



# Exchange Hotline

## Exchange Club of Sugar Land Newsletter

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### Weekly Meetings

Wednesdays, 7:00 a.m.

Sweetwater Country Club  
Palm Royale Blvd.  
Sugar Land, Texas

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## National Exchange Convention 2016



Exchange Club of Sugar Land with our  
National Student of the Year **Han Wen**.



Texas Louisiana Gulf Coast District at  
the National Exchange Convention.



**Kevin Barker** and former ECSL member **Paul DeMarsh** won "Distinguished Club President" awards. Paul is Past President of the Downtown Hampton VA club. Imm. Past President **Kevin Barker** and new ECSL President **Carlos Perez** accepted the "CARE" award for our "Blue Ribbon Campaign" for Child Abuse Prevention. ECSL also won the "BIG E" award for Excellence in all Community Service Projects.



Our newly formed Kempner High School EXCEL Exchange Club joined us at the convention. (Front row in group photo) **Jonathan Um**, President and **Khoi Le**, Past President joined us at the One Nation Under God luncheon on Friday along with **Han Wen**. **Kevin Barker** and District President **Mike Reichke** accepted the "Best Hospitality Suite" award. Mike also won the "Distinguished District President" award. **Han Wen** was nominated by ECSL for Student of the Year and won at the District level where she was given \$1,000 scholarship. She also won at the National level where she accepted a \$10,000 scholarship from The National Exchange Club Foundation.

Photos by Greg Kramer and Sue Lockwood



National Exchange  
Convention 2016



Houston Hyatt  
Houston, Texas





# SUGAR LAND STANDS TOGETHER!



Photo by Andrew Wolf



As one of the most diverse cities in America, Sugar Land residents got together on the steps of City Hall to send a message of UNITY. We are a community of respect. Sugar Land supports its police, firefighters, military, all races and religions. We will not tolerate violence, prejudice or hate.

Thanks to Exchangite and SL City Council member Amy Mitchell for organizing this event. You can view the Channel 13 news broadcast at <http://abc13.com/news/sugar-land-comes-together-in-wake-of-violence/1430781/>. Also search for the video on YouTube "Sugar Land Stands Together July 2016."



**Guest Speaker**

Sugar Land City Council Member **Bridget Yeung** spoke to Exchangites about the new entertainment venue "Smart Financial Centre at Sugar Land." It will be a state-of-the-art complex with Jerry Seinfeld as it's opening performer January 14, 2017.

**Ernest Lewis**, Board Chair of ARTreach in Katy told club members that they build self-esteem in children and adults through creative art programs.

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We will be serving lunch to over 100 children at Champions Kids Camp on Tuesday July 26th at 11:30. If you would like to help please email Sue Lockwood at [sklockwood@comcast.net](mailto:sklockwood@comcast.net). We collected \$300 towards sponsoring the meal at last weeks meeting. We'll be collecting again this Wednesday. You can visit the camp in Alvin, TX any time during the week of July 25-29. You can sponsor a child for \$500 at [www.championskidscamp.org](http://www.championskidscamp.org)

