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Do you take great photos?

Do you take great photos? Would you like to see your photo published? We are looking for great cover photos for upcoming issues of the Fairfield Gazette. Our deadline for submittals is always the 9th of the month prior to the issue. All photos should be submitted electronically by the deadline date in high resolution (300 dpi) to fairfield@peelinc.com. Portrait (vertical) photos work best. Photo's taken with digital cameras work best. Photos taken with iPhones may not be high enough quality.

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The Fairfield Community Gazette is mailed monthly to all Fairfield 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 fairfieldgazette@peelinc.com. The deadline is the 9th of the month prior to the issue.

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Merry Christmas from Fairfield Women's Club

Fairfield Women's Club would like to give you a gift this year.

We invite you to become a part of a group that calls itself

"The Heart of Fairfield". This Club was started as a way to enrich our community. These are some of the ways we are doing that: Family Centered Free Movie Nights (twice a year, weather permitting), Graduation Tea for graduating Senior girls and their mothers, Fourth of July Parade, two Community Garage Sales, February Blood Drive, and Kid and Adult Triathlon.

Fairfield WC not only sponsors these events but also makes donations to the following..... Fairfield Volunteer Fire Station, CAM, Cy-Ranch Key Club, Boys and Girls Country, Keith Elementary, Ault Elementary, Swenke Elementary, Salyards Middle School, Cy-Ranch High School, Phreds Place, Gulf Coast Lupis Foundation, OMS Life and Research, Team Tiara.

We all have busy lives. Fairfield Women's Club offers you a chance to MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN OUR COMMUNITY with very little effort. One way to ensure Fairfield continues to be the warm community that we call home is to figure out how you can invest some of your time to keep these activities going.

We are looking to grow our club with women of all ages in Fairfield

and Lakes of Fairhaven. The membership is only \$30 a year. Our monthly meetings are 7-9 pm, the third Tuesday of each month. We start with a lovely meal and then have an activity or guest presenter. There is always lots of laughter, good food and a sense of friendship at each meeting.

Please plan on seeing what Fairfield Women's Club is all about. Mark your calendars for 2016 and Let FAIRFIELD WOMEN'S CLUB give you a gift that, "keeps on giving".

Upcoming Events:

Jan 19 Meeting

Feb 13 Blood Drive

Feb 16 Meeting

March 15 Meeting

April 19 Meeting

May 10 FWC Banquet

Spring Garage Sale date TBD

Spring Movie Night date TBD

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The Seniors of Fairfield are an active, fifty plus, fun-loving group of couples and singles who enjoy fellowship, monthly trips, and various 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. Come and be a part of our fun-loving group. We're sure you will enjoy it.

OUR HISTORY: Over these past ten plus years we've taken over a hundred trips. The Fairfield Gazette's web site has back issues available from September, 2004. In order to go back to our beginning, we must thank Kelly Peel of Peel Inc. for locating all our articles from their archives and sending them to us. We now have every article submitted, which enabled us to put together Our History and a complete listing of all our trips. Just go to Our History in our weekly email to read about our beginning and all the trips we've taken. You can get the complete listing at... <http://home.comcast.net/~seniorgroup/History.htm>

OUR DECEMBER BUS TRIP PLANS ARE FOR:

Sunday, December 6 will be a trip to the Crighton Theater in Conroe, Texas.

Our December 6, 2015 bus trip is scheduled to put you in the Holiday Spirit with a 2 pm Sunday Afternoon Matinee performance of the theatre production "Christmas Belles". This Southern comedy is a hilarious journey through a misadventure-filled Christmas Eve, guaranteed to bring Joy to your world! This production is at the Crighton Theatre in Conroe, Texas.

Note: We will be dining after the play at a local favorite, the Vernons Kuntry Katfish in Conroe. The restaurant is family owned and operated, with home-style cooking; all the menu choices are cooked to order and made fresh every day. The large menu features many southern favorites, with a nice choice of non-fish entrées as well as their famous Katfish and seafood specialties. Restaurant allows individual tabs, and does not take checks for payment.

At this time the trip is completely booked. However, you can check to see if any cancellations have occurred by calling or emailing either...

DebJarnette at 832-220-6155, email to debslib@hotmail.com. Or Pam Lewis at 281-746-743, email to: pam.j.lewis@att.net

We will depart: from the Fairfield Baptist Church, located at 27240 Highway 290. There is also convenient entrance off Cypresswood Drive. We will depart promptly at 12:15 p.m. please be there by 12:00 p.m.

OUR JANUARY BUS TRIP PLANS ARE FOR:

Thursday, January 28 will be a trip to La Grange, Texas.

The town of La Grange, Texas, became world renown as the site of "The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas", a true life story made famous by the hit Broadway Musical Show and later movie production starring Dolly Parton and Burt Reynolds. The town has also been immortalized in ZZ Top's hit song, "La Grange" which is rumored to have been written upon hearing of the shutdown of said "House of Ill-repute". But still, there is more to La Grange, Texas, than that ole "Chicken Ranch"!

The Fairfield Fifty Plus Senior's will have a fun-filled time learning more about the history of this Fayette County town. A Step-on tour guide will be directing our sight-seeing and giving us "the scoop" on the area. Before the tour begins, we will stop for the prize winning kolaches at Weikels Bakery and Store. At tour end, we will lunch at FH's Brisket and Brew Restaurant. Bring your Credit Cards, because there may be some time for a little shopping after lunch!

Before the bus turns for home we will stop at the Rohan Meadery, where those who desire, may sample several of the different honey-wines. There will be an additional cost for the tasting, so please specify that you will want to do this on sign up so we can give Meadery's a head count for the tasting.

The cost of this trip is \$12.00, plus cost of lunch at FH's Brisket and Brew Restaurant, Mead tasting cost and kolaches at Weikels Bakery. Payment for this trip is due by January 16th.

To sign up for this trip please look for the sign-up sheet at any of our Fairfield Fifty Plus Club activities or you may call or email: Deb DeJarnette: at 832-220-6155, debslib@hotmail.com When emailing sign-up requests, please remember to add your phone number(s), addresses, and the name and phone number for your emergency contact person for the day of the trip.

Checks are to be made out to: Fairfield 50 Plus.

Checks can be given to: Deb DeJarnette or Pam Lewis.

They can also be mailed to Deb DeJarnette at 20630 Tulip Blossom Court, Cypress, Texas 77433.

We will depart: from the Fairfield Baptist Church, located at 27240 Highway 290. Please park in the southeast parking area, by the fence bordering the storage business. There is also convenient entrance off Cypresswood Drive. We will depart promptly at 8:00 a.m. please be there by 7:45 a.m.

Be sure to read the weekly e-newsletter that comes out each week so that you can sign-up for our trips as soon as they are announced. These trips fill up fast and a limited amount of seats on the bus. If you are not on our email list, just email: wmcook@comcast.net or wmcook@fairfieldfiftyplus.com to indicate you would like to be added our e-mailing list.

Save the dates for the Thursday, Feb 11th bus trip (hopefully, a theatre trip), and Monday, March 21st, with our favorite tour guide "Larry" to Austin area! If you are interested in helping with planning trips, or have an idea for a future trip, please talk to Deb DeJarnette or Pam Lewis, we would appreciate any help with these endeavors.

OUR DECEMBER ACTIVITIES PLANS:

Thursday, December 10: It's our annual gift exchange pot luck.

The pot luck starts at 6:30 p. m. at the Lakeside Trails Club House. Plan on being there early, the doors open around 6:00 p.m.

Note: The club will be providing Turkey and Ham for the Christmas Pot Luck we just need to bring the side dishes and desserts.

Our Annual Gift Exchange Rules & Procedures:

For the annual gift exchange pot luck, everyone brings a gift (around \$15.00). Ladies bring a woman's gift and the men bring a man's gift. Then after our meal, everyone will receive a number. The first person whose number is called will select a gift from their gender's gifts. They then open the gift and show it to everyone. When the next number is called, that person has a choice to either select a gift from their unopened gender gifts or take one from someone.

Note: A gift can only be only taken twice. If the gift you had previously selected is taken, you will then have a choice, to either select a new gift or take one from someone else. This continues until everyone has a gift. It's really an exciting and enjoyable evening.

Tuesday, December 15: Game Night at the Cooks' House.

It starts around 6:30 p.m. Just bring a snack and a healthy appetite. This is always a fun evening with great fellowship. The directions are in the Activity page on our website and will also be in our December 13, weekly e-newsletter.

Thursday, December 24: No Game Night at Lakeside Trails Club House.

Have a very MERRY CHRISTMAS

OUR FUN-LOVERS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER:

An event reminder. It is emailed each week to our members and others who have requested it. It provides updated information on any changes from what appears here in the Gazette. We also include member birthdays and prayer requests, other news and items of interest, and links to all our web pages. If you would like to receive our weekly newsletter, send your email address, to seniorgroup@comcast.net

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS: The NWHC Aggie Moms club raises money throughout the year to fund scholarships to students from our local community. Eligible students should check our website for details www.nwhcaggiemoms.org. The deadline for submissions is February 2, 2016.

SAVE THE DATE!

Don't miss the Annual China Luncheon and Style Show on Saturday, February 20, 2016 from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Shirley Acres located at 217 Woerner Rd., Spring, Texas. Get your ticket(s) at one of our monthly meetings or visit our website. For more information contact Tami Denault at tamidenault@sbcglobal.net

Library Friends' Sale Offers Bargains

The Friends of the Fairbanks Public Library will be hosting a "Books, Etc., Sale" on Saturday, December 5, from 10 am-3 pm.

The Friends of the Library sell books for less than online bookstores, with no shipping charges or sales taxes! It's a great opportunity to buy inexpensive gifts or stock up on books to read during the dark days of winter. In addition, all proceeds help provide funding for library programs and materials.

Many of the books offered by the Friends of the Library look brand new. They have an excellent selection of hardback bestsellers, as well as paperbacks, cookbooks, romance, mystery, science fiction, fantasy, children's books, young adult books, and other items. There are even some music CDs and some movies!

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Shalom Cypress Hebrew School is now open for enrollment for the Spring 2016 year. This upcoming year Morah Rina is going to concentrate on conversational Hebrew with the children. Bar/Bat Mitzvah programs are also available.

A special Mazel Tov to Jordan Loeb on her Bat Mitzvah! She did a wonderful job reading from the Torah. Our community is very proud of her.

For this upcoming month, please see our below upcoming event schedule for this month:

December 11th & December 12th

Services will be held Friday evening and Saturday morning. Rabbi Rami will lead the services. Each service is followed by dinner & lunch respectively.

December 12th - Hanukkah Celebration

Traditional songs, dreidels, lots of latkes, and more fun. Don't forget to bring your own Menorah and candles so we can all light them together!

December 3rd, 10th, and 17th

Our weekly coffee night is held each Thursday night. Rabbi Wolbe and Rabbi Goldstein take turns in leading our discussions.

Shalom Cypress has many ongoing & active programs for people of all ages. Please visit our website at www.shalomcypress.org, e-mail us at info@shalomcypress.org, or call Ben Federman at 832-795-2002 to find out more details about the upcoming events.



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Christmas Eve Candlelight Services

December 24 at 4:00 & 5:30 pm

Join us as we remember the Christmas Story. Our services will also include Christmas music, a challenging message and candlelight.

FAIRFIELD PHOTOS

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1. Please Welcome New Fairfield Baby Mathew Hyba!

2. Congratulations to the 2015 Freshman Bears Cheerleaders! The Bears won 2nd place for their dance routine and 3rd place for their cheer routine at the 2015 Cy-Fair Sports Cheer Offs. Hard work pays off! Way to go Bears!

3. Sophomore Bear Cheerleaders

We are just so proud of our girls and all of the hard work they have put in. They took 1st in their dance and 2nd in their chant!! Aren't they cute!! Our head football coach Ken Payne and several football players came to support us.





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Fairfield Sports Association

2016 SPRING BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL

BASEBALL

- Instructional T-Ball (Boys and Girls)– Player must have reached age 4 by 4/30/16
- A – Player must be 6 or younger on 4/30/16
- AA7 – Player must be 7 or younger on 4/30/16
- AA8 – Player must be 8 or younger on 4/30/16
- AAA 9 – Player must be 9 or younger on 4/30/16
- AAA 10 - Player must be 10 or younger on 4/30/16
- Majors – Player must be 12 or younger on 4/30/16
- Majors - 13yrs old Players must be 13 or younger on 4/30/16

SOFTBALL

Age Cutoff has changed to 1/1. This year will be grandfathered by request ONLY.

- 6U Sweetees (Tee Ball) – Player must be 6 or younger on 1/1/16
 - 8U Darlings (coach pitch) – Player must be 8 or younger on 1/1/16
 - 10U Angels (kid pitch) - Player must be 10 or younger on 1/1/16
 - 12U Ponytails (kid pitch) - Player must be 12 or younger on 1/1/16
- Ponytails division may have a partnership with Katy Girls Softball Association. Some games may be played at:

Paul D. Rushing Park
9114 Katy Hockley Road
Cypress, Texas 77493

PLEASE NOTE: THERE IS NOW A FAIRFIELD RESIDENT ONLY SIGNUP WINDOW

Our league has grown in size and we must allow an opportunity for residents to sign up before non residents. Once the window is closed registration is on a "first come first serve" basis.

All dates are tentative and subject to change!

CALENDAR:

NOV 28, 2015 - DEC 4, 2015

Registration for Fairfield Residents ONLY

DEC 4, 2015 - JAN 3, 2016

OPEN registration at: www.fairfieldsports.sportssignup.com

JAN 3, 2016th

Registration CLOSES. Refunds will NOT be given after this date.

Week of January 11 – 15th

Coaches Meetings

January 23rd

Tryouts for all baseball divisions except T-ball (no tryouts for t-ball)

January 30th

Tryouts for all softball divisions except T-ball (no tryouts for t-ball)

March 1st - Games begin

March 4th - All sponsorship money DUE.

March 5th - Opening Day Parade and Festivities

March 11th - 20th - No Games: CFISD Spring Break

March 24th - 27th - No Games: Easter Holiday

May 23rd - Tournament scheduled to begin (dependent upon weather)

June 10th - All Star Weekend

WAITLISTS:

As divisions approach our maximum capacity of registrations, we sometimes need to utilize waitlists in order to ensure that we have appropriate numbers for each team. We also do this to backfill any cancellations. If you receive a note that you have been placed on a waitlist, it does NOT necessarily mean you won't be able to play. However, as we approach the close of registration the possibility of being shut out increases as we reach capacity numbers. Some divisions will be limited due to space and once a division is full, we cannot accept any more registrations.

LATE REGISTRATION:

There will be NO LATE REGISTRATION. Unfortunately, our size has dictated a more strict approach to registration cut-off in order to handle all of the administrative duties and preparation necessary to start the season.

GETTING INVOLVED:

Lastly, I would like to invite everyone to find a way to take part in your sports association. FSA is a volunteer organization and could use your help to provide the best facilities around. There are jobs ranging from helping with try-outs, opening day help, field maintenance, and concessions duty. We hope you familiarize yourself with the Baseball and Softball Committees via our website and reach out to committee members to see how you can help. Three areas needing the most help are baseball committee, nightly field maintenance and concessions. These are opportunities to not only get involved and meet great people, but most of all contribute to making Fairfield one of the best places around for our kids to play sports!!!

On behalf of the Fairfield Sports Association and the Baseball/Softball committee members, I would like to thank you for all your support.



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Toys for Tots Drop off Location

O'Hara and Company will be collecting new, unwrapped Toys starting November 2, 2015. Drop off Times will be Monday-Friday 9:00am-4:00pm.

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F O U N D A T I O N

Fairfield Athletic Club News

Please visit our NEW website at www.fairfieldathleticclub.com

If you just moved to the neighborhood be sure to come by the Fairfield Athletic Club anytime we are open to get your membership cards. Our hours are Mon -Thurs 5am-10pm, Fri 5am-8pm, Sat 7am-8pm and Sun 1pm-8pm. Be sure to bring proof of residency (HUD Statement from closing or your current driver's license with your Fairfield address). Membership cards are needed to get into the weight room, basketball gym, tennis courts, pools and splash pads.

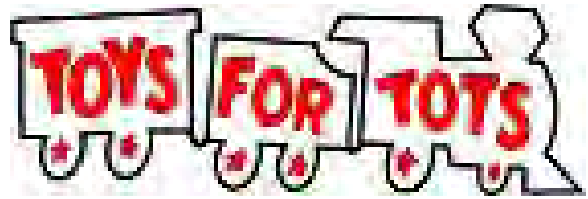
Lap Swimming at the FAC Pool

The pool heater has been turned on for lap swimming at the FAC Pool. Please check out the lap swimming schedule at the FAC if you are interested.



FAC Tennis News

Looking to play tennis in the Spring? We have men's groups, women's leagues, and new junior classes starting in January. For any tennis inquiries, please email Alex Montes at fac_inhouse@live.com.



The Fairfield Athletic Club is an official donation drop off center. Please drop off your unwrapped toys until December 18th



Fairfield Kids Club Before & After School Care

Come in and see why the kids at Fairfield Kids Club are having so much fun? Pictured below are the winners of our Halloween "guess the pumpkin's weight" contest!! If you would like more information about any of our programs, please contact Darlene Sedelmyer, Director of Child Care at 281.373.0834.

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6th Annual Houston Methodist Cy-Hoops Invitational

The Houston Methodist Cy-Hoops Invitational will be here before we know it: December 10, 11 & 12, 2015. The championship game will be played at 4:00 p.m. Saturday, December 12, 2015 at the Berry Center.

The Cy-Fair Educational Foundation is excited to announce that Houston Methodist has signed on as the named partner for the tournament through a multi-year agreement with Houston Methodist Willowbrook Hospital and Houston Methodist West Hospital. The Foundation's goal is to create a premier high school basketball tournament that engages the community, promotes the sport of basketball, fosters community spirit, and raises funds for student scholarships and staff development grants to Cypress-Fairbanks ISD.

Sponsorships are available.

Please visit our website at www.TheCFEF.org or contact marie@thecfef.org

The Houston Methodist Cy-Hoops Invitational was established six years ago. The tournament is loaded with talent including some of the top teams in the state of Texas and showcases the 10

Cy-Fair ISD boys' varsity basketball teams. Last year's tournament champion, Beaumont Ozen, was the state runner up for the 5A Classification and the 2013 tournament champion, Galena Park North Shore, was state champion for the 6A Classification.

Join the community in cheering on our teams at the Berry Center, Cy-Fair High School, Langham Creek High School and Cy-Woods High School Thursday thru Saturday, December 10-12, 2015. Game times will be posted after Thanksgiving.



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Sports Section

Northwest Flyers Youth Track Club Free Registration Breakfast

The Northwest Flyers Youth Track Club will celebrate its 29th Anniversary Season by hosting its annual free Registration/Orientation Breakfast on Saturday, February 6th, 2016. The breakfast starts promptly at 8:30 AM at the Cypress Creek Christian Community Center Forum, 6823 Cypresswood Dr., Spring, TX, 77379.

All boys and girls who wish to join the team for the 2016 spring/summer track season must attend the orientation, which will be highlighted by a special presentation from a member of the USA Track & Field Olympic organization (USATF).

The Northwest Flyers Track Club is a youth (ages 6 -18) track club, affiliated with USATF, that provides a full program of sanctioned "track" events such as sprints, hurdles, middle distance, distance and relays, and "field" events such as long jump, triple jump, high jump, pole vault, shot put, discus and javelin.

For additional information on the Northwest Flyers Track Club, please visit the team website at <http://www.northwestflyers.org>; contact Linette Roach at linette.roach@sbcglobal.net; or "Like" the club on Facebook.



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TENNIS TIPS

*By USPTA/PTR Master Professional
Fernando Velasco
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Grey Rock Tennis Club, Austin, TX*



HOW TO EXECUTE THE FOREHAND VOLLEY

In previous newsletters, I offered tips on how to hit a forehand groundstroke, a two-handed backhand and a one-handed backhand. In this issue, I will give you instructions on how to execute a forehand volley for a right hander. This stroke is used whenever the player is forced to hit a ball in the air. In these pictures Grey Rock Tennis Club player, Camille Palafox, demonstrates the proper form and technique. Photos by her husband Charlie Palafox.

Step 1: Ready Position: The body is facing the net. The right hand is holding the end of the racket in a forehand grip position and the left hand is next to the right hand. The left hand is holding the racket slightly tighter than the right hand. Feet are a shoulder width apart and the body is in equal balance. For beginners it is okay to use the forehand and backhand grips for the forehand and backhand volleys. As the player gets stronger and the balls come at a faster speed, it will be best to use the continental grip for both volleys.

Step 2: Back Swing: Since the volley is usually executed when a player is close to the net and there is very little time to react to the incoming ball, the back swing is very short. The right arm should

take a short turn and the head of the racket should align to the flight of the ball. The right wrist should be “cocked” back slightly and the head of the racket should be above the wrist. Eyes are still focused on the incoming ball. Here I am helping Camille to feel the hand on the racket to tilt back and still keep the head of the racket above her wrist.

Step 3: Point of Contact: The right foot is now taking a step forward and the racket is making contact with the ball. It is important to keep the left shoulder closed and not rotate the right hip too early. Flexing the right knee will allow more flexibility to find the proper point of contact and give power to the ball.

Step 4: Follow Through: Once the racket has made contact with the ball, the follow through is very short to allow the player to immediately get back to the ready position. The left arm should be close to the body.

Look for in the next Newsletter: The Two-Handed Backhand Volley

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Burglary Vehicle:	21
Theft Habitation:	1
Theft Vehicle:	2
Theft Other:	16
Robbery:	0
Assault:	4
Sexual Assault:	1
Criminal Mischief:	1
Disturbance Family:	7
Disturbance Juvenile:	2
Disturbance Other:	28
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Keith Elementary Annual Sock Hop – Thanks!!

Keith Elementary held their annual Sock Hop on Friday, October 23rd.

We would like to share our gratitude to our sponsors for helping us put on this fun, family event in support of our school, students and teachers.

Diamond Level Sponsor – HEB Fairfield; Platinum Level Sponsor – Cypress Fairhaven Animal Hospital; Gold Level Sponsors – Geometris & Kiran Desai, Pediatric Dental Specialists; Silver Level Sponsor – Knapp Chevrolet.

Due to their support and many others, our event was tons of fun and a huge success! Keith ES earned over \$27,000.00 from this event for classroom and technology needs. We would also like to thank our families and community members for their generous donations for the Silent Auction, the Auction Baskets, the Cake & Candy Walks and their time. Thank you also to the Cy-Ranch Key Club for their time and labor. We cannot express enough how much we appreciate your participation in this event – it would not be as successful as it is without you!! Thank you all for your support!

Cypress Ranch Key Club

Submitted by Emily Yang

Key Club is an international student led organization which provides its members with the opportunity to provide service, build character and develop leadership. Members participate in a variety of service projects that showcase our passion for volunteering and our appreciation to those who help make our community (and world) a better place. In the month of October, Cy-Ranch's Key Club conducted a service project for the U.S. military. All the members made cards for the service men and women who were stationed overseas, and we expressed our gratitude, appreciation and respect for everything they do to help keep our nation safe. Every month, Cy-Ranch's key club focuses on one service project to help one aspect of our community. We want to make the world a better place and we know that volunteering-giving back to our community-is the way to do it.



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NUTTY FOR SERVICE

By Jordan Miller, Editor of Cypress Woods Key Club

Four-hundred and forty seven jars of peanut butter were donated by the Cypress Woods High School Key Club to CAM, a food pantry run by Cypress Assistance Ministries. How did one school raise over 400 jars of peanut butter in three weeks? Old-Fashioned competition.

The Cypress Woods High School football team was about to play Cypress Fair at the Berry Center when Key Club secretary Sharon Zhou thought of the idea to compete with Fair in a Peanut Butter and Jelly War, a competition to see who could raise the largest amount of peanut butter or jelly by October 30th. Zhou decided to contact the co-presidents of Cypress Fair Key Club in order to get the competition started as fast as possible for the maximum amount of jars to be collected. If students kept riding on the momentum from the upcoming football game, they would continue to donate peanut butter. The co-presidents agreed to this 'Peanut Butter and Jelly War' and so the Cy Woods Key Club got to work.

Zhou and her committee who had planned this event got together and made posters to put up all around Cy Woods. They stationed

boxes near the entrance of the school with decorative flyers stating what the boxes were for and the specifics of donating the peanut butter. Zhou decided that two jars would equal one donation hour, then the jars came flooding in. The week of the deadline, over 180 jars were collected in just three days, which went to show how dedicated these Key Clubbers were in the spirit of competition.

Once the 'war' was over, Zhou enlisted the help of other Key Clubbers to help count the jars and stack them up in school administrator Dirk Heath's room. When Heath walked into the room and saw the towers of peanut butter, he remarked on the dedication of Key Club and posed for a picture with all the Clubbers who had made it possible.

The 'Peanut Butter and Jelly War' was an extremely successful venture, and the club plans on doing another like it in the spring- possibly with candy for Valentine's Day. The competitive service event helped two clubs build stronger relationships while also serving their community- the key tenant that Key Club is based on.



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8TH Annual Salute to Our Heroes Gala

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Gerald Coffee is the guest speaker. Coffee served our country as a naval officer for 28 years; much of that service was as one of the longest held prisoners of war in the communist prisons of North Vietnam. His military decorations include the Silver Star, the Distinguished Flying Cross, two Bronze Stars, the Air Medal, two Purple Hearts, and the Vietnam Service Medal with 13 stars.

Salute to Our Heroes has raised more than half a million dollars over the past seven years. Proceeds from this event have funded three

endowed scholarships.

CFEF was established in 1970 as a non-profit to raise money to fund a scholarship for high school graduates in the area. Over the past 45 years, the Foundation has grown tremendously through the efforts of the Board of Trustees and the generosity of the Cy-Fair Community. The Foundation has awarded more than \$6 million in scholarships to 1300 graduating seniors. CFEF is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, all contributions are tax deductible, as allowed by the law.

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Holiday Luncheon and Gift Exchange Event

Luncheon Details

Thursday, December 17, 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

At the December 17 Cy-Fair Express Network Luncheon, attendees will enjoy a joyous celebration during the annual Holiday Luncheon and Gift Exchange Event. As always, guests are welcome and encouraged to join in and network. Join us and be a part of the fun.

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 over 50 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.

KIWANIS CLUB OF CY-FAIR HOUSTON

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.

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 November 3, 10, 17

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.

Key Clubs: The Cy-Fair Kiwanis Club sponsors all of the Key Clubs in the Cy-Fair Independent School District. It's primary service project is the sponsorship of these Clubs. The Cy-Ranch Key Club is the largest Key Club in the world. We are proud of all these clubs and support them in their worthwhile service activities. You can enjoy the pleasure of being a part of this service through membership in Cy-Fair Kiwanis Club.

Fellowship: 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 by participating 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 Crawl (Jersey Village area) at 832-467-1998; or Peggy Presnell (Fairfield and CyRanch) at 281-304-7127.

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Cypress Texas Tea Party

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Come early and grab lunch during the meeting.
Next meeting dates and Confirmed Speakers:
Saturday, December 19, 2015 NOON - 2:00 PM
- Judge Mary Lou Keel, Candidate for Texas Court of
Criminal Appeals
Saturday, January 9, 2016 NOON - 2:00 PM
- Bert Langdon, Convention of the States
Saturday, January 30, 2016 NOON - 2:00 PM
See our Event Calendar at www.cypressstexteaparty.org

The Cypress Ranch High School Choirs Present "Candles & Carols"

The Cypress Ranch Choirs will perform their Winter concert,
"Candles & Carols", Monday, December 7th, at 7:00 p.m. in the
Cypress Ranch High School Auditorium.
Join us for hot chocolate, cookies and holiday cheer!

Save the Date!

The Cypress Ranch Choirs' annual "Encore" performances will be
on Friday, January 29th, and Saturday, January 30th, at 7:00 p.m.
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2015 Candy Cane Fun Run & Walk for Education

Please join Ault PTO, Keith PTO, Swenke PTO, and Salyards Middle School for the 5th Annual Candy Cane Fun Run & Walk for Education.

When: Saturday, December 12, 2015. Race starts at 9AM.

Where: The race begins & ends in Salyards Middle School Parking Lot

- 3.1 mile timed race through the Fairfield Subdivision
 - Participants must be able to finish the course by 10:30am.
 - For the safety of all participants – pets, bikes, scooters, skates and skateboards are prohibited at this event.
 - This is a family-friendly event – strollers and wagons are welcome.
- NO PROCESSING FEE IF REGISTERED ONLINE ON OR BEFORE OCT 31ST.**

- Early online pre-registration takes place October 1 – October 31 (Registering during this time frame guarantees a race t-shirt and race bib with a timing chip).
- Regular online Registration takes place November 1 – November 30. (Registering during this time frame guarantees a race t-shirt and race bib with a timing chip, but you will pay a processing fee for each participant).

NO ONLINE REGISTRATION AFTER NOV 30TH. RACE-DAY/WALK-UP REGISTRATION IS STILL AVAILABLE ON DEC 12TH.

- Walk-up Registration will take place on race day, Saturday, December 12 beginning at 7:30AM (Registering during this time frame does NOT guarantee a race t-shirt or a race bib with a timing chip).

RACE DAY SCHEDULE

- Walk-up Registration: 7:30AM
- Fun Run Opening Ceremony: 8:45AM
- Fun Run Begins: 9:00AM
- Award Ceremony: 10:00AM

To register for the race or for more information: www.candycanefunrun.com

To sign up for volunteer opportunities: www.candycanefunrun.com/volunteers

*All proceeds from the Candy Cane Fun Run will be used to support programs that benefit the students from Ault Elementary, Keith Elementary, Swenke Elementary, and Salyards Middle School.

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The Houston Choral Society Presents Matinee Christmas Concert

**Sunday, December 6, 2015, 3:00 PM
at The Foundry United Methodist Church**

The Houston Choral Society (HCS) presents an afternoon of festive entertainment with its special Christmas matinee concert, Believe, on Sunday, December 6, 2015, at The Foundry United Methodist Church, beginning at 3:00 PM. This family-oriented concert of joyful music is under the direction of Artistic Director Dr. Betty Devine. "This is a diverse program that gives us the opportunity to do works from a wide repertoire of music that has been written for the Christmas season," said Dr. Devine.

In addition to classical pieces like "O Holy Night" and "Hallelujah!" chorus from The Messiah, the afternoon concert includes the opportunity to sing along with beloved Christmas Carols such as "O Come all Ye Faithful," "Joy to the World," and "Jingle Bells." HCS is also continuing an audience participation tradition for our Christmas Concerts with the ever-popular "The Twelve Days of Christmas." HCS strives to be a catalyst for the enrichment of vocal music in other

organizations, and is pleased to be joined for a portion of the concert by talented choral students from Rosehill Christian School, under the direction of Beth Briner, Rosehill Christian School Choir Director. Patrons of all ages will enjoy the presentation by the student choir as well as the combined choral presentation of two songs from popular Christmas movies – "Welcome Christmas" from How the Grinch Stole Christmas and "Believe" from The Polar Express.

In addition to the concert, attendees will be treated to holiday decorations, enticing desserts, and the opportunity to meet and get pictures taken with Santa and Mrs. Claus.




Ticket prices are \$25 for adults, \$20 for seniors/students/veterans, and \$10 for children ages 5 and younger. Group rates are available. Tickets are available online at www.houstonchoral.org. Tickets may also be purchased at the door. The Foundry United Methodist Church is one of the premiere choral venues in Houston with extraordinary acoustics. It is located in northwest Houston at 8350 Jones Road, Houston, TX 77065 with easy access from Highway 290.



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For as long as I can remember I have wanted to ride. As a child I read every horse-related book I came across, and begged and pleaded with my parents for a horse of my own. The facts that I had never ridden a horse before and that we lived in a two-bedroom apartment in Brooklyn, New York were never considered deterrents to my dream. When I got older, and we moved to Texas, I enjoyed a few horseback rides on the Galveston beach, but I always felt as if something was missing. This was not the dream I had. The horses were amiable enough, but it always felt as if they were just doing a job; robotic, if you will. The horses I rode along the beach were just performing a job, and the “something” missing I had felt was the bond, the relationship, a rider feels with his/her horse in natural horsemanship.

For my 30th birthday, I gave myself a gift and signed up for Natural Horsemanship lessons at Five Horses, LLC. From that point on, my life as I knew it was changed. No longer was I just a chauffeur, a maid, a chef, or wrangler of two-legged tornadoes (i.e. children). A whole new world was opened up to me, and I found myself forever changed. I learned incredible things about the horses I interacted with. They have an amazing capacity to challenge you, to demonstrate love and affection, to forgive, and to inspire with their spirit. I found that every trait they possess, I wanted to emulate. Then, they went a step further and showed me how I could acquire all of these wonderful traits in myself. Since I started, I've become more patient and forgiving, braver and more confident, and more adventurous. Every day I become closer to the person I feel God intended me to be, and I feel blessed.

Once I opened up and took a chance by starting this journey, I found a community, a hobby I'm passionate about, some of the closest, most loyal friends I could ask for, and my "heart horse" who is now my best friend and closest confidante, a horse very appropriately named Try.

I found joy.

Tara Chatterson is a student at Five Horses, LLC.

For opportunities to find joy for yourself check out www.fivehorses.com!



The Do's and Don'ts for getting that Perfect Christmas Photo of Your Pet

Photographing animals can be really difficult. They get distracted easily, they're almost always moving, and they even make silly faces. This can make it difficult to get a photo worthy of a Christmas card, but it is possible! Here are some Do's and Don'ts to help you out.

DO keep plenty of treats handy

Our animals often need a bit of extra reward and loving to sit there and look cute for us, so make sure to have plenty of their favorite treats available.

DO have toys and noise makers to grab their attention

They don't always listen to us, so bring their favorite toy to hold up next to you and they're sure to look over with an inquisitive face.

DO look at your background first and move around until you have eliminated distracting items

You don't want to turn your horse into a carousel ride by having a pole in the background looking as though it is going straight through their belly.

DO have an assistant or two to help out

It can be really tiring and frustrating if you are the only person out there and you are repeatedly putting your camera down and running over to your animal to pose him or fix a prop, and then running back and only hoping he is still where you left him.

DO use a fast shutter speed

If you are shooting in Manual mode on your camera be sure to use a fast shutter speed (at least 1/250), so that even if the animal is moving when you click the shutter you will still get a clear picture. If you do not have a Manual mode on your camera, try using the Sports mode.

DO be aware of colors

Choose complimentary colors for the props and costumes you use. The same goes for taking

a picture of the pet with his owner- don't wear a shirt that is the same color as your dog- you want contrast.

DO focus on the eyes

Especially when taking close up shots. Their eyes can be very expressive so you want them to be sharp and clear.

DON'T forget that candid shots can be cute, too!

Don't automatically throw out all the photos where your pet is not looking or making a silly face. Those shots can be just as good as posed ones, because they show the personality of your pet.

DON'T just throw props and costume pieces on your pet before letting them “OK” it. Let your horse smell whatever prop you're going to use first or rub it on them gently until they are relaxed. They are much more likely to cooperate if they aren't scared of the Santa hat on their head.

DON'T crop off just the feet or hooves

Be careful when you are framing your picture, you don't want to crop out just their feet or tail or ears. Step back for a whole body

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shot or crop it in close to a headshot.

DON'T shoot during the middle of the day

The best lighting of the day is about an hour before the sun sets. It is much more diffused and soft, and you will avoid all the harsh shadows.

DON'T try to be in a hurry

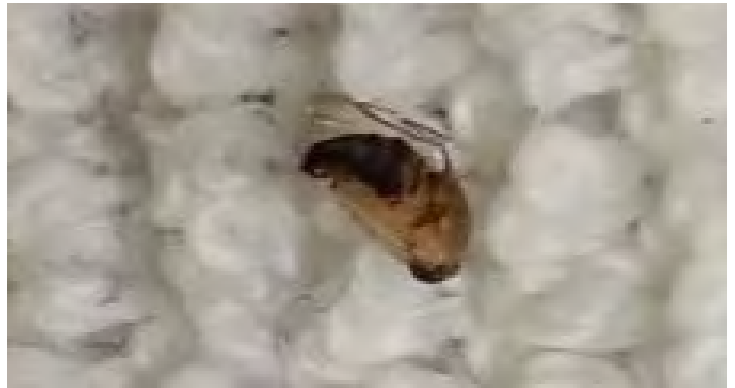
Taking animal portraits takes patience! You should expect it to take more than just a few shots.

DON'T use a flash

Sudden bursts of light from a flash may frighten your pet and cause red eye.

Photos and article thanks to www.kayliejphotography.com on location at www.fivehorses.com. Saturday, December 12th Kaylie will be back to take pictures with Five Horses, LLC clients. Join us and schedule online under the appointments tab.

Phorid or Humpbacked Flies



Humpbacked flies, also known as Phorid flies, are small gnat-like flies that do not bite. They often are yellowish to black in color. They get their name from the way their back is humped when viewed from the side. Sometimes they are called scuttle flies from their habit of running around in an erratic manner.

Phorid flies vary widely with some being pests while some species are beneficial and attack and kill red imported fire ants.

Pest species that are found indoors are often associated with moist, decaying organic matter. These flies can become a problem in homes because they can mechanically transmit bacteria to food and food prep areas.

Common sites where larvae develop (and areas you would need to locate a.k.a. "the source") can include the organic matter built up on the inside of drain pipes; on aging fruits, vegetables or other food matter; the bottom of garbage cans, dumpsters or recycling bins; in broken sewage pipes; or under broken floor tiles.

Develop a sanitation plan. Locate "the source" where larvae are living and clean it thoroughly. If drains are accessible, clean with a stiff brush and flush with boiling water. Food should not be left out for long periods of time and trash/ recyclables should be removed on a regular basis. Repair any plumbing leaks.

Spot treatments with properly labeled insecticides and fly lights can help reduce adult populations.

For more information or help with identification, contact Wizzie Brown, Texas AgriLife Extension Service Program Specialist at 512.854.9600. Check out my blog at www.urban-ipm.blogspot.com

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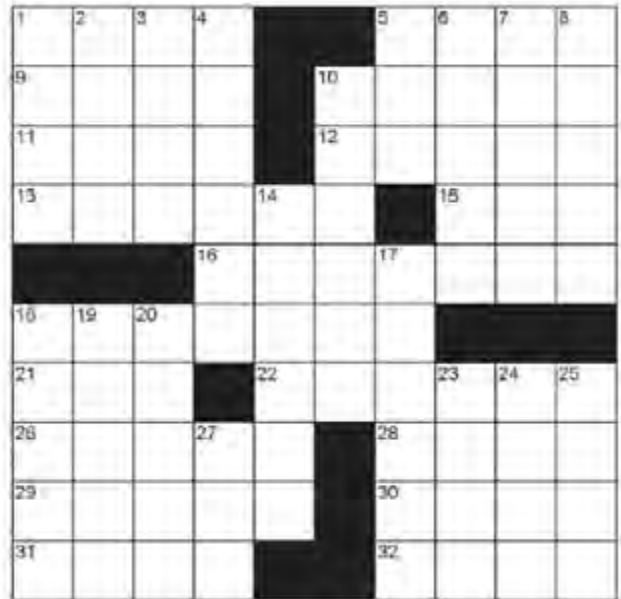


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