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Serving With Pride

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Election Results

The results for the City of Alvin's May 6, 2017 General Election for Mayor, City Council Position District E and the Special Charter Election with 57 propositions can be found under the Elections tab at <https://www.brazoriacountyclerk.net>.



City Offices will be closed Monday, May 29th in observance of Memorial Day.

Happy Memorial Day

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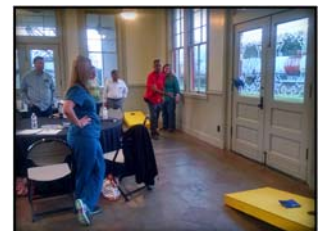


Alvin's Inaugural Citizens Academy Graduates Nine

Nine residents of Alvin who participated in the six-week long citizens academy, Alvin Up-front, were recognized for completing the course at the Alvin city council meeting on Thursday, March 16, 2017.



Beginning on February 6, 2017, every Monday evening from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., students met in intimate group settings with various staff members and department directors from City of Alvin. Each class was held at a corresponding city facility related to the topic for the evening. Classes were aimed at giving students a practical understanding of the daily responsibilities and activities of staff and how they directly apply to the city's customer service.



Activities incorporated into presentations included a budgetary mathematics exercise; free play of recreational games used by the Parks department; a showcase of response vehicles and tactical equipment; a mock Pre-Development meeting; a demonstration of sign-making; a demonstration of water line connections and a tour of the wastewater treatment plant.

Alexandra Aggor, the program facilitator, shed light on the future of the academy.

"The feedback from the students after the course was very positive; we can look forward to an even better academy next year," Aggor said.



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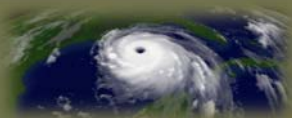
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Alvin Adventure Guide



The Parks and Recreation Department has released the Summer 2017 Alvin Adventure Guide. You can check out all the summer camps, activities and programs they are hosting May through August. The guide can be found on the City's website at www.alvin-tx.gov, under the Parks Department tab or hard copies are available at City Hall, 216 West Sealy.



Reminder

Hurricane Season starts June 1, 2017. Make plans now and always be prepared and ready!

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April 2017 Proclaimed Volunteer Appreciation Month



Mayor and City Council proclaimed the month of April 2017 as Volunteer Appreciation Month in the City of Alvin. A brief reception was held in their honor to thank the many volunteers of our great city. Their hard work and selfless dedication are what makes Alvin such a great place to live, work and play.

"Alone we can do so little, together we can do so much" - Helen Keller

Milton Morgan Named Volunteer of the Year

City Council named Milton Morgan as Volunteer of the Year!

Milton Morgan has been a resident of Alvin since 1982. He has volunteered for Alvin Little League Baseball for the past 11 years, serving in many different capacities while ultimately becoming the resident expert in baseball field maintenance. He can be found almost every day whether in the afternoon, evening or weekends at Lions Park, Morgan Park or Schroder Field on a mower or tractor performing field maintenance. Without hesitation, he has always volunteered to prepare a field every Sunday for adult kickball games hosted by the Alvin Parks and Recreation department as well as field preparation for other events. His willingness to assist has saved countless City resources and funds.



His passion for service has lead him to an appointed position on the Parks and Recreation Board where he not only commits to routine monthly meetings in the evening but volunteers to work special events hosted by the Alvin Parks and Recreation Department.

Milton Morgan is a remarkable individual, balancing his love for family with his passion to serve this community!

Staff Spotlight

Patrick Moore

Detective, Police Department

Length of time working for the City of Alvin:
 12 Years.

What is your motto or personal mantra: *"Moving forward....with or without you".*

I'm happiest when: *I'm surrounded by family.*

Favorite Travel Destination: *Going to Dallas to visit my mother.*

What have you always wanted to try but never have: *Hang gliding.*

Something people would be surprised to learn about you: *I was a break-dancer.*

