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February 2024

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Share Your News!

Do you have an interesting story or news you want to share? Do you have ideas about content that you would like to see in future Plaza Pulse Newsletters?

We want to hear from you! Please let us know by emailing
Pulse@shepherdparkplaza.com

Deadline for submissions is the 15th of each month

2024 Constable Program

Our Constable Program needs your support to fund the 2024 contract. We are currently at 58% for the 2024 Constable Program and we should be 100% funded at this point.

Benefits of Your Contribution:

- Two uniformed deputies patrol our neighborhood 80 hours per week.
- Day and night shift coverage for enhanced security.
- Dedicated officers committed to keeping SPP safe.
- Strategic patrol hours based on crime statistics.
- Vacation watch for contributors.

Your Action Matters:

- Pay your Constable dues at shepherdparkplaza.com/dues. Not sure if you've paid? Check for your address on the insert in this month's Pulse.
- Call Constable Dispatch at 713-755-7628 for safety concerns.

Note: If you are having trouble accessing the SPP website on your mobile device, please turn off wifi and try again.

Support the 2024 SPP Constable Program



58% Funded



Scan to pay.



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- **2 Uniformed Deputies**
- **80 hours patrolling/week**
- **Day and night shift coverage**

Constable Dispatch
713-755-7628

 shepherdparkplaza.com/dues

around the neighborhood

Shepherd Park Plaza Civic Club

Welcome New Residents!

New to the neighborhood? Looking to connect and find out more information about the Shepherd Park Plaza neighborhood? Please contact our SPP Civic Club Board Greeters so we can welcome you officially! All new neighbors receive a welcome packet, so reach out to our neighborhood greeters if you haven't received yours.

Going on vacation soon? Planning to be away from home for an extended time?

Be sure to sign up for the Constable Vacation Watch! Recommended to give a 2-week notice, if possible.
<http://pct1constable.net/sign-up/vacation-watch/>

Neighborhood Shout Outs!

Do you have an upcoming celebration? Do you want to give a special shout out of recognition or honor?

\$25 will secure you a business card size space to highlight and share your news! All proceeds go to the SPP Constable Program fundraising. Send an email to pulse@shepherdparkplaza.com for any questions and content submission.

Deadline for submissions is the 15th of each month. First paid, first published. Spaces limited to 4 shout outs per month.

In the Neighborhood

City of Houston Drainage and Paving Project - REMINDER!

The City of Houston Garden Oaks and Shepherd Park (West) Drainage and Paving Project is continuing to progress. As a reminder - please be sure to take before / after pictures of your yard, should any issues arise.

<https://www.engagehouston.org/garden-oaks-shepherd-park-west>

Questions? Contact City of Houston buildforward@houstontx.gov or 713.387.0311

Save the Dates!

We have a lot of fun events coming up this spring! Stay tuned to the Plaza Pulse, SPP Facebook group, and emails for more information!

- Neighbor Meet & Greet to pay Constable and Civic Club dues - February 22 (See page 3)
- SPP BBQ Cookoff - March 23 (See page 3)
- Plaza Mom's Easter Event - March 23 (See page 6)

Check out the Shepherd Park Plaza website for access to the Plaza Pulse online, as well as key documents, such as the New Neighbor Packet, membership and constable dues validation, and much more!
<https://shepherdparkplaza.com>



Check out the Shepherd Park Plaza Facebook page for recent discussions, news, alerts, ideas, recommendations, and neighborhood events

Ready to pay your annual Civic Club dues and join the Constable Contract? You can pay by check, Venmo (@SPPCC), scan the provided QR code, or visit the link below. Checks should be made out to SPPCC and can be mailed to

SPPCC P.O. Box 10453 Houston, TX 77206.

Please include your name and address in the memo.

<https://shepherdparkplaza.com/dues>



Can't remember if you contributed? Check link online or email Membership@shepherdparkplaza.com.

If you haven't received your Constable Program sticker, please contact your Section Rep.

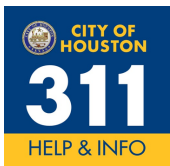
Civic Club: \$25 Constable Program: \$325

City of Houston Council Member, Mario Castillo, represents the Shepherd Park Plaza neighborhood. Find out more how he represents District H, as well as FAQs at www.houstontx.gov/council/h/



We appreciate our local advertisers!

The local advertisers that you see throughout the Plaza Pulse help pay for the printing of our neighborhood newsletter. Please show your support and consider contacting one of these local businesses the next time you need a quote or service.



Street sign down? Traffic light blinking? Tree limb down over the street? The City of Houston has a dedicated phone line and app for these types of non-emergency related issues. Call 311 or 713-837-0311.

SPP CIVIC CLUB

YOU'RE INVITED

Stop by to pay your Civic Club
and Constable Fund dues,
meet your neighbors &
enjoy lite bites & wine

Thursday, February 22nd
5PM - 7PM
1023 Cheshire Lane

FOR MORE INFORMATION
CALL 281.704.2061



Dear Neighbors,

Get ready for a day of flavor and fun at the Shepherd Park Plaza Annual BBQ Cook-Off on March 23rd! We invite you to join the festivities and participate in our friendly cooking competition.

If you're a BBQ enthusiast or part of a cook team, showcase your culinary skills and be part of this exciting event. To register your cook team, please contact us at hospitality@shepherdparkplaza.com.

Let's come together to enjoy delicious BBQ creations and make this day memorable for our community!



Plaza Garden Club Yard of the Month

The January Yard of the Month is the home of Colette Robichau at 1014 Candlelight.



Colette has a garden of which is a mix of sun and shade friendly plants. Winter color is provided by her encore azaleas and poinsettias. Sun loving blue mist flowers, pentas and periwinkles attract butterflies and bees to her garden. The garden is filled in with beauty bush, myrtle, and the shade loving indigo plant. The oak tree is surrounded by another good shade plant, Lily of the Nile. The two large blue pots provide a striking accent filled with seasonal color.

The Plaza Garden Club invites you to the February meeting will be held on Monday, February 12th at 6:45PM at 978 Bethlehem. The program is led by Mary Fulham on Hybridizing Roses. We hope to see you there!



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Deputy Constable Program Response Calls

Figures are for entire contract, including SPP and Candlelight Plaza

December 2023

CONTRACT CHECKS...186	MILES PATROLLED...4,381	MEET THE CITIZEN / OFFICER...3
VACATION WATCH...10	DISTURBANCE LOUD NOISE..1	ALARM...1
ILLEGALLY PARKED VEHICLE...1	SUSPICIOUS PERSON...2	SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE...4
ACCIDENT...1	WELFARE CHECK...1	PARK CHECK...1
BURGLARY OF MOTOR VEHICLE...1	TRAFFIC STOP/INITIATIVE...3	FOLLOW-UP...3
DISTURBANCE OTHER...1	VEHICLE SPEEDING...1	CIVIL PROCESS...5

See Something, Say Something - Call Constable Dispatch at 713-755-7628

Vacation Watch registry (*2-week Notice*)...<http://pct1constable.net/sign-up/vacation-watch/>

Sign up for the Constable Office's Crime Alerts and Newsletter...<https://pct1constable.net>
select Sign-Up > Crime Alerts ; Newsletter



SPP Constable Program 2023 Annual Totals



The table below is the total Year-End 2023 Constable Program Response Call summary. We are incredibly grateful to the Deputies of the Harris County Precinct 1 Constable Patrol Program who patrol our neighborhood. The Constable Patrol Program aids our neighborhood by creating rapid response to service calls and regular visibility of enforcement. The distance the Deputies drove in 2023 is equal to almost 5 round trips by road from Houston to Anchorage, Alaska!

Deputy Constable Program Response Calls

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Year End 2023

CONTRACT CHECKS...2,666	MILES PATROLLED...41,047	VACATION WATCH...357
SUSPICIOUS PERSON...47	SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE...43	ALARM...20
MEET THE OFFICER/CITIZEN...66	ACCIDENT...7	BURGLARY (VEHICLE/HOME)...9
CIVIL PROCESS/SERVICE...14	WELFARE CHECK...8	PARK/SCHOOL CHECK...21
THEFT (AUTO/BICYCLE/OTHER)...9	TRAFFIC STOP/INITIATIVE...29	FOLLOW-UP...28
DISTURBANCE (NOISE/OTHER)...15	INFORMATION CALL...17	SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT...75

Show Your Support
HELP FUND THE CONSTABLE PROGRAM!



New to the neighborhood or just looking for more information on Plaza Moms Society? Please scan this QR code to find out more.



Hot tip – Easter is super early this year! That means that our annual Easter Egg Hunt in the Park will be even earlier – Saturday March 23rd. We have all the usual activities planned and are working on making them even better this year. Check your email and Facebook/Instagram for more details to come.

We are looking for volunteers to help with our Easter event as well as join our board for next season. If you are interested in either, please email us at plaza.moms.houston@gmail.com. These events would not be possible without help from all of you.

Please visit our website for more details. You can also find us on Facebook and Instagram.
plazamomssociety.wildapricot.org



Citizens Patrol

December 2023

Total Driving Hours	14
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Patrollers who turn in at least 4 driving hours by the 5th of the month are eligible for a random drawing. The winner of this month's \$10 random drawing is Katherine Peale!
 Thank you to all our volunteers!

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Constable Dispatch 713-755-7628	HPD (non-emergency) 713-884-3131	Plaza Pulse Editor pulse@shepherdparkplaza.com	Plaza Pulse Advertising advertising@shepherdparkplaza.com	SPP Membership membership@shepherdparkplaza.com
Deed Restrictions 713-316-5255	Architecture Control 713-316-5255	Entrance Bed entrancebeds@shepherdparkplaza.com	Plaza Moms Rep plaza.moms.houston@gmail.com	Garden Club Rep gardenclub@shepherdparkplaza.com
Section 1 Rep 713-882-8613	Section 2 Rep Section2@shepherdparkplaza.com	Section 3 Rep 832-655-3425	Section 4 Rep Section4@shepherdparkplaza.com	SPP Civic Club president@shepherdparkplaza.com

SPP Calendar						January 2024
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5	6 <div>  </div>	7	8	9	10
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18	19 <div>  </div>	20 <div>  </div>	21	22	23	24
25	26	27 <div>   </div>	28	29		



=Trash



=Recycling



By request of our collectors, please place bins in the street, not on the sidewalk/curb. Please leave 3 ft between your bins and any other objects. This gives the trucks room without damage to nearby items.

Reminder about Heavy Trash:
 TREE waste is picked up in ODD months and JUNK waste in the EVEN months. TREE waste is defined as “clean” wood waste, such as tree limbs, branches, and stumps. JUNK is defined as items such as furniture, appliances, and other bulky material.

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DECEMBER Yard of the Month			
Section 1: Danny & Michelle Narat 1023 Chamboard		Section 2: Wilma Lahrssen 1147 Chantilly	
Section 3: Brett & Jennifer Snyder 1030 Martin		Section 4: Kenneth Welsh & Sandra White 1065 Candlelight Lane	



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Ready to pay your annual Civic Club dues and
join the Constable Contract?
Pay via Venmo (@SPPCC) or scan the QR code!
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Curious where your \$25 annual SPP Membership dues go?

We use these funds in numerous ways! Below are just a few...

- Street Number Curb Painting
- New Neighbor Welcome Packets
- Flower Beds at Entrances
- Plaza Pulse Newsletter and Website
- Yard of the Month and Decorating Awards
- Placement of US flag on light poles for national holidays