

**SHBA Membership Meeting
 Tuesday, January 27
 6:30 p.m.**

**SHBA Conference Center,
 9701 Baird Road, Shreveport**

**GUEST SPEAKER:
 Chief Brian A. Crawford
 Shreveport Fire Department**




Fire Chief Brian Crawford

Chief Brian A. Crawford, a 24-year veteran of the City of Shreveport Fire Department, will address the attendees. Chief Crawford was appointed to his present position in July 2008. Immediately prior to the appointment he served as Assistant Chief. This will be an informative presentation you won't want to miss!

Light Refreshments will be provided by Summerfield Estates.

For more information, please call the SHBA office. **318-687-7808** or email shba@bellsouth.net.

 Summer Grove Baptist Academy, 2820 Summer Grove Drive, will open in August, 2009 with grades kindergarten (give year olds) through 3rd grade, and then add a grade a year. You are invited to an OPEN HOUSE at the school Sunday, February 8, from 2:00 –4:00 p.m. For more information, please call 687-9003.

**Dist 12 Comparison of Crime in Southern Hills to Citywide
 November 2008**

Category of Crime	Southern Hills Only	District 12	City-wide
AGG. BATTERY & AS-SAULT	3	8	101
AUTO ACCESSORY THEFT	3	4	38
AUTO THEFT	4	6	60
BUS. BURGLARY	3	5	48
BUS. THEFT	1	1	28
BUSINESS ROBBERY	1	1	9
HOMICIDE	0	0	2
PERSON ROBBERY	1	2	29
PURSE SNATCHING	0	0	2
RAPE	0	0	3
RES. BURGLARY	6	9	86
RES. THEFT	14	17	95
SHOPLIFTING	3	18	162
THEFT FROM AUTO	15	23	113
THEFT GENERAL	0	2	62
TOTAL	43	90	877
PERCENTAGE	4%	10%	100%

**Dist 12 Comparison of Crime in Southern Hills to Citywide
 December 2008**

Category of Crime	Southern Hills Only	District 12	City-wide
AGG. BATTERY & AS-SAULT	4	7	96
AUTO ACCESSORY THEFT	0	1	24
AUTO THEFT	3	5	53
BUS. BURGLARY	5	24	63
BUS. THEFT	4	6	25
BUSINESS ROBBERY	0	2	17
HOMICIDE	0	0	2
PERSON ROBBERY	1	3	37
PURSE SNATCHING	0	0	3
RAPE	1	1	11
RES. BURGLARY	15	22	181
RES. THEFT	6	11	112
SHOPLIFTING	4	22	175
THEFT FROM AUTO	7	23	153
THEFT GENERAL	0	6	84
TOTAL	51	132	1036
PERCENTAGE	4%	17%	100%



John L. Albritton
2008 SHBA
President

Telephone 671-1991

President's Message

Your Board of Directors expresses a big thank you for the support for Christmas in the Hills. The donations from the members, special programs sponsored by Summerfield Estates and Kingston Road Baptist Church, and the volunteers from the Southern Hills Kiwanis, the Men's Club of St. Mary of the Pines Catholic Church, and Brookwood Baptist Church came together to provide a sense of the holidays in our community. Many compliments have been received from other areas of the city regarding the trees and the banners.

As many of you know, the announcement of the bankruptcy of our tree provider two days before the trees were to be delivered put the whole project in jeopardy. Through the persistence of our staff, trees were provided and they were substantially above the quality of the trees we had in the past. We had planned for 125 and only received 91 so many of our past locations did not have a tree. Our apologies to those who were missed and we encourage you to respond early for tree assignments this year.

We extend a special thanks to Willis-Knighton for the capital donation. In these uncertain economic times, their vote of confidence in the Southern Hills Business Association is sincerely appreciated. In view of these times, the Board and staff have made significant reductions in the Association expenses. We are working to keep the image of the Southern Hills area as a good environment for business and families.

John

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(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
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