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## Shoreacres Shorts

August 2007

### Shoreacres' Annual Cook-Off – Oct. 13<sup>th</sup>

The Shoreacres Civic Association invites friends and neighbors to save the date for the Shoreacres Annual Cook Off, Saturday, October 13 in Circle Park. This is the one and only fundraiser the Civic Association puts on annually to raise funds for projects in the city that enhance the “look” of the city.

With funds generated from membership dues, donations and the BBQ Cook-off, the Civic Association has helped with quite a few projects around the city. Funding the gazebo next to City Hall, partially funded the crushed granite paths next to City Hall, bought heron pilings for Heron Park and Shoreacres Blvd., facilitated the construction, placement and landscaping for the entrance sign on Shoreacres Blvd., bought all the landscaping on the esplanades of Shoreacres Blvd., the plants at City Hall, the plants and the signage for the red brick wall on Broadway, plants on the stone walls on Shoreacres Blvd and Broadway, and lastly the plants in the area next to City Hall. The BBQ in October is a community based gathering focusing on a social event to bring neighbors together. You don't have to have a cooking team to participate; there are a variety of events available to all.

For example, the Crazy Wheel parade is for anything with wheels and decorated. The Dog Costume Contest features our four legged friends. New this year, we will have a community garage

sale and craft booths. There will be BBQ sandwiches for sale. Live music from Jerry and whomever he can get up on the stage. New this year, will be a Youth Open Competition looking for our budding Emeril's in the neighborhood. And of course, a BBQ competition.

The Civic Association sponsors three events each year: The Halloween Haunted House at City Hall, the Easter Egg Hunt at Circle Park and the BBQ Cook-off at Circle Park.. Text goes here. This is the article content. Text goes here. This is the article content.

### HYC Offers Banquet Facilities

The Houston Yacht Club would like Shoreacres residents to know that its banquet facilities – good for weddings, parties, business meetings, and other special events – are open for use by non-members as well. The setting is lovely, and the prices are very competitive. If you have a special event coming up, keep it close to home and book at the Yacht Club. For more information, call Sandy at 281-471-1255.

### Board & Commission Openings

Would you like to serve on the Parks & Recreation Advisory Board? Maybe you would like to volunteer your service on the Planning & Zoning Commission?

If so, please contact City Hall at 281.471.2244 and we'll pass your name along to Mayor Washington for his consideration.