



Welcome Note

If you are new to the Sandybrook Neighborhood, we would like to welcome you as a new resident. You are invited, homeowners and renters, to become an active member of the association. Your input is needed. Please forward any comments, suggestions, and ideas to sandybrookna@yahoo.com or bring them to the meeting. The deadline for newsletter articles & ads is the 3rd of each month.



Teen Curfew violations

City of Fort Worth Teen Curfew hours:

- Sunday through Thursday 11:00pm — 6:00am.
- Friday & Saturday 12:00 midnight — 6:00am.

Municipal Ordinance Sec. 23-19. Curfew hours for minors.

Curfew hours means:

- * 11:00 p.m. on any Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday until 6:00 a.m. of the following day; and
- * 12:01 a. m. until 6:00 a.m. on any Saturday or Sunday.

Date of the adoption of this section means April 6, 2004.

- * Establishment means any privately-owned place of business operated for a profit to which the public is invited, including but not limited to any place of amusement or entertainment.
- * Minor means any person under seventeen (17) years of age.

Bulk Trash Dates

As a reminder bulk trash may only be set out the weekend before the first Monday of the month. The next set out date is June 29 -July 1 for pickup beginning on July 2.

Quote to Note:

There has never yet been a man in our history who led a life of ease whose name is worth remembering - Theodore Roosevelt

SNA MEETING NOTICE

When: Thursday June 21, 2007.
Where: East Regional Library at 6301 Bridge Street. Front meeting room
Time: 7pm - 8pm
Agenda Items:

Future meeting date: July 19, 2007
East Regional Library at 6301 Bridge Street.
Front meeting room

We will have light refreshments at each meeting. Anyone may bring refreshments to share. We suggest crackers, soda, or donations for future meetings. Simple snacks with easy cleanup preferred.



**Bridge Street
Animal Clinic**
Caring for Dogs & Cats
817-457-7387

**SERVICES
OFFERED**

Diagnostic Surgical Dental
Vaccinations
Prescription Diets
Medications
Radiology Boarding Grooming

Boarding?
We Have
Cat Condos
Dog Kennel
Exercise Area

Hours Mon-Fri 7-6 Sat 8-Noon

Call **817-457-PETS (7387)** for an appointment
===== **5621 Bridge St.** =====

FIREWORKS - Leave them for the Pro's

The Fort Worth Fire Department would like to remind residents and visitors that the private use of fireworks is not only dangerous but also illegal within the City of Fort Worth. The sale, discharge, or even possession of fireworks in Fort Worth, as well as, within 5,000 feet of the Fort Worth city limits, is a Class "C" misdemeanor. It is punishable by a fine of up to \$2,000. Any fireworks discovered will be confiscated and destroyed.

- More than 9,500 fireworks injuries are treated in U.S. hospital emergency rooms each year. Approximately 50% occur among those under 15 years of age.
- Fireworks cause over 24,000 fires in the U.S. each year resulting in an estimated \$17,000,000 in property damage. The period surrounding the July 4th holiday accounts for nearly two-thirds of all fireworks related fires.
- One of the most interesting facts about fireworks deals with sparklers. These seemingly innocent items, which adults routinely put into the hands of our youngest children, burn at 1,800° F, a temperature hot enough to melt gold.

Fire and Police personnel will be on patrol throughout the July 4th holiday period targeting firework violations. To report a violation call 817-922-3000, DO NOT call 9-1-1.

Want an easy way to insure a safe July 4th holiday? Attend one of the many public fireworks displays in our area and leave the fireworks to the professionals.

BIRTHDAY CORNER

This section is to recognize and to say "Happy Birthday" to people who are celebrating a birthday this month. If you would like to have your name listed please send us your name and birth month.

The birthdays for June are:

- Dawn Hebert
- Miriam Jimenez
- Wanda Schmidt
- Kathy Wilson



Treasurer Report For May

Beginning Balance	- \$577.27
Event Income	- \$23.00
Donations	- \$0.00
Membership Dues	- \$0.00
Newsletter Donations	- \$0.00
Newsletter Ads	- \$60.00
Meeting Place Expense	- (\$30.00)
Newsletter Expenses	- (\$0.00)
Ending Balance	- \$630.27

Crime Report for April year to date totals 2007 and 2006.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>STREET</u>	<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>CALL DESC</u>
04/03/2007	23:43	SANDSTONE DR.	FAMILY OFFENSES	INTERFERENCE WITH CHILD CUSTODY
04/17/2007	16:20	SUNFLOWER CIR. N.	BURGLARY	FORCED ENTRY IN FRONT DOOR - BURGLARY OF HABITATION
04/19/2007	01:10	SANDYBROOK DR.	CRM MISCHIEF	CP EXHUSBAND BROKE CP BOYFRIENDS VEHICLES WINDOWS
04/25/2007	20:29	SANDYBROOK DR.	SEX OFFENSES	AGGRAVATED SEXUAL ASSAULT (CHILD - NO FORCE)

TOTAL CRIMES FOR APRIL - 4

<u>TOTAL CRIMES FOR</u>	<u>2006 - 42</u>	<u>TOTAL FOR 2007 - 23</u>	<u>YR TO YR CHANGE - -19, 45.2%</u>	
AGG ASSAULT	- 0	0	0	0%
ARSON	- 0	0	0	0%
ASSAULT	- 7	2	- 5	- 71.4%
AUTO THEFT	- 1	1	0	0%
BURGLARY	- 11	2	- 9	-81.8%
CRM MISCHIEF	- 8	4	- 4	- 50%
CRM TRESPASS	- 2	1	- 1	- 50%
DISORDERLY CND	- 0	2	+ 2	+ 200%
DRUG OFFENSES	- 0	0	0	0%
EVADING ARREST	- 0	0	0	0%
FALSE REPORT	- 0	0	0	0%
FAMILY OFFENSES	- 0	3	+ 3	+ 300%
FORGERY	- 1	1	0	0%
FRAUD	- 2	0	- 2	- 100%
HARASSMENT	- 3	1	- 2	-66.7%
MISC CITY ORDINANCES	- 0	0	0	0%
OBSTRUCTION/RETALIATION	- 0	0	0	0%
OTHER OFFENSE	- 0	1	+ 1	+ 100%
ROBBERY	- 1	0	- 1	- 100%
RUNAWAY	- 1	0	- 1	- 100%
SEX OFFENSES	- 1	1	0	0%
THEFT	- 4	4	0	0%

We are down by 19 crimes or 45.2% for 2007. For April we are down 6 crime or 60%. Let's continuing working together to bring this number down for 2007. Please report any criminal activity you see. Provide as much detail and description as possible. For more detailed year to date comparisons, visit the web site, which includes number of crimes by street for 2001 - 2005.

Citizens On Patrol

Next C.O.P. Training Dates:

- July 10 & 17 6pm -10pm 5650 E. Lancaster
- July 14 8am - 4pm 1000 Calvert - PD Academy
- Aug 11 8am - 4pm 5650 E. Lancaster

If you are interested in being a part of C.O.P or want more information please contact:
 Tim Hess 817-429-5916 or
 Officer John Choyce 817-451-2332.

Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC)/NPD #4

A monthly Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC)/NPD #4 meeting is being held at the East Regional Library on Bridge St. on the last Thursday of the month. The meeting begins with a free snack at 5:45 PM, and the program runs from 6-7:00p.m.. Next meeting date is July 26. If you would like to know what is happening in our NPD attend this meeting.
 Meeting for June has been cancelled.

Classified Ads - Personal or Business

If you are interested in placing an ad in the newsletter and on the web site, please contact us. A standard ad in the newsletter is available for \$5 for personal & \$10 for business per month. The ad must be paid in advance by the newsletter deadline. Other sizes are available at additional cost. See the web site for more details.

Disclaimer:

Any advertisements that are placed in the newsletter do not suggest or imply that we, the association or Officers, officially endorse or recommend the business. We will do our best to prevent any fraudulent advertisements from being placed. If you discover any advertisement that is a fraud let us know. Thanks.

Funny Corner

WHEN a friend's grandmother had a 95th birthday, relatives flew to Texas from all over the country to celebrate. One daughter, Emily who was 70 was flying in from San Diego and called the airline ticket agent to request a senior-citizen discount. Since proof of age is required, she asked the clerk what he would accept. "How about a note from your mother?" he said jokingly. A few days later, Emily arrived at the airport with a note from her mother attesting to her age. As she handed it to the amused clerk, Emily commented, "It's not often a seventy-year-old woman has to have a note from her mother to do anything."

--Contributed to "Life In These United States"

Sandybrook Neighborhood Association's Officers

President - Sue Ireland - 817-496-9677
 Vice President - Open
 Treasurer - Open
 Secretary - Angelia Hill - 817-457-5256

Appointed Directors:

Crime Prevention - Tim Hess - 817-429-5916
 Event - Buck Rios - 817-496-3637
 Fundraising - Open
 Membership - Open

Sandybrook WebSite

www.sandybrookna.com

Yahoo Group

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/sandybrookneighborhood/>

Email

sandybrookna@yahoo.com

Association Dues

We are collecting membership dues. The dues are \$20 per year with the membership year being from July to June, prorated at \$1 per month beginning in Aug. Contact an officer for more information. The dues are per house, not per person. Homeowners and renters may join the association. Please make checks payable to "Sandybrook Neighborhood Association". We encourage everyone to participate in one form or another in the association. Our goal is to improve the quality of life in this neighborhood.

The dues are used to pay for the cost of using the library for our meetings, newsletters, and the neighborhood events.

Thank you to everyone who pays their dues, attends the meetings, and participates in the events.

We have a new mailing address: Sandybrook Neighborhood Association P.O. Box 185464 Fort Worth, TX 76181

Burglary and Auto Theft

Contributing elements and indicators of a possible crime in progress:

1. darkness- Night or poor lighting.
2. low visibility- unkempt yards, shrubs, etc.
3. open or unlocked windows and doors, including the garage.
4. obvious signs of no one being home.
5. the sound of breaking glass.
6. the continuous barking of dogs.
7. hang-up calls.