

ONCE UPON A TIME IN SUGAR LAND



Sugar Land School's first graduated kindergarten class, circa 1920.



The model company town of Sugar Land was moving along by 1925. The million dollar addition of the char house (pictured) was a sign of the community's progress.



Imperial Valley Railway workers pose in front of a locomotive in August 1907.



Bill Little and his family were new to the Sugar Land community, but they fit right in, with him being elected mayor in 1961.

A LOOK BACK AT SUGAR LAND'S EARLY DAYS

During its early years, the Sugar Land community may have had a few bumps along the way, but has now become one of the sweetest places to live! Thanks to the new historical pictorial book *Images of America, Sugar Land*, local residents can get a sweet sneak peak of the past right here in *Sugar Land Magazine*. For more information, be sure to visit slheritage.org. To help benefit the non-profit organization, please order your book from the Sugar Land Heritage Foundation by contacting Eleanor Barton at ebarton@slheritage.org or 281-494-0261. You can also visit amazon.com for a copy.

Workers pose in front of the Attwood Hotel in 1913.



Baseball was an enjoyable pastime for many Sugar Land residents, with many teams sponsored by Imperial Sugar, including the Tigers.

An aerial view of the mid-1950s Buffalo Bayou, Brazos, and Colorado Railway passing the Imperial Sugar refinery.



Sugar Land sweets enjoy ice cream at the 1952 grand opening ceremony of the Sugar Land Shopping Center.

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