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Summer Camp Fun

Here's Lakes on Eldridge North resident, Blake Maillet with friend, Benjamin Chan learning a new chess move from Coach Rob at Yorkshire Academy's Summer Program.

Cameron Alemand, Lakes on Eldridge North resident, learning to program his own video game at Yorkshire Academy's Summer Program.





American Cancer Society Seeking Volunteer Committee Positions for

"Relay For Life Cy-Fair"

I RECENTLY LOST MY HUSBAND TO CANCER AND I AM FIGHTING BACK!!

The American Cancer Society 2013 "Relay For Life Cy Fair" is just around the corner. We are in need of committee members to help with our event next year. Have you lost a loved one? Do you want to make a difference?

"Relay For Life" is a fun-filled, overnight event that mobilizes communities throughout the country to celebrate survivors, remember loved ones lost, and most importantly raise money for the fight against cancer! It is held right here in our back yards at a local Cy-Fair High School.

For more information on how to join our amazing team, please contact: Tory DeArmond, Volunteer Publicity Chair, at 713-205-2850 ToryDeArmond@gmail.com OR Erin Kasperek, Community Manager, at 281-732-8324 erin.kasperek@cancer.org



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Boots 'n Whoops NWHC Aggie Moms Event

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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.





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*First Aid Certified ***Fluent in Spanish
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CY FAIR VIPS - Global

Cy Fair ISD continues to be known for its winning combination of district administration, teachers, school staff, parents, community partners and volunteers, each contributing to the success of CFISD students and schools, with volunteers being a huge factor in this equation. Many schools do not have the volunteer base to fill the needs of students and staff; fortunately, CFISD Global Volunteers are willing to reach out, lend a helping hand and get the job done. Global Volunteer opportunities throughout the year are widespread, ranging from vision and hearing screening, mentoring, tutoring, Junior Achievement, and other instructional presentations. Whatever your talent may be, there is a niche for you.

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.

- 1.Visit www.cfisd.net/dept2/pie/globalvol_forms
- 2.Print "Background Check" and "Global Volunteer Application"

3. Complete and return to:

Pam Scott

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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.



Cy-Fair ISD & Volunteers In Public Schools (VIPS):

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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!

CY-FAIR ISD & VOLUNTEERS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS (VIPS) SEPTEMBER 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. Get the latest information on what is happening in CFISD.

Cy-Fair Women's Club

WOMEN SERVING THE COMMUNITY

It's that time of year again. Mark your calendars, as you will not want to miss this event! We are fired up and thrilled to be upholding our "Shop Til You Drop" Marketplace event again this year. Grab the entire family and head out to the Berry Center on September 8th. There will be something for everyone to enjoy, even your pet. See you there!

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.

Thank you, Rosie Serrano





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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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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.

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Clay is one of a select number of financial professionals who attended the training that covered a variety of important topics including government benefits, insurance planning and special needs trusts. "The training provided me with the most up to date information about planning for the future of someone with a disability," said Clay. "I am looking forward to truly making a difference in the lives of these families." Clay, who has worked for The Greater Texas Agency since 2011, serves clients throughout the Southern Territory. Clay is a graduate of University of Houston, with a Bachelors of Finance. Clay, a resident of Houston, can be reached at rosa.clay@prudential.com and 832-389-5178.

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Date: Saturday, October 27, 2012

Time: 7:30 AM

Event Chair(s): Mike Cornett, President, Texas Citizens Bank

Tariff: To register please contact AHA

Contact: Katie Gallagher | katie.gallagher@heart.org | 713-610-

Website: www.bayareaheartwalk.org

HOUSTON HEART WALK

Location: Reliant Park, Houston Date: Saturday, November 3, 2012

Time: 8:30 AM

Event Chair(s): Ryan Lance, Chariman and CEO of ConocoPhillips

Tariff: To register please contact AHA

Contact: Myra Robinson | myra.robinson@heart.org | 713-610-

5000

Website: www.houstonheartwalk.org

MONTGOMERY COUNTY HEART WALK

Location: Aon Hewitt - Northshore Park, The Woodlands

Date: Saturday, November 3, 2012

Time: 8 AM

Event Chair(s): Stu Brightman - President of TETRA Technologies

Tariff: To register please contact AHA

Contact: Michele Shifflett | michele.shifflett@heart.org | 713-

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Website: www.montgomerycountyheartwalk.org

NORTHWEST HARRIS COUNTY HEART WALK

Location: Lone Star College - CyFair, 9191 Barker Cypress Rd.

Date: Saturday, November 3, 2012

Time: 8:30 AM

Event Chair(s): Brad Robeson, President, NCI Building Systems

Tariff: To register please contact AHA

Contact: Priscilla Luna | priscilla.luna@heart.org | 713-610-5000

Website: www.nwharrisheartwalk.org

GREATER LAKE HOUSTON HEART WALK

Location: Lone Star College - Kingwood, 20000 Kingwood Dr.,

Kingwood

Date: Saturday, November 10, 2012

Time: 8 AM

Event Chair(s): Raymond Little, MD-Houston Heart & Vascular

Associates

Tariff: To register please contact AHA

Contact: Morgan Dean | morgan.dean@heart.org | 713-610-5000

Website: www.greaterlakehoustonheartwalk.org

Hockley Community Center Events

Mommy & Me Yoga classes are taught each Monday and Wednesday through August 15, 2012 at the Hockley Community Center, 28515 Old Washington Road. Class time is from 10:30 -11:30 a.m. Children ages 7 and up accompanied by an adult are invited to participate. For more information call 936-931-5030. Beginning Scrapbooking classes will continue on Wednesdays in August and September at the Hockley Community Center, 28515 Old Washington Road, from 12:30 – 2:30 p.m. It is not too late to join instructor Eunice Carroll and learn the tricks and tips to making a great scrapbook. Call 936-931-5030 for more information.

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.

Beginner Bridge will be taught each Monday in August from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. at the Hockley Community Center, 28515 Old Washington Road. This is just the right opportunity to learn to play Bridge, free of charge. Call 936-931-5030 for more information and to register.

Sign-up is now open for the Hockley Community Center's Senior Citizen Bus Trip to the National Museum of Funeral History and the Southwestern Apache Museum on August 23, 2012. The bus will depart the Community Center, 28515 Old Washington Road in Hockley, at 9:00 a.m. Lunch will be at a Cracker Barrel Restaurant. 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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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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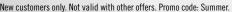
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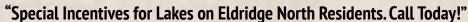
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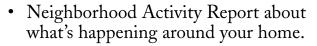
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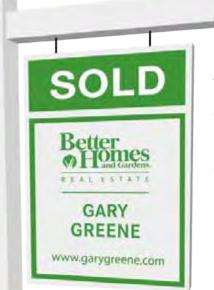
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Just Shop for a Just Cause A CRAFT FAIR TO FIGHT HUMAN TRAFFICKING

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 (The MET).

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!

Date: Saturday, September 22nd
Time: 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Location: Metropolitan Baptist Church (The MET)
TRUTH Student Building
12903 Jones Road • Houston, TX 77070

www.TheMETonline.org/JustShop

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.

We meet several times during the year and would love our Theta sisters to join us.

For information about meetings or events please contact:

Email---thetadonna@yahoo.com Phone ----Kim 281-370-2224



CY-FAIR KIWANIS CLUB

Kiwanis wants YOU! The Cy-Fair Kiwanis Club is actively seeking new members who are interested in giving service to improve our community and our world. Visit the Cy-Fair Kiwanis Club and learn about the projects in which its members participate to enrich and improve life for citizens in our community. We sponsor the Key Clubs in the Cy-Fair, Jersey Village, and Katy communities and work with them

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 Se, THE CHILDREN OF THE CHI 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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