



Silverlake

NEWS

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2012 Pool Schedule

The Silverlake community pool located at 2715 Southwyck Parkway will open, Saturday, May 5, 2012 weekends only until June 2, 2012.

The pool registration and identification forms, along with the 2012 pool swim schedule, will be published in the next newsletter and on silverlakehoa.com.

If you have already received your access card from the previous years or are not requesting additional cards you are not required to submit an access card request form.

If you are unable to print out the access card form and identification form please contact PCMI at 281-870-0585 or via e-mail at customercare@pcmi-us.com

You will be required to show photo identification when using the card at the pool facility.

You may use any photo identification card or your driver's license reflecting your local address to gain admittance.

Lifeguards will not permit access to anyone at the 2715 Southwyck Parkway pool facility without the proper access card and photo identification.

****No Exceptions!****

Residents must be in good standing with the Silverlake Homeowner's Association, Inc. to use the community facilities.

The pool will only be open when lifeguards are on duty.



Hours of operation

MAY 5TH - MAY 27TH

WEEKENDS ONLY

Saturdays

10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Sundays

11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

MEMORIAL DAY

Monday, May 28th

10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

JUNE 1ST - AUGUST 26TH

Mondays

CLOSED

Tuesdays-Fridays

10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Saturdays

10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Sundays

11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 1ST AND 2ND

WEEKENDS ONLY

Saturday

10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Sunday

11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

OPEN LABOR DAY

(SEPTEMBER 3RD)

10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Lemonade Day

Remember the summer when you were 10? No school, going to the pool and playing baseball were all rites of passage. So was building a lemonade stand. What was better than getting together with your friends to have fun and make some money?

Today, tens of thousands of kids continue this time-honored tradition every May, but with a greater sense of purpose – Lemonade Day.

Inspired by the vision of Houston entrepreneur, philanthropist and community leader, Michael Holthouse, Lemonade Day was developed by Holthouse's non-profit, Prepared 4 Life, an organization dedicated to helping youth become socially conscious individuals that seek to positively impact their communities. It strives to address an invaluable element missing in many youth education organizations - entrepreneurship.

Lemonade Day is P4L's catalyst for meaningful and sustainable change in communities across the country. Lemonade Day exists to infuse today's youth with the spirit of enterprise, teaching the basic business & entrepreneurial skills necessary to become successful, contributing members of their communities.

This fun, free and exciting program encourages participants to "save a little, spend a little, share a little," instilling valuable principles that will help prepare them for life.

Lemonade Day offers many young people their first experience with earning money and opening a bank account. The aim is to build a society of economically empowered individuals, who also are engaged, community-minded citizens - one lemonade stand at a time.

On May 6, 2012, Silverlake will again host Lemonade stands organized by children who live in the neighborhood. If your child(ren) would like to get involved, simply send an email to SilverlakeHOA@Gmail.com before April 9, 2012.

The Lemonade Day stand locations will be published on the HOA website as well as in the May HOA Newsletter.

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MUD #3 & 6 SOUTHWEST WATER CO (formerly ECO Resources)	713-405-1750
BRAZORIA COUNTY ROADS & BRIDGES (street and curb repairs)	281-331-3197
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Silvercrest Elementary News

PTA IN THE PARK

The spring PTA in the Park event will be held from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 11. Watch for the exciting details on dinner and special activities which will come home with students.

RETAIL PARTNER EVENTS

On Thursday, April 12, join fellow students and parents from 4 to 10 p.m. at Chick-Fil-A, which will donate 20 percent from sales back to the PTA. On Wednesday, April 18, the PTA will have an event at Del Pueblo.

Mark your calendars for our May events, also. First, The Little Gym will host a "parent survival night" from 7 to 10 p.m. on Friday, May 4. This will be a drop-off event for children ages 3 and up who are fully potty trained.

The Little Gym will donate 25 percent of funds from the evening back to the PTA. Additionally, watch for details regarding our next Dream Dinners event on Tuesday, May 8, from 10 a.m. to noon and from 5:30 to 7 p.m.

For more information about Silvercrest Elementary PTA, please visit our website at www.silvercrestpta.org.

Silverlake Elementary April Events

Apr 2-5	Kindergarten (new student) registration
Apr 4	Chick-fil-A Spirit Night
Apr 6	NO SCHOOL – Good Friday
Apr 11	April Birthday Bash
Apr 13	June Birthday Bash
Apr 18	Kindergarten Program (8:30 am)
Apr 19	Kindergarten Program (7:30 pm)
Apr 24-27	CAMPUS CLOSED; NO VISITORS (STAAR Testing)

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Massey Ranch Elementary News

Massey Ranch Elementary PTA would like to thank our students, families, teachers and administrators for a fun and successful Sock Hop fundraising event held on Friday, March 2, 2012.

The night began with '50s music performances by our students. The remainder of the evening was filled with dancing, food, and our very popular silent auction featuring class baskets and teacher times.

We would also like to give a big Massey shout out and thank you to our "Rock 'n Roll Hall of Fame" sponsors:

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- One Hit Wonders (\$100-\$249)**
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- Advanced Dermatology
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- The Learning Express-Town Center
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- The Mad Potter
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Saturday, April 7, 2012 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Easter at LifePointe is going to be AMAZING!!!

On Saturday, April 7 we will be having over 20,000 EGGS!! We will also have one drawing for each age group (nursery, pre-school, elementary) for a LARGE PRIZE! You MUST register for this event. Please register for everyone who will be coming with you, print out the tickets, and bring them with you! You will be asked to present them at the entrance to the event. There is only a limited number of spaces available for walk-ups, so you definitely want to remember your tickets!

LifePointe Fellowship, 3011 Yost Blvd., Pearland, TX 77581

AVON WALK FOR BREAST CANCER

Stude Park, Houston

April 20, 2012 through April 22, 2012, 8:00pm to 4:00pm

2-day event to benefit women locally and support them financially for breast cancer treatment and early detection. Help raise awareness about breast cancer and raise funds to help put an end to it. Cost: \$65. Visit avonwalk.org/houston or call (713) 968-9250.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RELAY FOR LIFE PEARLAND

April 27 - 28, 2012 from 6:30 p.m. - 6:00 a.m.

At Glenda Dawson High School

No matter who you are, there's a place for you at Relay. Each dollar you raise will help save lives. How far will you go to make a difference in the fight against cancer? Your reasons for walking in the Relay For Life are as unique and special as the story that motivates you. This is your opportunity to not only honor cancer survivors and remember people we have lost, but also to raise funds and awareness to help save lives. Because of your support, we are creating a world where cancer can't claim another year of anyone's life. You are helping create a world with less cancer and more birthdays!

MARCH FOR BABIES 2012

April 29, 2012, 9:00 a.m. at University of Houston

Join us on April 29, 2012, for the 41st Annual Houston March for Babies to walk together for stronger, healthier babies. Register TODAY for March for Babies at www.marchforbabies.org! Kim Myers, New Team Specialist at March of Dimes, kmyers@marchofdimes.com, 713-623-2020

WEST PEARLAND REPUBLICAN WOMEN

The West Pearland Republican Women will hold their next regular meeting on Thursday, April 5, 2012 at Spring Creek BBQ located at 9005 Broadway, Pearland, Texas. There will be a meet and mingle at 6:30 p.m. followed by the meeting at 7 p.m. The program will include speakers who are candidates for Railroad Commissioner. WPRW is conducting a series of candidate forums in 2012 and all are invited to attend and hear from the people who want to be your voice in Texas. Also, you may visit our website at www.wprw.org. to hear about the exciting opportunities for you to become involved.



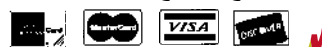
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Host a Foreign Exchange Student

By Vicki Odom

Who hasn't dreamed about walking among the Egyptian pyramids, or soaking in the sun on a beach in Spain, or wandering along the Great Wall of China? Every parent wants to give their children a taste of the world, but the economic reality of international air travel for a family, not to mention hotels, passports and food, makes it tough for most of us to consider except in our daydreams.

There is a way to give your children the world – without leaving your living room. How? Host a foreign exchange student from a country you've always admired! Fascinated by France? Curious about China? Intrigued by India? By welcoming an international student from one of these countries into your home, you instantly open a portal to a far off land.

Foreign exchange students come from more than 60 different countries. All high school foreign exchange students are fully insured, bring their own spending money, and are proficient in English – and all high school exchange programs are regulated by the U.S. Department of State.

“We welcome host families of all shapes and sizes – families with young children, families with no children, empty nesters whose children have left home, single parents and non-traditional families.”

says Heather Wells, Regional Director of Ayusa International, a non-profit organization that promotes global learning and leadership through foreign exchange and study abroad opportunities for high school students. “The key requirements for a host family are to provide a safe and nurturing home environment, genuinely love children, and have a desire to learn more about a different culture.”

Volunteer host families provide foreign exchange students a home environment, three meals a day and a bedroom (either private or shared with a host sibling of the same gender). Students pay for all other personal expenses while in the U.S. Each host family and student is supported by a professionally trained community representative who works with the family and student for the entire program.

Interested host families are required to fill out an application, pass a background check and interview with a local exchange program representative in their homes. Once accepted to a program, host families can view profiles of students to find the right match for their family.

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