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# Shadow Creek Youth Soccer Club



Drive to practice and games in 3 minutes! Shadow Creek Soccer Club Fall registration deadline is July 31!! Ages 4-9. Fall season begins September 19 with practices beginning one or two weeks prior. Your child will play on a neighborhood team, receive a full uniform, KidSafe protection, extra free skills training if desired, and trophy. Games are Saturday mornings 8 am – noon. Practice times are set by team parents For more information, visit the Club's website at http://www.shadowcreeksoccer.org. Join the fun and register at http://www.shadowcreeksoccer.org.

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#### **EMERGENCY NUMBERS**

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Sheriff – Non-Emergency	

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Mary Marek Elementary	713-436-0180
Laura Ingalls Wilder Elementary	
Manvel Junior High	
Alvin Senior High	
Manvel High School	
Alvin ISD Administration	
Alvin ISD Transportation	

#### UTILITIES

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Gas - Center Point	713-659-2111
Trash Removal - City of Pearland	

#### **OTHER NUMBERS**

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### Hilton Garden Inn, Pearland's First Hotel & Conference Facility Now Open In Shadow Creek Ranch

The new Hilton Garden Inn® Houston/Pearland hotel and conference center facility opened its doors on May 30, 2009. The new hotel is located inside Shadow Creek Ranch at 12101 Shadow Creek Parkway in Pearland, Texas and features 137 guestrooms including 15 suites offering complimentary wired and WiFi highspeed Internet access and remote printing to the hotel's 24-hour business center. All guestrooms include the Garden Sleep SystemTM bed; Mirra® chair by Herman Miller; 32" or 37" high-definition flat screen television with Direct TV including numerous HD channels; and innovative clock radio that allows guests to play their MP3 or portable CD player. In addition, the hotel features a state-of-the-art Precor workout facility; an outdoor salt-water pool and whirlpool; a full-service restaurant and bar with al fresco patio dining; lounge; and an onsite guest laundry facility. The conference center includes more than 9,000 square-feet of flexible function/meeting space for up to 550 guests including permanent boardrooms for up to 16 people-all with high-tech capabilities.

"We are very excited at the enthusiasm and support that is being afforded to this project by Mayor Tom Reid, the Pearland Economic Development Corporation, the Pearland Area Chamber of Commerce, the Pearland Convention and Visitors Bureau and the entire community," said Yasmin Walji, vice president and manager of the new Hilton Garden Inn Houston/Pearland.

"The Hilton Garden Inn will be a great addition to the City of Pearland as it will fulfill the needs of both the business community and the local residents," says Mark Lesser, general manager. The Hilton Garden Inn Houston/Pearland features the latest hi-tech and full service venue for conferences, business meetings, weddings, reunions and special events and is situated in an easily accessible and convenient location.

To make reservations or to find out more about event facilities at the Hilton Garden Inn Houston/Pearland, please call 713-340-0110.

### **Road Construction Update**

Road construction around Shadow Creek Ranch is proceeding nicely. FM518/Broadway is now open to Windward Bay West and the Highway 288 Frontage Road is scheduled to be completed First Quarter 2010.





Community Emergency Center Pearland



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July 4th ebration of Freedom

Friday, July 4, 2009 7:00p.m.- FREE concert and stadium seating begins Carnival open Friday– Sunday Pearland High School Football Stadium, 3775 South Main

Join us in celebrating our country's birthday! This year's program will begin with an explosion of Patriotic excitement! A full size Carnival will be on site Friday - Sunday. Stadium and field seating will be available at no charge. A military salute will begin the evening's entertainment followed by the winner of our Freedom Sings talent search singing the National Anthem. The stadium will

be filled with the tunes of the Level One Band, one of Houston's best party bands, guaranteed to deliver a powerful performance specializing in Motown, Vintage Soul, Disco, Classic Rock, Jazz and Pop! At sundown enjoy a spectacular fireworks display from your seat inside the stadium. Food vendors, face painters and GLOW trinkets will be available for purchase. The concert and parking are free of charge. Tickets can be purchased for the carnival rides onsite. Parking is available at Pearland and Dawson High School. For more information call 281-

652-1673 or log onto www.pearlandparks.com.



July 10 – A Tale of Despereaux, rated G July 24 – Hotel for Dogs, rated PG August 14 – Paul Blart Mall Cop, rated PG August 28 – Monsters Vs. Aliens, rated PG

### Pearland's Independence Park, 3919 Liberty Drive, Movie starts @ Dusk

Bring your family and join us for a fun evening outdoors watching a family friendly movie on a drive in size big screen. This is a FREE event – bring your blanket, lawn chair, and picnic basket. For more information and movie titles call 281-652-1673 or log onto www.pearlandparks.com.

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## SCR Belly Dance Club

Get ready to use your feminine curvatures in the sensual art of Belly Dancing. DON'T BE SHY! COME JOIN THE FUN!

This Middle Eastern Dance is an exotic yet graceful form of dance. Isolation of the hips and midsection including undulations, locks, and shimmies are the most popular moves. Beautiful chest and arm gestures are an ideal technique to develop. Strong flexible midsection muscles are important to control the duration and power of specific moves. It is an exciting dance in which



women use their natural curvatures to interpret rhythms of instruments with the most emphasis on percussion.

**Contact/Reservations:** Miriam at miriambellydance@gmail.com or at 915.487.6474. For detailed information visit http://www. miriambellydance.com/.

**FREE** Belly Dance Crash Course Social. Thursdays July 30 & August 27 @ 7 pm. Everyone is welcome. No dancing experience required.

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### Shadow Creek Ranch Salsa Club (aka SCR Salseros)

#### Dear Friends,

Join the Latin dance revolution and become part of SCR Salseros! Would you like to learn how to dance Salsa? Think you have "two left feet" or no rhythm? Are you looking for a fun, new activity for you and your significant other? Or are you single and wanting to meet new people? We offer comprehensive, patient and humorous instruction in Latin dancing, so you can learn to dance and have a fabulous time! No dancing experience or partners required. Visit http://www.scrsalsa.com For info, please contact Christian Gutierrez via email at christian@latindancefactory.com (preferred) or via phone at 832-693-5842 for more information.

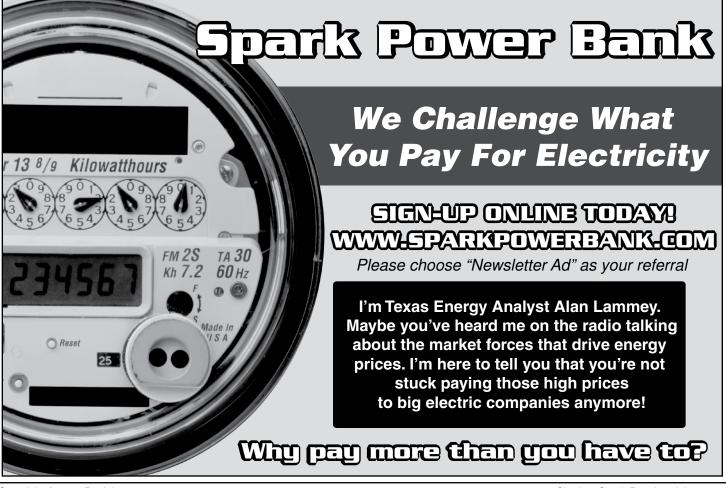


#### For your calendar (RSVP by email please)

**Saturday, July 18, 2009; 5:30pm** to 8:30pm. Salsa Social with new and existing SCRS members. Free latin class starts at 6:30pm

**Thursday, July 23, 2009; 8:30pm to midnight.** Las Haciendas (12933 Gulf FwyHouston, TX 77034) we will be hosting our monthly salsa outing.

Hope to hear from you soon. Keep on dancing! Christian



## Happy Summer Shadow Creek Ranch

The weather is hot and the kids are ready to enjoy the summer. I trust you are all feeling the excitement of summer activities, barbeques and fun time by the pool. Feel free to utilize the pavilions and barbeque areas. There is no reservation necessary – the pavilions are first come first serve. Please be considerate o f your fellow residents who have set up prior to your arrival and be sure to clean up after your event.

#### FIRST THINGS FIRST – LETS TALK ABOUT THE POOLS :

**Pool cards** – Please note that your pool cards do have a lifespan. Remember not to keep them against credit cards or other types of magnetic cards. If your card is not working, please call or email us. There is a very good chance we can assist you without you having to come into the office. There is a \$10 deposit for pool cards which must be paid by check only. We are not able to accept cash or credit cards. Please plan accordingly as we are not open on the weekends.

**Pool Parties** – You are allowed two guests per card. If you are planning on having a pool party you must contact BCole Pools at 713.553.4939 or 281.648.3349 at least two weeks prior to your celebrated event.

#### SECTION VOLUNTEERS - LET'S GET IT STARTED!

If you are interested in becoming your neighborhood representative please email me. As a neighborhood representative, some of the things you might do would be the following:

- Act as a liaison between your section and your Village Board Representatives
- Act as a liaison between your section and HOA Management to report concerns, stork reports, neighborhood news, bloc k parties etc.

This is not a Board position. It is a volunteer community support position. I am extremely excited to help you set this up. I am confident that these roles will assist you in maintaining the beautification, safety and social climate of your particular section. If you would like to recommend someone, please contact me with that information as well.

## SOLICITING – Here's what the City of Pearland said "Sec. 3-13. Prohibited where properly posted.

No person shall throw, deposit or distribute any handbill upon any private premises, if requested by anyone thereon not to do so,

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or if there is placed on such premises a sign bearing the words: "No Trespassing," "No Peddlers or Agents," "No Advertisement," or any similar notice, indicating in any manner that the occupants of such premises do not wish to have their right of privacy disturbed, or to have any handbills left upon such premises.

#### **TENNIS COURTS**

The online tennis reservation system is undergoing a few changes. You may log in and reserve your court and you must allow 24 hours for your reservation to be confirmed. Please note that reservations made on a Friday will not be confirmed until the following Monday. There have been some issues with the both courts being utilized for 3-4 hours at a time by the same residents(s) on a re-occurring basis. Now that we are investigating this to ensure that all residents have access as best possible. We are also working vigorously to set up a structured tennis program for novice and experienced players.

#### PROPERTY MAINTENANCE

You know I have to include some words on this subject. Again, the level of maintenance you give to your personal property is a reflection on your neighborhood. Be considerate of your neighbors and keep your yard mowed, edged, de-weeded and shrubs trimmed. As the sun is hot, remember that all life is sustained by water. As I mention every month, email myself at Msmith@amitx.com or Kimberly at Kcartwright@amitx.com to report any violations.

#### ARCHITECTURAL CHANGES

As beautiful as it may be, most of your exterior modifications and improvements require review by the Architectural Committee. It is better to ask if you need approval than to make changes that are not in accordance with your bylaws. Changing it back to its original state, or re-amending your changes to comply with the bylaws will be at your expense. A phone call may be worth a lot of money! Some, but not all, of the things requiring approval are as follows:

Modifications to : fences, landscaping, exterior paint, curb numbers, lawn sculptures and decorative art, pool or pond installation.

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Binita Mandal, MD



### Dr. Binita Mandal returns to Pearland!

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### **Neighborhood Notes**

FM518 is now open to Windward Bay West.

- Highway 288 Frontage Road is scheduled to be completed First Quarter 2010.
- <u>OLD ALVIN RD. at MARY'S CREEK</u> will be closed from June 15, 2009 through September 2009 for the reconstruction of the street bridge over Mary's Creek. This work is scheduled to coincide with the closure of Old Alvin Rd. at John Lizer Rd., and the summer closure of Alexander Middle School.
- <u>OLD ALVIN RD.</u> will be open to LOCAL TRAFFIC ONLY through Swensen Rd. Drivers traveling South on Old Alvin Rd. will be detoured East on Walnut St. to Main St. (SH35), or West on Walnut St. to Broadway (FM 518).
- <u>THE CITY</u> encourages the public to please obey the 30 MPH work zone speed limit, use patience and caution as the area is a construction zone. We apologize in advance for any inconvenience this may cause. Thank you.

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