



## HRA General Meeting: An Invitation to Home Ownership in Highland

One of the most beloved characteristics of the Highland neighborhood is its diversity, in both houses and people. Highland boasts beautiful turn-of-the-century Queen Annes, quaint bungalows, and contemporary structures. In fact, one could argue that it has the most architectural variety of any neighborhood in Shreveport. And people of all ages, ethnic backgrounds, and socioeconomic statuses are proud to call Highland home. The Highland Restoration Association celebrates this mosaic of people and places and would like to showcase Highland as a community where unique housing opportunities abound and everyone is welcome.

One way that the Highland Restoration Association (HRA) will be highlighting our neighborhood this fall is by hosting a special event October 20 at Noel Methodist Church fellowship hall, from 6:00-8:00 pm, for everyone who might be interested in becoming a property owner in Highland. One goal for our meeting is to



For Sale in Highland: Stately Tudor at 360 College

educate participants about the benefits of home ownership, both in general and in the Highland neighborhood. Representatives from Barksdale Federal Credit Union, insurers, realtors, and current residents and property owners will make brief presentations or participate in a question/answer forum.

***The Right Price, the Right Location, and the Right Time:*** HRA is encouraging all interested individuals to learn more about current real estate offerings in Highland and ways to turn opportunity into actuality. Although property values have been rising in many parts of Highland, home prices remain very affordable compared to other neighborhoods in the area. The \$8,000 tax credit that is being offered to first-time homeowners through December makes this a great time to buy. Highland's central location, easy access to I-20 and I-49, vibrant social scene, and beautiful historic buildings make it

THE happening place in Shreveport-Bossier right now. All persons who are interested in owning a part of Highland's future are encouraged to attend this special event. Heavy hors d'oeuvres will be served.

HRA members who can recruit others who might be interested in home ownership in Highland are also urged to participate. For more information, contact HRA at 318-221-7629 or email us at

[contact@highlandrestoration.org](mailto:contact@highlandrestoration.org).



For Sale in Highland: Charming Bungalow at 630 Prospect



For Sale in Highland: Landmark Neoclassical at 615 Jordan

**What:** HRA General Meeting, "An Invitation to Homeownership in Highland"

**When:** Tuesday, October 20, 2009, 6:00pm-8:00pm

**Where:** Noel Methodist Church, 520 Herndon St, Shreveport

**Catered by** Charles Ashley!



# HIGHLAND RESTORATION ASSOCIATION

*UPCOMING and ONGOING EVENTS 2009/2010*

<b>National Night Out Block Parties</b> Happening throughout Highland 5 – 9pm	<b>Tuesday, Oct 6</b>	<b>An Invitation to Home Ownership</b> Seminar focused on buying a home in Highland - invite someone! Noel Methodist Church, 6 – 8pm	<b>Tuesday, Oct 20</b>
<b>Fall Litter Clean-Up</b> A fun, sociable, volunteer effort that keeps Highland beautiful! Meet at Highland Center, 520 Olive St, 8am – lasts until 11am	<b>Saturday, Nov 7</b>	<b>Highland Jazz &amp; Blues Festival</b> The annual event that needs no explanation – ENJOY! Columbia Park, 12noon – 5pm	<b>Saturday, Nov 14</b>
<b>Christmas Tour of Homes</b> HRA's charming, festive, flagship event! Take a spirited tour through beautiful Highland homes decorated for the holidays.	<b>Sat &amp; Sun, Dec 5 &amp; 6</b>	<b>Beautification of Highland Flower Beds/Historic Monuments</b> (throughout Highland – spring and summer) <b>Garden of the Month Awards</b> – nominate/win! (summer)	

Please attend, volunteer and consider becoming a block captain or committee member! Join in for a better Highland!

**Call 221-7629 or visit us on the web: [www.highlandrestoration.org](http://www.highlandrestoration.org)**

And check out [www.celebratehighland.com](http://www.celebratehighland.com) for more information about our Christmas Tour of Homes!

HRA Members: Please note the date of your last dues payment above. If no date is shown, please pay your dues now!



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