

Thursday, September 18, 2008

Discovery Green Conservancy hopes that you and your families are safe and recovering from Hurricane Ike.

Discovery Green sustained minimal damage from the storm and is open. Visitors are welcome to enjoy the shade, green space, WiFi and HPL Express in the park. In addition, restaurants The Grove and The Lake House are open for lunch and early dinner. Visit www.thegrovehouston.com for hours of operation of the two restaurants.

All scheduled events and activities for this weekend have been cancelled. Visit www.discoverygreen.com for details as well as further updates on activities and upcoming special events. We look forward to providing Houstonians with the recreation and leisure activities that we all need.



Next Thursday's *Concert on the Green presented by Capital One Bank* features **The Gourds**. (September 25, 6:30 pm, free of charge) Houston Food Bank Executive Director Brian Greene will be on hand to accept donations of "ready to eat" items and to sign up volunteers.



On Friday, September 26, *Thank You Houston* takes on a special significance. Originally scheduled for September 13, this event was planned to thank Houstonians for the life-sustaining hospitality the city offered to Katrina and Rita survivors. Now, as Houston recovers from Ike, added to the music, stories and food (a giant pot of red beans and rice and jambalaya) organizers of the event will provide valuable recovery information for Houstonians.

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