

### A NEWSLETTER FOR TOWNE LAKE RESIDENTS

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### WELCOME TO TOWNE LAKE TRIBUNE

A Newsletter for the Towne Lake Community

The Tribune is a monthly newsletter mailed to all Towne Lake residents. Each newsletter will be filled with valuable information about the community, local area activities, school information, and more.

If you are involved with a school group, play group, scouts, sports team, social group, etc., and would like to submit an article for the newsletter, you can do so online at www. PEELinc.com. Personal news (announcements, accolades/honors/ celebrations, etc.) are also welcome as long as they are from area residents.

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# First Annual Kookin for Kids

Saturday, October 3, 2015 10am - 4pm Rain or shine at Langham Creek ACE Hardware. Benefitting Children's Miracle Network at Texas Children's Hospital

Callin all Cookers for this Kettle BBQ competition. We are enrolling grill teams. Your only qualificcation is to be a happ griller for this open competition. Contest entry fee of \$100.00 will be donated in its entirety to CMN. Prizes awarded to 1st, 2nd,3rd Place and "Peoples Choice". SIGN UP TODAY!

Not great at cookiin, be a part of the crowd to taste and vote for your favoriate griller for only \$5.00 (donated to CMN).

Love music by the Righteous Cause Band. Local Celebrity judges include DJ Jennifer Tyler of 106.9 Houston's Classic Rock, Larry Dierker former Astros Piitcher and Manager, Bill Brown former Astros Broadcaster, Eddie Jackson former NFL player and Trent Brooks of Brooks Place.

Location: Langham Creek ACE Hardware, 18020 FM 529 @Barker Cypress, Cypress, TX 77433 281-855-6801 www.langhamcreekace.com

Sign up today! Or come out and join th fun!

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#### **ARTICLE INFO**

The *Tribune* is mailed monthly to all Towne Lake residents. Residents, community groups, churches, etc. are welcome to submit information about their organizations in the newsletter. Personal news for the Stork Report, Teenage Job Seekers, recipes, special celebrations, and birthday announcements are also welcome.

To submit an article for consideration please email it to <u>townelake@</u> <u>peelinc.com</u>. The deadline is the 9th of the month prior to the issue.

### CYPRESS SPRINGS FFA BOOSTER CLUB

Howdy! Calling all vendors! The Cypress Springs FFA Spring Craft Show will be held on Saturday, April 16,2015 between 9:00am-5:00pm & Sunday,April17,2016 between 10:00am-4:00pm. All proceeds will benefit the Cypress Springs FFA students in attending state convention, competitions, and creating scholarships for graduating seniors. The event is held at the CFISD Exhibit Center at 11206 Telge Road Cypress, Texas 77429 ¼ mile North of Hwy 290. For additional vendor information please visit www.cypresssprings.ffanow.org or contact Lisa Rocha by phone at 832-692-6004 or email at cy\_springsffa@yahoo.com.



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### "Standing Out from the Crowd"

Luncheon Details Thursday, September 24, 2015 Networking 11a.m.; Luncheon begins at 11:30 a.m. Sterling Country Club, 16500 Houston National Blvd., Houston, TX 77095 Costs \$25 with advanced reservations; \$30 at the door

#### Maritza Ortega

ASP, Accredited Staging Professional Home Staging and Redesign Association Member International Association of Home Staging Professionals MCE Instructor MaritzaOrtega.com

At the September 24 Cy-Fair Express Network Luncheon, speaker Maritza Ortega, entrepreneur and motivational speaker, will encourage attendees and share her knowledge and methods to help others Stand Out from the Crowd.

Maritza began her entrepreneurial journey in 2013 when she had the opportunity to pursue her dream job as a home stager. Along the way she has discovered an endless world of opportunities and has become an MCE Instructor as well as a blogger and a professional motivational speaker.

Maritza enjoys meeting new people, building relationships,

photography, learning new things and doing Zumba. Some of the best qualities about Maritza include her enthusiasm, courage, faith and perseverance. She is positive, determined and motivated.

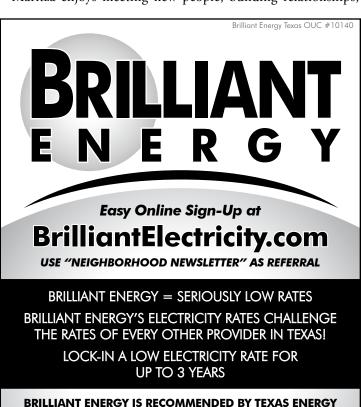
This month's CYFEN meeting begins with networking at 11 a.m. followed with a prompt 11:30 a.m. start of the program. Luncheons are held at the Sterling Country Club, 16500 Houston National Blvd.

About Cy-Fair Express Network (CYFEN)

Now 70 members strong, Cy-Fair Express Network's vision is to be a community and national leader for the support of professional women by providing a nurturing environment for business development, networking, education and mentoring. Our members have opportunities to pursue excellence and achieve both local and national recognition. CYFEN is part of the national organization of American Business Women's Association (ABWA), for more information go to www.CYFEN.org.

About American Business Women's Association (ABWA)

Founded in 1949, ABWA provides business training and networking opportunities for women of diverse occupations and backgrounds. ABWA has dedicated 60 years to women's education, workplace skills and career development training. For more information, visit, www.abwa.org.



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# Fall Festivities and Family Fun

The crisp fall weather is not quite here, but plans are already being made to create family-fun activities at Good Shepherd UMC. On September 13th from 5-7pm, we will be offering a fun Game

Night for Adults, complete with lawn games like washers, horseshoes, and giant Jenga, as well as card games, Dominoes and Pokeno - fun for adults of all ages! Plus, we'll have a Food Truck on hand with an amazing menu you don't want to miss! Beginning in early October, keep a lookout for the muchawaited arrival of the pumpkins! Staged with harvest props and sunshine, the pumpkin patch provides a perfect background for your fall

photos! The pumpkin patch is open daily, through dusk and offers an assortment of big, bright and beautiful pumpkins for sale. The Girlfriends Gift Market will return on Saturday, October 10th, 9am-4pm, and will include over 60 indoor/outdoor vendors featuring jewelry, yard art, hand-crafted goods, home décor, gourmet foods, boutique clothing & more! The silent auction, bake sale and our kid vendors will create a festive backdrop for early holiday shopping. All proceeds will benefit local missions including Redeemed Ministries, Care Net Pregnancy Center and Boys and Girls Country. Watch for our youth who will begin collecting goods for the Homeless during November, and will be camping out for their Annual Camp for Christ on Dec. 5th, bringing awareness and much-needed donated goods to the Life Center for the Homeless. Advent is always an exciting time for our church and community, so mark your calendars for the Christmas at Good Shepherd Musical Event on December 13th. The annual Hot Dog Roast and Hayride planned for Friday, December 18th, has become a tradition within the Cypress community as the kick-off to the Christmas season. Visit: goodchurch.us for more information on these and many more events, or find us on Facebook.





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### FAIRFIELD WOMAN'S SOFTBALL LEAGUE



### The Time is NOW to join Girl Scouts!

School has begun and your family is getting back into its fall routine. This might include school, homework, sports activities, dance, and if you have a daughter, hopefully GIRL SCOUTS! Beginning in September, consider joining Girl Scouts at your neighborhood schools as we will be hosting a recruitment events to encourage girls and parents to join this great organization.

In Girl Scouts, your daughter has the opportunity to explore new interests, participate in community service activities, make new friends, and simply have fun. As a Girl Scout leader, an adult has the chance to mentor a group of girls to help them reach their fullest potential. Please consider joining this organization so you can have a direct impact on the girls in your community. Girl Scouts is for girls in grades kindergarten to 12th grade and the cost is \$15.

To find out when Girl Scouts will be at your school, please go the Girl Scout of San Jacinto website at www.gssjc.org and click on "Join Today." For more information, please contact your community volunteer, Traci Davidson, at brantleigh21@ sbcglobal.net. We are looking forward to another great year in the Cypress area and hope you can join in on the fun!

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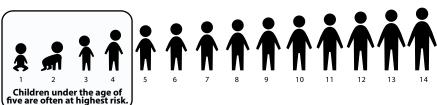






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## **KIWANIS CLUB OF CY-FAIR HOUSTON**

Are cordially invited to attend an introductory meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Cy-Fair Houston.

Where: Hearthstone Country Club located at 7615 Ameswood Circle in Hearthstone

Time: Lunch is served at 12:15pm; adjournment at 1:15pm. Dates: We will meet on September 15, 22, and 29.

Join us for lunch, followed by a short, informative program. We welcome your visit and invite you to consider membership in this service oriented organization.

What is Kiwanis? Kiwanis is an international service organization focused on changing the world one child and one community at a time. Service is at the heart of every Kiwanis club, no matter where in the world it's located.

Why join the Cy-Fair Kiwanis Club? We serve this community through sponsoring Key Clubs for high school students, Builders Clubs for middle school students, and Aktion clubs for adults with disabilities. Also, we sponsor Boy Scout and Girl Scout troops. We provide support to various other organizations in the community that serve children and families. Enjoy the pleasure of being a part of this service.

Kiwanis members have fun also. Members make new friends when they attend meetings and participate in social events. Kiwanis clubs also provide excellent networking opportunities for professionals. Members meet new people from all through participation in service projects, fundraising and attendance at district and international conventions.

Visit the Cy-Fair Kiwanis Club website at www. KIWANISHOUSTONCYFAIR.COM.

For more information, call John Carroll (Copperfield and Hearthstone areas) at 281-463-0373; George Crowl (Jersey Village area)at 832-467-1998; or Peggy Presnell (Fairfield and CyRanch) at 281-304-7127.

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