

# The LONGWOOD Letter

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News For The Residents of Longwood

## WELCOME TO LONGWOOD LETTER

*A Newsletter  
for the Longwood  
Community*

The Longwood Letter is a monthly newsletter mailed to all Longwood 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](http://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

Call in all Cookers for this Kettle BBQ competition. We are enrolling grill teams. Your only qualification is to be a happy 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 cooking, be a part of the crowd to taste and vote for your favorite 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 Pitcher 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](http://www.langhamcreekace.com)

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

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## Kids' Running Team's Cross Country Season Starts September 8th

The Northwest Flyers Track Club Youth Cross-Country Team kicks off the fall season with registration and a mandatory orientation for parents and athletes on Tuesday, September 8, 2015, at 7:00 p.m. at Cypress Creek High School, 9815 Grant Rd., Houston. Registration starts online September 1 at [www.northwestflyers.org](http://www.northwestflyers.org). Practices are held at the Cypress Creek YMCA and Spring Creek Park in Tomball.

The Northwest Flyers Track Club is a member program of USA Track and Field (USATF), the national governing body for track and cross country. The club is in its 28th year in the northwest Houston area. Ages 6 - 18 may participate in the team, and both beginners and experienced runners are welcome. Middle school and high school cross country athletes can also register, but should compete after their cross country season is over.

For more information Contact Coach Eric Wentworth at [emw185@gmail.com](mailto:emw185@gmail.com), 281-961-6603, or Coach Donnell Carter at [dcarter.nwflyers@yahoo.com](mailto:dcarter.nwflyers@yahoo.com), 281-467-4727. Email Coach Carter to get on the email list and you will receive a free running training video. Visit [www.northwestflyers.org](http://www.northwestflyers.org) to get updates and learn more about the team.

## 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, April 17, 2015 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.cypresssprngs.ffaow.org](http://www.cypresssprngs.ffaow.org) or contact Lisa Rocha by phone at 832-692-6004 or email at [cy\\_springsffa@yahoo.com](mailto:cy_springsffa@yahoo.com).



## Pet of the Month

Georgia is a sweet sweet Chihuahua mix of some sort. She was saved from a high kill shelter while she was pregnant. She had her puppies under our care and now they are all adopted and Mom is ready to find a forever home now too! She is approx 2.5 years old and 15 lbs. She is a darling little girl and we would love for her to find a forever home! [animalrescuekingdom@gmail.com](mailto:animalrescuekingdom@gmail.com)  
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## 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 event 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 to the Girl Scout of San Jacinto website at [www.gssjc.org](http://www.gssjc.org) and click on "Join Today." For more information, please contact your community volunteer, Traci Davidson, at [brantleigh21@sbcglobal.net](mailto:brantleigh21@sbcglobal.net). We are looking forward to another great year in the Cypress area and hope you can join in on the fun!

## First Baptist Church of Cypress

*Jesus said, "Come to me ... and I will give you rest."*

### Sundays:

Bible Study: 9:30am

Traditional worship: 10:45am

### Wednesdays:

Dinner: 6:00pm, Worship,  
prayer, & Bible Study: 6:30pm

### 2nd Sunday nights:

Bible study & Ice cream  
at 5:00pm

### Thursdays:

Men's coffee, & Bible  
Study: 9-10:00am

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## “Standing Out from the Crowd”

Luncheon Details

Thursday, September 24, 2015

Networking 11 a.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

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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](http://www.CYFEN.org).

About American Business Women's Association (ABWA)

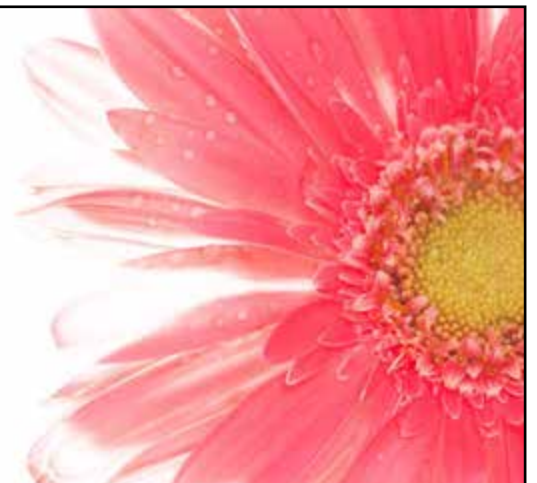
Founded in 1949, ABWA provides business training and networking opportunities for women of diverse occupations and backgrounds. ABWA has dedicated 60 years to women's education, workplace skills and career development training. For more information, visit, [www.abwa.org](http://www.abwa.org).



**Sunday Service at 10:45 AM**  
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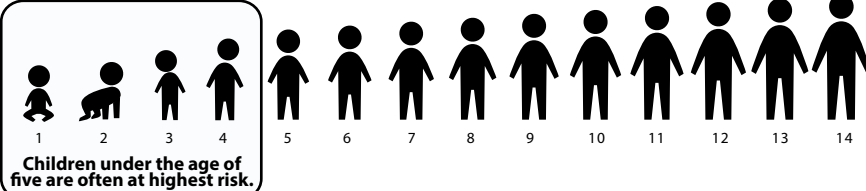
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## 56 Texas children have already lost their lives to drowning in 2015

### DROWNING IS PREVENTABLE

## KIWANIS CLUB OF CY-FAIR HOUSTON

### YOU

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](http://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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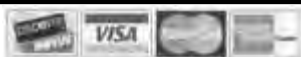
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