documentation, such as license plate numbers and photographs, will be required. The property owner will be contacted and asked to correct the situation. Refusal to correct could result in a lawsuit against the owner.

Excessive noise that interferes with the public peace should be reported first to the police at 389-3831 and then, immediately afterwards, to the owner of the house (even if it is rental property). Fines can be \$200 or more, and jail time is a possibility. Furthermore, owners of domestic pets that create a nuisance are in violation of Ordinance §14:110 and should be reported to Animal Control at 774-7700 so that appropriate action may be taken.



Castle-watching for traveling members

The SFCA security patrol will check on the house of any SFCA member who is away for an extended period or even just overnight. Members may call the security line to request a "vacation house" patrol; two to three days' notice should be given, if possible. Helpful information includes departure and arrival dates, contact numbers, emergency contact names/numbers, expected visitors/vehicles, existence of timer lights, alarms, etc. The patrol can include a daily "walk-around" on the outside of the house to check windows, doors, etc., or just a "close-eye" pass-by while on security patrol, depending on the request of the member. No request has been denied, but there may be a limit to the number of days each member may receive the service in a given year, if workload necessitates.

A special 'thanks' to those members who make additional contributions to fund the security patrol, especially to those who seldom, if ever, utilize the vacation house service.

Block Captains on Front Line of Eyewatch



The SFCA needs volunteers to serve as block captains for Eyewatch, a program whose goal is to keep the neighborhood safe, one block at a time.

“All it means is meeting your neighbors and watching for suspicious persons on your street,” chairman Patty Domingue said. “You will watch your neighbors’ homes and ask them to pay attention to yours. Block captains are liaisons between the residents of their block and me, as chairman.” Captains are asked to keep a list of phone numbers and addresses of current Eyewatch participants and to ask new neighbors to join.

“Please volunteer to be a block captain and keep our neighborhood safe,” Patty said. Anyone who can help should call her at 272-2955 or send an e-mail (pattyvdo@bellsouth.net).

Patty would like to thank the following residents for volunteering to be block captains for Eyewatch:

Louis and Juanita Achee (272-0998), 13204 **Avants Ave.**
 Ada Rich, 12639 **Bristol Ave.**
 Nick and Maggie Richard (275-3404), 10928 **Burton Ave.**
 Beverly Wagener (272-8459), 12237 **Fairhaven Ave.**
 Frank Duke (275-8178), 11673 **Goodwood Boulevard**
 Pete Walsh (275-6010), 10926 **Major Oak Drive**
 Tom Ketterer (275-2007), 11463 **Mollylea Drive**
 Ella Vance (273-8104), 448 **Nassau Drive**
 Jack Haynes (275-7681), 302 **Robindale Circle**
 Joe Self (275-2469), 343 **Shadydale Drive**
 Mary Broussard (274-1742), 11016 **Sheraton Drive**

Jean Kay Brown (272-1804), 11832 **Sheraton Drive**
 Wayne and Edna Thaxton (272-2292), 1313 **Sherwood Forest Boulevard**
 Dorothy Britt (272-1379), 405 **Wilton Drive**
 Larry Ferracci (272-6659), 1077 **Woodcliff Drive**
 Jerry Hammons (275-7912), 1308 **Woodcliff Drive**
 Patrick Hughes (272-1370), 1330 **Woodcliff Drive.**



Scoping Out Flood Zones

In May 2008 FEMA released the latest version of its Multi-Year Flood Hazard Identification Plan ([MHIP](#)), effectively updating flood maps for areas of the United States with the greatest flood risk, including Louisiana.

Printed copies of East Baton Rouge Parish flood maps are available for scrutiny at each branch of the EBRP Public Library.

To find your property’s flood zone information online, go to the EBRP Geographic Information System at <http://gis.brgov.com>. Click on “Online Maps” and type in your address. When the address comes up, click “Details” and look for the flood-zone designation letter(s), A, AE, X5 or X. Click on the letter(s) for definitions. More detailed information is available at <http://www.fema.gov/hazard/flood/info.shtm>.

Different types of flood insurance policies are available, depending on level of risk. Flood insurance is sold and serviced by private insurers and backed by the federal government. Separate minimum and maximum coverage/premiums for buildings and contents are set by the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). The cost of your annual policy is the same wherever you purchase it.

Check with your homeowners insurance carrier – *and stay dry!*



Cast Your Ballot Oct. 4, Nov. 4

Our young men and women on the front lines are fighting for freedom, yet many of us fail to exercise the first and most sacred duty of a free citizen—going to the polling place to cast a ballot. In Louisiana we have two election days this fall: Saturday, Oct. 4 and Tuesday, Nov. 4.

Early voting for the Oct. 4 election will be conducted the week of Sept. 20-27. To vote ahead of time in either election, go to one of the Registrar of Voters offices (downtown or Coursey Boulevard) or to the archives building on Essen Lane between 8:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. and present a picture ID.

The Oct. 4 election is for East Baton Rouge officials. Polls will be open that day from 6 a.m. until 8 p.m. Runoff elections, if necessary, will take place on Nov. 4.

Anyone who wants to vote on Nov. 4 but has not registered must do so no later than Thursday, Oct. 6. For information about registering, go to the Secretary of State’s Web site at <http://www.sos.louisiana.gov> and click on the “Voter Registration” tab, or call the Secretary of State’s office (922-0900).

Early voting for the Nov. 4 election will be conducted the week of Oct. 24-28. On Tuesday, Nov. 4, polls will be open from 6 a.m. until 8 p.m. On this day, we will vote for presidential electors, U.S. Senator and Congressman and local tax propositions.

Walter H. Judd, recipient of the Presidential Medal of Freedom in 1981, once said: “People often say that, in a democracy, decisions are made by a majority of the people. Of course, that is not true. Decisions are made by a majority of those who make themselves heard and who vote—a very different thing.”

Councilman in action



Mike Walker
City-Parish Metro Councilman
District 8

'No-kill' facility offers new hope for animals

Due to human irresponsibility, thousands of dogs and cats, puppies and kittens, have to be euthanized yearly at the City-Parish Animal Control Center on Progress Road near Baton Rouge Metro Airport.

Soon thousands of these abandoned and unwanted animals will be given a second chance, thanks to the heroic and unending efforts of ACC Director Hilton Cole and the unwavering support of District 8 Metro Councilman Mike Walker.

City-parish acreage behind the Baton Rouge Fire Department Substation #17 on Old Hammond Highway just west of Millerville Road will be the home of the new Animal Control Adoption and Educational Center. The property is already available since it is owned by the City-Parish; however, the estimated \$1.8 million cost of the building itself will have to be paid for primarily with private donations through an IRS §501(c)(3) Fund available to non-profits.

Mr. Cole estimates that being able to move huge numbers of animals to the eastern part of EBR Parish could save as many as 2,000 lives a year in addition to the estimated 1,000 adoptions that will continue at the original Progress Road location. That's because this new center will be a "no-kill" facility, with adoptions from the center itself and through cooperation with area humane groups.

Once the details of the §501(c)(3) Fund are established (donation designee and mailing address), the information will be placed in the SFCFA newsletter. It is hoped the plans will be in place before the end of 2008.

Should you have any questions or comments, please call Councilman Walker's office (272-9088) and talk with Legislative Assistant Zona M. Pickens.



Sewer Projects to Begin in Sherwood Forest

By Mike Futrell



The City of Baton Rouge is ON-TRACK, ON-TIME and ON-BUDGET to complete 94 major sewer projects in East Baton Rouge Parish over the next few years, greatly improving our sewer system and meeting the EPA-mandated deadline. Great sewer improvements are in the works for Sherwood Forest, which involve cleaning, closed-circuit TV inspection and testing of existing sewer pipes and manholes to identify sewer defects, followed by pipe replacement or repair.

The first of the 94 sewer projects will start construction soon - a major rehab of the sewer lines impacting 2,000 homes in the Jefferson Highway area - with remaining projects starting at a rapid-fire rate thereafter. Major work in Sherwood Forest will begin next year and continue for several years, the first work centering in the area south of Florida Boulevard, north of Old Hammond Highway, east of Sherwood Forest Boulevard and west of Woodhaven Street. A public meeting will be held next year prior to starting any work so you can see what is planned, evaluate how it affects you, and get answers to any questions you may have.

In the meantime, the Department of Public Works is still frequently working in Sherwood Forest to repair broken lines and answer complaints. If you have problems, call our "complaint hotline" by dialing 311, or call me at the mayor's office at 389-3100.

At the end of the day, Baton Rouge will have one of the best sewer systems in the United States, providing a platform to handle current needs and future growth while improving our quality of life. Baton Rouge will also, finally, be free of the federal government, which currently has control of our sewer program.

Sewers are not sexy, but if your sewer is "acting up" there is no bigger issue in the world at that moment to you or your family. Mayor Kip Holden and all in city government are committed to finally, once and for all, fixing the sewer system with a solution for the next 50 years and beyond. We have a good solution -- one that will work, and one that is on-budget. The sewer program is fully funded, and no new sewer fees are planned or even anticipated.

I grew up in Sherwood Forest and am committed to working to keep the neighborhood safe, in good repair and a great place to live, learn, worship and play. If I can ever help you or your family, please do not hesitate to call me anytime. I will always return your calls and will always help if I can.

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“Hear Ye, Hear Ye, One and All!”

Mark your calendars for the following important events:

September

- 13 *Sherwood Forest Citizens Association Newsletter Delivered*
- 20 Mayor’s Neighborhood Expo, 8 a.m. to noon, BREC Building, 7201 Florida Blvd.
- 22 Autumnal Equinox
- 20-27 Early Voting for October 4 Elections

October

- 6 Voter Registration Deadline for November 4 Election
- 4 **Election Day** – Polls open from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. -- Vote for Mayor-President, District Attorney, Metro Councilman, Judges
City-Parish Surplus Equipment Auction – 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., 15202 S. Choctaw Extension – 389-3259
Louisiana Book Festival, 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., State Capitol and surrounding area
- 12 Columbus Day Federal Holiday
- 16 *Sherwood Forest Citizens Association General Membership Meeting – 7 p.m. at the St. Thomas More Preschool, corner Sherbrook and Sylvan drives*
- 21-28 Early Voting for November 4 Elections

November

- 2 Daylight Saving Time Ends – “Fall Back”
- 4 **Election Day** – Polls open from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. – Vote for Presidential Electors, U.S. Senator and Congressman, Runoffs (as needed), Local Tax Propositions.
- 11 Veterans Day Federal Holiday
- 15 **Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day at Memorial Stadium** – Bring oil-based paint, batteries, computers, cell phones, telephones, motor oil and gasoline mixtures, oil filters, anti-freeze, used cooking oil, propane tanks.
<http://brgov.com/dept/fecycle/householdhazards.htm>.
- 24-28 Schools Closed for Thanksgiving Holidays
- 27 **Thanksgiving Day**

December

- 21 Winter Solstice
- 22 Schools Closed for Christmas Holidays/Winter Break (until January 6)
- 25 **Christmas Day**

January

- 1 **Happy New Year!** *Sherwood Forest Citizens Association 2009 Dues Payable*