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# NIGHT OUT

# National Night Out (NNO) is a community building campaign designed to:

- Heighten crime prevention awareness
- Generate support for, and participation in, local anti-crime programs
- Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships
- Send a message to criminals letting them know that neighborhoods are organized and fignting back.

It's always a good idea to know your neighbors and feel sure that there are several sets of eyes watching the neighborhood. This year plan to come out and meet your neighbors, pick up some information about activities and even meet and hear from one of the Brazoria County Sheriffs deputies who may visit with recommendations about how to keep your home safe. This year National Night will be held Tuesday, October 6, 2015. Watch the website www.silverlakehoa.com for specific and individual neighborhood locations and times. Help to make Silverlake a great place to live.





Start getting your creative juices flowing and participate in the Silverlake Annual Halloween Decorating Contest. Ghosts & goblins, pumpkins and witches will be seen in great numbers. If you would like to have your home judged, please send your name, address and phone number to Silverlakehoa@gmail.com by October 25, 2015. Judging will begin on Wednesday, October 28, 2015 and continue until all entries have been judged. The lucky winner will receive \$100 cash and a picture in the November newsletter, along with bragging rights for the year. Good Luck!

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## SILVERLAKE HOA INFO

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The Silverlake News is mailed monthly to all Silverlake HOA residents. Residents, community groups, schools, etc., are welcome to submit information. Personal news is also welcome. All submissions will be reviewed for content and approved by the Board of Directors and Newsletter Committee Chair. The deadline for submission is the 8th of the month before publication.

# SILVERCREST PTA

It's October already and we're looking forward to a fabulous Fall at Silvercrest, there's lots of spook-tacular things going on so please get involved whenever you can! Go Stallions!

#### **PTA GENERAL MEETING**

Please take note that our next general meeting will take place on Thursday, November 12th 2015, at 6.30pm in the school cafeteria. Our PTA does great work and we look forward to seeing old friends and new, so come along and find out how the PTA works on behalf of our school.

#### PTA MEMBERSHIP

Please remember to join our PTA! We are so proud of the number of parents who get involved, but there's always room for more! By joining PTA, you are helping support the students, staff, and parents of Silvercrest Elementary School. The membership dues are \$10, which helps fund many activities and resources. If you would like more information, please contact Lindsay Rodriguez at lindsayhope00@Hotmail.com.

#### FALL SPIRIT NIGHTS

Silvercrest families, save these dates for Fall fun! Spirit nights are so important in raising funds and a really easy way for you to contribute. Eat at the restaurants below on the date listed, and the restaurants will kindly donate funds back to our school. We will remind you of these Spirit Nights by sending home flyers in your students' folders, listing them on the marquee, and through our school website. Come and join in, it's terrific seeing Silvercrest friends and enjoying great food!

Tues. Oct. 6th: Gringo's Wed. Oct. 14th: Chick-Fil-A Tues. Oct. 20th: Papa John's Wed. Nov. 4th: Smashburger Tues. Nov. 17th: Whataburger Tues. Dec. 1st: Jason's Deli Wed. Dec. 16th: Papa John's

#### FUNDRAISING

Thanks to everyone who took part in our Fall fundraiser with Big Kahuna. They had some fantastic items on sale, and your goodies will be ready for pick up on Thursday, 22nd October from 4:00pm – 7:00pm. Please make sure you're able to come and get your order during this time. All orders must be picked up on this day, the school does not have freezer space to hold any unclaimed food items. Profits from our fundraiser will help fund some of our students and teachers' favorite programs like Field Day, AR store, teacher appreciation events and much more, so thanks again for your support! If you have any questions, please contact Maritza Wong at maritza\_wong@sbcglobal.net.

#### FALL PTA IN THE PARK

Join us for a fun family night out at PTA in the Park sponsored by Silvercrest PTA on Thursday, October 29th from 5:30pm-7:00pm at the park next door to the school. There will be food trucks, games, contests, bounce houses and lots of fun for the entire family. If the weather decides not to cooperate, the event will be held in the school cafeteria, so make

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Do you know who hit the radar sign on Northfork @ Amberly Ct. the night of August 26th? The Silverlake HOA is offering a \$5,000.00 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons responsible for hitting the sign and removing it from its Northfork location.

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sure to come along, rain or shine! Not only is this a great event but it also raises money for our PTA programs and school resources. More information will come home in the children's folders in October.

#### **BOOK FAIR**

We love encouraging our students to enjoy reading here at Silvercrest! One of the highlights of our reading activities is our Book Fair to be held November 2nd -4th from 7:30am-2:30pm and November 5th from 7:30am – 6:30pm. This is a great opportunity for our students to buy some fantastic new books. During the weeks leading up to the Book Fair, the children will be watching a video during their class library time of this year's highlighted books. They will also be bringing home a Book Fair flyer, so look out for this in your child's folder. The children can then write their Book Fair wish lists of the books they would like to purchase. Your child's teacher can let you know when their class will be visiting Book Fair.

Please note that parents cannot pull their child out of class to shop, but they are welcome to shop with their child during their class's time at Book Fair. Alternatively, parents have the option to come in before school and shop with their child, or come after school until 6:30pm on Thursday, November 5th for the late night. This is great way for parents to share in the experience and help your child select from the huge number of titles and other items available at the Book Fair. We will also need many volunteers to help with Book Fair set-up and during the week of the event. Please contact Myra Tijerina at myratijerina@yahoo.com for more information. Hope to see you all there!

#### **COMMUNITY OUTREACH / FOOD DRIVE**

Time to give something back to the wonderful community we live in. Silvercrest Elementary PTA fall food drive benefiting the Pearland Neighborhood Center will be held November2nd through 13th. Information about what items will be collected this year will be sent home with students. The grade level that brings in the most items will be recognized with a healthy snack. Thanks in advance for your generous participation in this food drive! If you have questions, please contact Shelley Waguespack, Community Outreach Chair, at 713-516-7285 or sandswaguespack@yahoo.com.

#### NATIONAL WALK TO SCHOOL DAY

Want to help the environment and get some exercise at the same time? Silvercrest is proud to support National Ride Your Walk Or Ride Your Bike to School Day on Wednesday, October 7th, so get your walking shoes on or get on your bike and take part!

#### **STEP READING TUTORS NEEDED**

STEP is a program that pairs up adult volunteers with first grade students who need extra support in learning to read. This program is a wonderful and really rewarding way to become involved at Silvercrest, and the time commitment is only 30 minutes per week. If you are interested in helping us with the program, please contact Staci DeKunder at sdekunder@gmail.com.



# ALL PETS OFF YOUR PROPERTY MUST BE ON A LEASH

Please be advise all pets are required to be on a leash when off your property per Brazoria County i.e. cats, dogs to report any violators please contact Sherita Jeter at Sherita.jeter@stservices.com please provide the homeowners address so that we can send out notification to the pets owner(s). Also per the Conditions, Covenants and Restrictions for the community there are only "common household pets allowed, not to exceed a total of two (2) pets, may be permitted in a Dwelling".

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# **HOST AN EXCHANGE STUDENT!**

Hosting an International Exchange Student is such a great experience for all of those involved. It leads to a better understanding between individuals of other cultures, hopefully branching its way out to a more peaceful global society. But don't just take my word about it, read about Nelva's experience and understanding of the exchange program.

"I'm so lucky to have been placed with a great host family in Texas! The best part is when we share each other's cultures and have a lot of quality time together. I'm blessed to have chance to study in American High School. Being an exchange student is hard. For the first couple days it was hard because I didn't know anybody, the moving class system is new for me and sometimes it's hard to understand what they say. But America is really friendly and handy so I got a lot of help from them. From the exchange program, people can really get to know each other, people start to respect each other and we can start a new chapter to have a better world."

So if you want to enrich your life, host an exchange student!

Nelva is from Indonesia and is spending the academic year here in Texas as part of the Kennedy-Lugar Youth Exchange and Study (YES) program. This program is funded by the US Department of State which provides scholarships for secondary school students from countries with significant Muslim populations. As part of her program year, Nelva is required to perform at least 60 hours of community service (however most YES students hours amount to hundreds of hours) and continue working with the program in her home country.

Our application process for the 2016 Spring Semester and 2016/2017 academic year will soon be opening. School spots in our area tend to fill up rather quickly, so get your application in early to host one of these amazing students!

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For more information about hosting a high school foreign exchange student, please contact your local representative Vicki Odom at 832.455.7881 or vodom@ayusa.org or Ayusa at 1.888.552.9872 or by visiting the website at www.ayusa.org.



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