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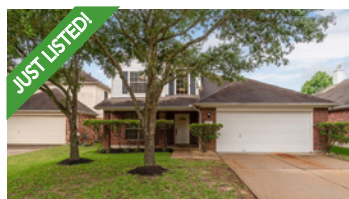
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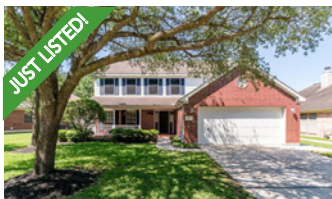
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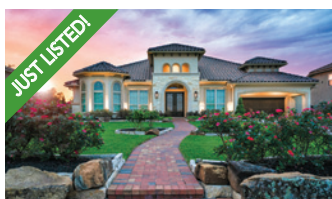
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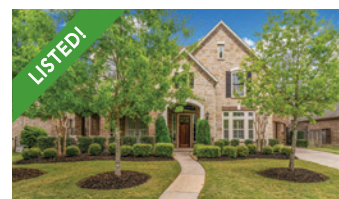
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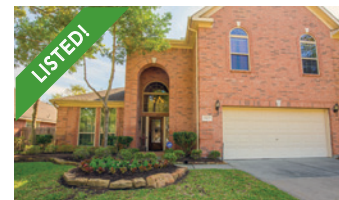
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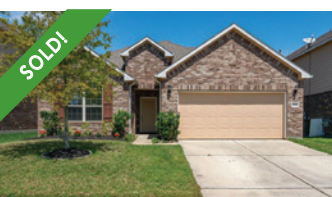
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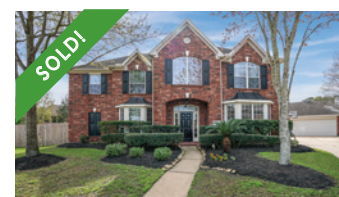
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From The Editor's Desk



July has arrived! It is our sincerest hope that you will have received this issue of the Fairfield Community Gazette before July 4th, so we still have time to invite you to share Fairfield's celebration of Independence Day. Between fireworks and other festivities, we hope that you will have time to reflect upon our nation's foundational principles and how blessed we are to live in this great nation.

It is possible that in our busy lives and the midst of plenty, we might be tempted to take our liberties for granted, or even worse, misconstrue how difficult it was to gain our freedoms 243 years ago.

To give you the incentive to reflect on why we celebrate our freedoms, we invite you to read our cover story about the sacrifices Zack Rogers, our resident Apache pilot, and his family make daily

to ensure our liberties.

In addition to Zack and his family, we wanted to honor other community members that are currently serving, retired, or who have gone before us. If we missed one of your friends or family members, we've decided to have another round of acknowledgments in November for Veterans Day.

As Ronald Regan said, "Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction. We didn't pass it to our children in the bloodstream. It must be fought for, protected, and handed on for them to do the same."

Additional information of note: We proudly introduce you to JJ Goss, a long time Fairfield resident and 2019 graduate of Cypress Ranch High School. He was a first-round pick in the Major League Baseball draft on June 3rd.

Plus, we are honoring a few more graduates. Please peruse that section, not only should they be applauded but their friends and family who helped to see them over the finish line as well.

As you flip through the pages of the Gazette, please bear in mind that my sole function as editor is to create a sense of community. Sharing positive information about our neighborhoods and the people that live in them is my overriding goal. When you see something positive happening or when you want to share a good idea or meritorious news, please contact me at jackiedevine@peelinc.com or 832.316.6006.

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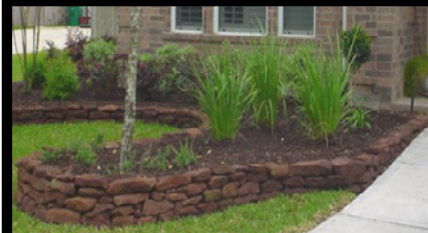
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Fairfield has its own AH-64D Apache Longbow Pilot

by Jackie Devine



Several weeks ago, a Facebook post applauded CW3 Zack Rogers, AH-64D Apache Longbow Pilot, for his military service. It highlighted a flyover he conducted over Fairfield on his way back to Camp Mabry Military Base in Austin. Intrigued by his extraordinary skill and the fact that he took time out of his busy schedule to perform for the community, I asked for an

interview. He and Jessica, his wife, graciously agreed to give us a peek into the life of an Apache helicopter pilot and the sacrifices made by the family that supports him.

For those of us not steeped in military science or current technological advances, the Apache AH-64D is the Army's heavy division/corps attack helicopter. It is essentially a flying tank. The Army's most advanced attack helicopter, it conducts rear, close, and shaping missions including deep precision strikes against relocatable targets, and provides armed reconnaissance, when required, in a day, night, obscured battlefield and adverse weather conditions.

It incorporates a millimeter wave fire control radar, radar frequency interferometer, fire-and-forget radar-guided HELLFIRE missile, and cockpit management and digitization enhancements. The combination of the FCR, RFI, and the advanced navigation and avionics suite of the aircraft provides increased situational awareness, lethality, and survivability, and is what the U.S. is using in Iraq and Afghanistan right now.

If you have never had the opportunity to meet someone capable of earning the right to sit in an Apache cockpit, now is your chance.

"When I was a high school junior," Zack shared, "a recruiter came to Douglass High School to talk to 15 guys who were members of our class of 30, about joining the Texas Army National Guard."

Zack continued, "At the time, the most significant incentive they had to offer was college money. So that is all it took to pique my interest. Since I did not have funds set aside for education, Mom was a cook at the elementary school, and Dad was a carpenter, it did not take much convincing to have me sign on the dotted line. That day I, along with three of my classmates, joined the Texas Army National Guard."

After high school graduation, Zack entered Stephen F. Austin University and also completed basic training becoming a "13



Bravo" which is a cannon crew member. His responsibility was shooting the Howitzer, one of the biggest weapons in the Army.

During Hurricane Katrina, he was deployed to the AstroDome to assist with the refugees. In 2006, he was deployed to the Border to work with Operation Jump Start. While there, Zack continued his college education, and that is where he met Jessica, not only the love of his life, but his teacher, and life coach.

In 2007 he was deploying to Iraq but ended up staying at the MOB Station at Fort Bliss. Since he didn't end up going, he worked at the blood center and continued his schooling from 2008 to 2009 when he deployed to Iraq.

While in Iraq, he chanced to meet a helicopter pilot who showed him the Black Hawk helicopter, let him sit inside, then took him for a flight.

"Right then and there," explained Zack, "I decided that becoming a pilot was something I was going to do. I submitted my packet in 2010 and was accepted in 2011. Two months later, I was in the program."

Zack and Jessica left in June for Officer Candidate School at U.S. Army Aviation Center of Excellence at Fort Rucker, Alabama.

"First, I went to Warrant School," he recounted, "then to Dunker, where they dump you upside down in the water to



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make sure you can get out. Next, it was SERE, Survival, Evasion, Resistance and Escape . That was the best training I never want to do again! From there I went to the Bell 206, a single-engine helicopter called the TH67. I had never been behind the controls of a helicopter, never even flown a helicopter on a video. An old crusty Vietnam Vet instructor got me through everything but the hovering. I simply could not hover.

"People were getting kicked out right and left. I was down to the line and the most stressed out I have ever been, even in Iraq.

"Amazingly, two days before my check ride, I had a prophetic dream about hovering. In the dream I was competent, capable, and able to hover. The next day, not only was I able to hover, I have been able to hover ever since."

From there, Zack went to instruments in the clouds, the BWS necessary warfighter skills. There, they used an OH 58 Kiowa, where they flew above the trees and landed on the ground. From there, he went to the Apache, and that is when things got serious.

"We conducted day flying, night flying with night vision, then gunnery, which was shooting things with the helicopter, and later we graduated," added Zack.

In January, he took a full-time job as a Training Officer and today, not only is he a pilot, he oversees around 200 pilots throughout the state at a variety of Texas pilot schools.

I asked, "What has life taught you so far? "

His answer was, "You can achieve anything you put your mind

to! The fact is I was very, very lucky. However, the truth is that I worked very, very hard! Early on, I decided I was not going to take "NO" from anybody, and I worked my ass off for my dream."

"Equally as important," offered Zack, "I am convinced that family is everything. Next to that, it is my children's education. That is a high priority for both Jessica and me."

In closing, I asked Zack what he liked best about his job. With a big smile, he said, "I get to fly a \$30-million-dollar helicopter and if you are into guns and flying there is nothing more exhilarating. Nothing matches the satisfaction you get when you can respond to a request for fire or help out the guys on the ground."

"By the way," he added, "We're looking for pilots. If anybody between the ages of eighteen and 31 would like to come to join the Texas National Guard, have them give me a call. I would be glad to answer any questions."

"One more thing, for the folks in our community," he sighed. "I know that some people might be uncomfortable with flyovers. However, I am very high up in the air so no worries, helicopters are safe and I am not breaking any FAA regulations. I am gone a lot. I don't get to see my kids as much as I should. So, when I get a chance to fly over, it is for them to see, so they can understand that is why my dad is always gone. I do that for my kids. "

Zackary and Jessica are the proud parents of 15-year old Cole, 11-year old Aeson and 8-year old Gavin.



Independence Day, also called Fourth of July, in the United States, is the annual celebration of nationhood. It commemorates the passage of the Declaration of Independence by the Continental Congress on July 4, 1776.

The freedoms we enjoy today are brought to us courtesy of the extraordinary men and women who serve and have served our country with honor, dedication, pride, and most of all, sacrifice!



Captain Andrew H. Lawrence was commissioned a Navy Ensign February 1965 and earned his Naval Flight Officer wings September 1965. A sampling of his assignments included Officer-in-Charge of Patrol Squadron Sixty-Seven in Memphis, TN; Deputy Controller; and Deputy Chief of Staff for Manpower for Commander Naval Reserve Force. In January 1989, he assumed the duties of Commanding Officer of Naval Support Activity in New Orleans.

While serving as Tactical Coordinator for a flight crew in Patrol Sixteen, Jacksonville, Fla, he earned two Air Medals for action in Vietnam; he also received the Meritorious Service Medal, the Navy Commendation Medal, and the Navy Achievement Medal.



William C. "Bill" Wilson began active duty with the U.S. Army on April 15th, 1969. He completed basic training at Fort Polk, Louisiana and went on to Fort Lee, Virginia to begin training to become a supply clerk. However, the Army needed company clerks, and Bill had a valuable skill for a man in those days. He could type. He became a company clerk at Fort Lee,

similar to the Radar O'Reilly of the Mash TV fame but not nearly as colorful. In 1970, he received orders for Germany. Serving at support command headquarters in Worms, Germany, Bill became a personnel management specialist and attained the rank of Specialist Five. In 1972 the Army began a reduction in force and Bill was released from active duty on January 24th of '72. He completed the remainder of his six-year commitment in the inactive reserves and received an honorable discharge.

Currently, Bill continues to serve by working with the Corps of Cadets at Texas A&M. He is a 16-year Squadron III parent and frequent volunteer with the Corps of Cadets Association. In addition, he is an official volunteer for the Texas A&M Aggie Corps Recruiters Program and at every opportunity participates in college fairs at high schools in the fall.

Ivan Beauchamps is a Navy Hospital Corpsman E-4, stationed at Ft. Meade Army Base--Defense Information System Agency (DISA), DOD. Ivan is also a pastor. He is the son of Jackie Penha, a Fairfield Resident.



Sergeant Jordan Hendricks joined the Marines immediately after finishing high school in 2004 and served for 10 years. As combat veteran, he served on the front lines on active duty and in the reserves. He fought in Iraq while active and was called up from the reserves and sent to Afghanistan while in the reserves. Tours of duty include:

Active, 2004-2008, 1st Marine Division, 2nd Battalion, 4th Marines, Weapons Company (Mobile Assault Platoon 1).

Reserves: 2009-2014, 4th Marine Division, 1st Battalion, 23rd Marines.

Alpha Company (Weapons Platoon). Jordan is the son of Stacey and Rusty Temple.



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Airman Noah McMillan was born and raised in Fairfield. He played soccer for many years and a few summers of basketball through the Fairfield Sports Association. He took piano lessons from Stephen and Judith Habermacher. He is a member of Fairfield Baptist. Noah worked at Gringo's Mexican Kitchen before entering the Air Force.

Noah is an Airman serving with the 90th Security Forces Squadron at F. E.

Warren Air Force Base in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Noah is the son of Rebecca McMillian.

Fairfield Military Families



Generations of the same families have served in the US military. We present to you five such families. However, your editor believes we have many more families, even those that have done so since the

Revolutionary War or Civil War?

The information we've currently garnered is from a few participants that have honored their families by submitting their names to us for the Gazette's Independence Day Salute. We know Fairfield is full of veterans because we see your stickers on your cars as we pass you at the spotlight.

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LTC (R) Carol L. Strong received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Retail Management from Southern Illinois University (Carbondale) in 1983. In 1986, Carol enlisted in the US Army and served as an "Improved Hawk Pulse Radar Technician." She was recommended and selected to attend the US Army's, Officer

Candidate School. She received her active duty commission in June 1988 into the Ordnance Corps. Carol commanded the 190th Maintenance Company at Fort Hood, Texas.

Additionally, Carol served as the Division Support Command Planner and the Support Operations Officer in the 101st Airborne Division during Operation Enduring Freedom. She planned and coordinated logistics operations for many top secret combat missions. Carol received her Master of Science Degree from Florida Institute of Technology and is a graduate of the Army's Command and General Staff College. LTC (R) Carol Strong served her final tour of duty at Prairie View A&M University as the first female Professor of Military Science in the Army ROTC department. She served a total of 22 years on active duty.

LTC (R) Garrick K. Strong received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering from South Carolina State University in 1990. He was commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant through the Army ROTC program into the Transportation Corp with branch detail to Field Artillery. While stationed in South Korea, Garrick commanded the 46th Transportation Company. Garrick served four combat tours during his 21 years of active duty. He served in Somalia (Platoon Leader – 10th Mountain Division), Afghanistan (Battalion Operations Officer – 101st Airborne Division) and two

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tours in Iraq (Division Transportation Officer and Deputy G4 – 1st Cavalry Division). In 2004, Garrick earned his Master of Arts Degree in Management from Webster University. He is also a graduate from the Command and General Staff College in Leavenworth, Kansas. LTC (R) Garrick Strong served his final tour of duty at Prairie View A&M University as the Professor of Military Science in the Army ROTC department.

Garrick and Carol have been married for 22 years and have one daughter, Sydni A. Strong who will be a Junior at Bridgeland High School in Fall, 2019.



Captain Jim Ware After graduation and completing the ROTC program, Jim was commissioned 2nd Lt and ordered to report and attend the Engineer school at Ft. Belvoir, VA. He also served at Ft. Leonard, MO and Camp McCoy, Wisconsin. He was released from service in 1963 as a Captain, CE-USAR.



Seaman 1st Class Charlie Ware went into service in 1943. He was sent to boot camp in Faragate, Idaho, where according to family stories, "he almost froze." Upon completion, he was sent to the Hawaiian Islands, where he became an aircraft line captain. He spent the remainder of the war right there and was very lucky to return home in 1945.



JimWare's Father-In-Law Albert Loy was in the Merchant Marines and became the Chief Cook of the ship that was transporting troops to Italy. Brothers Roy Loy and Glen Loy were in the Army. Glen was with his unit in a fox hole where he was wounded. He came home luckily only losing an eye! In photo Glen Loy, Roy Loy & Albert Loy.

Ralph Linkenhoker, Jr. entered the Air Force in 1974. After completing boot camp in San Antonio, TX, he was assigned to Rantoul, IL to obtain certification as a Fuel Specialist. From there he was stationed at Barksdale AF Base, a Strategic Air Command base in Shreveport LA responsible for maintaining Long Range Bombers. He was discharged in 1976 and remained in the reserves until 1978.



Senior Chief Petty Officer Ralph Likenhoker III joined the Navy in 1999 went to basic training at Great Lake Navy Training Center training as an aviation ordinance man focused on building the bombs, rockets and other munitions used on aircraft. From there he was stationed at the LHD 7 Iwo Jima as a Ships Company. After four years he moved on to do two billets on the USS Enterprise (CVN-65), formerly CVA(N)-65, then to Shore Duty at Pax River, MD where he worked on experimental aircraft associated with weapons systems. From there he was transferred to the USS John C Stennis Aircraft Carrier on the seventh Nimitz-class nuclear-powered super carrier in the United States Navy in Washington where he made Chief Petty Officer. On the East Coast, he was stationed on the Harry S. Truman for four years. Currently, he is stationed in Pittsburgh, PA, as an officer recruiter at Penn State.

Cody Wylie - Cody Wylie enlisted April, 2009 in the US Navy as a Nuclear Machinist Mate. He completed boot camp in Great Lakes, IL. From there, he attended A-School/Power School in Goose Creek, SC and Prototype School in Saratoga Springs, NY

On permanent duty he was stationed on the USS Enterprise (CVN 65).



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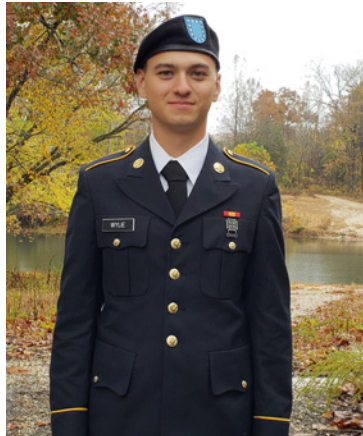
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His Notable service includes: Combat cruise for the final deployment of the USS Enterprise, 2012, part of a watch team commended by Captain William Hamilton for outstanding performance in maintenance and operations, and part of the team involved in the decommission of CVN 65. He ended his service in 2015 as an E-4, Petty Officer Third Class in US Navy.



Patrick Wylie enlisted in the USMC in September, 2012 as an Aircraft Mechanic. He attended boot camp in San Diego, CA. Patrick then went to Aviation School in Pensacola, FL. On permanent duty, he was stationed in San Diego, CA. He ended service in 2016 as an E-4, Corporal in USMC.



TJ Wylie enlisted in the US Army in August, 2018 as a Satellite Communications System Operator/Maintainer. He went to boot in camp in Ft. Leonard Wood, MO.

He completed satellite training in the middle of June, 2019 in Ft. Gordon, GA.

He is now stationed in Ft. Hood, TX. He currently is on active duty as an E-2, Private Second Class.

Cody, Patrick, and TJ are the sons of Debbie and Buck Wylie.

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JJ Goss headed to the Big Leagues

by Heather Johnson



JJ Goss, a long time Fairfield resident and 2019 graduate of Cypress Ranch High School was a first round pick in the Major League Baseball's draft. He was chosen 36 overall by the Tampa Bay Rays on June 3. JJ is the best right hand pitcher to come through the Hunter Pence Baseball Academy. It's easy to see why he was selected in the first round of the 2019 MLB Draft. His fastball has been clocked up to 97 mph with a big league slider to go with it consistently clocked at 85 mph. His HP family could

not be more proud of him and his family. We are incredibly excited to support and watch him pursue his dream of pitching in the big leagues.

JJ headed out to Tampa on Thursday, June 13th to sign his MLB contract then went on to spring training in Port Charlotte, Florida to start spring training. He will return home sometime late September to early October then head back out after a couple of months.



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Around Fairfield

Welcoming All Senior Citizens *by Jo Ann Lambert*

The Fairfield Seniors of Cypress held their annual New member Invitational to kick off their 2019 traveling season on May 17th at the Lakeside Trails Clubhouse.

Last year they held a community-wide barbecue and this year they treated Fairfield Seniors of Cypress to a festive Luau. Fairfield's own Silver Liners provided the entertainment dancing the hula to "Over The Rainbow" and inviting the audience to participate.

The number of local vendors showing their support and donating products and services to support area seniors was impressive. The Fairfield Seniors of Cypress could never have made their Luau such a memorable event without the kindness and generosity of: Walgreens, Tropical Cafe, The Liquor Shoppe, Pei Wei Asian Diner, Andy's Kitchen, Memorial Herman, Ocean Nail Lounge, Subway, Jersey Mikes, BrewWingz Sports Bar & Grill, Civic Liquor & Wine #2, Envy Nail, Yogurtland, Domino's Pizza, The Round Top Collection Gallery, First Watch The Daytime Cafe, Academy Sports & Outdoors, Marco's Pizza and Artistic Experiences.

The Fairfield Seniors of Cypress is a group of people mainly from in and around Cypress (however you do not have to reside in Cypress

to come out and play with us). We enjoy one day trip a month where we explore a 200-mile radius of Houston, and several long-distance tours to discover the beauty of the US throughout the year.

Traveling together makes it more affordable and gives us all a feeling of safety and camaraderie. Some of our fun-seekers have been going with the group for years, and others joined only recently.

If you have any questions, please e-mail Jo Ann at pstlgrl@gmail.com or Jackie Devine at jackie.devine@comcast.net.



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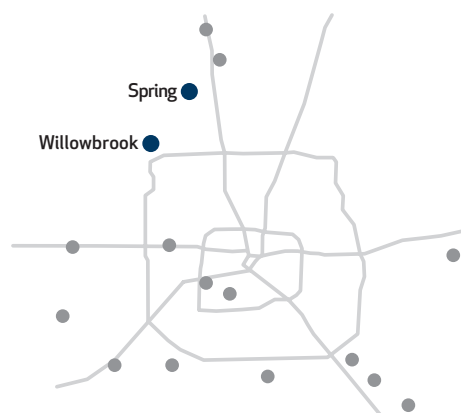
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Anna Arnold moved to Fairfield in 2017. She graduated Magna Cum Laude from Cy-Ranch High School in May. She was a member of the National Honor Society as well as a mentor in the PALS program. Outside of school Anna led Girl's Bible Study at West Houston Church of Christ.

She also has been working at Chick-fil-A since 2018. Anna is looking forward to pursuing her love of biology and helping others as a nursing major

at Baylor University in the fall.

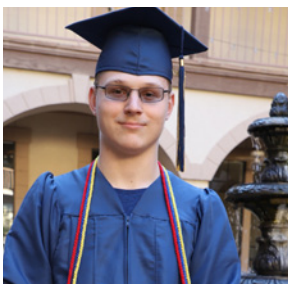


Carlie Sudtelgte is graduating Summa Cum Laude from Cy Ranch High School. She is headed to university of Arkansas to study Health Sciences this fall. We are so proud of the young lady you have become!



Lily Howell was born and raised in Fairfield. She attended Ault Elementary, Salyards Middle School and Cypress Ranch High School where she just graduated. She has been involved in theater and choir throughout her school years including Cypress Academy of Performing Arts and 1960 Playhouse. She has performed the National Anthem at

many Fairfield Sports Association and Cy Fair Sports Association events and also at Sugarland Skeeters games. She has been accepted to the LSU School of Music where she will earn a B.A. in Music.



Matthew Woods has lived in Fairfield for 15 years. He attended Ault Elementary, Salyards Middle School and graduated from Cy Ranch High School. He was in Sculpture Society for 4 years. Matthew won the Silver key award for Scholastic Art. His hobbies include drawing and sculpture. He is studying Art at LoneStar College.



Trent Alford graduated from Cy Ranch High School and is on his way to Oklahoma State University to study professional flight with the end plan to be a commercial airline pilot. He had been working on his private pilot's license off and on since he was 12 years old. Congratulations Trent, we know the sky is the limit for you!



Congratulations to the Class of 2019!

Submitted by Lisa Cannon

The Fairfield Women's Club would like to thank the graduates and their mothers for attending the 29th Annual Mother/Daughter Graduation Tea held on Sunday, May 19th at the home of Lisa Cannon. We know it is a busy time of year and appreciate each of you taking time out of your schedules to join us in this special tradition. It was a pleasure meeting each of you and we wish you the best of luck as you begin the next chapter of your lives.

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Your business can reserve a booth online for \$35. Please bring a table or anything else you may need in your booth. CFISD prohibits any vendor from selling on school property. You may hand out flyers, coupons, business cards, giveaways, and/or collect e-mails. We encourage all vendors to sponsor an activity for the kids.

The proceeds from this event go back into the community to benefit our schools, fire station, and constables. We can't do this without your support! Fairfield Village Community Association is the major sponsor for our July 4th Parade and Festivities.

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Your Local Restaurants

Submitted by: Joan Hagan

Classic Adults' June luncheon was a HUGE success! We hosted the CLASSIC TASTE OF FAIRFIELD! Twelve Fairfield area restaurants sampled specialties of their cuisine to our members, guests, and church staff! Just about 100 people attended and enjoyed some seriously good food!!!! Classic Adults wishes to extend our heartfelt thanks to the participating restaurants:

- Andy's Kitchen
- Azul Italian Kitchen
- BB's
- Edible Arrangements
- First Watch
- Las Mananitas Mexican Restaurant
- Nyam Nyam Café
- Texas Mesquite Grill
- Tomiko Sushi Bar and Japanese Habachi Grill
- Wing Stop
- Yogurtland at Fairfield
- Zaxby's

These restaurants are all "community minded" and we should all support them! If you go to any of these to enjoy their cuisine, thank them for supporting our community and tell them that you saw them mentioned in this magazine!!!

Good Shepherd Classic Adults welcomes any person 50+ to gather with us for Christian Fellowship, entertainment, adventure and light hearted and inspirational programs. You do not have to be a member of Good Shepherd to attend Classic Adults. For more information on Classic Adults go to the Good Shepherd website www.goodchurch.us and click on Adult Ministries or call the church at (281)373-2273. We usually meet the first Monday of the month.

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

Submitted By Bill Cook

The Seniors of Fairfield are an active, fifty plus, group of couples and singles who enjoy fellowship and various other 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

THURSDAY, JULY 4th. THE FAIRFIELD PARADE. The seniors of Cypress will have a booth to invite new members. Trips for July and August:

Friday, July 19th, Traveling to Luling, TX.

Tuesday, August 27th, trip to Beaumont on the Amtrack Sunset limited.

JULY FAIRFIELD 50 PLUS ACTIVITY SCHEDULE:

Thursday, July 11th, our monthly Pot Luck at the Lakeside Club House starts at **6:30 pm**. Doors open at **6:00 pm** Plan on staying after the dinner to play dominoes, socialize and finish up the desserts.

Tuesday, July 16th, our monthly Game Night at the Cooks' Houses starts at 6:30 pm Bring a snack and a healthy appetite. Directions are provided on the Activity Page on our website and our weekly newsletter.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE IN JUNE:

July 5th, and July 19th, Breakfast at Denny's Restaurant, near Home Depot. We start ordering around **9 am**. Again try to get there a little earlier for socializing.

July 12th and July 26th we have Game Afternoons at the Lakeside Clubhouse from **1 pm to 4 pm**. We play the card game hand and foot at these sessions. If you like to drink or snack on something; bring your own.

Visit our ACTIVITY page on our web site for more details on our activities and check to see if any changes have been made <http://www.fairfieldfiftyplus.com>

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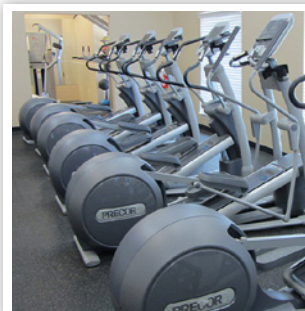


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Fairfield Women's

Club News *by Suzanne Thompson*

June 18th - Our new year in Women's Club begins with the June 18 meeting, **Bradford Creek Clubhouse at 7:00 pm**. As we will be having a special speaker, we will keep our business meeting short. Our speaker, Rachel Norris of Joy Pottery, is very inspiring, please come and bring friends. It is a unique experience!!!

We would like to thank this past year's Board for all of their hard work: Lisa Cannon, Suzanne Thompson, Christine Meischen, LeAnn Bravo, and Katherine Stenzel. We would like to welcome our new Board for the 2019-2020 year. President, Toni Scott, 1st Vice President- Suzanne Thompson, 2nd Vice President – Robin Zabransky, Secretary - Cathy Ward, Treasurer - Julia Feeney.

We are needing a few new committee heads, so if you are so inspired, please let us know if you would consider any of the following:

- **The Fourth @ Fairfield** - Heading up the event
- **Yard of the Month** - Volunteers will take an afternoon to find the top yards, take photos and write a short paragraph for the Gazette
- **Publicity** - Enter information, announcements and club activities in FWC Facebook, email, website, Fairfield FB

- **Fundraising** - Investigating fund raising activities
- **Caring** - Sends cards, provides meals and other acts of caring towards club members

• **Hospitality Committee** - Secures hostesses to provide refreshments for all meetings for the club. Arrives 30 min early to meetings and will stay for clean-up. The First Vice-President has general supervision over the Hospitality Chairperson.

Please let us know if you are interested. We will also have a sign-up sheet at the meeting.

July the 4th is just around the corner. Please plan to join the parade, leaving **Ault at 9:00 am**, followed by **The Fourth @ Fairfield**, held at **Salyards Middle School** this year, from 10:00-2:00. The parade route:

From Ault-left on Chapel Knoll, right on Fairfalls Loop; left on Aspen Pine; right on Fairfield Park, Right on Fairfield Green Circle. We will circle around Bradford Creek Clubhouse complex, around Fairfield Park Circle; Right on Fairfield Green, Right on Fairfield Place; Left on Medley Green, Medley Green to Central Park.

Return to **Salyards** for **4th at Fairfield**. Food trucks, inflatables, entertainment on the stage in the cafeteria, along with many booths with games for the children, and much more.

July 16th meeting, 6:00 pm. We will celebrate happy hour at **Tutto Bene's**. Please plan to drop by and join the fun. Bring a friend too!

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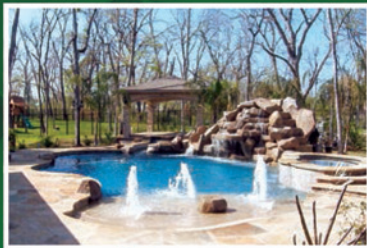


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Yard of the Month

Submitted by Deborah Worley, Yard of the Month Chairperson

Summer has arrived here in Fairfield. This month we visited one-fourth of Fairfield South. The areas included: Silver Lake, Silver Crest, Summer Gate, Travis Point and Sterling Lake Estates.

The month of July we are featuring the home of David and Marilyn Taylor. Their home is located at 16922 Thomas Ridge Lane, in the Silver Lake subdivision. David and Marilyn's yard is pristine, well planned, great balance, harmony and consonance. All their planting areas are bordered with professional stacked rock that compliments the brick and rock on their home.

David credits his wife, Marilyn with the planning of their landscaping. Great job Marilyn, everything looks beautiful.

There are two Crimson Bottlebrush Trees (*Callistemon*) flanking the outside corners of the home. The Bottlebrush-like flowers bloom sporadically throughout the year above dark green leaves. They have cylindrical spiked flowers with long stamens that resemble a brush.

In their defined planters you'll see a variety of Shrubs, including Boxwood, Ilex Cornet "Burfordii Nana" and Gold Mop Cypress just to name a few. I also see some Carex "Evergold Burpee", its long spike leaves in variegated green are very hardy in our area and add great color and texture to any garden. One of my favorites is their use of the Texas Red Yucca "Hesperaloe Parviflora". This is one of the very best drought tolerant flowering succulents, a hummingbirds' favorite that produces tall spikes of reddish-pink flowers that continue to bloom all summer. They planted Latana Camara, yellow, of the verbena family. Their yellow flowers are aromatic. It goes without saying that Knockout Roses always are great color to any garden.

I love the very appropriate flag by David and Marilyn's front entrance, "Celebrating America". Their flag, to me, tops off their beautiful yard in style.

Congratulations David and Marilyn on your beautiful July Yard of the Month 2019.



VBS at Second

Submitted by Jonathan Spencer, Adult Ministries Pastor



Join Second Baptist Church this summer for a "Journey to the Undersea!" This year's Vacation Bible School will take place July 15th to July 18th at the Cypress Campus. Every day of VBS is filled with exciting Bible stories, crafts, skits, and of course an amazing BIG show! This year's production will pick up from last year's theme of "The Legend of Longbeard." Come find out what happens to Captain Longbeard this year, as he and his crew travel through the sea to learn great truths from God's Word!

VBS is for children ages 5 (as of September 1, 2019) through children entering the 5th Grade. The program will go from 9AM to 12PM Monday through Thursday, with the final show taking place at our Family Night on Thursday evening. Family and friends



will be invited that night to come watch the final installment of the Legend of Longbeard and see what their kids have been talking about all week long. Second's VBS is free of charge and open to the entire community! Registration is open online at www.second.org, or you can find more info on the church's facebook page, facebook.com/secondcypress.

A Visit From Andy by Jackie Devine



What could be better than having someone show up at a Hawaiian Luau with two heaping platters of "the tastiest" chicken kabobs that can be found in Cypress? Well nothing, unless it is delivered on time and served with a friendly smile, firm handshake, a heartfelt hug, and laced with some corny jokes.

Yes, that's what Fairfield's own Andy Correa, owner, and operator of Andy's Kitchen did recently at the Fairfield Seniors of Cypress Spring Luau in May.

"Not only did he appear with piping hot, mouthwatering kabobs, but he also stayed around and visited with our guests and even insisted on having his photo taken with the Silver Liners who provided the entertainment," explained Jo Ann Lambert, Fairfield Seniors of Cypress trip coordinator.

Andy doesn't just show up at a function, he is part of the party. And that is one of the reasons he is invited to festive occasions, family celebrations, and business gatherings throughout the community.

"That's why I located Andy's Kitchen in Fairfield," smiled Andy. "Being part of a community, sharing special moments, and helping folks make memories, whether its families or businesses gives me a great sense of satisfaction."

Fairfield Republicans

We are a group of like-minded residents living in Harris County Precincts 0111, 0124, and 0405. We will have a booth at the Fairfield Fourth of July Parade. Meetings are monthly on the last Thursday of the month from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. The next two meetings are July 25, 2019 and August 29, 2019. The meeting location is Centralpark Clubhouse, 15015 Heath Green Circle near Salyards Middle School. Our purpose is to meet for relevant information and plan for the 2020 Election including voter registration and get out the vote efforts. We do not have a Precinct Chair in 0111 with boundaries of Mason to Mueschke and Hwy 290 to Little Cypress Creek. If you are interested in being the Chair, please contact us. We have a growing list of Facebook followers. Please join our Facebook page, "Greater Fairfield Republicans" Facebook Group. Also, you may contact Bill Ely, Precinct 0124 Chair at 832-919-4999 for more information.

Fairfield 4-H Club



You may think 4-H is only for your friends with animals, but it's so much more! You can do activities like shooting sports, food science, healthy living, robotics, fishing, fashion, and photography. We are holding an informational meeting on August 19th at 7pm at Good Shepherd United Methodist Church in the Theater. You can begin exploring all that 4-H has to offer by visiting <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/projects/>. If you have any questions please feel free to email Missy Owles at missyowles@gmail.com.

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Nurses Take A Day To Play

by Janet Guthrie

Memorial Herman labor and delivery nurses do more than deliver babies. Even though they admit that it is the highlight of their lives, sometimes they want to take time out to just be friends and have fun.

June 7th was one of those days; they joined the Fairfield Seniors of Cypress on their Day Trip to Fredericksburg.

After traveling through the beautiful "Texas Hill Country," they arrived at Texas Heritage Winery located on Grapetown Rd, outside of Fredericksburg Texas. Heritage, a family operation, focuses on honoring the past and promoting the future, to the extent they even sell a delicious light wine named Lizzie Rose after the owner's great grandmother. After sampling the Lizzie Rose Wine, the nurses were off to have lunch at Andy's Restaurant. Next, they were off to Last Draw Cellars, another family operated vineyard that owns and manages over 500 acres of grapes in the Texas High Plains.

To top off the day, before heading back to Cypress, they visited the Old German Bakery on Main Street and made one last stop at Vogel's Peach Orchard for some fresh peaches and old fashion homemade peach ice cream.

As you can tell from their group shot, they are not seniors, but when Day Trips and Extended Excursions are available on a chartered bus, travelers 21 and up are welcome. The next time you see an advertised trip for Fairfield and the Cypress community, my advice is to jump at the chance, spots fill up fast.



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Lieutenant Rogers

Fairfield Village Community Association presented Lieutenant Rogers and the Harris County Precinct 4 Constables with an award for their appreciation for many years of outstanding dedication and service to the Fairfield Village Community Association.



*Pictured: Left – Lieutenant Lance Rogers,
Right – Sergeant Jose Amaya*

Thank You

Fairfield Village would like to **THANK** Good Shepherd United Methodist Church and Alex Jaquez for allowing Fairfield, once again, to hold Fairfield's Annual Homeowner Meeting on May 16, 2019, in their gymnasium.

THANKS to our Contractors for donating gift cards for the giveaway drawings for homeowners... **THANK YOU!!!**

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IMS Landscape Services– 8 - \$50 American Express Gift Cards

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WINNERS: Dianna Gee – Saltgrass, Nancy Baumann – Saltgrass, Martha Abdullahad – Home Depot and Bill Wilson – Home Depot



Constable Stats

Stats include the Commercial and Residential areas of Fairfield

| | |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Burglary Habitation | 0 |
| Burglary Vehicle | 25 |
| Theft Habitation | 0 |
| Theft Vehicle | 6 |
| Theft Other | 23 |
| Robbery | 0 |
| Assault | 3 |
| Sexual Assault | 0 |
| Criminal Mischief | 7 |
| Disturbance Family | 6 |
| Disturbance Juvenile | 1 |
| Disturbance Other | 37 |
| Alarms | 59 |
| Suspicious Vehicles | 21 |
| Suspicious Persons | 25 |
| Runaway | 0 |
| Phone Harassment | 2 |
| Other Calls | 246 |

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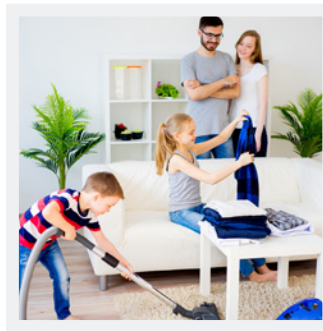
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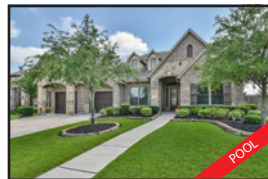
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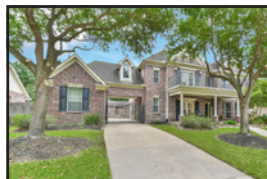
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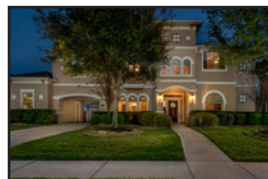
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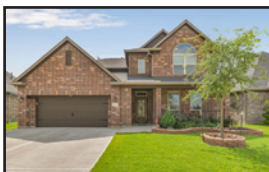
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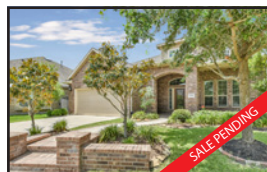
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16714 S Swirling Cloud Court
4/3.5/3, 4320 SqFt, \$475,000



15107 Gingerwood Hills Lane
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|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------|-----|
| | Sold | \$ per SqFt | DOM |
| Baker's Ridge | 5 | \$104.04 | 77 |
| Bluebonnet | 3 | \$105.12 | 133 |
| Blue Meadow | 2 | \$102.21 | 140 |
| Chappell Ridge | 5 | \$95.41 | 179 |
| Estates | 1 | \$105.44 | 134 |
| Garden Grove | 4 | \$95.40 | 35 |
| Glen | 2 | \$120.80 | 6 |
| Inwood Glen | 3 | \$102.84 | 35 |
| Inwood Park | 5 | \$104.52 | 23 |
| Lake Crest (Patio Homes) | 2 | \$122.26 | 16 |
| Lakes | 6 | \$106.81 | 34 |
| Lake Point | 2 | \$130.49 | 112 |
| Crossing/Landing/Reserve | 3 | \$105.42 | 158 |
| Meadows/Park/Retreat | 4 | \$110.35 | 13 |
| Pines | 1 | \$95.64 | 38 |
| Silver Crest | 4 | \$126.43 | 104 |
| Summer Crossing/Ridge | 5 | \$119.70 | 12 |
| Summer Gate | 1 | \$127.53 | 6 |
| Travis Point | 4 | \$112.27 | 23 |
| Tuscan Estates | 1 | \$115.89 | 167 |

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