



PATRONS *for* BELLAIRE PARKS

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A great first weekend for PATRONS at the Bellaire New Home Showcase.

PATRONS for Bellaire Parks was pleased at the turnout for the first weekend of this year's Bellaire New Home Showcase benefiting the PATRONS. PATRONS Treasurer Bill Thorogood released preliminary figures for total donations raised at the New Home Showcase of over \$16,000. "It was a great success and we are significantly over totals from last year's first Showcase weekend. We are pleased PATRONS and the New Home Showcase can benefit Bellaire's residents through the Home Builders' contribution to the parks," expressed Thorogood. Showcase receipts will benefit PATRONS' current project, Bellaire Town Square. Lynn Skinner and Lenora Carlson, Home Showcase Co-Chairs, expressed, "We are so thankful and encouraged at the invaluable time given by our many volunteers who staffed the homes, and it shows how much support we have from the residents of Bellaire to get Bellaire Town Square built."

"We can't express our thanks enough to the New Home Showcase Builders for the opportunity to be the beneficiary of this year's proceeds. This is a fantastic contribution to Bellaire," added PATRON President, Mandy Nathan. "And we are happy to see the residents 'Give Green to Get Green' by attending the Showcase as we move closer to meeting the Wortham Grant Challenge. We are now over the \$400,000 mark."

The New Homes Showcase continues through next weekend with the homes open to the public again on May 19th and 20th from 10am to 6pm. Seven of Bellaire's finest homes are available for viewing. The selected builders and their featured homes are: Levitt & Robbins Custom Homes at 5312 Valerie; Larry Skelton Homes at 549 Chelsea; Granit Builders Inc. at 10 Cherrywood; Richard Price Custom Homes at 4904 Laurel; Bentley Homes at 116 Whipple; Watermark Homes at 5410 Pocahontas; and Tommy Cashiola Construction Co. at 4526 Maple. The homes are priced from \$1 million and feature elegant amenities.

To learn more about PATRONS' current projects and how you can help in their efforts or make a donation or pledge you may contact them at 713-661-PARK or www.bellaireparks.com. PATRONS for Bellaire Parks is a 501 (c) (3) organization and all donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. For more information on the Showcase of Homes visit www.bellairehomeshow.com.

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