

SHBA Membership Dinner Meeting

**Tuesday, July 28
6:00 p.m. Dinner-6:30 p.m. Meeting
SHBA Conference Center,
9701 Baird Road, Shreveport**

GUEST SPEAKER: GARD WAYT

Gard Wayt is President of Shreveport Charter School Inc. and Chairman of the Board of Trustees for Linwood Public Charter School. He has a long history of community involvement, as well as leadership positions in various business and professional associations. He has also served as president or chairman of several service associations.

Mr. Wayt is president of Gard West & Associates, a regional insurance brokerage firm headquartered in Shreveport. Marketing life, health, and group insurance in four states. And Benefit Choices, Inc. which specializes in marketing employee benefit plans to small and medium size business.

A delicious meal will be catered by Bistro To Go, a favorite of SHBA members and guests. The cost is \$10 per person with advance reservation; \$13 at the event (determined by availability) .

To reserve seats for dinner, please call the SHBA office and leave a message (318-687-7808) or email shba@bellsouth.net by 10am Monday, July 27.



Christmas in the Hills 2009 Old Fashioned Christmas Parade
Sponsored by Southern Hills Homeowners Association
Saturday, December 12, 2009—Starts at 5:30 p.m.
Submit your entry today!
Pat Spigener (31) 686-5045-David Cox (318) 687-7898
Or leave message : 318-687-7808



**Dist 12 Comparison of Crime in Southern Hills to Citywide
May 2009**

Category of Crime	Southern Hills Only	District 12	City-wide
AGG. BATTERY & ASSAULT	1	4	108
AUTO ACCESSORY THEFT	5	9	44
AUTO THEFT	2	7	62
BUS. BURGLARY	0	0	28
BUS. THEFT	3	7	50
BUSINESS ROBBERY	1	2	6
HOMICIDE	2	2	2
PERSON ROBBERY	1	3	35
PURSE SNATCHING	0	0	5
RAPE	0	0	8
RES. BURGLARY	17	28	199
RES. THEFT	8	15	139
SHOPLIFTING	5	33	191
THEFT FROM AUTO	15	27	176
THEFT GENERAL	4	8	90
TOTAL	64	145	1143
PERCENTAGE	6%	12%	100%

**Dist 12 Comparison of Crime in Southern Hills to Citywide
June 2009**

Category of Crime	Southern Hills Only	Dis-trict 12	Citywide
AGG. BATTERY & ASSAULT	4	11	114
AUTO ACCESSORY THEFT	0	1	27
AUTO THEFT	3	4	58
BUS. BURGLARY	3	8	56
BUS. THEFT	2	5	44
BUSINESS ROBBERY	1	3	6
HOMICIDE	0	0	3
PERSON ROBBERY	1	5	47
PURSE SNATCHING	0	0	1
RAPE	1	2	16
RES. BURGLARY	7	15	186
RES. THEFT	12	21	165
SHOPLIFTING	1	25	190
THEFT FROM AUTO	15	26	225
THEFT GENERAL	4	13	92
TOTAL	54	139	1230
PERCENTAGE	4%	11%	100%

President's Message



John L. Albritton
2008 SHBA
President
Telephone 671-1991

Membership renewals are still strong and we thank each of you. For some of our local businesses, the slow economy is having an impact. The majority are saying their business is holding strong, and a number say it is better than ever. Regardless of where we see our businesses, we need to keep to the basics, watching expenses, working to bring in new business, and keep preparing for the "turn around." It will happen as it has every time in the past.

The theme park at the corner of Bert Kouns and I-49 has cleared its zoning hurdles so now they can focus on bringing the park to fruition. In that same area, the medical offices are filling up and there are plans for another regional medical center north of I-49.

We look forward to seeing you at the next association meeting, July 28, 2009, at 6 pm. Our meals from Bistro to Go seem to be a success. The cost is \$10 but please call for a reservation. This helps to keep from wasting food and the association paying for it .

John

2009 SHBA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Officers:

John Albritton, *President*
Pat Spigener, *Vice President*
John Lorick, *Executive Director*
Harold Sater, *Past President/Treasurer*

Directors:

John Bowman Randa Durham
Gary Norris Linda Luck
Keri Ellrod Earl Timmons
Virginia Lombardino

Neil Erwin, *Legal Advisor*

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(May also be used to for membership renewal or reinstatement)

Name _____ Office Telephone _____
Company _____ Fax _____
Street Address _____ Email _____
Mailing Address (if different) _____ Sponsor _____
City-State-Zip _____ Signature _____

Annual Dues **

Businesses \$175 per year
Religious Nonprofits \$100 • Civic Nonprofit Groups \$75

** Monthly bank draft also available

() Check here if \$18 monthly automatic draft is desired
and return voided check with signed application form.

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