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SHEPHERD PARK PLAZA CIVIC CLUB

January 2021

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## CONSTABLE PARADE

This year made us rethink a lot about our lives. While we are all excited for the prospect of a new year, 2020 did give us the opportunity to get creative and make new traditions. The SPP Civic Club decided to end the year with an event that will certainly become one of our traditions for many years to come! We ended our formal fundraising year for the 2021 Constable Contract with a Santa parade around the neighborhood. Thankfully, Santa came prepared with candy canes to give out to all SPP kids (and he gave boat loads)! Thank you to all the SPP parents for the support! Thank you to all our neighbors who have contributed to the 2021 contract. As of December 15, we have raised \$88,117. (The 2021 contract is \$113,000.) If you haven't had the chance to contribute, please consider doing so today. If you're not sure if you've contributed this year, you can check on the website at [www.shepherdparkplaza.com](http://www.shepherdparkplaza.com). Thanks for being the greatest neighborhood in Houston! Have a wonderful New Year!



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# around the neighborhood

A new pedestrian-controlled crossing signal was approved December 4 and is being installed at the intersection of Thornton and Ella. The project is estimated to be completed within 30 business days. Many thanks to our neighbors for making this happen!



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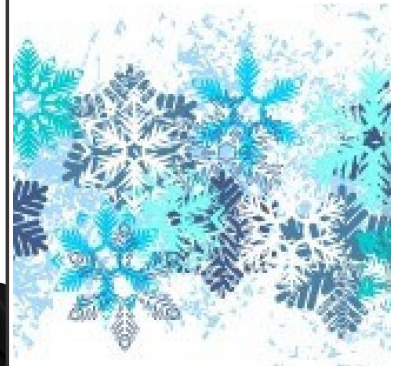
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### NOVEMBER 2020

ACCIDENT MINOR... 1	CONTRACT CHECKS... 193	INDECENT EXPOSURE... 1
FOLLOW-UP... 1	MILES PATROLLED... 2489	MENTAL HEALTH CALL... 1
ANIMAL HUMANE... 1	MEET THE CITIZEN... 87	SUSPICIOUS PERSON... 4
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE... 5	BURGLARY-MOTOR VEHICLE... 1	SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT... 1
ALARM... 2	DISCHARGE OF FIREARM ... 2	THEFT OTHER... 2
INFORMATION CALL... 1	PARK CHECKS... 3	TRAFFIC HAZARD... 1
VACATION WATCH... 20	DOMESTIC PREVENT... 1	WRIT... 1

VACATION WATCH REGISTRY (1 WEEK IN ADVANCE)...[HTTP://PCT1CONSTABLE.NET/SIGN-UP/VACATION-WATCH/](http://PCT1CONSTABLE.NET/SIGN-UP/VACATION-WATCH/)

SIGN UP FOR THE CONSTABLE OFFICE'S NEWSLETTER...[HTTP://PCT1CONSTABLE.NET/SIGN-UP](http://PCT1CONSTABLE.NET/SIGN-UP) THEN CLICK NEWSLETTER

So many New Year's resolutions, so little time! Some common resolutions center on health and lifestyle, such as exercising more or learning a new hobby. Do you have a resolution you'd like to share? Post it on the Shepherd Park Plaza Facebook page!



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# HOLIDAY AWARDS



## Best Lighting

1st - 4725 Apollo  
2nd - 1051 Cheshire

## Best Overall

1st - 943 Chamboard  
2nd - 939 Chantilly

## Traditional

1st - 1147 Thornton  
2nd - 1040 Candlelight

## Most Original

1st - 1036 Candlelight  
2nd - 1026 Chantilly

## Best Novelty

1st - 938 Chamboard  
2nd - 1047 Thornton

## Most Religious

1st - 1058 Chantilly  
2nd - 1016 Cheshire

## Best Door

1st - 1026 Thornton  
2nd - 1110 Richelieu

## Best Window

1st - 1111 Cheshire  
2nd - 1079 Thornton

## Best Cul-de-sac

1st - Chantilly  
2nd - Candlelight

## SECTION WINNERS

### ONE

Section Favorite 1st Place: 975 Curtin  
Section Favorite 2nd Place: 1147 Chamboard  
Children's Favorite 1st Place: 1174 Chamboard  
Children's Favorite 2nd Place: 1027 Curtin

### TWO

Section Favorite 1st Place: 1147 Thornton  
Section Favorite 2nd Place: 4707 Apollo  
Children's Favorite 1st Place: 1014 Thornton  
Children's Favorite 2nd Place: 4615 Dunsmere

### THREE

Section Favorite 1st Place: 1102 Martin  
Section Favorite 2nd Place: 1049 Martin  
Children's Favorite 1st Place: 1002 Cheshire  
Children's Favorite 2nd Place: 1003 Martin

### FOUR

Section Favorite 1st Place: 1012 Richelieu  
Section Favorite 2nd Place: 1126 Candlelight  
Children's Favorite 1st Place: 1027 Candlelight  
Children's Favorite 2nd Place: 1018 Richelieu

## CITIZENS' PATROL

1st Place: 1111 Richelieu  
2nd Place: 1019 Chamboard

## PLAZA MOMS AWARDS

1st Place: 4439 Apollo (synchronized lights/music)  
2nd Place: 4706 Brian Haven

## PRESIDENT'S AWARDS

1st Place: 1122 Cheshire  
2nd Place: 1074 Chamboard



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The Garden Club had a wonderful outdoor dinner at Coltivare last month to celebrate Christmas and participated in a socially distant Secret Santa exchange. (Thank you to the Garden Club elves for coordinating gift pick-up and delivery around the neighborhood!) Our next meeting is January 11th and new members and visitors are always welcome. Please contact our Club President, Susan Fitzpatrick, at [gardenclub@shepherdparkplaza.com](mailto:gardenclub@shepherdparkplaza.com) for details on our next meeting location. We would love to have you!



### **Garden Club Tip of the Month**

Have you enjoyed seeing your beautiful poinsettias all holiday season and wish you could keep it going? Good news - you can! In our Houston weather, poinsettias are perennials and you can enjoy your plant year after year by following the steps below:

- Keep your poinsettia in indirect light and water regularly. If you haven't already, remove the decorative cover so it can properly drain.
- Gradually introduce the plant outdoors on warm days. Plant with mulch once frost has passed.
- Fertilize regularly and provide pruning through summer to keep plants busy and compact. Stop pruning after Labor Day.
- Starting Oct 1, put your plant in complete darkness for 14 continuous hours each night. This is critical for this photoperiodic plant.
- Provide 6-8 hours of bright sunlight daily and colored bracts will return once the correct dark/light ratio is re-established.

For more information, please check out Aggie Horticulture - Poinsettias.

### **Garden Club Monthly Local Highlight**

Looking for ideas for your 2021 garden? Check out these Instagram accounts for a regular dose of gardening knowledge. Timothy Hammond at @bigcitygardener is a local Houstonian who shares ideas for creating a southern, urban garden; @rootedgarden posts design and maintenance ideas for Houston kitchen gardens; and @texasgardenermagazine is a great resource for practical gardening tips. If you are interested in a community work day in the Shepherd Park, please reach out to [gardenclub@shepherdparkplaza.com](mailto:gardenclub@shepherdparkplaza.com).

### **Garden Club Yard of the Month**

Our December Yard of the Month goes to Sarrah Moseley. The mature landscaping includes bottle brush and azaleas, which are in full bloom. An olive tree and a lemon tree have produced many lemons this year. Cyclamen, impatience, and ginger add seasonal color. The carnation of India and the night blooming jasmine add an additional beautiful touch to the yard.



## CITIZENS PATROL STATS

### NOV 2020 Patrol Hours

Prepared by Deborah DeBram & Katherine Peale

WEEK	Driving
1	7
2	7
3	8
4	11
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>33</b>

### SHEPHERD PARK PLAZA CITIZENS PATROL WELCOMES VOLUNTEERS!

The Houston Police Department is concerned about crime in the neighborhoods and communities throughout the city. In response, the Citizen Patrol Program was established in an effort to bring the citizens and the police department together for a common goal, and that is to improve the quality of life by eliminating crime. You can become a volunteer by signing up today! Contact Deborah DeBram or Katherine Peale at 713-812-7626 or [algebrakp@aol.com](mailto:algebrakp@aol.com) for more information.

The Citizen Patrol Program is designed to provide a means for citizens to organize into patrol groups for the purpose of reducing crime in their community. Citizen Patrollers are the additional eyes and ears the police can count on to make Houston a safe place to live and work. The value of police/citizen cooperation is well illustrated by the success of the Citizen Patrol Program.

The winner of the \$10 random drawing is Katherine Peale. Patrollers who turn in at least 4 driving hours by the 5th of the month are eligible for this drawing. **We need volunteers. Training is just a few hours and you can be on your way to helping us protect the neighborhood.**

Best Scarecrow: 1127 Candlelight

Best Entryway: 1014 Candlelight

Best Decoration, 1st Place: 1162 Curtin

Best Decoration, 2nd Place: 1019 Chamboard

Original, 1st Place: 975 Curtin

Original, 2nd Place: 1071 Thornton



# AUTUMN AWARD WINNERS



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713-201-3322

HPD  
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713-851-3000

New Neighbor/Greeter  
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## SPP CALENDAR

January 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
DEC 27	28	29	30	31	JAN 1	2
						
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		 				
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Garden Club Meeting			HEAVY Tree Waste		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day		 			
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
						
31	  = Trash and Yard Waste  = Curbside Recycling		<b>Reminder about Heavy Trash:</b> Our heavy trash pickup is the <u>3rd Thursday</u> of each month. Tree waste is picked up in ODD months, and Junk waste in the EVEN months.			



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### December Yards of the Month

#### Section 1:

946 Chamboard  
Judd & Megan Ryan

#### Section 3:

1105 Cheshire  
Fermina Reyes

#### Section 2:

1062 Chantilly  
Kimball Freeze

#### Section 4:

1028 Richelieu  
Joanna Angelo



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Stephanie was amazing and made a complicated process way less intimidating. Her communication was great and her negotiation skills are SO impressive. I would recommend her to anyone!! A. Koon - Buyer

Stephanie was great from start to finish. We had a very easy process selling our house with Stephanie involved. She was very communicative and involved and we are very happy with the entire process. We will definitely recommend Stephanie to all our friends and family. L. Daniel - Seller



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## In the news

### Top Producer

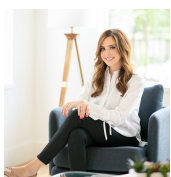
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### Awards

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