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2012 Spring Egg-Stravaganza

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The 2012 Annual Spring Egg-Stravaganza was our largest to date! We want to send a special thank you to Boy Scout Troop 1922 for doing such a wonderful job at hiding 8000 eggs. Those eggs were no challenge for the scouts; they found hiding placed in the trees and bushes at beautiful Club Summerwood. Little ones and big ones alike had fun searching out the special prize eggs. Along with all the egg hunt fun, we had a Ferris wheel, petting zoo, jump houses, games, crafts and so much fun with the Easter Bunny! Come join us for our next big fun!



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Sometimes a kitchen update can mean doing just a few minor changes. Change the paint color to a warm, neutral tone. Get rid of any clutter. Update your appliances, paint your cabinets, change the pulls, or get a high-end looking counter for a fraction of the cost (faux-granite or lower end granite). You might even save a bundle by doing much of the work yourself.

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- Craps
- Roulette
- Texas Hold 'em
- ♠ Food/Drinks
- Prizes

Event Information:

- May 18, 2012
- Resident's Club Central
- ♦ 8:00pm-11:00pm
- Dress: Business Casual
- \$10 per person or \$15 per couple.
- 10,000 in chips for each player with entry fee
- For each 5,000 in chips "cashed in" you will receive a ticket to place in any of the prize boxes for a chance to win that prize!
- Additional chips are available for purchase.

\$5 = 5,000 in chips \$10 = 10,000 in chips

Please detach bottom portion and submit with payment. Registrations can be dropped in the HOA drop Box at Resident's Club Central or mailed to CIA Services: 8811 FM 1960 Bypass Ste. #200, Humble, TX 77338 Attn: Angela Douglas

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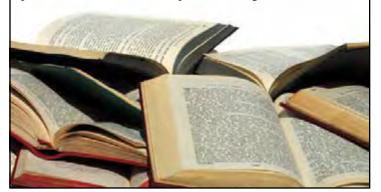
The Summerwood Beautification Committee looks forward to receiving residential nominations for a beautiful yard in your neighborhood that you would like to recognize!

The nominations should be emailed to summerwoodnewsletter@ gmail.com and must be received by the 8th of each month. Please include the name and address of the resident and submit a jpeg photo with your nomination.



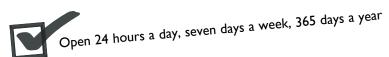
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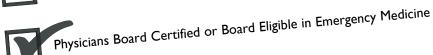
We would like to invite you to join the Summerwood Book Club; we are always open to new members! Meeting monthly in members) homes, we read a variety of books, from historical fiction to biographies to thrillers. For May we are reading West With the Night by Beryl Markham. We meet on the 4th Tuesday of every month. If you would like to join us or want more information, please contact Pam Matula at pam.matula@gmail.com.

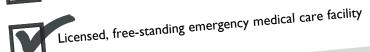


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Information for residents.... from the Summerwood Pool Committee

As the calendar turns to May and the temperatures begin to rise outside from hot to unbearable, it can only mean one thing – pool season has arrived! Your pool committee has been hard at work over the winter months making additions and improvements to all aquatic facilities in the hopes of increasing your enjoyment this summer.

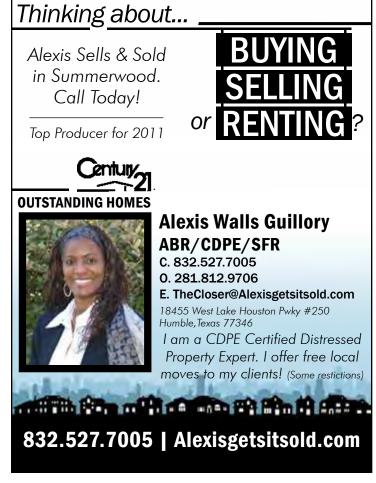
We started by adding more furniture in the form of additional picnic tables with umbrellas as well as some new lounge chairs. We then began fixing items such as the slide at East as well as replacing some pumps at central. After that, bike racks were installed at East as well as a shade structure at the Splash Pad. To top it off, we resurfaced the zero entry area at Central and the baby pool at East. Those improvements, along with the repainted water features at both East and Central, should give our pools a fresh look for the summer.

If you have not picked up your 2012 blue and orange wristbands -- you need to. Simply go to summerwoodlife.com and look

under the 2012 Pool Information tab to find out everything from wristband pickup times and locations to pool hours and rules. Please remember that beginning May 5th the lifeguards will be enforcing the wristband policy.

Your Summerwood Pool Committee hopes everyone has a refreshing, safe, and fun pool season. Please report any problems to the GHPM guards, to CIA Services or to your Summerwood Pool Committee at: swpool.committee@gmail.com depending on the urgency of the concern. Please note that your pool committee is comprised of seven volunteer residents so there can sometimes be a delay in response time. The Pool Committee is here to serve you and we truly appreciate observations, suggestions, and feedback. We usually meet the 3rd Thursday of every month at 8:00pm in the Central clubhouse. Summerwood residents are ALWAYS welcome.







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By Barbara Probandt

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The fall classes begin the week of September 4th and run through November 16th. Some of the courses will be an hour or two and only run for one or two days. Some classes may run 6 weeks, 8 weeks, or the full 10 weeks contingent on the content/ subject matter and the availability of the instructor. There will be a variety of courses offered that would be of interest to senior adults.

Anyone having a special area of expertise that would interest senior adults is encouraged to apply to volunteer as an instructor and prepare the content for a class. For more details and information on this program you may contact Barbara Probandt, Summerwood area ALL advisory representative, at protexan@ entouch.net ...or Pat Chandler, LSC Continuing Education Department at pat.chandler@lonestar.edu



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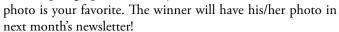
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Thanks Community For Your Support!

The Lakeshore Elementary 2nd Annual Community Carnival was held in partnership with Kids R Kids and Summer Creek Baptist church on Saturday, March 24th. This event is held as a fundraiser for the school but also a portion of the proceeds will be donated to Helping a Hero (see additional information at http://www. helpingahero.org). The carnival was well attended, the weather was beautiful, and so much fun was had by all that came!

Lakeshore Elementary School's PTO cannot express enough

gratitude to the community and the many generous sponsors that help put this event together. There were over 25 small business vendors on site as well. The PTO would like to acknowledge and give special thanks to our gold level sponsors.

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Summerwood Elementary Annual Science Fair!

Summerwood held its annual science fair in February. For the first time this year, all students in grades K-5 were eligible to participate. The top three projects from each grade level then participated in the Humble ISD District Science Fair on March 30th. Summerwood was well represented by all of our students. We are especially proud of Kaylie Lyle, one of our 5th grade students, pictured with her trophy. Her project, "Let the Music Play or Not" placed first in show for the grade level and was the 3rd place overall winner.



2012 PROJECT GRADUATION SUMMER CREEK HIGH SCHOOL

Trey Kraemer, Principal 14000 Weckford Blvd, Houston, TX 77044 | 281.641.5400 FAX: 281.641.5417

Project Graduation is a chaperoned, all-night, alcohol and drug-free party hosted by the students' parents and school faculty. It is exclusively for the graduating seniors and promotes the message that celebrating without alcohol, cigarettes, and drugs is the right choice. The event is held on graduation night from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. the next morning. Our goal is to provide an evening of safety and fun on graduation night for both the graduating seniors and the community.

The Class of 2012 will be the first graduating class at Humble School District's newest high school, Summer Creek. Please consider a monetary donation, a sponsorship, and/or an item to be awarded to the seniors attending this event. The first graduating class consists of approximately 350 students and it is our goal to provide a gift to each one of them during the event.

Project Graduation is a non-profit, 501 (c) (3) tax-exempt organization. We do not receive any funding from the school or the Humble ISD budget. The Project Graduation effort reflects the community at its best - people and local businesses with diverse backgrounds working closely together toward providing for the safety and well-being of these young adults as they transition to the next stage of their lives.

Please consider a gift or donation to assist in this endeavor. The graduating class of 2012 of Summer Creek High School thanks you for your consideration!

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