

# Shady Hollow Highlights

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#### **Board Meeting**

7 p.m. Thursday
June 15
Community Center
Members encouraged
to attend.

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# SHHOA Summer Concert Series Kicks Off With a Bang!



The Shady Hollow Summer Concert Series kicked off with a great night. Over 250 people came out to enjoy the beautiful community center lawn, shade, and the "Cool Down" zone. Andrea Dawson and Her Killer Band, were awesome and there were plenty of things for the kids to do. Jennifer Odem Realty provided face painting and the kidzone had a springfree trampoline, hula hoop zone, kick





ball games, and a water mister to keep the kids cool.

It's always great to see the neighbors camped out with their blankets and lawn chairs visiting with each other and making Shady Hollow a great place to live and play. We look forward to seeing everyone at our next Concert on Friday, July 7<sup>th</sup>.



# SHHOA July 4th Festivities!

#### **Tennis Tournament**

Divisions of Play:

MEN: Singles, doubles, and mixed doubles. WOMEN Singles, doubles, and mixed doubles.

Entry Information: Sign-up deadline is **Tuesday, June 20!** You may sign up by emailing Dan MacIntyre at (512) 825-5210 or <a href="mailto:driver-deadle-sign-up-deadline-deadle-sign-up-deadline-deadle-sign-up-deadline-deadle-sign-up-deadline-deadle-sign-up-deadline

Please be sure to give us your e-mail address and phone numbers so we can contact you for scheduling purposes.

Play Format: A round robin format will be used in which everyone will have an opportunity to play several matches. Prize winners will be determined from the match records of the participants. Matches will be decided on the "Best 2 out of 3 Sets."

Matches will be played at the Capistrano Courts and the Community Center Courts. If necessary, the Bowie HS or Bailey MS courts will be used.

Timing and Prizes: All matches are to be played by July 3rd. Tennis balls will be provided. Prizes will be awarded to winners on the morning of July 4th after the parade at Capistrano Park.

#### 5K Run 7:00 am

The day begins with a 3.1 mile run that starts and ends at the pool. Registration starts at 7:00am at the pool, the run begins at 7:30am. The run is open to all ages, male and female. Walkers are encouraged to participate! Refreshments will be provided following the run. No entry fee. Contact the office for more information at <a href="mailto:shadyhol-low@shadyhollow.org">shadyhol-low@shadyhollow.org</a> or phone 280-6623.

Parade Line-Up - 9:30 am
See Map >>>>>>>
Parade Begins - 10:00 am

All parade participants are asked to gather near the corner of El Dorado Trail and Saddle Mountain Trail. Your group, organization, or assembly of neighbors can participate as a parade entry, whether you have a float or not. If you don't see your section noted on the Parade Route map, don't worry. We will make sure all are included!

Everyone is encouraged to decorate their bikes, tricycles, and little wagons because there is a competition in each category for first, second, and third place. There will be a costume contest for children and one for adults (so now everyone has an excuse to dress up). And we want entrants for our costume contest for pets!

There are two ways you can obtain a parade entry form:

- 1. Stop by the HOA office
- Send an email to: officemanager@shadyhollow.org

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Please Note: It is important that everyone who wants to be considered for an award has their entry numbers **clearly** visible. For bicycle, tricycle, and little wagon riders they can be displayed on the vehicle itself or on the child's back. As for the costume contestants, for children and adults we would appreciate having the numbers attached to each person's back, and for pets either on the animal itself or its owner's back. We will be available during the parade line-up to help and answer any questions. We want all contestants to have a fair opportunity to be seen and judged.

#### Official Ceremonies - 10:30 am

At the conclusion of the parade, the ceremonies will begin with the Presentation of the Colors, the Pledge of Allegiance, and the singing of the National Anthem and other patriotic songs. Awards for all contests and tournaments will be announced, and other traditions from years past will be continued. For many this is their favorite part of the day.

#### Lunch II:00 am

Food booths will be provided by the Boy Scouts. Please feel free to bring your own picnic lunch.

#### Show 'n Shine - 11:00 am

Returning again this year is an activity called Show 'n Shine. This is where you can show off your classic, antique, or muscle car or truck to the neighborhood. Any member of Shady Hollow may participate as well as individuals driving in the parade. A ballot box will be available for people to vote on their favorite entry and a winner will be announced. It will be held in the pool parking lot, but entrance to the lot will only be allowed <u>after</u> the parade, sometime around 10:30. So shine those vehicles and come ready to show 'em off!

#### Entertainment - 11:00 am

This year we welcome back the live music magic of Little Beverly and the Shades!

3 on 3 Basketball – 11:00 am Will be held contingent upon our being able to find a coordinator. Please call the office if you are interested in PLAYING or COORDINATING (512) 280-6623

#### Pool Games 1:15 pm-3:30 pm

It's time to get wet and wild with the Shady Hollow lifeguards. They will be sponsoring a number of pool games after the parade. We invite children of all ages to bring their swimsuits and stay for all the fun.

## This year we are working on having a possible FunZone

for the kids and a "Cool-Off" station so our residents can stick around a little longer and enjoy the food and music! Hope to see you all there!

#### **Calling All Veterans**

By Russell Downey

We would like to acknowledge the contribution of the veterans of our Armed Forces by asking everyone who is currently serving, has served, or is retired from any of the Armed Forces and their families to join us in our parade on July 4th celebrating our nation's birthday.

Every year, Shady Hollow hosts a fantastic Independence Day Parade and fun day for family members of all ages.

Please, contact the office and sign up to walk or ride in the parade thru Shady Hollow. You can contact the office by phone (512) 280-6623 or email at <a href="mailto:shadyhollow.org">shadyhollow.org</a>. We will provide all the details about where, when, and how.

Thank you all for the service that you and your families have afforded to your country and fellow countrymen. We look forward to hearing from any and all of you.

# SHHOA 2017 July 4th Grand Marshal is...



We are currently taking suggestions for our 2017 July 4 Grand Marshal. Please contact the office at (512) 280-6623 or shadyhollow@shadyhollow.org

#### **SHHOA Calendar**

## SHHOA Board Meeting (CC)

7 p.m. Thursday, June 15

SHHOA July 4th Event 7 a.m. Monday, July 4

Check the <u>online calendar</u> for updates.



#### **Board of Directors**

#### **President** Mike Cain

#### **Vice President**

Jim Bateman

#### **Treasurer**

**Geoff Lawson** 

#### **Secretary**

**Gregg Sales** 

#### **Members**

Laura Kennedy Mary Louise Mathis Russell Downey Susan Morey Ann Weitzman James Elizondo

#### **Shady Hollow** Highlights

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> **Editor:** Mike Cain **Production:** Darin Laracuente

**Article & ad deadline:** Last working day of the month

## **May Draft Board Meeting Minutes**

#### **Board Members Present**

Mike Cain, Russ Downey, Laura Kennedy, Geoff Lawson, Mary Ellen Mathis & Gregg Sales

#### Staff in Attendance

Darin Laracuente

#### **Board Members Absent**

Jim Bateman, James Elizondo, Susan Morey & Ann Weitzman

#### Others in Attendance

None

Meeting start 7:01 pm

#### **Current Agenda**

**MOTION** to approve the current agenda by Russ Downey seconded by Laura Kennedy. Approval unanimous.

#### **Previous Minutes**

**MOTION** to approve the corrected February minutes by Mary Ellen Mathis seconded by Russ Downey Approval unanimous.

#### Citizen Communication

None

### Managers' Report - Darin Laracuente

Reviewed the following:

#### Office

The newsletter went out a little late. The cost of the directory this year was \$2,670 after advertising revenue. Last year was about \$1,000 more.

The HOA will start taking credit card for fee assessments.

#### **Finance**

Expenditures are \$5,422 over our monthly budget for April and \$7,220 over budget for the year. Anomalies were due to more invoices falling within the pay period due to the dates we sign checks. We should even out in June.

We are \$3,139 behind budget on assessment collections and \$29,295 behind for the year, which is right on par with years past.

#### **Deed Restriction Violations**

Total violations contacted during the month -42. Resolved as of today's meeting - 27.

#### **Pool**

We still have a leak in our pool. American Leak Detection is out for the third time at no cost to the HOA.

The pool opens for General Swim on Memorial Day Weekend May 27th.

#### **Parks**

Austin Electric is marking trees to cut for power line clearance. They are marked with a green plastic tie.

Capistrano Park - We have the 100 gallon Cedar Elm trees. The Pecan trees are proving hard to find.

Doe Run Park - The lower area beyond the parking lot was mowed for event useage.

Gatlin Gun - Tree work is being done around walking/bike paths.

Shady Hollow West Park - Some dead trees and brush has been removed.

#### **Community Center**

Outstanding items include: lighting, windows, speaker wire, trim work and some paint and trim.

#### **Events**

Shady Hollow Sunday Brunch was not well

The concert in the park series begins June

#### Treasurers Report - Geoff Lawson

We continue to put \$7,100 into MRR each month.

Questioned the resale certificates and transfer fees.

We received a revised reserve study.

#### **Committee Report**

Executive, Mike Cain - No meeting Finance, Geoff Lawson - No meeting Recreation, Laura Kennedy - Laura Kennedy and Cindy Nettles met and discussed trees.

Community Center, Gregg Sales - No meeting

Welcome, Rebecca Shaw - No meeting Annexation, Jim Bateman - No meeting

#### **New Business**

None

#### **Old Business**

None

#### **Meeting Adjournment**

MOTION to adjourn by Geoff Lawson, seconded by Mary Ellen Mathis. Approval unanimous.

Meeting ended 8:46 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Gregg Sales, Secretary



The MUD Board held its regular monthly meeting on May 2, 2017 at the MUD Office Building, 3910 Capistrano Trail. All directors except Mike Tomme were present.

Constable Suits and Deputy Rush attended the meeting. Deputy Rush reported that he had contacted the City of Austin's Wildlands Division for assistance in locating possible homeless camps in the area. He said they had agreed to provide assistance and were very helpful. Constable Suits informed the Board that the Constable's Office has staff members assigned to talk with the homeless in the precinct in order to assist them in obtaining necessary services.

Ms. Johnson reported the settlement funds from the district's rate case against the city should be released to the district shortly. She also stated her office continued to monitor the status of water district-related bills introduced during the legislative session.

The Board renewed the contract with Environmental Survey Consulting for management oversight of the SHW drainage area and nature preserve. The 2017-18 contract terms (and costs) remained the same as in the existing contract.

Board approved the proposed project to clean out Slaughter Creek. The project would make access easier to the District's lines and manholes in the area. Additional benefits of the project would be the reduction of wildfire risk and reduction of potential flooding. Creek-side property owners will be notified prior to any work being done.

The Board discussed the status of the installation of a 2-rail metal fence along one side of the box culvert located in the SHW drainage area/nature preserve (pending).

Ms. Wheeler reported that two of the SHW detention ponds had been cleaned out, and the remaining one was scheduled to be finished by May 3.

#### The Constable's report for May included the following:



- ▶ Worst of the speeders: 53/30, 50/30, 44/30 (Green Emerald);
- ▶ traffic enforcement: unlicensed, underage driver-took keys without parent's permission (Whiskey River/Festus); warnings & citations issued at various locations in the neighborhood, mostly for speeding; traffic stop of bicyclist (Lost Oasis);
- ▶ contacted owner of abandoned trailer (Blacksmith); red-tagged vehicle with no plates (Ft Worth); disturbance (Six Gun); community contacts; routine foot patrols of parks/common areas; remove traffic

hazard (Brodie); assist lost person (Brodie);

- suspicious vehicle: vehicle search-narcotics (Piute);
- ▶ **assist TCSO**: report of shots fired cleared ok (Gatling Gun); clear roadway-folks had placed cones in road for block party (Gunfight).



Remember to check the city's website for the current watering schedule, and to adjust your automatic sprinklers or manual watering times based on your address.

#### **Clubs & Activities**

Shady Hollow has clubs and interest groups for many ages and interests.
See the <u>full list</u> online.

#### Garden Club

Join this fun group for interesting programs, garden tours, nursery visits, plant exchanges and more. Meetings are in the mornings the second Wednesday of each month (call contact to verify). The time varies with activities. Contact Anne Linville, 280-6404, or

alinvil@gmail.com

#### Tai Chi

At the Shady Hollow Community Center (CC) Mondays at 9:30a.m. Thursdays at 10:30

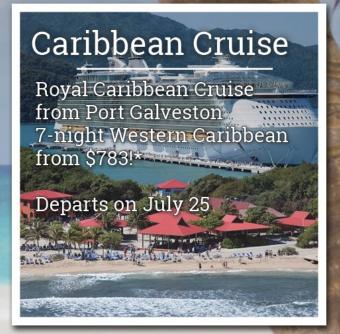


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## **May Financial Snapshot**

SHHOA OPERATING ACCOUNT STATUS

	STARTING				ENDING		
MONTH END	BALANCE	DEPOSITS	EXPENSES	TRANSFERS	BALANCE	NET CHANGE	
5/31/17	\$62,479	\$15,137	(\$38,469)	(\$7,100)	\$32,047	(\$30,432)	
Y-T-D	\$52,208	\$292,380	(\$257,041)	(\$55,500)	\$32,047	(\$20,161)	
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	STARTING				ENDING		Newcomers
MONTH END	BALANCE	INCOME	EXPENSE	TRANSFERS	BALANCE	NET CHANGE	Rodrigo Contegni & Rebeca
5/31/17	\$180,152	\$18	(\$7,206)	\$7,100	\$180,064	(\$88)	Hunt
Chase MRR Savings 6610	\$28,924	\$1	\$0	\$7,100	\$36,025	\$7,101	Leslie Nesselhauf
Chase MRR Checking 2895	\$10,015	\$0	(\$7,206)	\$0	\$2,809	(\$7,206)	11306 Deputy Dr.
Compass MRR 2471	\$138,214	\$17	\$0	\$0	\$138,231	\$17	
Compass MRR Checking 1947	\$3,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,000	\$0	Carol & Victor Gonsalves
							11603 Gunpowder Ct.
Y-T-D	\$178,291	\$4,757	(\$58,483)	\$55,500	\$180,064	\$1,773	Jonathan & Jennifer Jeffers
		3025 Sesbania Dr.					
	STARTING	COMBINED A			ENDING		Maria Zarate
MONTH END	BALANCE	INCOME	EXPENSE	TRANSFERS	BALANCE	NET CHANGE	2902 Shotgun Lane
5/31/17	\$242,631	\$15,155	(\$45,675)	\$0	\$212,112	(\$30,520)	Jamie & Robert Rygg
V-T-D	\$230,499	\$297 137	(\$315 524)	Śn	\$212 111	(\$18.388)	11804 Silmarillion Trail

# SHHOA POOL Guest Passes

**Members Wanting** 

2017 SHHOA POOL GUEST PASSES

must pick them up at the SHHOA Office at 3303 Doe Run!

## SHHOA Mourns the Passing of Betty Morgan

On Tuesday, June 6, 2017, with her daughter Joy L. (Vaughn) Morgan by her side, Bette Marguerite Morgan passed away at age 98. She was a devoted wife for 47 years and a loving mother to Joy. Both were longtime residents of Shady Hollow.

A reception celebrating Bette's remarkable life will be held at the home of Ches and Linda Stubblefield, 3800 Middle Earth, 78739, on Saturday, June 17, from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Please dress casually and with color to honor her glowing personality.







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