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*The Official Newsletter of The Lakewood Forest Civic Association, Inc.* 

# LAKEWOOD FOREST CIVIC ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION

## ...we will be electing five officers and three board members.

The Civic Association's annual meeting for all members will be held on **Monday**, **October 12**, 7 p.m. at the Lakewood Residents' Club located at 15006 Lakewood Forest Drive. In addition to presenting our 2020 – 2021 Budget for approval by the membership, we will be electing five officers and three board members.

If you would like to nominate someone, including yourself, to serve your neighborhood or would like more information, please call/text Jodi Cole at 832-584-0670 or email to lakewoodforestcivicassociation@gmail.com.

Any resident of Lakewood Forest who is a member in good standing of the Civic Association may run for the above positions. To be in good standing, one must be a resident and have paid their \$10 annual membership dues for the membership year that begins September 1.

If you have an idea or suggestion for the Civic Association regarding new activities/ projects you'd like to see, or ways to improve our current activities/projects, please let us know by coming to the Annual Meeting, or by calling one of the Officers/Board Members listed on the inside front cover of this *Civic News*.





# NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

It's time for our National Night Out event sponsored by the Lakewood Forest Civic Association! Save the date for FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9 from 6-9 p.m.

Due to the fluctuating COVID-19 circumstances, the LFCA is tentatively planning a socially distanced event. The plans are still in the making, however our board is working tirelessly to create a fun and safe event for residents to get out to meet their neighbors and local first responders. We will have some goodies and treats for the kids. Please keep a lookout for updates in the newsletter and/or social media.

> LAKEWOOD FOREST GARAGE SALE November 6, 7 & 8



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The office is located at 12415 Louetta Road, Cypress, 77429, and is open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The Lakewood Forest Fund uses the yearly maintenance fee to pay for street lights, trash and recycling pick-up, maintenance of common grounds, mosquito fogging, and security provided by Harris County Precinct 4 Deputies. Deed restriction and architectural control matters are also to be referred to the Board at the above address.

Monthly meeting information will be posted on the Fund website.



#### LAKEWOOD FOREST IS A DEED RESTRICTED COMMUNITY.

#### Get ACC Approval Before Building!

Lakewood Forest is a Deed Restricted community. The Fund's Architectural Control Committee (ACC) must approve all exterior remodeling and building projects before the project begins. The Fund has the necessary legal authority to enforce this rule.



The Lakewood Forest Fund has a contract with Harris County Precinct 4's Contract Deputy Program. We have one Lieutenant, one Corporal and three Deputies working approximately 70 percent of their time for Lakewood Forest, and 30 percent for Harris County.

> Vacation Watch Form: www.cd4.hctx.net

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#### Trash Reminder

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#### LAKEWOOD RESIDENTS' CLUB 15006 Lakewood Forest Drive

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If you know someone who would enjoy receiving a package from their neighbors here in Lakewood Forest, please send an email to Linda Musthaler at lmusthaler@sbcglobal.net or call her at 832-247-5854. Last year we sent packages to 10 service members serving in the US or abroad. It's up to you to nominate the recipients. They must be on active military duty away from home.



(photos taken from previous years)

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#### Categories

Burglary Habitation:0
Burglary Vehicle: 1
Theft Habitation:0
Theft Vehicle: 0
Theft Other: 0
Robbery: 0
Assault:0
Sexual Assault: 0
Criminal Mischief: 2
Disturbance Family: 1
Disturbance Juvenile: 0
Disturbance Other: 0
Alarms:10
Suspicious Vehicles:
Suspicious Persons: 4
Runaways:0
Phone Harassment: 0
Other Calls: 612

#### **Detailed Statistics**

Contract Calls	439
District Calls	93
Reports Taken	33
Felony Arrests	0
Misdemeanor Arrests	1
Tickets Issued	110
Recovered Property	0
Charges Filed	1
Mileage Driven	4248

# **CONSTABLE'S CORNER**

#### Summary of Events

14200 block of Lakewood Forest Drive – Deputies responded to Richard Taylor Park, where it was reported by the complainant unknown suspect(s) broke the complainant's vehicle window out, stole items and fled the scene undetected. Case open pending further investigation.

12500 block of Wealdstone Drive – Deputies responded to location where it was reported that unknown suspect(s) damaged the complainant's back door to their home. Case open pending further investigation.

14900 block of Timberlark Drive – Deputies responded to location where it was reported that unknown suspect(s) damaged the complainant's back door to their home. Case open pending further investigation.

11500 block of Hylander Drive – DWI – Deputies conducted a traffic stop and the driver was arrested for operating a motor vehicle on a public roadway while intoxicated.

11400 block of Squiredale Drive – Deputies responded to location in reference to a fraudulent use of ID, where it was reported by the complainant unknown suspect(s) opened a Best Buy account using the complainant's information to make unauthorized purchases. Case closed due to no leads.

11600 block of Laneview Drive – Deputies responded to location in reference to a fraudulent use of ID, where it was reported by the complainant unknown suspect(s) applied for unemployment benefits using the complainant's information. Case closed due to no leads.

12400 block of Normont Drive – Deputies responded to location in reference to a fraudulent use of ID, where it was reported by the complainant unknown suspect(s) applied for unemployment benefits using the complainant's information. Case closed due to no leads.

12700 block of Chriswood Drive – Deputies responded to location in reference to a credit card abuse, where it was reported by the complainant unknown suspect(s) used his credit card information to make unauthorized purchases online. Case closed due to no leads.







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Time flies! Summer is quickly turning to fall with a greater emphasis now on gardening in the cooler months ahead. We hope you and yours have been healthy and have found ways to safely enjoy the summer months.

#### Garden Club Meetings

Lakewood Forest Garden Club typically resumes its regular meeting schedule in September where plans for the new year are laid out by our leaders. This year much of the planning is being done in virtual meetings and we will see how things go for general meetings this fall.

#### Yard of the Month

A decision has been reached to postpone judging for the fall and to resume next spring. Plans are for garden club members to judge yards for March, April, and May.

#### 2020 Fall Plant Sale Lakewood Forest Garden Club

It's hot and no one wants to work in their gardens, but fall is coming and we are all going to be wishing for lots of pretty fall color. Just in time, here comes the Lakewood Forest Garden Club Plant Voucher Sale. It is the only fundraising project done by the garden club each year and it helps us support the many charities and organizations in our area like the ones mentioned in previous newsletters and highlighted in the August 2020 issue.

Plant vouchers will be available from members from September 14 until November 6. The vouchers may be redeemed at Plants For All Seasons on Highway 249 from October 1 until November 22. Prices will remain the same as last year. You will have your choice of many beautiful fall plants including favorites like pansies, snapdragons and many others. When you go to redeem your voucher, Plants For All Seasons also can assist you in picking groupings of different plants that will look wonderful in your garden.

One nice thing about the voucher sale is that you do not have to pick up all your plants at the same time. You may also use

the voucher to purchase items like the seven-pound jars of MicroLife fertilizer, hard wood mulch, and four-inch pots of cyclamen. The container of MicroLife fertilizer can also be refilled at Plants For All Seasons at a reduced price as often as you need.

If you have bought vouchers from a friend or neighbor in the garden club before, please give them a call and let them know you are looking forward to purchasing again.

For more information, please call Becky Bailey at 713-306-8707.

We truly appreciate your support of Lakewood Forest Garden Club





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## **GARDENING HINTS FROM SHERRI**

#### September To-Do List

This time of the year fall is in the air!

#### In the Lawn

Water well but less often. With shorter days and cooler nights – begin to reduce the amount of water applied as needed. Avoid watering in the evenings if possible to prevent fungal diseases. It's time to feed your lawn to get it recovered from summer. Watch for chinch bug damage and brown patches and treat it as soon as possible with the appropriate product. If you're not sure what's happening in your grass, bring in samples and pictures to the nursery, or email me at sherriharrah@yahoo.com and I'll be happy to help diagnose it for you.

#### In the Flowerbeds

Refresh your flowerbeds and containers: It's time for snapdragons, dianthus, mums, petunias, lobelia, crotons, and more. This is my favorite time to plant flowers! Our fall flowers, for the most part, will last through the winter! You get so much bang for your buck this time of year!

#### In the Veggie Garden

It's time to start your fall vegetable garden. Early September is your last chance to get tomatoes and peppers in the ground. Cool-season vegetables such as these can be planted directly in the garden from seed or transplants: Cauliflower, broccoli, Brussels sprouts, cabbage, kale, mustard, lettuce, and kohlrabi. These plants can be planted September through January. Look for seeds or transplants to add to your garden. Maintain watering on newly planted seeds and transplants. Do not rely on your sprinkler system! Get out the hose and hand water the first two weeks after planting.

#### Hummingbirds

Migrating hummingbirds can be found at your feeders and natural nectar sources. Keeping feeders clean, filled, and in a shady area will encourage visitors

> Get Your Green On! Sherri Harrah



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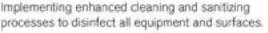


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The men's teams play Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings and are part of the Houston North Suburban Tennis League.

The women's teams play in three leagues – the Ladies Night League plays on Monday evenings, the Northwest Women's Tennis League plays on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, and the Jackrabbit League plays on Friday mornings.

If you're interested in joining a team, you just need to be a year-round club member, be available one of those times, and have your own tennis racquet. The league fees are very low, normally running less than \$20 per player per season. Please contact Shannon at lakewoodresidentsclub@gmail.com and she will put you in contact with the appropriate team and get you signed up to become a LRC member.

## See you on the courts!





# **SEPTEMBER 2020**

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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

#### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Wednesdays	Trash & Recycling Pickup
Saturdays	Trash Pickup
September 7	Labor Day
September 11	Newsletter Deadline





## **GOOD LUCK** this School Year!

Call now to schedule your appointment





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