



Brownsboro Farm **The Farm Gazette**

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THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE NEEDS YOU!

**VOLUNTEER FOR THESE EVENTS. . .
WITHOUT YOU, THEY WON'T TAKE
PLACE!**

**It's *FUN* to volunteer to lead
Social Events at the Farm!**

Memorial Day Parade
Thursday Family Night Cookouts
June Adult Luau
Independence Day BYOE Picnic
Kids' Pool Party
Pre-Teen Pool Party
Teen Pool Party
Crafternoon
Labor Day BYOE Picnic
Trick or Treat Send Off
Afternoon with Santa



**THESE EVENTS WILL NOT HAP-
PEN WITHOUT VOLUNTEERS TO
RUN THEM. PLEASE SIGN UP by
calling Greg Burton at 931-5412
MAKE THINGS HAPPEN IN THE
FARM!**

Ten Things Your Burglar Won't Tell You **Submitted by your Neighborhood Watch**

1. Of course I look familiar. I was here just last week cleaning your carpets, painting your shutters, or delivering your new refrigerator.
2. Hey, thanks for letting me use the bathroom when I was working in your yard last week. While I was in there, I unlatched the back window to make my return a little easier.
3. Love those flowers. That tells me you have taste... and taste means there are nice things inside. Those yard toys your kids leave out always make me wonder what type of gaming system they have.
4. Yes, I really do look for newspapers piled up on the driveway. And I might leave a pizza flyer in your front door to see how long it takes you to remove it.
5. If it snows while you're out of town, get a neighbor to create car and foot tracks into the house. Virgin drifts in the driveway are a dead giveaway.
6. If decorative glass is part of your front entrance, don't let your alarm company install the control pad where I can see if it's set. That makes it too easy.
7. A good security company alarms the window over the sink. And the windows on the second floor, which often access the master bedroom and your jewelry. It's not a bad idea to put motion detectors up there too.
8. It's raining, you're fumbling with your umbrella, and you forget to lock your door - understandable. But understand this : I don't take a day off because of bad weather.
9. I always knock first. If you answer, I'll ask for directions somewhere or offer to clean your gutters. (Don't take me up on it.)
10. Do you really think I won't look in your sock drawer? I always check dresser drawers, the bedside table, and the medicine cabinet.

LOOK FOR 10 MORE IN THE MAY GAZETTE!

Sources: Convicted burglars in North Carolina, Oregon, California, Kentucky, security consultant Chris McGoey, who runs crime-doctor.com; and Richard T. Wright, a criminology professor at the University of Missouri-St. Louis, who interviewed 105 burglars for his book Burglars on the Job.

**City of Brownsboro Farm
Regular Commission Meeting
Tuesday, March 9, 2010
Draft Minutes**

A regular meeting of the Brownsboro Farm City Commission was held on Tuesday, March 9th, 2010 at the Brownsboro Farm Community Center. Commissioner Salmon called the meeting to order at 7:32 p.m. Present were Commissioners Tim Quinn, Marc Salmon, David Watson and City Clerk Dennis Branson. Residents Bob Bale, Charlie Spencer, and Nancy Swanson were also present. The meeting was called to order at 7:32 p.m.

Resident Nancy Swanson requested a building permit for a fence. The fence will meet all code requirements. The construction will run from March 18th – through April 30th. The building permit was motioned by Commissioner Salmon and seconded by Commissioner Quinn. The permit passed unanimously.

Commissioner Watson

Commissioner Watson followed up on the fence issue along the park path.

Reedy – Okay to remove

Mahoney – Okay to remove

Wicke – Okay to remove

Colpo – Will keep his since it is in good condition.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to allocate funds from line 54150 – Parks Maint. Misc. in the amount of Not to Exceed \$350.00 to pay for the removal of the Mahoney, Reedy and Wicke fences that border the park. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Quinn and passed unanimously.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to allocate funds from line 54320 – Parks-CC Maint. Misc. in the amount of \$120 to DFH and \$167.10 to Prudential and from line %4335 – Parks-CC Supplies in the amount of \$6.83 go Bob Bale to pay for the furnace repair at the community center. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Quinn and passed unanimously.

Commissioner Watson made a motion to allocate funds from line 56400 – path Project. in the amount of Not to Exceed \$325.00 to pay for 2 handicap signs at Broadland Trail. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Quinn and passed unanimously.

Parks

We need volunteers for Easter Egg Hunt. Commissioner Quinn will try and recruit volunteers. If you are interested, contact your commissioner or closest park board member.

They brought up the Items on parks board wish list. Commissioner Salmon suggested that we break this into under \$1,000 and over \$1,000.

Commissioner Salmon suggested painting the bridge the same color as the outside of the community center. Charlie Spencer scrubbed off the fence. It looked great but is starting to look bad again. We are going to get a quote from David Self to maintain the fence.

The Agenda was adopted.

The minutes from February were adopted with the changes made by Mayor Mosher.

The financial statements from February were approved.

Commissioner Salmon talked about the Gazette going online and being published quarterly. Commissioner Quinn talked about putting an insert in the Gazette asking who wants to get it physically. Commissioner Quinn and City Clerk Branson talk about the website and advertising dollars for web and Gazette. Any changes in the Gazette have nothing to do with quality of the paper which is excellent. We are only looking at updated delivery mechanisms. Commissioner Quinn asked if we need put out paper copies of minutes if they are published online.

The meeting was motioned and adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

GRADUATES WANTED

Are you graduating? Is someone in your family graduating?

The Farm would like to recognize all the upcoming graduates, from either high school or college. Please email the Gazette Editor at 4mossbrowns@bellsouth.net with names of graduates.



Also, please include the school the graduate is finishing. We will honor these graduates in the Farm!



Don't forget to regularly visit the new and improved Farm website at

www.brownsborofarm.org

for neighborhood information and news

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4	5	6 Parks Board Meeting at 7:30pm	7	8 Citywide Game Day 10-2	9	10
11	12	13 City Commissioners Meeting at 7:30pm	14	15 Citywide Game Day 10-2	16	17
18	19	20 Book Club Meeting 7:30pm	21	22 Citywide Game Day 10-2	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 Citywide Game Day 10-2	30	

Ready to be blown away!? If you enjoyed *Folly, The Pier, and Washout* you'll love *The Edge*. Enjoy quirky characters, or historic Charleston, or a vacation at the beach? Here's the perfect prescription for the winter blahs.

The new novel by Brownsboro Farm resident, Bill Noel, was published Jan. 2010



The Edge can be ordered at Barnes & Noble at the Summit or online at www.billnoel.com

Need your lawn mowed?

Trust a neighbor to do the job! Brownsboro Farm lawns mowed for \$25



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