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The Exchange Club of Sugar Land

4800 Sugar Grove Blvd. Suite 100 Stafford, TX 77477

Weekly Meetings

Wednesdays, 7:00 a.m. Sweetwater Country Club Palm Royale Blvd. Sugar Land, Texas

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On October 6, 2010, Amy Mitchell, President of The Exchange Club of Sugar Land, Chip Smith, President of The Fort Bend Exchange Club and Tracey Shaw, President of the Lone Star Exchange Club of Richmond and Sandra Startz of the American Red Cross signed the ratification of the partnership agreement entered into between the National Exchange Club and the National Red Cross.

The historic event was well attended by all three clubs and by dignitaries from Fort Bend County. Proclamations were read by Representative Pete Olson,

State Representative Charlie Howard, County Judge Bob Hebert and Sugar Land Mayor, Jimmy Thompson.

Sandra Startz, our speaker from the American Red Cross, outlined the exciting ways she anticipated that the local Chapter of the Red Cross and the Exchanges clubs could work together to make our community a better place. Her vision included Exchangites being the first line of information and defense in times of emergency, helping with CPR training and other means of working together for our community.



District Attorney

John Healy

Representative **Charlie Howard**



Representative Pete Olson



Sugar Land Mayor Jimmy Thompson





County Judge Bob Hebert

Photos by Ed Lee

Wings Over Houston Air Show Ellington Field Oct. 23-24





Volunteer to be a ticket agent at the airshow and help the club raise funds for local charities. Contact Paul Barnett psb1@ix.netcom.com



The Exchange Club will present a **"Freedom Shrine"** to **Travis High School**, on Wednesday, Oct 20, at 9:30. Please mark your calendars and try to attend. Maps will be provided the day of the presentation. The Americanism Committee



The **Voices of Children Tours** will resume in November. **Child Advocates of Fort Bend** staff and volunteers would love to have you visit the new facility and here the inspirational stories about the neglected and abused children they help. Please visit www.cafb.org for details.

Alzheimer's Walk, Saturday, October 30, 7:00 am AMC Theatre, Sugar Land

Hobby Exchange Club Murder Mystery Dinner, Saturday, November 6, 2010
Hobby Airport Marriott Hotel, \$40, contact Marjorie Evans 713-947-5481
Walk for Hearing, Saturday, November 6, 2010
Tom Bass Park, Pavilion #4 Section III, 15108 Cullen Blvd, Houston, TX, 5K, 9:00 AM



Happy Birthday President Amy Mitchell!

A surprise birthday party was thrown for President Amy Mitchell by Jake Messinger (fiancé), Elizabeth Duff-Drozd (law firm partner), and friends Carl Drozd and Russelle Waldorf.



Ray Albrecht, Matthew Dent, Dan McMillan, Linda Webb, Jacquie Chaumette, Reagan Tielke, Jeri Krauss, Don Zienty, Don Kerstetter, Amy Mitchell, David Lanagan, Dianne McGreevy, Frederick Fogarty, Frank Hicks, Mark Hotze, Teresa Cody, Sam Cornelius, Paul DeMarsh, Carey Snyder, Patrick Hayes, Jake Messinger

Please keep the following members in your thoughts and prayers:

Jack and May Williams

Jack had bleeding in his brain and was hospitalized in intensive care. Thankfully he is out of the hospital and in Health South rehabilitating.