



The Jefferson Neighborhood Association News August 2011



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"Preserving the integrity of the Jefferson Area since 1982"

Third Annual Historic Homeowner Fair coming in August

The City of San Antonio Office of Historic Preservation is hosting the third annual Historic Homeowner Fair to be held Saturday, August 27 from 9:30 AM - 3 PM at Thomas Jefferson High School.

Neighborhood associations are encouraged to participate in the Fair as exhibitors. Tables in the Exhibitor's Hall are available to neighborhood associations at a special discounted rate of \$15.

Over 400 people participated in the event last year and we are expecting an even larger turnout this year.

The Fair is free and open to the public. It provides citizens and professionals with a unique opportunity to interact and discuss issues related to caring for older homes.

Educational sessions and a keynote address will cover topics such as

preservation and sustainability, financing rehabilitation projects, landscaping for historic properties, San Antonio's Art Deco architecture, preservation advocacy, repairing historic windows, and planning appropriate repairs and additions to historic properties.

The **Exhibitors Hall** will feature products, services, and information targeted to residents interested in improving their older homes and preserving the unique character of San Antonio's urban neighborhoods. Design experts will be on hand to answer questions about your rehabilitation plans and experienced researchers will offer advice on how to uncover the history of your home.

Bring the kids! Activities for school-age children will be hosted

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Medina takes District 7 election in a runoff

Congratulations are in order to **Chris Medina**, our newly elected city councilman in District 7.

He faced former District 7 councilwoman **Elena Guajardo** in the June 11th runoff.

His staff includes:

Gabriel Castillo
Field Office Director

Joseph Cortez
Council Aide

Cindy Dorantes
Council Aide

Derek Roberts
Council Aide

Randy E. Sanchez II
Council Aide

Debra Hill
Senior Executive

Secretary. To reach the staff at city hall, the number is:

210-207-7044.



School Registration set

Thomas Jefferson High School ramps up for its 81st year with registration beginning on Aug. 9. The big message for parents this year is that state law will not allow a grace period for students to attend school without having had their shots. The policy is "no shots, no school."

Freshmen are scheduled to be registered on Tuesday, Sophomores on Wednesday, Juniors on Thursday, and Seniors on Friday. A special evening registration will on Wednesday for all grades.

Jefferson will be on an accelerated block schedule this year. Students will have five, 75-minute classes daily. They will complete an entire year's worth of academic studies in one term. year.

—**Melissa L Carroll**,



August 2011

Mark Allen
 Judy Fisher
 Thomas Black
 Olga Donovan
 Leona Finger
 Maria Leal
 Myra Lorenz
 Elizabeth Provencio-
 Fischer
 Amelia Menchaca
 Ruth Ann Perez
 Josie Placier
 Corey Retherford
 Rodolfo Rodriguez
 Hector Saenz
 Rudine Vickery
 Randy Watson
 Becky Whitehead
 Juan Zamora
 Miriam Zamora



Who's Who at the JNA?

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Website:

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home

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Looking Ahead at Upcoming Events

- ✓ August 8 - JNA meeting, election of officers.
- ✓ September 12 - JNA meeting
- ✓ October 4 - Texas Night Out
- ✓ October 10 - JNA meeting
- ✓ November 14 - JNA Thanksgiving event
- ✓ December 12 - Christmas/Holiday Party

(Regular JNA meetings start at 7 PM.)

Location: Grace Presbyterian Church, 950 Donaldson @ Manor.

Board meetings are



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Our Fiscal Year ends August 31.

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Historic Home Fair

by the Jefferson High School Architecture students.

If you are a business owner or building professional, you can reach over 400 homeowners interested in improving their homes by becoming a Historic Homeowner Fair exhibitor or sponsor.

Contact **Amy Unger** at (210) 207-1496 for space availability and reservations.

Visit the OHP website at www.sanantonio.gov/historic to learn more. Questions? Email OHP@sanantonio.gov or call (210) 215-9274.



Window Restoration Workshop - September 16th & 17th

A Window Restoration Workshop on September 16th and 17th, presented by the City's Office of Historic Preservation and the UTSA College of Architecture, is designed to teach the basics of wood window care and repair.

Windows are character-defining features of historic buildings that can last for decades if properly maintained.

Homeowners can register for a one-day course, and contractors and students can register for a two-day course and certification in wood window restoration.

The window workshop will be held at the historic Acosta/Halff House in HemisFair Park.

Participants will rehabilitate the existing windows of the building and gain valuable knowledge about wood window restoration.

The workshop is a hands-on opportunity to learn simple do-it-yourself techniques and proper window maintenance.

This event lasts from

9AM-4PM.

There is a registration fee involved. More information can be obtained on the web at:

h t t p : / / www.sanantonio.gov/historic/events.aspx.

Texas Night Out Plans Underway

Yes, the calendar says "HOT", but the Texas Night Out plans are progressing.

The annual event will be held Tuesday, October 4 starting at 6PM.

Stay tuned here for further details.

A speedy recover wish for JNA member **Andee Tokoly**. She recently had heart surgery and is recuperating at home.

TAKE NOTE!!!

Election of officers will take place at our August 8th. meeting.

Don't be shy!!! Put your name in the ring for a position in the JNA.

Nominations will be taken from the floor.

Meeting starts at 7PM.

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Thomas Jefferson Graduate class of 1966

Jefferson Neighborhood Association Membership Form

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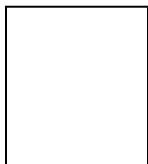
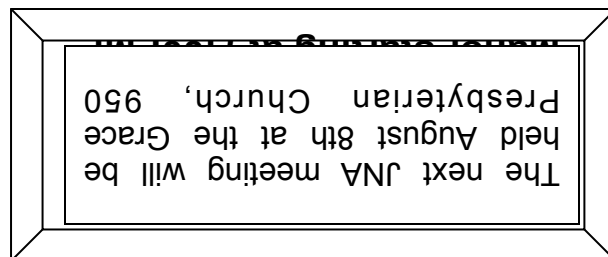
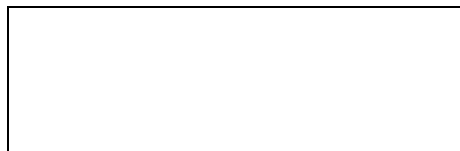
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