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Next Meeting:

October 10th

THE FONMEADOW P. O. A.
MEETS ONCE EACH QUARTER.

The next 3 meetings are at
7 pm in the Clubhouse on:

October 10th, 2005
January 9th, 2006
April 10th, 2006



Missouri City's Community-Wide Arts & Crafts Festival And Garage Sale

Outside Booth \$10 uncovered
Outside Covered \$15
Double w/vehicle \$20
Inside Booth \$25

(1 table, 2 chairs & electricity, inside only)
(Booth sizes 10'X17')

Registration Forms may be picked up at the
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www.ci.mocity.tx.us or faxed to
281-261-4315, with credit card info.

*Early Registrants will receive a free copy of
the booklet "How to make Big Profits on
Your Garage Sale."

Registration deadline is Oct. 14th.
(Space is limited so reserve yours today)

For additional information contact The Parks
and Recreation Department at 281-261-4290



Saturday,
November 5, 2005
8 A.M. — 3 P.M.

1522 Texas Parkway
Missouri City, TX 77489

on the grounds of the City Hall Complex, across from the
Missouri City Library

Whether you're doing a fund raiser for your civic organization, selling your hand crafted treasures or just clearing out the clutter, we invite you to join us for a Community Arts & Crafts Festival and Garage Sale, located on the grounds of City Hall and in the Community Center, sponsored by the Missouri City Parks and Recreation Department. Space is limited, so sign up early.

August 2005 National Night Out Very Successful

This year's National Night Out with Fonmeadow's neighbors was very successful.

Looking back, we owe a very special "thank you" to Keith Bynam, Kathy Burleson, Beatrice Fouts, Deena Gordon and Myra Brady for coordinating our first Fonmeadow Night Out to meet our neighbors in 1998 which was held at Fonmeadow's Clubhouse, a location we have continued to use.

Thanks to more neighbors getting involved, such as Rose K. and Cory, chairpersons for this year. They are the ones who did the work to make the party so great. There was lots of free food, sodas, and live music. The live band provided by DJ Hype Mike played a large variety of music. There were visits from the Missouri City Police, and the fire truck for our kids' enjoyment.



We used the clubhouse, inside and out. The playground, volleyball, and tennis were all available. The sidewalk was a great dance floor.

Special guests were: Larry Thibeault (Termite Inspections and Real Estate), Jay Coffman (code inspector, 281-261-4273), and Michael Mitchell.

We are asking more neighbors to get involved. It is a lot of fun throwing this big party each summer, but it is also a lot of work. We need more help each year. Fresh ideas are also welcome.



Thank you Rose and Cory, the music really got the neighbors out. We want our neighborhood to be a safe one, especially for our children. Getting involved with National Night Out is one way to make that happen.

By Beatrice Fouts



Fonmeadow Questionnaire

1. If a Neighborhood Watch program was developed, would you like to participate?
Yes ___ No ___ Not Sure ___
How would you like to participate?
___ Drive the neighborhood with another person for 2-20 hours each month?
___ Report violations to a subdivision person
2. Do you miss the subdivision meetings because you need a reminder?
Yes ___ No ___ Not Sure ___
How would you like a reminder?
___ Email the *day before* the meeting
___ Telephone message the *day before* the meeting
___ Doorbell reminder *just before* the meeting
___ A big sign at entrances to subdivision *1-2 days before* the meeting
3. How many times do you use the following subdivision facilities (per year):
___ Swimming pool ___ Clubhouse Rental
___ Children's playground ___ Soccer field
___ Tennis court ___ Jogging trail
Reason for not using facilities:
4. If the subdivision were to plan a charitable event, would you like to be contacted to participate in it?
Yes ___ No ___ Not Sure ___
What kind of charitable event would be interesting for you?
___ Food Drive ___ Drive for Children's School Supplies
___ Clothing Drive ___ Blanket Drive for the Homeless in the winter
___ Toys-for-Tots ___ UNICEF Collection for the world's children
___ Big Brothers/Sisters Other-
___ Holiday Drive specify:
5. If a neighbor(s) was in need of assistance, would you like to be contacted to assist them?
(e.g. elderly, home-bound, after surgery, after family-member death, etc.)
Yes ___ No ___ Not Sure ___
6. If subdivision teenagers were available for jobs, would you be interested in hearing about it?
Yes ___ No ___ Not Sure ___
How would you like to be informed about the availability?
___ By the subdivision newsletter ___ Email contact ___ Flyer

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The City Block

By Eunice H. Reiter
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National Night Out was a resounding success in MoCity. We had over 50 parties scheduled. Thanks to each of you who had a block party and thanks for the warm hospitality you extended at each party I attended.

Our July 4th Festival was another exceptional event. I loved seeing so many old friends and meeting new ones. Food was good, entertainment exciting and fireworks spectacular!

Weekend "Bandit" signs have become a problem, and the City has resumed sending personnel out to patrol the city on random weekends to remove these signs. We, as citizens, may remove these signs, also.

The fire engine at Station 2 (Fondren Park) has been equipped with a Compressed Air Foam System which will enhance the capability to extinguish fires quicker, reduce firefighter fatigue, reduce water damage and provide better protection of neighboring structures.

Fire Station #2 will be rebuilt, and architectural design is currently in progress.

The new Fort Bend Toll Road, which will link Beltway 8 to State Highway 6, is expected to open in September. Harris County Toll Road Authority is planning to continue the roadway north to intersect with 90A and continue on to 610.

Problems or questions?

Call me at: 713-850-9883 or
E-mail me at: ereiter@ci.mocity.tx.us



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**School Year
2005 - 2006
Calendar**

This is a shortened version of the calendar information available on the HISD website:

<http://www.houstonisd.org>

There is a yellow menu bar at the top of the screen with choice for the "Calendar."

Click there and then on the choice "school calendars" on the left of the screen.

Other interesting information is also available on the website.

August

August 12: Teacher Preparation Day
August 15: First Day Of School for Students

September

September 5: Labor Day

October

October 13-14: Fall Holiday

November

November 16: Teacher Preparation Day
November 23-25: Thanksgiving

December

December 19-30: Winter Holiday

January

January 2: Professional Development Day
January 16: Martin Luther King Day

February

February 13: Professional Development Day

March

March 13-17: Spring Break

April

April 14: Spring Holiday

May

May 25: Last Day of Class
May 26: Teacher Preparation Day

Students do not attend school on holidays, professional development, teacher service, and teacher preparation days.

STUDENT HOLIDAYS

Labor Day	September 5
Fall Holiday	October 13-14
Thanksgiving	November 23-25
Winter Holidays	December 19-30
Martin Luther King Day	January 16
Spring Break	March 13-17
Spring Holiday	April 14

This information was obtained from the HISD website at:
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The Information Center phone number is 713-892-6391

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Useful Telephone Numbers

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