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Tickets will be sold during lunches January 9th–19th
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Who will be Mr. Mustang?

Girl Scout Juniors

FROM THE CY FAIR SCHOOL DISTRICT

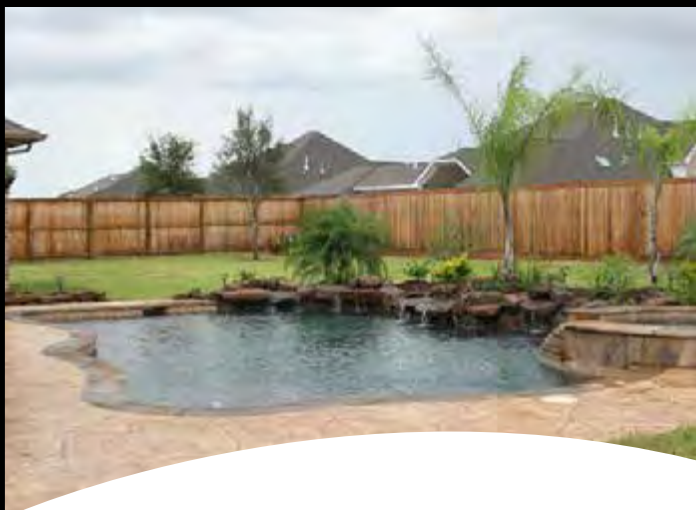
Celebrate Their 100th Year in 2012

Submitted by Melinda Riso



***Brownies camp at Lone Star Yogi Camp ground
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KICK OFF THE NEW YEAR WITH NWHC AGGIE MOMS' CLUB 2012

"Kick Off" your new year by joining Aggie Moms at the first 2012 NWHC Aggie Moms' Club meeting to be held on Tuesday, January 10th at 7 pm. The Aggie Moms' Club is currently finalizing details for a truly special speaker for January and more details will be announced later on our website. All meetings are held at the Houston Distributing Company, Inc. conveniently located at 7100 High Life Drive and Cutten Road near Willowbrook Mall. The NWHC Aggie Moms' Club brings area Aggie Moms together to support Aggie students through donations for scholarships and for on campus organizations at Texas A&M University. Come join other Aggie Moms for food and fellowship!

At the January meeting, the Aggie Moms' boutique will feature our new "Aggie Traditions" pillows and other original Aggie gift items. These gift items are fabulous for birthdays and graduations and support a great cause! Aggie student scholarship

applications are also available online at www.nwhcaggiemoms.org and must be postmarked no later than Monday, Feb. 7th, 2012. Last year the Aggie Moms' Club awarded more than \$11,000 in scholarships to future and current Aggie students. Check out our website for eligibility requirements for your Aggie student.

NWHC Aggie Moms will be hosting their annual spring fundraiser "Boots 'N Whoops!" on Sunday, April 22, 2012 from 1 to 5 pm. The event will feature country singer Kimberly Dunn and will be held at the Red Star Dance Hall on Hwy 249 near Tomball. The fundraiser will include a barbecue lunch, drinks, great music, dance performances, a silent auction, and other activities. Ticket information and more details will be available on our website.

For more information, go to our website at www.nwhcaggiemoms.org.

NW HARRIS COUNTY AGGIE MOMS' MEETING

"Aggie Moms Go Green"

Tuesday, Feb. 14, 2012

Aggie Moms GO GREEN with Randy Lemmon, from the 740 KTRH weekend morning show, Gardenline. We encourage you to join NW Harris County Aggie Moms to learn how to turn ON your green thumb and transform your yard into a gorgeous garden! Guest speaker Randy Lemmon worked at Texas A&M University where he served as Communications Specialist for the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences. Prior to that he was a freelance TV producer and he produced several agricultural documentaries and advertising campaigns. During his time at Gardenline, Randy has authored two books which will

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be for sale at our February meeting. You won't want to miss this great opportunity!

Join us Tuesday, February 14th, 2012 at 7 pm at the Houston Distributing Company, Inc. conveniently located at 7100 High Life Drive by Cutten Road near Willowbrook Mall. The NWHC Aggie Moms' Club works to provide scholarships for Aggie students and funds for on-campus student run organizations. The Aggie Moms' Club is a great place to meet other Aggie Moms, find out important information about your student's experience at Texas A&M University, and provide support for all Aggie students.

Scholarship Monday is still available for Aggie students! NWHC Aggie Moms' Club awarded over \$11,000 in 2011 scholarships for Texas A&M students. There are Awesome Aggie students in the NW Harris County region and this could be your student! The scholarship DEADLINE is Monday, February 7th, 2012 (postmarked). Get more details on our website at www.nwhcaggie moms.org. Aggie Recording Artist, Kimberly Dunn, will be performing at our spring fundraiser "Boots 'N Whoops". Join us for this private performance on Sunday, April 22, 2012 at the Red River Dance Hall (SH 249). Visit our website www.nwhcaggie moms.org for ticket information. This is a concert that you won't want to miss!

Pick up the Pile

Happy New Year to all! As we embark on 2012's journey, some will think of ways to improve upon themselves. I'd like to offer an idea to those that still think dog poop is fertilizer, let's try picking up after our dogs. In case you were not aware, scientists have established the fact that the dog's gut harbors a particular type of bacteria known as the coli form bacteria. This bacterium includes the dreaded E. coli bacteria and also contains strains of salmonella and giardia. Now, since the rains have finally come, all the piles that have been left behind will be washed into our storm drains and contaminate our water supply. Not only is our water supply affected but perhaps even the air we breathe...I came across this article:

SCIENCEDAILY (AUG. 18, 2011)

"Bacteria from fecal material -- in particular, dog fecal material -- may constitute the dominant source of airborne bacteria in Cleveland's and Detroit's wintertime air, says a new University of Colorado Boulder study."

This was the first test conducted, for air borne disease so far, however, scientist presume other cities, with an abundance of the canine kind, will show similar results. Please be kind, don't leave it behind. To those that pick up....THANK YOU

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“Teamwork is Key” in Cy-Fair ISD!

It's the time of the year when we find ourselves setting new goals or “resolutions”. Maybe it's time to set a new personal goal to become a part of our winning team. Unlock your talents and volunteer your time in our school district. The Cy-Fair VIPS team roster needs you and is never too full! VIPS (Volunteers in Public Schools) in Cy-Fair ISD center the attention of their service on supporting students and staff and making a significant contribution to the education of children. These dedicated individuals, who give freely of their time and resources, impact the academic and personal development of Cy-Fair ISD students. Cypress-Fairbanks ISD is fortunate to be able to draw from a diversity of skills and knowledge in its community.

The district VIPS Executive Board spearheads the business of the VIPS. This board is comprised of volunteers elected to take on specific responsibilities offering support, guidance, and training to all volunteers in the district. The VIPS Executive Board meets monthly to evaluate and address the needs of the district and

distribute information relating to volunteer and community activities and strengthen parental involvement in education. If you are interested in being involved at Cy-Fair schools as a volunteer and making a difference, or would like more information, please contact Pam Scott, Partners in Education Director at 281-894-3950.


Cy-Fair ISD Volunteers where “Teamwork is Key” **JANUARY UPCOMING EVENTS**

- **January 12: VIPS General Meeting**-9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m., Berry Center. Open to all CFISD volunteers, parents, staff and community members. Get the latest information on CFISD volunteering and learn through networking!
- **January 24: Junior Achievement Volunteer Training**-9:30a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Berry Center. The purpose of Junior Achievement is to educate and inspire young people to value free enterprise, understand business and economics, and be workforce ready.

- **January 26: PIE Student Mentor Training**-9:30a.m. to 11:30a.m., Berry Center. Training for individuals committed to serve as a role model and friend to CFISD students. District approved mentors meet with students weekly during school hours on school campuses. Along with this two hour training, an application and criminal background check are required.

- **January 31: Sooper Puppy Training** – 9:30a.m. to 12p.m., Berry Center. Sooper Puppy is a first grade class series dealing with age appropriate life lessons, facing dilemmas and arriving at solutions by making good choices.

How to register for training: Register for training by emailing the PIE office at vipsrsvp@cfisd.net. Provide your name and the name and date of the training you wish to attend. Registration is required to guarantee a seat and training materials. **Adults only please.**



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Cy Falls High School WELCOME TO THE NEW YEAR 2012!

We had a wonderful closing of our 2011 year. December was a flurry of activity. The Holiday Concert was beautifully arranged with traditional carols and an eclectic mix of international seasonal songs with accompaniment. Labay men's choir shared their vocal talent to the festivities. It was a feast for the eyes, ears and soul. A perfect blending for a perfect start to the holidays.

The students threw a joyous party with admission being non perishable food items to help out our neighbors in need. Amongst the fun was dancing, singing, the museum game and hilarity of the white elephant gift exchange. Don't forget the mountains of cakes, cookies, flan, and more cookies! Auditions for the Area choir will take place January 7th in San Antonio. We wish all our participating members courage as they meet this challenge head on.

Texas Music Educators Association (TMEA) performance for the men's choir will be this year. It is quite an honor to be chosen to participate and our men have been working diligently on their vocals. This will be in San Antonio and no doubt surrounded with fun as memories are made. UIL Solo and Ensemble Contest takes place on the 27th. Sing steady Eagles! A sweepstakes will be the hopeful theme of the day!

Pizzazz is the annual variety show held in the auditorium of the high school. It is always well done, complete with choreography, costumes and set design. This family event will be on February 24th and 25th. Mark your calendars now as this is one show you do not want to miss! This is always a highlight to our school year. As always, we want to thank Mrs. Douglas, Ms. Loftin and our family of volunteers for whom we could not function.


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\$451,000--\$499,999	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	1
\$351,000--\$450,999	2	4	2	1	2	2	2	0	1	1
\$276,000--\$350,999	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
\$231,000--\$275,999	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
\$201,000--\$230,999	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
\$200,999 and below	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	4	6	2	1	2	2	5	2	3	2
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