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To submit an article for consideration please email it to fairfieldgazette@peelinc.com. The deadline is the 10th of the month prior to the issue.



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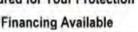
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Fairfield's Fifty Plus Fun-Loving Group The Fairfield Seniors

The Seniors of Fairfield are an active, fifty plus, fun-loving group of couples and singles who enjoy fellowship, monthly trips, and various activities together. If you or your spouse is fifty or older, a newcomer to Fairfield Village or have lived here in Fairfield for some time but have never attended one of our functions, you are cordially invited. Come and be a part of our fun-loving group. We're sure you will enjoy it.

OUR HISTORY:

Over these past ten plus years we've taken over a hundred trips. The Fairfield Gazette's web-site has back issues available from September, 2004. In order to go back to our beginning, we must thank Kelly Peel of Peel Inc. for locating all our articles from their archives and sending them to us. We now have every article submitted, which enabled us to put together Our History, and a complete listing of all our trips. Just go to Our History in our weekly email to read about our beginning and all the trips we've taken. You can get the complete listing at...

http://home.comcast.net/~seniorgroup/History.htm OUR SEPTEMBER BUS TRIP PLANS ARE FOR:

Saturday, September 15th, this will be a theater trip. Yes, the September trip will take us to Liberty Opry for a wonderful evening to of country western music starring Moses Rangel, the Liberty Opry Band and other guests. The cost will be \$14.00 per person plus the cost of your dinner, which we will have at Ann's Seafood Restaurant prior to going to the theater.

To get your name on the list for this trip call: **Hazel Willis at 281-256-7979.** Checks are to be made out to: Fairfield 50 Plus. Checks can be given to Hazel Willis, or Mary Lou Cook, and can also be mailed to Hazel Willis at 21610 south Twinberry Field Drive, Cypress, Texas 77433.

We will depart from the Fairfield Village Parking Lot promptly at 3:00 p.m. Please be there by 2:45 p.m.

OUR OCTOBER BUSTRIP PLANSARE FOR:

Friday, October 12th, this will be a Mystery trip. Yes, Mary Ann Tully has put together another mystery trip for October. On this mystery trip there will not be much walking or standing and it's only about an hour drive from Fairfield. Afterward, we will be going for lunch on the Kemah boardwalk. We will have about two to two and half hours to have lunch at one of the many fine restaurants, and some time even to browse through the shops or watch the boats. The cost will be \$10.00 per person plus the cost of your lunch, along the boardwalk.

To get your name on the list for this trip call: Mary Ann Tully at 281-256-2342. Checks are to be made out to: Fairfield 50 Plus. Checks can be given to Mary Ann Tully, or Mary Lou Cook, and can also be mailed to Mary Ann Tully at 20310 Vaulted Chestnut Lane, Cypress, Texas 77433.

We will depart from the Fairfield Village Parking Lot promptly at

8:45 a.m. Please be there by 8:30 a.m.

OUR SEPTEMBER ACTIVITIES PLANS:

Thursday, September 13: The Monthly Planning Committee meeting is at 1:00 p.m. at the Lakeside Trails Club House. Everyone is invited to attend these meetings and participate in our upcoming trip plans. We really need to see more participation, especially from those that are taking trips. In fact, without more participation we may be forced to cut back on some trips, possibly one every other month.

Then later, around 6:30 p.m. that evening, we have our Monthly Pot Luck. It is also at the Lakeside Trails Club House. However, plan on being there early. Doors open around 6:00 p.m. for socializing and fellowship. Then plan on staying and join many of our members that stay to play games or socializing after the meal and to finish up the deserts.

Tuesday, September 18: Game Night at the Cooks' House. It starts around 6:30 p.m. Just bring a little snack and a healthy appetite. This is always a fun evening with great fellowship. The directions are in the Activity page on our website and will also be in our September, 16 weekly newsletter.

Thursday, September 27: Game Night at Lakeside Trails Club House. It starts around 6:30 p.m., and we have plenty of room at the club house. We would like to see you there to enjoy an evening of games and fellowship with us. Just bring a little snack and plan on having lots of fun. There are some card games, some games that the members bring and of course dominoes.

For additional information on activities other than trips: Call Mary Lou Cook @ 281-304-8359

We recommend that you check our website regularly. Things do change occasionally from the time this article was submitted, and it is possible that some of the information in this article has changed.

http://home.comcast.net/~seniorgroup/ OUR FUN-LOVERS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER:

An event reminder. It is emailed each week to our members and others who have requested it. It provides updated information on any changes from what appears here in the Gazette. We also include member birthdays and prayer requests, other news and items of interest, and links to all our web pages. If you would like to receive our weekly newsletter, send your email address, to *seniorgroup@comcast.net*



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An Important Message To Bradford Creek, Chappell Ridge & Garden Grove Homeowners

Chappell Ridge & Garden Grove into a newly named Fairfield Central Neighborhood Association, Inc.

A Transition Committee has been looking at how best to govern this community after Friendswood Development completes the build-out various neighborhoods in Fairfield. As this community was developed, of Fairfield and departs. The proposed merger is basically a financial the number of lots in a neighborhood association was dictated by the arrangement that does not change the identity of the individual economic situation at the time. The neighborhoods vary in size from neighborhoods. Based on the present financial arrangement these 287 lots each for The Lakes and The Trails to the much larger 1561 three neighborhoods have like costs for audits & tax returns, insurance, lots in Fairfield South. At the present time as shown in the following management fees, office supplies, etc. The combined Fairfield Central chart, Chappell Ridge has only 5.66% and Garden Grove only 7.66% finances would have one set of costs eliminating approximately \$12,000/ of the neighborhood lots and votes in the master association as of year in unnecessary fees per merged association. By combining the finances, December 31, 2011.

A very important proposal is coming up for vote early this October. the neighborhood dues for Bradford Creek at \$380.00 and Garden Grove The proposal is to combine the financial assets of Bradford Creek, at \$340.00 would be reduced to the same \$300.00 current assessment for Chappell Ridge. The current estimate of a \$300.00 assessment should satisfy the needs of Fairfield Central for at least two years.

Another problem with the present setup is the disparity in size of the

FAIR	FIELD VII	LAGE C	COMMUN	NITY AS	SOCIATION -	VOTIN	G PERCENTA	GE BY EI	NTITY	
				as	of 12/31/2011					
Association	Developer Lots	No. of Votes	Builder Lots	No. of Votes	Homeowner Lots	No. of Votes	Commercial Lots	No. of Votes	Total Votes	Percentage
Bradford Creek	0	0	5	5	1177	1177	0	0	1177	22.27%
Chappell Ridge	0	0	0	0	299	299	0	0	299	5.66%
Garden Grove	0	0	0	0	405	405	0	0	405	7.66%
Inwood Park	0	0	0	0	840	840	0	0	840	15.9%
Lakes of Fairfield	0	0	0	0	287	287	0	0	287	5.43%
Trails of Fairfield	0	0	0	0	287	287	0	0	287	5.43%
Fairfield Village South	225	225	186	186	1150	1150	0	0	1561	29.54%
Patio Homes	12	0	9	0	152	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Commercial	0	0	0	0	0	0	428	428	428	8.10%
									5284	100.00%

The only available area for additional lots is in Fairfield Village South which will eventually have approximately 2000 lots. The percentages for most neighborhoods will be less than shown as Fairfield Village South adds lots and gains in percentage.

Each neighborhood property owner pays an assessment to their neighborhood association in January each year. In July, each property owner pays an assessment to the master association, Fairfield Village Community Association (FVCA). This master association is responsible for the overall maintenance of common areas including green belts, boulevards, lakes, parks, etc. The new Fairfield Central Neighborhood Association, Inc. would speak with one stronger voice (33% of the decision) in the operation

of the master association. And remember, your assessment is almost double to the FVCA so the power of the combined voice is meaningful when it comes to decisions that ultimately affect that assessment.

Combining the three neighborhoods is a common-sense solution to controlling costs and maintaining a voice in the community. We encourage each homeowner to vote YES for the formation of Fairfield Central Neighborhood Association, Inc. a combination of Bradford Creek, Chappell Ridge and Garden Grove.

Ed Hofer – Bradford Creek John White – Chappell Ridge Louis Iselin – Garden Grove

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Fairfield Women's Club is hosting the 1st Annual Fairfield Kid's Triathlon.

Calling all Kids! If you have a bike and can swim and run then you can race! Distances will be age appropriate. For registration and additional information, log on to Fairfieldtriathlon.org. Register early and save. Kid's Triathlon Training Group beginning Sept. 11th. To reserve your spot, call (832)594-7656

3RD ANNUAL FAIRFIELD TRIATHLON REGISTRATION IS STILL OPEN! Sunday, October 21, 2012 , check in 7am 300 meter pool swim, 10 mile bike, 3 mile run

To Register, logon to: fairfieldtriathlon.org

Sprint Triathlon Training Group beginning on Sept. 13th,, to reserve your spot call (832)594-7656



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The MOMS Club® of Cypress / NW-Fairfield

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MOMS Club[®] is an international organization with a neighborhood feel! We are Teachers, Business Women, Counselors, and Artists who have put those careers on hold and have made the choice to stay home with our kids. We are a group of fun, creative and outgoing Moms! MOMS Club[®] is a place to find lasting friendships, Motherhood support & Playmates for your children!

WOW! It's already September and the kids are back in school. Do you have a little one at home that is missing his older brother or sister? Or do you just have young children and are looking for some fun things to do? Come join other Moms and their kids in a variety of fun outdoor and indoor activities. Are you looking for park days, craft projects, cooking group, lunch outings, museum visits or someone to share dinner with when your husband is traveling or working late? We also find the time to meet once a month for a Mom's Night Out for a great time to unwind. Or are you interested is helping within the community with service projects? Our club has all that and a whole lot more to offer for every Mom and her kids to enjoy!

Are you new to the area or a new mom and need a friend or support; we are here for you! Don't let yourself feel isolated being a stay at home mom! We invite you to attend two public events to decide if this is the right club for you and your children. Our membership fee is \$20 a year. This MOMS Club is a great opportunity for you and your kids to make new friends in your area. There is a lot of fun and support just waiting for you! Come visit us at our next Meet N' Greet and see for yourself! We meet on the second Tuesday of every month at Fairfield Baptist Church. As always, children welcomed!

COMING UP in October, Join us for a Membership Drive on Thursday, October 18 at 10 am at Inwood Park. We will have games, crafts, and snacks for everyone to enjoy! Come meet our members and see what our MOMS Club has to offer you and your children! Invite a neighbor or a friend to come with you! We look forward to meeting you soon!

For membership inquiries, please contact Julie H., Membership VP at 281-373-0234, julieh07@sbcglobal.net or Erica M., President at 281-755-7610, ericamill@gmail.com, so we can send you our club information and some upcoming public events for you to attend. You can also visit us on the web at www.meetup.com/MOMS-Club-Cypress-NW-Fairfield We look forward to hearing from you!



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THE FAIRFIELD WOMEN'S CLUB (FWC) "The Heart of Fairfield"

Invites all members and guests to our September Meeting.

When: Tuesday, September 18th, 2012 at 7:00 p.m.

Where: Check out the venue location at fairfieldwomensclub.org, under the "Monthly Meeting" link.

WHAT IS FWC?

A non profit organization in the Fairfield Community of Cypress, Texas. We promote new social interests, provide service to the community, and pursue intellectual and civic improvement. We donate our proceeds to our neighborhood and charities. ALL adult female Fairfield residents are welcome at FWC! Keep your eye on our website and the Fairfield marquees for more FWC meeting information!

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE!

It's time for FWC's annual membership drive! Extra prize tickets awarded for each of the months of September and October to the members who get a friend to join The Fairfield Women's Club! A grand prize will be awarded at the end of October to the member who has the most friends sign up! Come and be a part of "The Heart of Fairfield"! Make new friends, have lots of fun and help make your community an amazing place to live! For more information or to join FWC, please check us out online at fairfieldwomensclub.org.



NWHC Aggie Moms Event www.nwhcaggiemoms.org

Vendor Call !! Vendor space for our October event is booking now. For booth information contact: Pat Groves @ pat-groves@sbcglobal.net

NWHC AGGIE MOMS will hold their 4TH Annual Boots and Whoops scholarship fundraiser on Sunday October 14 at Red River Dance Hall on 249 from 1:00-5:00, featuring live country western entertainment, barbecue, dancing, arts and craft show, and car show. Aggie or not, you'll want to join the fun. Tickets available through our web site now.

The Northwest Harris County Aggie Moms Club meets the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm, at the Houston Distributing Company, 7100 High Life Drive and Cutten Road. Aggie Moms won't ask you to wear a funny hat, learn a secret hand shake or give a speech. We simply help you help your student reach their potential. Join us for food, door prizes and speakers. Our next meeting is September 11, 2012.



THE FAIRFIELD WOMEN'S CLUB (FWC) "The Heart of Fairfield"

Fairfield is hosting their 3rd Annual Triathlon on October 21, 2012. The race will begin at 8:10am, refreshments at 9:00am with Awards and Prize Drawings at 10:45am. Cy-Fair Emergency & Imaging Center will host a Community Health Fair beginning at 8am. FREE Screenings include: Skin Cancer Screenings, Blood Pressure Check, Weight & BMI Evaluation, Nutritional & Fitness Counseling and Risk Assessments for Stroke and Diabetes.

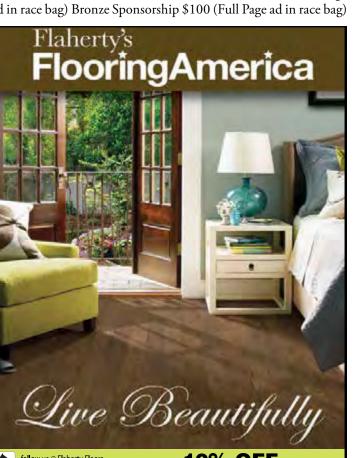
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Fairfield Women's Club is a 501c(4). Our triathlon is for all ages starting 14 & Under -Men, Women, Youth, Senior and Relay Teams. It will be a wonderful event to help our community keep fit and enjoy fellowship afterwards. Deadline for commitment is 5/31/2012. Your participation & prompt response is so important in order to make our efforts a success! Commit early and help us from having to hit the streets in the heat of the summer! Once you have made a commitment of sponsorship, please contact me for arranging your advertising. I can be reached by email: mbyrne9961@aol.com or call me at (832)594-7656.

Respectfully, Charlotte Byrne, Race Director President, Fairfield Women's Club

Last year, with 253 Racers, we were able to raise over \$7000 for our charities: Morning Glory Ranch, Phred's Place, Team Tiara and OMS Research/Teddy Bear Drive.



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Cub Scout Pack 533

Subnmitted by Angela Hoang

Cub Scout Pack 533 runs a year-round program uniquely designed to meet the needs of young boys and their parents. Our program offers fun and challenging activities that promote character development and physical fitness. Service projects, ceremonies, games, and other activities guide boys through the core values and give them a sense of personal achievement. Through positive peer group interaction and parental guidance, boys also learn honesty, bravery, and respect. Family involvement is an essential part of Pack 533's Cub Scouting program, and parents are required to play an active role in our Pack as Leaders, Chairs and Event Helpers. Through interaction between parents, leaders, and friends, boys learn citizenship, compassion, and courage. This family-and community-centered approach to learning means that Cub Scouting is truly time well spent for your sons!

Please attend our FALL RALLY NIGHT on Thursday, September 6, 2012 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm in the cafeteria of Keith Elementary School, 20550 Fairfield Green, Cypress, TX to hear about our Pack, our program and to register your son as a Cub Scout in Pack 533! For additional information about joining Pack 533, please visit our website at http://www.pack533cypress.scoutlander.com and navigate to the Parents' Page - Join Pack 533 section or email angela.hoang@ att.net.





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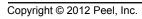
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Recently, Cindy was diagnosed with stage 4 colon cancer. She is presently on chemotherapy and is unable to work. Cindy is accruing many medical bills, putting a financial strain on her and her family. Now she needs our help!

If you would like to reach out to Cindy with words of encouragement, financial assistance and/or prayers, please visit www.wendyonlife.com. There you can find links to make a financial donation and read her blog entries about her battle to fight cancer.

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Around Fairfield It's Girl Scout Rally Time!

Our local Girl Scout Rally is coming up soon! On Saturday, September 8th, families who would like to get involved with the Girl Scout program can enroll their daughters for this school year. Our rally will be held:

> Saturday, September 8th 10am - 1pm Back Parking Lot at Salyards Middle School 21757 Fairfield Place Drive, in Fairfield

This rally is for girls who live in the attendance areas for Ault, Keith, Robison and Swenke Elementary schools. Girls in Kindergarten thru 12th grade are invited, including all public, private and homeschooled girls. (Girls living outside our area are also welcome to register, and we can forward your registration to your local group, or you can sign up at a rally closer to your home.) Signing up for one year costs \$12 per girl, and a parent or legal guardian is needed to sign the registration form. We are also taking registrations for adults who want to support or lead a local Girl Scout troop, to help make the Girl Scout experience available for more girls in our area.

Girl Scouting is for all girls, from joining in the fun and friendship of our youngest Kindergarten Daisy troops, to helping older girls grow in confidence and character as they discover their strengths, connect with others and take action to make the world a better place. Girls can choose to join Girl Scout troops, be independent Girl Scouts, participate in special interest groups like backpacking, drill team or robotics, attend events like skating, sleepovers, and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) events, and sign up for Girl Scout camp. High school Girl Scouts can travel around the world with Girl Scouting, and earn top awards and scholarships for college.

New troops are forming this fall, so it's the perfect time to get involved with Girl Scouts. We'd love to have you join us!

For further information, please contact our local registrar, Sue Aldrich, at SueinTexas@gmail.com, our Girl Scout Council at 800-392-4340 or www.girlscouts.org.

CHURCH PROGRAMS

Fairfield Baptist Church Come join the women of Fairfield Baptist Church this fall

Come join the women of Fairfield Baptist Church this fall as we dig into the life of Moses through a brand-new pilot study by Mindy Ferguson. Eyewitness to Glory: A Study of Moses - Witness to God's Active Presence among His People. Moses's personal relationship with an active and present God transformed him from an insecure, fearful shepherd into a compassionate leader of unshakable faith. This study encourages women to seek deeper intimacy with God and to glorify Christ as they serve Him with greater compassion and conviction. Online registration opens August 12th at fairfieldbaptist.com. Study meets Wednesdays, September 5th to November 14th. Morning study runs 9:30-11:30 and the evening study 6:30-8:15. Childcare available with preregistration. We hope to see you there! Cost is \$10.00.

Ladies Bible Study

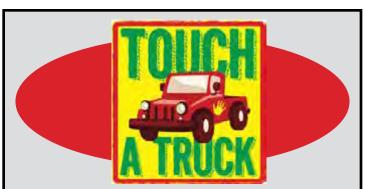
We will begin a great new Ladies Bible Study this fall on tearing down spiritual strongholds in our lives. The study, Giants, Grapes and Grasshoppers begins Thursday morning, September 13th from 9:30 – 11:00 a.m. and will run for six weeks. A nursery will be provided. We will meet at Fountain of Life Church of God at 15010 Mueschke Rd. For more information and to register please visit our website at fountainoflife-cog.com.

Fountain of Life Church Royal Rangers

Fountain of Life Church of God will start Royal Rangers and National Girl Ministries (Missionettes) programs on Wednesdays starting September 12th @ 6:30pm. Register online at fountainoflife-cog.com and click kids/youth or call 281-373-9337 and speak to Bunnie Adkins.



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Join us Saturday, September 22, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for St. Cuthbert Preschool's Fifth Annual Touch A Truck. This is a hands-on event where kids and adults of all ages can explore and learn about vehicles of all shapes and sizes - from emergency vehicles to construction equipment to really cool cars!

Touch A Truck will be held at St. Cuthbert Episcopal Church, 17020 West Road@Queenston, Houston, 77095. For more information contact Preschool Director Lynn Olson at 281.463.1912 or preschool@stcuthbert.org, or visit our website at www.stcuthbert.org and click on the Preschool tab. There is a \$2 admission fee for children and adults are free.





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Tory DeArmond, Volunteer Publicity Chair, at 713-205-2850 ToryDeArmond@gmail.com

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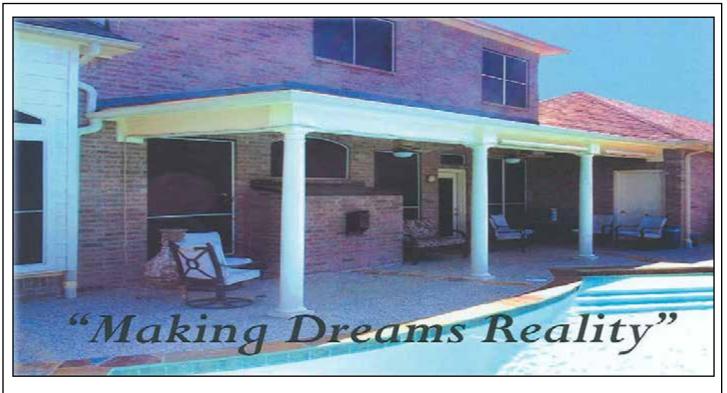






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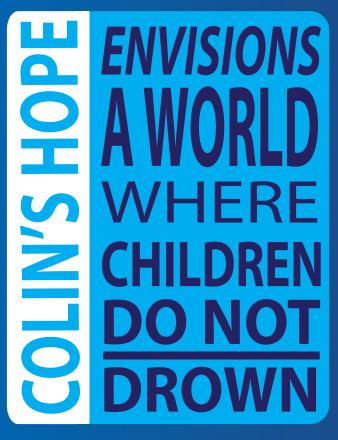
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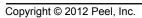


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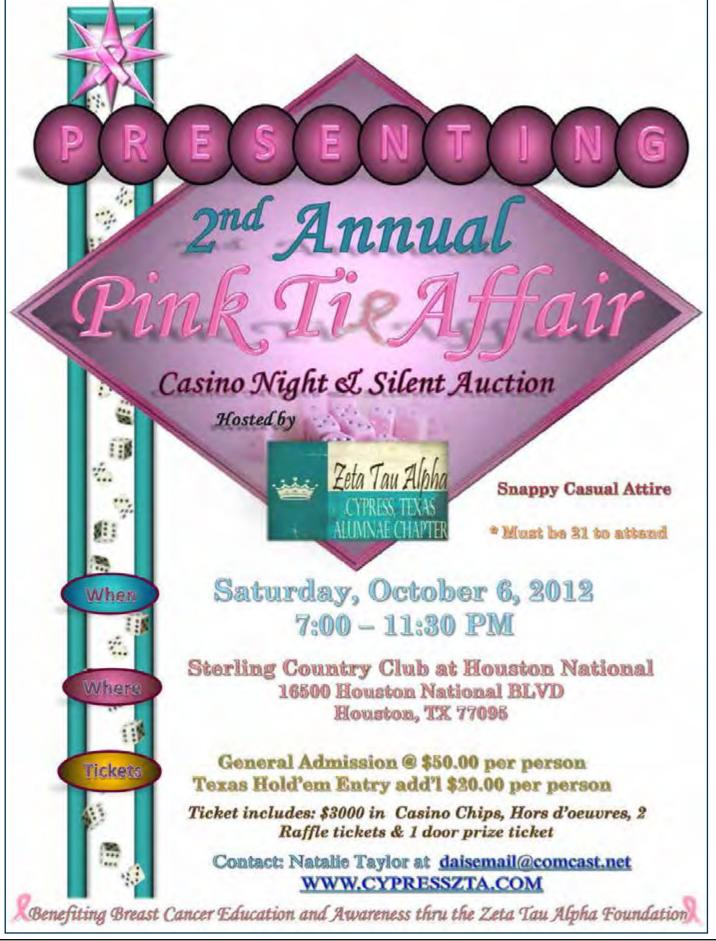
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And please remember to bring extra money for SPIRIT ITEMS! Dancers will be given their clinic t-shirt and should wear comfortable shorts and tennis/dance shoes. You may also bring additional western items such as a bandana or hat for your picture! Please pull hair back. No jewelry or gum allowed.

PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2012

E-mail renee.ortiz@cfisd.net to request a pre-registration form Complete the form and mail to: Renee Ortiz, 17631 Riata Springs Lane, Cypress, TX 77433 Attn: Classics Drill Team





School News **CYPRESS WOODS KEY CLUB** School Year Service Opportunities

As the threshold of the next school year approaches, it is easy to become dismayed with the depletion of summer break. But despite this tendency we at Cypress Woods Key Club utilize this time to build anticipation for the upcoming year.

Though we have remained active throughout the summer – through volunteering at various Food Banks, Triathlons, and academies – we have to acknowledge the heightened club vigor that comes with the school year. We anticipate the certain aspects that come with a highly active club such as more members, more socials, and more service opportunities. Such factors facilitate the success of the club and our strides towards the betterment of our community.

Events like those at Cypress Assistance Ministries (CAM), the Houston Food Bank, and many other organizations allow members to effectively contribute their time and service.

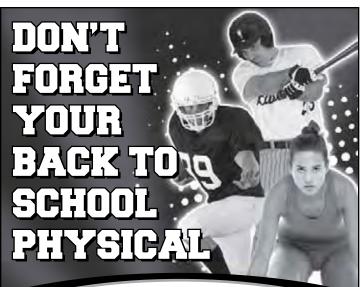
Then social events like the lock-in allow said members to socialize and celebrate the hard work they have contributed to their community and the world as a whole through service and donation. With such features ahead of us it is easy to see why, as key clubbers, we are anticipating them whole-heartedly.

We would love to assist at your event as well! From garage sales to neighborhood cleanups, we will be there to help. If you require any help within your community, feel free to contact us at cywoodskeyclub@gmail.com.











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CFISD Global Volunteers

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Each individual and every hour volunteered impacts the life of a child. We value your service to our district.

If you have any questions, please contact the Partners in Education office at 281-894-3950 or e-mail Pam Scott, director at pamela.scott@cfisd.net.

If you are not the parent, legal guardian or grandparent of a student enrolled in the school at which you would like to volunteer, State law requires certain procedures in order the ensure the safety of all students. These steps are encompassed by

the CFISD Global Volunteer program.

- Visit www.cfisd.net/dept2/pie/globalvol_forms
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CY-FAIR ISD & VOLUNTEERS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS (VIPS): WHERE "VOLUNTEERS ARE TREASURES!"

VIPS is an acronym for Volunteers in Public Schools. VIPS 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 jewels in our district give freely of their time and resources and impact the academic and personal development of Cy-Fair ISD students. As an old Chinese Proverb says, "Learning is a treasure that will follow its owner everywhere" and you, as a volunteer have an opportunity to be a part of the process.

If you are interested in being involved at Cy-Fair schools as a volunteer, please contact Pam Scott, Partners in Education Director at 281-894-3950. In Cy-Fair ISD, we believe that Volunteers are Treasures!

SEPT. 2012 EVENTS FOR OUR TREASURED VOLUNTEERS September 12

Hearing Certification Training – 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Berry Center Become a state certified trained volunteer to assist a CFISD school in hearing testing for the students. Please RSVP to the school nurse by September 6.

SEPTEMBER 13

Vision Certification Training – 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., Berry Center Become a state certified trained volunteer to assist a CFISD school in vision testing for the students. Please RSVP to the school nurse by September 7..

SEPTEMBER 19

Junior Achievement Coordinator Training – 8:30 a.m., to 9:30 a.m., Berry Center - Specifically for those who will take responsibility for implementing the JA program for their campus.

SEPTEMBER 19

Junior Achievement Volunteer Training – 9:30 a.m. to 12 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.

SEPTEMBER 20

PIE Mentor Training – 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Berry Center - Training for individuals committed to serve as a role model and friend to CFISD students.

SEPTEMBER 25

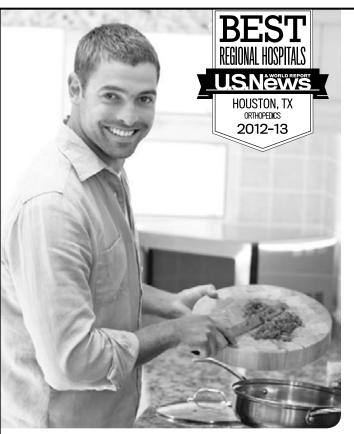
Elementary LA/Reading Training – 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Berry Center - Techniques will be presented that volunteers can use when they assist teachers and students working to improve reading and writing skills in grades 2 through 5.

SEPTEMBER 27

VIPS General Meeting – 9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m., Berry Center - Open to all CFISD school staff, volunteers, parents and community members.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2012, 1:00 P.M., HOUSTON NATIONAL GOLF CLUB

The Cy-Woods High School Crimson Cadettes Booster Club will host its 3rd annual golf tournament on Monday, October 29, 2012 at Houston National Golf Club. Proceeds from this event will directly benefit the Crimson Cadette Drill Team and help fund their activities for the 2012-2013 school year. The tournament will be a 4-person scramble format, with a shotgun start beginning at 1:00 PM, followed by dinner and awards at 6:00 PM. Individual and team entries are welcome, as well as various levels of sponsorships. The organization has a 501 (C) 3 designation and tax ID information is available upon request. Your support is appreciated. Come join us for an enjoyable afternoon of fun and competition.

To register for the event or for more information on entry fees, sponsorships and other event details, please visit www. crimsoncadettegolf.com.

WRAP 2013

WRAP 2013 planning is underway! WRAP is Cy-Woods High School's parent-driven Project Prom organization. The purpose of WRAP is to provide a drug- and alcohol-free all-night party for the graduating seniors and their guests after their prom. This year it will be held at Dave & Buster's located in the Edwards Marq*E complex at 7620 Katy Freeway. For more information you can go to our website, www.CyWoodsWrap.com, visit our Facebook page, Cy-Woods W.R.A.P. 2013, or email the Executive Board at WRAP2013@yahoo.com . WRAP is a 5013c tax-exempt organization. All donations are tax deductible. We are looking for parent volunteers to assist in the various fundraising activities that will be held throughout the school year and corporate sponsors that would like to assist us by donating goods, services or money to help make WRAP 2013 successful for our seniors. WRAP bucks can be earned for your senior to use the night of WRAP through your donations of time, goods or money. The students can use the WRAP bucks to enter drawings for great prizes at WRAP. Students can also volunteer to help at our events and earn additional WRAP bucks for themselves.

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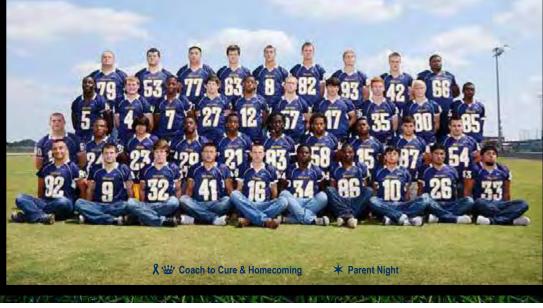
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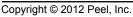
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Friday	8–31	Cinco Ranch	BBVA Compass Stadium	Away	7:30 PM
Thursday	9–13	Cy-Creek	Berry Center	Home	7:00 PM
Saturday	9–22	Jersey Village	Ken Pridgeon Stadium	Away	6:00 PM
Friday	9–28	Langham Creek 🎗 👑	Berry Center	Home	7:00 PM
Saturday	10–6	Cy-Ridge	Ken Pridgeon Stadium	Away	6:00 PM
Friday	10–12	Cy-Lakes	Berry Center	Home	7:00 PM
Saturday	10–20	Cy-Woods	Ken Pridgeon Stadium	Away	6:00 PM
Friday	10–26	Cy-Fair	Berry Center	Home	7:00 PM
Saturday	11–3	Cy-Springs \star	Berry Center	Home	7:00 PM
Friday	11–9	Cy-Falls	Berry Center	Away	7:00 PM





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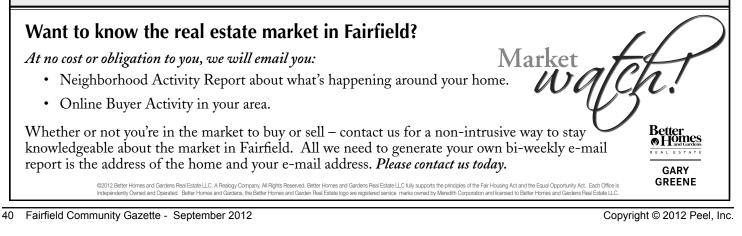


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Business Section

Are Your Business and Home Ready for Hurricane Season? Find out with Anthony Yanez at the Sept. 27 CYFEN meeting

What precautions should you take to protect your home and business during hurricane season? Find out with KPRC's Anthony Yanez in his presentation titled "Hurricane Preparedness-Business and Home" at the Cy-Fair Express Network (CYFEN) luncheon Sept. 27.

Yanez has done it all in the news business - photography, editing, reporting, anchoring and sports - but he found his true passion in weather. And this meteorologist, who has covered severe weather since his first day July 15, 2003 at KPRC with Hurricane Claudette, said there is never a dull forecast in Houston as he deals with oppressive heat, severe thunderstorms, tornadoes and hurricanes.

All are welcome to attend the monthly meetings of CYFEN, which are held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. (with the program beginning promptly at 11:30 a.m.) the fourth Thursday of the month at the Sterling Country Club, 16500 Houston National Blvd.

Bring business cards for networking. The meeting cost is \$25 with advanced reservations made by the Friday prior to the meeting and \$30 at the door.

For information on CYFEN, which is part of the American Business Women's Association, go to www.CYFEN.org



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CWC is a service organization that gives back to the community. This means that all funds raised will go right back to the community in the form of scholarships for graduating high school seniors, at Lone Star College, Cy-Fair and grants to other non-profits in our community, as well.

Membership into the Cy-Fair Women's Club is open to all ladies in Northwest Houston/ Cypress neighborhoods. Currently we meet the first Thursday of most months at West Houston Church of Christ. Our meetings begin with social time and refreshments at 7:00p.m. immediately followed by a program at 7:30p.m. The church is located at the corner of Queenston and West Road.

Our monthly meetings are not only educational and enjoyable, but they develop lasting fellowships. We look forward to meeting you there! If you have any questions about our club or need directions to the church, please contact Susan McLeroy, Membership Chair at sudomac@comcast.net.

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in service to the Cy-Fair area. Internationally, both Kiwanis and Key Club are participating in the ELIMINATE PROJECT aimed at the eradication of maternal/neonatal tetanus.

Businesses of the community are encouraged to support a representative for membership in Kiwanis. If you work for a business that is oriented toward involvement in community improvement and leadership, suggest to them that you would like to represent that business through membership and involvement in work with Kiwanis. We welcome business and organization representatives as well as individual memberships.

The Cy-Fair Kiwanis Club meets at Hearthstone Country Club

on the first, second, and third Tuesday of each month at 12:15 for lunch and informative programs. For more information, call John Carroll at 281-463-0373, George Crowl at 832-467-1998 or Peggy Presnell at 281-304-7127. We invite you to be our guest at one of the meetings and enjoy the fellowship of Kiwanians from your community as you learn about our organization. CHILDREN PRIORITY ONE is the

motto of Kiwanis Clubs worldwide. The Cy-Fair

Kiwanis Club sponsors nine Key Clubs and two Builders' Club in the Cy-Fair School District. If you would like to work with teens and preteens, join us and work with the outstanding youth in these organizations. We sponsor the Kids Triathlon; Girl Scout, Boy Scout, and Sea Scout troops and activities; award scholarships to outstanding Key Club members in our district; provide assistance to Cypress Assistance Ministries and Bear Creek Ministries; the Houston Food Bank; and many other nonprofit organizations.

We welcome your visit at our Club meeting and your consideration of membership in our service organization. Join Now.



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Cypress Texas Tea Party

It is the purpose of the Cypress Tea Party to work for the return of the United States of America to the conservative constitutional principles on which the Republic was founded. Those principles being freedom and liberty for the citizens, smaller government, limited government interference in the lives of citizens and less government spending.

We meet every three weeks from Noon to 2:00 PM on Saturday at:

Spring Creek BBQ 25831 Northwest Freeway Cypress, TX 77429

Cypress-Tomball Democrats September Meeting

The Cypress-Tomball Democrats will hold their next monthly meeting on Wednesday, September 19th, at Rudy's Grill & Cantina, 11760 Grant Rd., Cypress, TX 77429. A meet and greet will begin at 6:30 p.m., followed by the general meeting at 7:00 p.m. September's guest speaker will be Baldomero Garza, LULAC National Vice President for the Southwest. He will discuss the importance of getting out the Latino vote. The meeting will also serve as a fundraiser for Brad Neal, candidate for State Representative, District 150.

All are welcome to join this growing club. Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of every month. For more information, contact Olga Moya at cytomdems@yahoo.com.





Attention NW Harris County Tri Delta Alumnae

Mark your calendars to join your Tri Delta sisters for our annual "Salad Social" to kick off the year on Tuesday, September 11th at 7:00 pm. Our group meets on the second Tuesday of every month September - April. We have a diverse group of women of all ages from a variety of colleges. For more information, please contact Karen at trideltanews@yahoo.com



Come join the Houston Northwest Alumnae Chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta.

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ADMINISTRATIVE VOLUNTEER

The administrative volunteer serves as an integral member of the Hospice interdisciplinary team in our office in the Greenspoint (near I45 and the Beltway) area. Office support volunteers perform duties such as, filing, copying, answering the telephone, mail-outs, and inventory control of medical supplies.

Volunteers are crucial for these programs to succeed!

Volunteers must be reliable, motivated, and flexible. Training will be

provided. (Qualifies for In Service Credits) Background check will be required. There is no charge for this.

Get involved and be a blessing to someone by taking advantage of this wonderful opportunity. Please leave your name and telephone number.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL:

Heart to Heart Hospice Leanne Crowe, Volunteer Coordinator 281-731-3156 Or email me at h2hhospiceg@yahoo.com



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KIDS' BIKE RIDE FOR LEUKEMIA



Please join Team in Training for a ride in the fight against blood cancers on Sunday, September 16, 2012 at 10 a.m. in Mandolin Gardens Park (Mandolin Village Subdivision – 10000 block Summit Bridge Ln. near Cypresswood and Highway 249).

An estimated 245,225 people in the U.S. are living with, or are in remission from, leukemia. Kids ages 2-13 will ride their bikes at Mandolin Gardens Park to join the fight for a cure. Other activities include a moonwalk, face painting, balloon animals, snow cones, popcorn, and more! There will also be a Silent Auction for parents to browse & bid on items such as sports memorabilia, art, gift certificates to movies, restaurants, etc. All proceeds from the event & silent auction benefit the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

So, bring your bikes & helmets & come ride with us! (Must have a helmet to ride. Parents are welcome to walk/ride along.)

For more information, visit www.kidsbikeride.net or call 281-704-2143. Pre-registration is \$12 per child & ends 9/2/12. After 9/2/12, price increases & t-shirts/goody bags are not guaranteed.



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Alzheimer's Association Walk to End Alzheimer's®

Engages And Inspires Northwest Houston

The Alzheimer's Association is inviting Northwest Houston residents to unite in a movement to reclaim the future for millions by participating in the Alzheimer's Association Walk to End Alzheimer's. Vintage Park, 114 Vintage Park Blvd., Houston, TX 77070 will be the site of Walk on September 22 at 7:30 a.m.

Walk to End Alzheimer's is more than a walk. It is an experience for about 1000 participants in Northwest Houston who will learn about Alzheimer's disease and how to get involved with this critical cause, from advocacy opportunities, the latest in Alzheimer's research and clinical trial enrollment to support programs and services. Each walker will also join in a meaningful ceremony to honor those affected by Alzheimer's disease.

Alzheimer's disease is a growing epidemic and is now the nation's sixth-leading cause of death. As baby boomers age, the number of individuals living with Alzheimer's disease will rapidly escalate, increasing well beyond today's estimated 5.4 million Americans living with Alzheimer's. In addition to the 5K/3.1 miles, participants will enjoy a fun welcoming ceremony and warm up accompanied by a DJ and a special tribute to those who have experienced or are experiencing Alzheimer's. Start or join a team today at alz.org/walk

There has never been a greater need for citizens in the Northwest

Houston area to join in the fight against Alzheimer's disease by participating in Walk to End Alzheimer's." said Kiri Cook Soprano, an Alzheimer's Association Outreach Coordinator. "Funds raised will provide care and support services to the 340,000 residents of Texas living with Alzheimer's, while also contributing to advancing critically needed research."

ABOUT THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION WALK TO END ALZHEIMER'S:

The Alzheimer's Association Walk to End Alzheimer's is the nation's largest event to raise awareness and funds for Alzheimer's care, support and research. Since 1989, the Alzheimer's Association mobilized millions of Americans in the Alzheimer's Association Memory Walk*; now the Alzheimer's Association is continuing to lead the way with Walk to End Alzheimer's. Together, we can end Alzheimer's – the nation's sixth-leading cause of death.

ABOUT THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION:

The Alzheimer's Association is the world's leading voluntary health organization in Alzheimer care, support and research. Our mission is to eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health.



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JOIN THE BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP on the first Thursday of each month at the Hockley Community Center, 28515 Old Washington Road, 1:30 – 3:00 p.m. If you love to read, the group welcomes newcomers. In September, the book for discussion will be 'A Weekend in September' by John Edward. Call 936-931-5030 for more information.

HOCKLEY COMMUNITY CENTER, 28515 Old Washington Road, is now taking reservations for a Senior Citizen Bus Trip on September 4, 2012, featuring one of the popular 'Discover Precinct 3 On the Road Tours'. There will be an expert guide on board giving a narrative tour of scenic locations in Harris County's Precinct Three. Bus departure time will be 8:00 a.m.

Call 936-931-5030 for more information.

'BRAIN GROWTH AND REPAIR AT ANY AGE', a new and exciting workshop taught by Louise Stiedle Hayes, Ph.D., is coming to the Hockley Community Center, 28515 Old Washington Road, on Wednesday, September 5, 2012 from 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Learn how to take advantage of the brain's ability to grow new cells every day, how to reorganize the brain for more efficient function and how to gain focus and the ability to stay on task at any age. Call 936-931-5030 for more information and to register for this free workshop.

SIGN-UP IS NOW OPEN for the Hockley Community Center's Senior Citizen Bus Trip to the Bay Area of Houston on September 11, 2012. A step-on-guide will come on board the bus to explain about the history and culture of the area during the 'Arrows to Astronauts Explore and Discover Tour', which will include a stop at the Seafood Market to purchase fresh seafood, and lunch at the Outrigger Grill seafood restaurant. Please call 936-931-5030 for further details.



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Submitted by Robin Tanner

Folks, it's in our city, it's down our streets and it's in our schools. We can keep our heads buried in the sand or we can open our eyes and confront this monster. The monster is human trafficking. Isn't that a sterile sounding term for the ugliness of modern slavery?

We thought we had defeated slavery almost 150 years ago at the cost of an estimated 750,000 American lives. Tragically, the slave trade is alive and well. It is not just flourishing in foreign locations like Africa and Southeast Asia. No, it is right here in Houston. Did you know:

- There are 27 million slaves in the world today. This is more than at any time in history.
- Approx.18,000 victims are brought into the United States each year. 25% of these are brought into Texas and the majority into and through Houston.

- As many as 300,000 children are bought and sold in the United States annually selling human beings as a commodity, mostly in sex trafficking. The average age is twelve.
- Within 48 hours, 1 in 3 runaway children are lured into sex trafficking.
- The 1960 corridor has become overrun with strip clubs, spas and 'tea rooms' fronts for prostitution and sex slavery.
- There are more of these types of establishments in Houston than in Las Vegas.

A wise man once said "All that is required for evil to prevail is for good men to do nothing." If this information infuriates you as much as it does me, I encourage you to get involved. We have several opportunities in September to get educated and take action against human trafficking in our community. Check out www.JustCauseHouston.com. There is a panel discussion, a fun run and a craft fair at Metropolitan Baptist Church.

Just Shop for a Just Cause is a fair-trade craft market where you can buy all kinds of unique items from around the world while helping fight human trafficking and other social injustices. We'll have jewelry, cosmetics, apparel, housewares, chocolate, coffee, and much, much more. We will also have several notable speakers throughout the day, providing insights from government, ministry, media and a domestic trafficking survivor. Come on out to The MET to shop and learn!

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