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# Atascocíta - ACIA CRIME STATS

	_ NOV 2011	<b>YTD NOV 2011</b>
BURGLARY OF A HABITATION	0	15
BURGLARY OF A MOTOR VEHICLI	E0	35
THEFT FROM A HABITATION	3	13
THEFT OF MOTOR VEHICLE	3	5
THEFT - OTHER	3	14
ROBBERY	0	3
SUB-TOTAL	9	85
ASSAULT	1	5
SEXUAL ASSAULT	1	2
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	7	26
DISTURBANCE - FAMILY	3	18
DISTURBANCE - JUVENILE	0	36
DISTURBANCE - OTHER	10	119
ALARMS	12	277
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLES	1	158
SUSPICIOUS PERSONS	10	100
runaways	0	10
TELEPHONE HARASSMENT	0	6
OTHER CALLS	50	951

A full version of Crime Stats for Atascocita ACIA can be viewed at: WWW.ATASCOCITACIA.ORG; click on security.

# **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

# Important Information From **HARRIS COUNTY**

#### HARRIS COUNTY CONSTABLE, PRECINCT 4



During the month of November 2011 the Atascocita area contracts, specifically the Atasca Woods and Atascocita South subdivisions experienced an abnormal amount of vehicle thefts and attempted auto thefts. The attempted vehicle thefts had damaged door locks or steering columns, but for some reason the suspects either fled prior to stealing the vehicle or were not able to get the vehicle started to steal it. All of the stolen vehicles were recovered, most of them the following day with missing tires and wheels, dashes, etc. One vehicle that was reported stolen out of Dayton was recovered in Atascocita South. Several vehicles had tail gates stolen.

Residents are reminded not to leave valuables in their vehicles and lock vehicles and pickup tail gates.

The Friends of the Atascocita Library

The Friends of the Atascocita Library (FOAL) will hold a used book sale Saturday, February 11, from 10AM - 5PM at the Atascocita Library, 19520 Pinehurst Trail Dr. Individuals with disabilities may shop from 9AM -10AM. Preview for FOAL members is Friday evening from 5PM-7PM, with memberships available at the door. There is a large selection including children's, history, art, travel, religion, self help, fiction & non fiction, hard backs & paperbacks. Most are priced at \$.50 - \$1.00. Donations of used books & magazines are welcome anytime during regular library hours. Visit www.hcpl.net for library hours & www.foal.ws for more information, or email contact@foal.ws. All proceeds benefit the Atascocita Library.

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Fire, Medical or Life Threatening Emergency 9-1-1	
P-4 Constable Dispatch	
Humble ISD Police (Schools)	
Atascocita Volunteer Fire Dept (AVFD)	
Non-Emergency Number	
Harris County Animal Control281-999-3191	
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UTILITIES	
Electric, (multiple providers)www.powertochoose.org	,
Power Outages         713-207-7777	
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Gas Leaks	
Water, Severn Trent	
24 Hour Emergency Number	
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#### Harris County Pct 4 Fun 4 Seniors (over 50)

January events

#### KING TUT EXHIBIT

Houston Museum of Fine Art Tuesday, Jan 10, 9 AM // \$20/person Lunch is on your own at Café Express.

#### HARLEM GLOBETROTTERS

Toyota Center
Sunday , Jan 29, 2 PM // \$15/person
Max – two tickets per person
Ticket holders are required to ride Pct 4 bus.

#### For more information call 281-893-3726

Complete details on programs offered by Pct 4 can be found at www.hcp4.net/ccenters

Work off those "holiday" pounds at the May Center. Classes include: Rhythm Walking, and TOPS (Take off pounds sensibly). Call (281) 324-3373 for times and details.

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#### 70 Atascocita...

#### Happy New Year Atascocita!

In 2012 we are looking forward to another successful year serving the Atascocita Communities including Eagle Springs where I've been a resident for 7 years. I love the Atascocita area where I live, work, and do community service. January starts what is known as the spring buying season as prospective homebuyers get out of leases, sellers look to sell their home and move once the kids get out of school, or experience a job transfer. Now is a great time to give me a call to schedule a time to meet and review your options. Homes are taking longer to sell than they used to, but they are selling. The holidays are over and all the decorations are down, time now to spruce up that winter curb appeal to entice the prospective buyers that are in the market. It will be my pleasure to represent you in the sale of your home, as I have represented so many in this community and other local neighborhoods in the sale of their home. I welcome the opportunity to discuss with you the services I provide, like professional staging of your home for sale, free local move after closing for my Clients (Restrictions Apply! Call for Details), internet marketing that includes Showcased listings on Realtor.com, Zillow. com, Yahoo.com, Homes.com, along with Century21.com and 100's of other websites, professional photographer, virtual tours, text message marketing and social media exposure on Facebook, YouTube and much more. My marketing is cutting edge, high powered, and designed to get your home the most exposure possible. I spend the time, effort, marketing and money to sell your home. Call me today for a complimentary consultation and marketing analysis!

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Giving back to the community is something very important to me. As high school graduation draws near, we have a small college grant available. If you have a high school senior that would like to apply for the grant, have them visit our website www. majorleaguehomes.com to get details so they can apply.

In closing, if you have a topic you would like me to discuss in future issues, please send me an email to rsnipp@century21.com. We look forward to hearing from you! Referrals are the bloodline of my business so I appreciate you keeping me in mind when you have family, friends and co-workers looking for a trusted Real Estate Advisor. We realize that you have a choice, so we appreciate the opportunity to earn your business.

To view my Client rating, go toHAR.COM.

Thank you for your business! Have a blessed 2012! Respectfully, Rebekah Snipp Realtor

Happy New Year to All!

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#### Membership Form Friends of the Atascocita Library

If you would like to become involved in supporting your library, please fill out the form below and return along with the appropriate annual dues to:

> Friends of the Atascocita Library 19520 Pinehurst Trail Dr. Humble, TX 77346

Individual - \$5.00	Family -	\$10.00 Group/E	Business/Patron - \$25.00			
Donation	Total					
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The Friends of the Atascocita Library (FOAL) for the 2011 – 2012 year.

Link your Kroger Plus Card to the FOAL barcode below, & a percentage of the sales will benefit the Atascocita Library.

FOAL received \$734 for last year through the Kroger Neighbor to Neighbor Program.

Kroger Cashier: 1. Scan customer's KrogerPlus Card 2. Scan the attached Organization's barcode.

The customer's Kroger Plus Card is now enrolled in the Kroger Neighbor to Neighbor Donation Program & contributing funds to their organization. When you scan the barcode, the description on the receipt will say "Loyalty Div 0.00". This means the barcode was properly scanned. The following Friday, the customer's receipt will display a message at the bottom of the receipt saying "Your card is contributing to Neighbor to Neighbor #12345"

Please feel free to contact a Kroger Neighbor to Neighbor Donation Program Representative with any additional questions at 866-995-7643 or email to neighbortoneighbor@kroger.com.

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# CANDY CANE

"Candy Cane Lane" on the Evening Shades Court (12th Fairway and Evening Shades) was again this year wonderfully decorated. Complete with a traveling train to amuse the youngsters. Pictures don't do it justice. Congratulations to the residences who put this together for being recognized on Channel 2 news.





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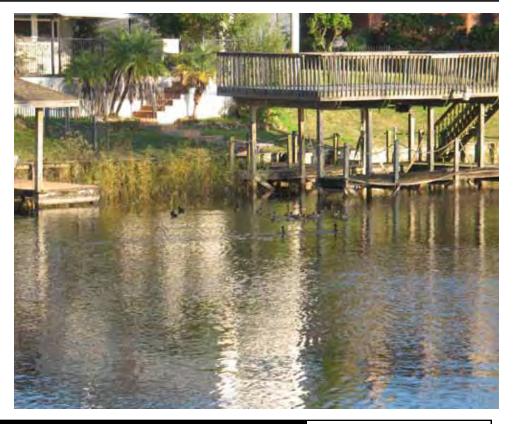




## The Water Level is Rising

Marina Keys

The 2012 Marina Keys are due for renewal during the month of January. The cost for the key is \$35.00, and can be picked up at the CAM office. The lake levels have been rising and boaters have been enjoying the new marina. Even a flock of migratory birds have decided the Marina cove is a perfect place to spend some time.



# The New Emergency Room Standard has been Set

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