

COPPERFIELD *Courier*

NEWS FOR THE RESIDENTS OF COPPERFIELD

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CY-FAIR WOMEN'S CLUB

Women Serving the Community

Submitted by Rosie Serrano

Thank you to all our guests who joined us for our April 5th meeting featuring Dr. Hotze. We hope that you join us again soon.

In May we are gearing up for our Amazing Race, finishing up with a Dessert Contest. In June, we look forward to meeting with our scholarship recipients. It is always interesting to see how much they have already accomplished and hearing their exciting plans for the future. July will no doubt bring sizzling weather, so we plan to stay indoors where it's nice and cool. So bring your skills, imagination, as well as your techniques to Craft Night and share your creativity.

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

Membership for 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! 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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LOW INCOME HOUSING COMING TO THE COPPERFIELD AREA

As mentioned in last month's newsletter, there are three proposed low income housing projects coming to the Copperfield area. Please see our web site for details under "News and Events" (CopperfieldCoalition.COM).

Reminder: Comments must be submitted to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs no later than June 1, 2012. You can send your comments via email to: Jean.Latsha@tdhca.state.tx.us or info@tdhca.state.tx.us. Please voice your opinion. It does matter!

The Coalition attended the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs hearing on April 18th at the City Hall Annex City Chambers \ Council Chambers Office. Please view our web site under "News and Events" for details of the hearing.

SPEEDING & RUNNING OF STOP SIGNS

In last month's article, we mentioned that the Copperfield Coalition and the Harris County Sheriff Department have joined forces to tackle the problem of speeding and the running of stop signs. Please view our website for details.

We still need to hear from you. We need your help. Please take our survey if you have not done so already by going to our website (CopperfieldCoalition.COM) and clicking on the Opinion Polls page and answer the questions on the survey titled "Speed Limits and Speed Bumps" (feel free to answer the other polls while you are there).

The Sheriff's Department and the Copperfield Coalition will evaluate the data we gather and develop a strategy. The more information we have the more accurate our results will be. Please voice your opinion. It does matter!

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Crimson Cadette Drill Team DANCE CLINIC

Submitted by Michele Goodson

The Cy-woods Crimson Cadettes Drill Team will host their 7th annual dance clinic for K-12 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on August 8-10. This is a major fund-raiser for the team and enables them to participate in activities throughout the 2012-2013 school year. Please register by July 29th, 2012 to get the Pre-Registration price of \$55 which includes dance technique, specially choreographed routines for each age group, a t-shirt, drinks and snacks each day and a picture for each participant. Showoffs will be held the last day at 11:30 a.m. For more information email goodsonms@comcast.net or check out our website at www.crimsoncadettes.com. On the website, you will find a sign-up form and a link to PayPal for easy payment.

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MONTHLY MEETINGS OPEN TO ALL

The Copperfield Coalition meetings are held on the third Monday of every month from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Copperfield Community Center, 15409 Willow River Drive. Please check

the website for any last minute cancelations and/or changes before attending. Come to one of our meetings and find out what we are all about. If you are interested in protecting the integrity of Copperfield, our lifestyle and our property values, then please join us at one of our meetings.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you are interested in joining the board, being on an advisory committee, or becoming a member of the Copperfield Coalition, then please come to one of our meetings or contact us at Anthony@CopperfieldCoalition.COM. For the betterment of our area... please join us...work with us...become an advocate for Copperfield! Together we can protect and guide Copperfield's progress by adding improvements as needed and taking a stand against decisions that have a negative impact on our community.

Sincerely, The Board of Directors
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LANGHAM CREEK PROJECT PROM – “HOWL ALL NIGHT”

Submitted by Gloria Moore

Did you know that statistics from the National Traffic Safety Administration show that Prom and Graduation nights are the deadliest nights for our youth? Midnight to 3:00 am is the most dangerous time period. Because of the tragedies that produced these statistics, Project Prom was created!



On May 4th 2012 the Langham Creek High School seniors will be celebrating their prom! The parents of the Class of 2012 began working in May 2011 to raise funds needed to provide over 600 young adults with a drug-free and alcohol

free lock in event, known as PROJECT PROM, which will be held at Dave and Busters immediately after prom until 5:00 am.

This Senior Finale would not have been possible without our tremendous community support, from our business and family sponsors and all of our volunteers that donated their time and effort. Thank you for making this a successful event!

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Langham Creek Cheerleaders

Submitted by Karen White

The 2011-2012 Langham Creek Cheerleaders had one final duty to perform before wrapping up a fantastic season. They put on a pep rally for the 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders of Hemmenway Elementary on March 23, 2012. The girls cheered the students to wish them success on the new STAAR test taken March 26/27. Thank you, girls, for your continued dedication to our community.

Now, the Langham Creek Cheerleaders proudly announce the squad for 2012-2013:

The Varsity cheerleaders are: Madison Baldwin, Erin Carlin, Madison Coburn, Alexia Demarchos, Nikki Demarchos, Avery Foshee, Sierra Goy, Taylor Johnson, Hunter Matlega, Ashley McAbee, Cheryl Montgomery, Alex Moreno, Amber Perkins, Alana Ray, Cassidy Suchon, Payton Suchon, Antonia Tyson, and Kayla White.

The Junior Varsity cheerleaders are: Christina Baltazar, Rachel Cuccia, Emilie Dangel, Sidnie Dangel, Danielle Garcia, Emma Holroyd, Paige McGrath, Tiarra McWilliams, Samantha Mick, and Ellen Seidel.

Returning as the incomparable Varsity Larry the Lobo is Josh Attra.

And we are thrilled to welcome Taylor Polanco as our new Junior Varsity mascot.

The new squad already has plenty on the calendar. Practices started Monday, April 9th. They had their annual "getting to know you" picnic on Sunday, April 29th and their first fundraiser, the annual carwash, will be held Saturday, May 12th, from 10 am – 12 pm at Fuddruckers on Highway 6. Come on out and show your support for the Lobo cheer squad that does so much to support Langham Creek High School and our community.

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Cypress Assistance Ministries

Submitted by Kelly Thomas

Cypress Assistance Ministries offers year round adult education classes for students 19 years old or older. GED preparation classes are on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 6:00-9:00 pm, and ESL classes are on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 6:00-9:00 pm. Our summer term begins the week of June 4 and ends the week of August 16. There will be a GED registration for the summer term at 6:00 pm on Wednesday, May 16, 2012, and an ESL registration at 6:00 on Thursday, May 17, 2012. Students should report to CAM II, located at 11107 Huffmeister with a government issued ID and \$40 in cash for a materials fee. Plan to stay for registration and testing. Come early as space is limited.

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Cy Fair Republican Women May Meeting

Submitted by Stephanie Peters



Senator Dan Patrick has been called to Austin on our meeting day. Senator Glenn Hegar will be speaking. Please see new notice below

The Cy-Fair Republican Women's monthly meeting will be held at 10:30am on Tuesday, May 8 at Carraba's Italian Grill in Copperfield. This month's presentation will feature Senator Glenn Hegar of Texas Senate District 18. His presentation will include information on current issues that affect the Houston and Cy-Fair areas. May is also our annual membership drive month! Dues are pro-rated for the year and are less than \$20!

Please join us for an informative meeting! You can join us for lunch for \$15, or just come and listen, have coffee or tea for \$3. Visit the Cy-Fair Republican Women's website at www.cfrw.net to RSVP and reserve your seat

today. The Cy-Fair Republican Women meet every second Tuesday of the month at Carraba's Copperfield. Social begins at 10:30am, speaker and meeting begin at 11:00am. For more information and to RSVP to meetings, visit our website at www.cfrw.net

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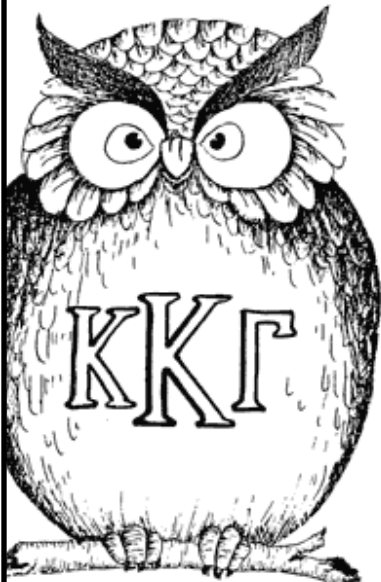
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Membership is open to persons of good character who adhere to the standards of good conduct in their community and believe in and subscribe to the objects of Kiwanis International. If you would like to know more about Kiwanis and the programs it promotes, we invite you to be our guest at one of our monthly meetings. 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 or George Crowl at 832-467-1998.

Girl Scouts - Exploring Careers

Submitted by Melinda Riso

Girl Scout Brownie and Juniors from Birkes Elementary visit the dental office of Dr. Kathleen Black DDS. They had the opportunity to learn, first hand, the education requirements for the career path of a dentist. They also learned about the steps she took to becoming a business owner. Exploring careers and visiting professionals in the community are one of the activities required to earn the Career badge. Calling all Leaders and Co Leaders to join us at our next Service Unit Meeting May 8th at 7:00 at Lowery Cafeteria. Leaders - Early Bird registration for your troop members is available online through www.gssjc.org. Also, the troop financial reports are due to the service unit treasurer this month.



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The Rotary Club of Cypress-Fairbanks Hosts Mothers' Day Brisket Sale to Benefit Cypress Assistance Ministries New Mothers' Fund

The Rotary Club of Cypress-Fairbanks is hosting a Mothers' Day Brisket Sale on Saturday, May 12, 2012 to benefit Cypress Assistance Ministries' New Mothers' Fund. For a \$50.00 donation, participants will receive a fully cooked brisket (approximately 7 lbs) prepared, seasoned, and smoked by the cooks at Carl's Bar-B-Que, including a pint of their delicious barbecue sauce.

Cypress Assistance Ministries' New Mothers' Fund is designated to provide special needs funding to help new mothers with basic needs including pre-natal vitamins, layette supplies, cribs and mattresses, over-the-counter infant medicine, infant car seats and critical medical assistance. "We are proud to partner with Carl's Bar-B-Que to support such a worthy community initiative" said Rotary Project Director, Ray Young. "The community can order briskets for themselves or designate a local charitable organization such as Boys & Girls Country, Cypress Assistance Ministries, or the Northwest Houston Salvation Army as a recipient."

Briskets must be pre-ordered by Monday, May 7th and may be picked up at Carl's Bar-B-Que from 10:00 am until noon on Saturday, May 12th. For those unable to pick their brisket up at that time, arrangements can be made to pick up at a more convenient time. Order forms are available by contacting Ray Young at dry@waterengineers.com or 713-582-7564.

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SUPER BOWL OF CARING

Submitted by Kim Baker

Junior Girl Scout Troop 16239 and Cadette Girl Scout Troop 16137 participated in Kroger's Super Bowl of Caring program where they sold bags filled with non-perishable food items that were donated to the Houston Food Bank. They sold over \$1300 in food to help feed those in need.





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