

NOVEMBER YARDS OF THE MONTH



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Aqua Services – Cypress Hill MUD#1713-983-3602
Detention Pond: mowing, standing water, repair, & maintenance
Park 5 Playground; repairs, irrigation leaks
Walking Paths: repairs, irrigation leaks
Individual water meters, leaks, repairs and maintenance
MUD Facilities Lift stations & Treatment Plants: mowing, repairs,
maintenance, leaks, and smells.
Principle Management – Cypress Mill HOA, Inc.
Reserves/Parks/Common Areas: mowing, repairs, irrigation leaks
Deed Restrictions
Architectural Control Applications/Approvals
Recycling Program
Cypress Mill Administrative Assistant – Angie 281-213-3174
Administrative hours at the Rec Center:
Tuesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, 10am to 2pm
Recreation Center Concerns
Activity Room Rentals
Yard of the Month
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Application for Modification

Owner's Name:	
Owner's Mailing Address:	
Daytime Phone Number: Alternate:	
Legal Description of Property Sect: Blk: Lot:	
Property Address:	
If applicable:	
Contractor's Information - Contractor's Name:	
Contractor's Address:	
Contractor's Phone Number:Fax:	
May we contact your contractor with questions in regards to your submission? YES NO	O (circle one)

If you live in a gated community, you will be required to provide a \$1,000.00 damage deposit for a pool. A final inspection is required for the deposit to be refunded. Deposits should be made payable to the Association.

PLEASE NOTE: BLUEPRINTS, SAMPLES ETC., SUBMITTED TO THE ACC WILL NOT BE RETURNED. Type of Improvement: _____

You must submit the following:

_____ Elevation Drawing (Front and side)

_____ Brochure (If available)

_____ Lot Survey, with improvements drawn to scale

_____ Samples of all exterior materials

_____ Any additional information pertinent to this improvement

Briefly describe any special construction which may assist us in the review of your application: Start Date: Estimated Completion Date:

By submitting this application and by signing below, I understand that the committee will not process the application without all of the information and samples. I understand that the committee has up to thirty days to review this application. I understand that if I make any alterations to the plans submitted, I will have to re-submit those changes for prior approval.

Owner's Signature Date

Association:

THE OWNER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR SCHEDULING THE FINAL INSPECTION.

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Date Application Received:

Date Application Processed:___

Date "Need More Information" Letter was mailed:

Additional Information/Samples Requested:

Date Application APPROVED or DENIED:

Please submit this application with all required samples to:

Principal Management Group 24900 Pitkin, Ste 190 The Woodlands, TX 77386

Please contact our office at 281/367-8137 or via email at m.price@pmghouston.com, with any questions and to schedule your final inspection. Office Use Only Page 2 of 2 Rev.1/29/2004

Remember the Speed Limit throughout Cypress Mill is 30 MPH!



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Monday: 8 – 12 Tue., Wed., Fri. 1-6 Saturday: 11 – 5

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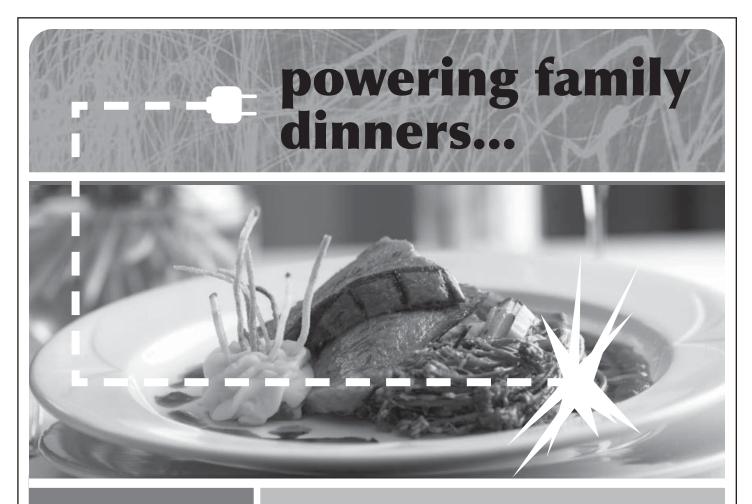
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Arbor Trace Ct.			Palos Place Pl.	Phyllis Jarnegan (temp. vol.)	281-304-9632
Aster Estates Ln.	Kari Joyner	832-797-0380		Virginia Balducci (temp. vol.)	281-256-3010
Auburn Woods Dr.			Park Arbor Ct.	Lauren Gaspard	281-373-9966
Autumn Glen Ct.	Courtney Hicks	281-213-3182	Pebble Meadow Ct.	Michelle Robison	281-265-6453
	Cynthia Buchanan			Gina Williams	281-373-4427
Begonia Estates Ct.	Diana Pretus	281 330-8251	Plains River Dr.	Geneva Fritch	281-304-1255
Bladenboro (Park I)	Monica Blanchard (temp. vol.)			Marianne MacLeod	281-304-9366
Calcaterra Ct.			Pinson Dr.	Debbie Brown	281-256-1875
Camellia Estates Ln.	Jennifer M. Klawinski	281-381-2987	Rochelle Ct.	Jen Malota	281-213-3778
Carriage Crossing Ln.		201 252 010 5	Rosehill Estates Ln.	Ronnie J. Kallus	281-304-1246
Cascade Bend Lane	Fernando Aguirre	281-373-0186		Jamal Naffa	281-798-9448
Chapel Cove Ct.	A A 1	001 204 1000	Rose Hill Park Ln.	Bill & Elizabeth Brown	281-373-3118
Cinderwood Dr	Amy Arthur	281-304-1999		Steffanie Budge	281-304-9987
Cohblastona Dr	Susan White Monica Blanchard	281-304-9389	Rosemont Estates Ln.	Annabelle Martinez	281-213-9079
Cobblestone Dr. Country Rose	Monica Blanchard	281-304-9389	Spring Walk Ln.	Judy Jackson Sharon Strausburg	281-373-5160 281-304-1382
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Cross Stone Ct.			Thornbluff Ct.	Hony Eligie	201-304-9032
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Cypress Orchard	Debbie Deleon	832-289-6580	Water Mill Dr.		
Cypress Ridge Grove	Sheri Lyn Klein	281-373-3674	Wild Ivy Ct.	Sheri Lyn Klein (temp. vol.)	
Cypress Stone Ln.	Sharon Covington	281-851-3484	Windwood Park Ln.	Gail Norris	281-373-4542
Cypress Valley Ln.	8		Wisteria Estates Lane	Matt Buss	281-304-9321
Delta Estates Ct.	Michelle Peting	281-304-8894	Woodcypress Ln.		
Emerald Cypress Ct.	C		Wooded Glen Ct.	Hortensia A. Vega	281-304-9422
Emerald Cypress Ln.	Jennifer Patterson	281-256-8221			
	Cel A. Guerra				
Emerald Moss	Sue Zahn Lucas	832-687-5778			
Enola Dr.	Tina Bunn	281-304-1113	Interested	in getting involved w	ith your
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Floret Estates Ln.					
Grandbluff Ct.	Shari Bumpas	281-304-1511	and wa	nt to get to know peo	ple?
Green Cypress Ct.	Ed Noble	281-304-9810		ts that need block captains.	
Grove Estates Ln.	Cassy Hearn	281-253-4941		u to meet your neighbors, hand o	-
Harmony Estates	Andrea Anderson	281-256-8515		ts for your street. Please contac	
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Harvest Chase Ct.	Yoland Salinas	281-256-6449		like to volunteer or if you have	* *
Hazy Ridge Lane Heathcrest Ct.	Amy Merrill	281-230-0449	-	bilities of a block captain, at 28	1-304-9422 or
Hollow Branch Ct.	Jacqui Williams	281-304-8006	tenchis18@sbcglo	bal.net.	
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Euurus Estutes En.	Vicki Seal	281-304-7103			
Mallard Estates Ct	Jo Ann Novak	281-304-1614	TOTAL	PEST CON	TROL
Maple Mill & Bladenboro	Dawn Shirley (temp. vol.)	281-373-4892			
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14506 Bladenboro



14606 Bladenboro



14702 Emerald Cypress



14755 Country Rose

Cypress Hill M.U.D. #1 Constable Patrol Statistics

For the areas of Cypress Mill, Sydney Harbor, Cypress Ridge, WalMart and Cypress Mill Commercial Center

Tickets	77
Burglary of Habitation	2
Burglary of Motor Vehicle	3
Theft from Habitation	0
Theft of Motor Vehicle	3
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Assault	0
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Disturbance - Juvenile	1



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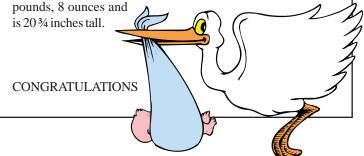
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Stork Report

Georgia Adele Marsh was born to Lindsay and Brad Marsh and big sister Ava on August 30, 2006 at 7:54 am. Born at Methodist Willowbrook Hospital, Georgia weighed in at 7



REMNDER: Solicitation is against our deed restrictions.

Please do not purchase from solicitors and ask them to leave our neighborhood. Although it is difficult to enforce this violation, we can work together to keep this activity at a minimum. Please contact Constable Ron Hickmans office at 281-376-3472 if any harassment issues or suspicious behavior arises.

MOMS Club of Cypress-North

Are you an at-home mom (either full- or part-time) looking for some fun activities for your kids, interesting activities for yourself, or just some good adult conversation? If you live in the 77429 zip code, why not try out MOMS Club of Cypress-North!

MOMS (Moms Offering Moms Support) Club is a national, non-profit organization that gives at-home mothers the opportunity to share activities and discussions with other mothers and their children. Upcoming activities include outings, playgroups and MOM'S Night Out, as well as scrapbooking, craft days, a cooking group and monthly mixers where moms get to chat while the kids play. And best of all, the activities and meetings are held during the day, when at-home mothers need support and interaction with others. We also perform service projects throughout the year to help needy children and organizations in the community.

Most of the club activities are held in Cypress. You can choose the activities that interest you and that are convenient to your schedule. Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 10:00 a.m.

If you are interested, please come to one of our next meetings on October 10th at 10 a.m. Please call Gina Garnett, Membership VP, at 281-256-3995 (gkgarnett@sbcglobal.net) or Susan Norris, President, at 281-225-6450 (mjn1@ev1.net) for location, directions, or any questions. We are happily welcoming new moms at each meeting. Hope to see you there!



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When You Are Away from Home:

- Stop newspaper delivery.
- Hold your mail, or arrange for a neighbor to pick it up.
- Ask a neighbor to tend your yard and watch your house.
- Never leave messages on an answering machine indicating you are away.

Doors and windows:

• Lock doors at all times.

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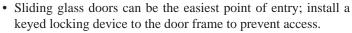
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Cypress 25712 Northwest Freeway

• Do not open the door to anyone you do not know.



Lighting:

- Install outdoor lighting and aim it away from the house. This will allow you to have a clear view of someone approaching your home.
- Install motion detector lighting in low lighting areas around your home. This will prevent someone from concealing themselves from your view.

Meet with your neighbors:

- Get to know your neighbors and their vehicles.
- Create a personal support network; agree to watch each others' homes when you are away.
- Swap lists of whom to notify in an emergency.
- Report unusual or suspicious behavior to the local law enforcement.

REMINDER

Replacement access cards for the recreation center are \$5, additional cards are \$10. CHECKS ONLY.



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Howdy Aggie Moms!

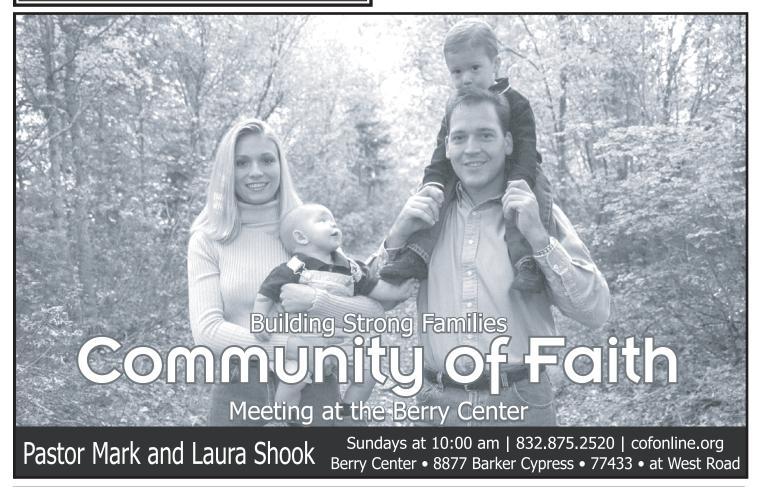


Tuesday, November 13th, 2006 at 7:00 PM will be the next general meeting of the Northwest Harris County Texas A&M University Mothers' Club – known to many as AGGIE MOMS at: The Houston Distributing Company, Inc. 7100 High Life Drive , Houston , TX 77066 just off Cutten Road, West of Beltway 8, between 1960 & Hwy 249. Our featured speaker for the evening will be Mr. Bill Byrne, Athletic Director for Texas A & M University. At the same time, we want to invite all interested AGGIES, AGGIE MOMS and AGGIE DADS to join us for a Chili Dinner at 6:30 PM prior to Mr. Byrne speaking. Come see the AGGIE SPIRIT and AGGIE LOVE. See you there. WHOOP!

For more information about us please visit our web site www.nwhcaggiemoms.com or e-mail Robin Galvin - President, at rcq@qbpllc.com or Mishael Brown – Vice President of Membership at JLMBrown@aol.com or call her at (281) 376-0995.

Project Prom Christmas Wreath/Greenery Sale

Project Prom 2007 is kicking off their fundraising with the popular sale of Christmas Wreaths. This year the greens are coming from a new company out of Seattle. We will be offering 2 different 22' wreaths in Noble Fir and Mixed Evergreens for \$19.95, a door Swag for \$14.95, a table centerpiece for \$14.95, a 28" Noble Fir Wreath for \$24.95 and a package of fresh pine cones for \$7.95. You also have the opportunity to order these and some additional items to be sent directly as gifts (for a different pricing structure). The proceeds from this sale benefit the Cy Fair Senior Class of 2007 Project Prom. Project Prom is a safe after party prom that all the seniors are invited to attend with food, games, loads of door prizes and more. Please contact any senior parent to order the wreaths or call Karen Desrochers (281) 225-9844 or Candy Sandlin (281)225-6632 to place an order or to see a brochure. The deadline to order is Nov. 1 and delivery will be the week after Thanksgiving. Thank you in advance for your support.



Keenagers Group

HAPPY THANKSGIVING EVERYONE

Here are the senior activities for the next two months:

Sat., Nov. 18th - Civil war weekend at historic Liendo Plantation. The cost is \$5 for seniors and \$5 for the home tour. We will have lunch at a local restaurant. I will have more information for you to look at on Fri. Oct. 13th at the pot luck dinner, or go online to Liendo plantation or civil war weekend.

Sat., Dec. 2nd - is our second annual Christmas Progressive Dinner. We have three couples that have agreed to host our dinner: Rob & Paula Lillenthal (drinks and snacks), Richard & Theresa Brutka (main course that will be catered), and Dwayne & Pat Kruger (dessert). I will let you know what the cost will be as soon as we have chosen a restaurant to cater. Please let me know if you would like to add your name to our list.

Sat., Dec 9th - Cypress Mill's Visit from Santa will be held at the activity center from 10 am - 2 pm. We have been asked for volunteers to bake and work at the cake walk. They need 24 items. If you would like to take part in the fun, please contact Laura Rucker at 281-256-7933 or Ler415@yahoo.net.

Dec. 20th bus trip to see the lights has been canceled. There is a matinee performance of the Radio City Music Hall Rockettes Christmas Spectacular and "Spamalot" (a TUTS sponsored event) coming to Houston. We can join The Hockey senior group. The tickets are \$24.95.

I will not be planning any future bus trips for the new year. If anyone else would like to take over this portion of the Keenagers activities, please contact me. I will plan activities in the activity center and will let the people know, who have been attending past activities, when we are going to carpool to other local activities. I will also continue writing articles for the messenger with topics and places of interest for seniors. There are several senior groups that have trips we can join. Hockey is one, and Bear Creek Seniors has lots of fun and interesting things going on.

Please contact me about the above activities. Carolyn Hoffmann carolwatec@sbcglobal.net or 281-256-3480



Join Cypress Christian Students and Support Your Local Food Bank

When the "emergency" call came from Cypress Assistance Ministries, Cypress Christian School employees and students went to work collecting food for needy families in the community. During the month of October, elementary students contributed cereal and jelly while secondary students contributed canned meats, fruits and vegetables as well as soup and pasta.

The relationship between Cypress Christian School and Cypress Assistance Ministries (CAM) began many years ago and continues to this day. We have partnered to help meet the needs of families in crisis due to illness, job loss or other circumstances. Last fall, Cypress Christian participated in the effort to provide for Katrina families; and over the 2005 holidays, CCS hosted a food drive to stock the pantry at CAM.

Again this holiday season, CCS employees and students plan to contribute food items such as turkeys,

canned goods, non-perishables, toiletry items, diapers, formula and more to meet the needs of those

in the Cypress area. We urge you to join the effort to ensure that men, women and children in the Houston area do not go without. Please consider giving to your local food bank this season and beyond! You'll put smiles on many faces!

Cypress Assistance Ministries is located at 11202 Huffmeister and accepts donations from 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m., Monday through Wednesday and 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Thursday through Saturday. If you need to speak to someone about donating, please call the Assistance Office at 281-955-7684.

Cypress Christian School is an accredited K-12 Christian school and is located at 11123 Cypress N. Houston Road at Jones Road. We are pleased to make a difference in the lives of those who live in our community.





Just a reminder

Please be considerate and pick up after your dog when you are out for a walk including the walking trails by the

> It is illegal to sweep grass clippings and trash into the drains. Please report violators at 713-

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START THE CHRISTMAS SEASON WITH "THE LITTLEST ANGEL"



Begin your Christmas celebrations with Messiah Lutheran's production of "The Littlest Angel". Admission is free. The play is scheduled for Saturday, December 2 at 6 PM and Sunday, December 3 at 3 PM. The play tells the story of the Littlest Angel, a precocious angel full of mischief, and her transformation as she gives a special gift to the Christ Child. The entire family will enjoy this humorous production. In order to be certain the play is not overbooked, tickets are

required, but they are free. Call Messiah Lutheran, 281-890-3013 to reserve your tickets. Messiah Lutheran is a grace place. All people are welcome. Messiah is located at 11522 Telge Road, 1/2 mile north of Highway 290. www.messiahlc.org

Street Light Out?

If you have a street light out, 24 hours a day you can report the issue to HL&P at 713-207-2222, selection 4 or http://www. reliantenergy.com/outage.asp. You will need to provide the 6 digit pole number located about five feet up the pole and if possible, the street.



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- 8:15 a.m. Traditional, the Sanctuary
- 9:30 a.m. Contemporary, the Ministry Activity Center
- 11:00 a.m. Traditional, in the Sanctuary
- 11:00 a.m. Common Ground, Ministry Activity Center a worship service offering a Traditional worship format with traditional hymns and light contemporary praise music.



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Resistant Bacteria Increasing Source of Muscle Infection

Baylor College of Medicine

HOUSTON -- (Sept. 25, 2006) – An antibiotic-resistant bacteria called methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) is increasingly a cause of muscle infections in children, said Baylor College of Medicine (BCM) researchers in a report in the journal Clinical Infectious Diseases.

The report appears online at http://www.journals. uchicago.edu/CID/journal/contents/v43n8.html in the October 15, 2006, issue.

"We had noticed an increase in the number of muscle infections," said Dr. Pia Pannaraj, a post-doctoral fellow in the department of pediatrics' section of infectious diseases at BCM. She said that in recent years, she and her colleagues at Texas Children's Hospital had started to see a case of the MRSA muscle infection every month. In the cases she studied, the infection was acquired in the community, she said.

"I think it is important for parents to be aware that this bacterial infection can exist," she said. "They should seek care from their child's primary physician if there are symptoms of such an infection, such as a child limping or if there is redness or swelling in an extremity."

Houston, in particular, has a high rate of MRSA infections. More than 75 percent of community-acquired staphylococcal infections treated at Texas Children's Hospital are MRSA (resistant to the antibiotics commonly used to treat these infections in the past), she

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said. The rate of such infections is increasing nationwide.

In surveying patient records, Pannaraj and her colleagues found that in 60 percent of the 45 previously healthy children with the muscle infections called myositis and pyomyositis, the cause was a form of bacteria – either Staphylococcus aureus or Streptococcus pyogenes. The infections occurred between 2000 and 2005. Fifteen of the 26 S. aureus infections tested were methicillinresistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) forms of the bacteria that were circulating in the community. The other infections were forms of staphylococcal bacteria that were not resistant to methicillin, an antibiotic.

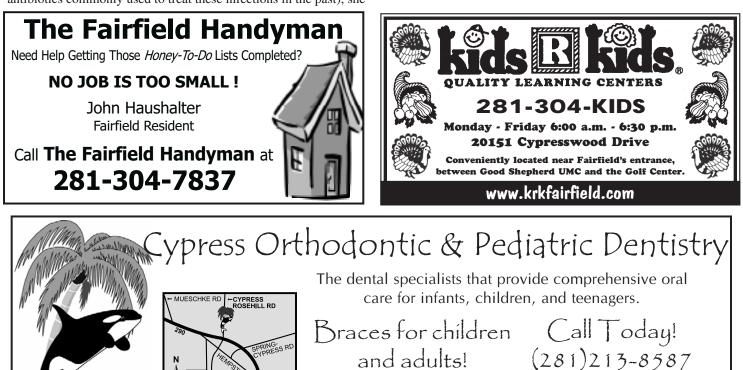
It is important the doctors treating patients for skin infections such as cellulitis to use antibiotics that will cure the resistant forms of the bacteria, said Pannaraj.

"Be aware that this is out there," she said. "When someone comes in, doctors should be aware that this could be a muscle abscess."

Antibiotics that successfully treat MRSA include oral clindamycin and trimethoprim-sulfamethoxazole, which are usually used out of the hospital, and vancomycin or clindamycin, which is given intravenously, usually to hospitalized patients.

The form of MRSA that is acquired in the community spreads more easily than that usually caught in the hospital, said Pannaraj.

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"That's why I am seeing it in otherwise healthy children," she said.

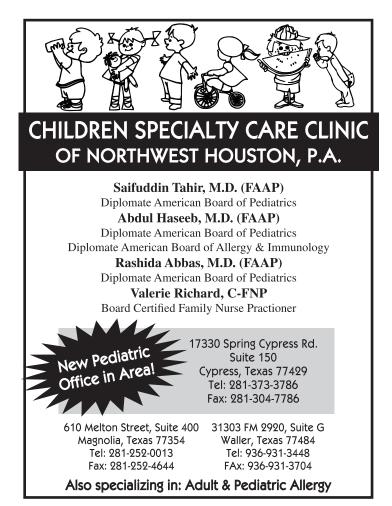
She and her colleagues are trying to find out why this particular form of the bacteria spreads so easily. Her studies are focusing on specific genes. One, pvl, permits holes to be poked into the cells, damaging them irreparably.

"There seems to be an association between bacteria carrying the pvl gene and the severity of disease," she said. However, she said, they have not yet determined whether the problem is this specific gene or another that is close to it.

Others who participated in this research include: Drs. Kristina G. Hulten, Blanca E. Gonzalez, Edward O. Mason, Jr., and Sheldon L. Kaplan, all of the section of infectious diseases in the department of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine and Texas Children's Hospital. Funding for this study came in part from Pfizer Pharmaceutical Company.

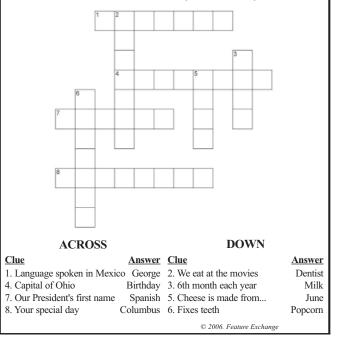
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Successful Weight Control

It's not just cutting calories

Eating less, or cutting back on fat in your diet, won't keep the weight off. What you really need to do is strike a good balance between the number of calories you consume and the number you burn. And the only way to do that is to exercise.

Don't groan! By exercising, you can lose weight while you eat more calories than if you simply went on a diet. Regular physical activity is much more effective at keeping the weight off in the long run than any diet. **One choice is aerobic exercise**

With aerobic exercise, you can lose weight without drastically reducing the calories you consume or sacrificing important nutritional needs. One reason for this is because aerobic exercise not only elevates your metabolism while you're exercising, it can also keep it elevated even after you're done, depending of course on how long and how strong you exercise.

You've probably heard about exercise programs that actually turn your body into a ''fat-burning machine.'' Aerobics can do that. An aerobic program you stick with can help you lose weight easier because it can stimulate your body and make it burn calories.

If weight control is your goal, some types of aerobic activity will work better than others. Low-impact aerobics, like walking, step aerobics and low-impact aerobic dance are your best bets. Some good no-impact aerobic activities you can benefit from include swimming, bicycling and rowing. If you're just getting started, begin with as little as 15 minutes of low-impact aerobics three times a week. Gradually increase to 30 minutes of moderate aerobic activity four times a week.



Strength training = weight management

Your muscles burn calories during physical activity. What you may not know is your muscles also burn calories when your body is at rest. Increase your muscle mass, and you'll be increasing your body's capacity to burn calories both during activity and at rest.

Add to that the research that shows diets that restrict calories substantially can cause the loss of lean muscle mass, along with the loss of fat. By incorporating strength training into your activity program, as well as following a moderate diet, you'll be able to maintain lean muscle mass while you lose fat.

Start any strength-training program with

one set of exercises and a weight that allows you to complete eight to 12 repetitions. Your program should exercise your legs, arms, chest and upper back. If you want to strengthen your stomach and lower back, increase the number of repetitions with weights that offer less resistance.

Success means good eating and good exercise

Follow a moderate low-fat diet and an exercise program that combines aerobic activity and strength training. That's the key to losing weight - and keeping it off.

Begin slowly with exercises you find comfortable and build as your body becomes accustomed to the activity level. Don't start out too hard or too fast. Chances are you may injure yourself or quit before you've done yourself much good.

And remember, you can't lose weight overnight. Set a realistic weight-loss goal for yourself - like one to two pounds a week - eat healthy, get going on a program of regular physical activity, and you'll be delighted by what you accomplish.

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\$120,000-149,999	7	6	6	1	6	3
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The American inventor Alexander Graham Bell wrote for the National Geographic magazine as H.W. Largelamb, which is an anagram of his name.



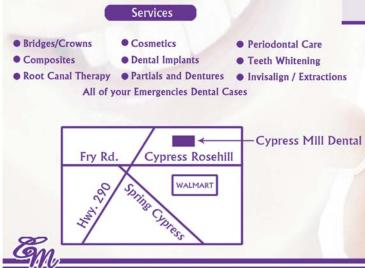
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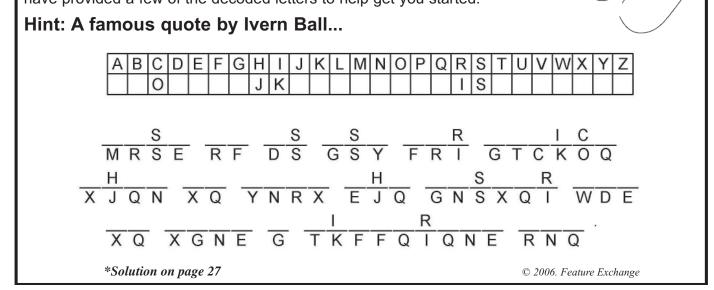
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Here are some of the reasons for gums receding which can cause sensitivity to cold or even worse, over time, damage the nerve for good.

Bite being a problem, as the bite may be putting too much force on certain teeth. Make sure your dentist checks your bite thoroughly at every visit since it changes frequently.

The gums around the teeth are very thin, thus easy to recede due to the above reason.

A crown that is put on a tooth is too thick at its edge, which goes down inside the gums, thus irritating the gums and making it recede. You will see continuous redness instead of pink, firm gums.

Bacterial infection from just not brushing and flossing well can also make the gums recede.

Treatments such as fillings, gum grafting, and just simple fluoride treatments are available. However, same thing will recur if the cause is not taken care of first.

In the mean time, if you have any dental related questions, please email me at sundranidds@yahoo.com, and I will happily respond to your inquiries.

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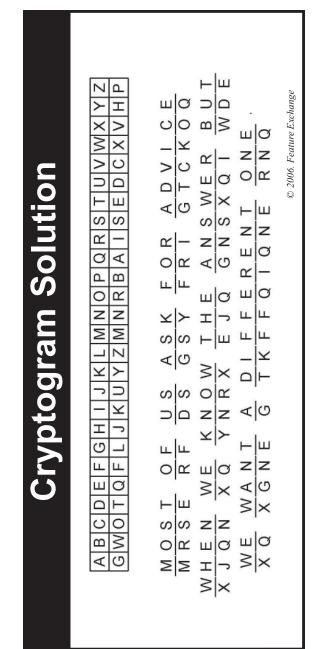
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