VERMONT COMMONS
CIVIC ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

Vermont Commons Constable Patrol Program

For less than $1/day ($350/yr), the Vermont Commons Constable Patrol provides dedicated patrol of our streets.

Special contact phone number

Vacation Watch Service

Special Watches

Home security inspections

Yard signage

Possible Insurance Discounts

This service exists because residents fund it. Please consider joining to help keep our neighborhood safe. **BONUS**: Join between October 1 and December 31, 2026, and your $350 payment will cover patrol membership through December 31, 2027. To join, visit http://www.vcpatrol.com.

CHECK US OUT ONLINE AT VCCAHOUSTON.ORG

A Piece of Houston History: Street Markers and Blue Tiles



Houston's original street markers were concrete posts displaying street names and block numbers. Only a few remain in our neighborhood, including one at Brun and Haddon. In 1922, Houston began installing its iconic blue-and-white tile street signs directly into curbs to prevent theft and damage. Many have since disappeared, but those remaining are a reminder of Houston's history. More than 100 years later, the Houston Texans' new 2026 uniforms pay tribute to these historic blue tiles with designs inspired by their distinctive lettering. The Texans will debut these uniforms on Thursday, November 19 when they host the Indianapolis Colts.





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AROUND THE NEIGHBORHOOD





National Night Out brought neighbors together for a fun evening with plenty of residents, children riding scooters, and ice cream for everyone. Representatives from the Harris County Constable's Office joined us to show their support for the VCCA community.

BOOK CLUB

The current book club is full to the brim, but if you are interested in being a part of a new book club, contact Doris Sherer at disherer@hotmail.com and she and several other residents will help start a new one.

Citizens on Patrol (COP)

Help keep our neighborhood safe by joining Citizens on Patrol (COP)! This HPD-sponsored volunteer program brings neighbors together to walk or drive through Vermont Commons and Park Civic, observe activity, and report concerns to police. Training is required. Please contact coordinator Lillian at Lillian_Skogsberg@earthlink.net.



YARD OF THE MONTH

1809 DRISCOLL

VCCA
FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

UPCOMING EVENTS

MEN'S & LADIES' COFFEE

Wednesday November 4, 2026

10 A.M.
Empire Café
1732 Westheimer Rd.

Come enjoy conversation, laughter and camaraderie

HAPPY HOUR

Monday November 9, 2026

6:30 P.M.
Goode Company Cantina
2002 W Gray St

October Happy Hour

It was a beautiful evening on the patio at Goode Company as residents gathered to greet old friends and make new ones.

Among the crowd were 6 new residents who had read in the newsletter about the event and decided to join in the fun. As the new residents arrived there was an introduction and lots of clapping and hooting to welcome them to their first VCCA event. The new residents had lots of questions about all the other activities. Hopefully, they will join in those that interested them.

Stay Connected with Your Neighbors!

We're exploring new ways to make it easier for neighbors to stay connected and informed!

Neighborhood WhatsApp Group: We're planning a new WhatsApp group to help neighbors share updates, ask questions, and stay in touch. Watch for details on how to join in an upcoming newsletter!

Check Your Membership Dues: Not sure if you've paid your VCCA dues this year? We're working on a simple way for residents to check their membership status. More details coming soon!

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