



# Exchange Hotline

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#### Weekly Meetings

Wednesdays, 7:00 a.m.

Sweetwater Country Club  
Palm Royale Blvd.  
Sugar Land, Texas

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**Congratulations Farha Ahmed on receiving the Distinguished Club Secretary Award 2015-16.**

#### ECESL Board of Directors

**Margo Pasko** Secretary; **Duyen Le**; **Jaime Williams**; **Sue Lockwood**; **Nick Landoski**; **Leslie Woods**; **Clinton Chapman**; **Leo Weinberg** Treasurer; **Scott McClintic** and **Vernon Hunt**.

#### President's Message:

Good Morning Exchangites, August was a month with a lot of great activities. Several of us had the opportunity to serve over 500 kids on August 13 at the **2<sup>nd</sup> Back to School Bash / Walk with Pride**. This activity was held at the UH Sugar Land Campus. Big Thank You to all of you that helped. Another **Back to School Program** was held by **Project Smile** on August 16, 2016. Our club donated \$1500.00 and this program helped over 1400 kids.

**Induction of New Members:** We inducted 6 members this past month. Please welcome those new members if you haven't done so yet. New members, join a committee as soon as possible, this will be the best way for you to enjoy the benefits of being an Exchangite. You will love it. Guaranteed or No money back!

**Board of Directors Corner:** **Leslie Woods** has joined our Board of Directors. As many of you know, **Matt Jackson** took a job as a teacher and will not be able to participate in our board meetings. We will miss Matt and all the good work he has done with us. Thank you Leslie for accepting to be part of this year's board of directors.

**Finances:** Thank you to those who brought your accounts up to date. We still have a few members that need to step up to the plate. Please, if there is a particular reason why your account is behind, let me know. We will work with you. We want you in the club, we just need to take care of our business like any other business if we want to continue doing great things for our community.

**Breakfast Meal Charges Clarification:** This question has come up several times. Who pays for breakfast? WE ALL DO. The only people that have 3 complimentary breakfasts are our **PROSPECTIVE** Members. Anyone that is part of the program is also exempt for paying. However we still need to pay to SWCC for all those meals. Any non prospective members is expected to pay \$15.00 before he/she leaves. If a club member brings a NON prospective member and the person did not pay, the club member will be charged for that guest. Remember, BE THANKFUL & KEEP SMILING.

**Carlos**

# Annual Pancake Breakfast

**Eagle Scout Troop 731** held their annual Pancake Breakfast as a thank you for Exchange Club's support. This is the **Troop's 25th anniversary**. One thing that set this Troop apart is the support and participation of parents. **Troop 731** participated this year in Spaghetti Dinner, a number of Eagle Service Projects, several camp related projects and Santa's Exchange. They donated \$6,147.62 to the community as well as 1133.75 hours of service.

Scout Master Carey Snyder accepted a check for Eagle Scout Troop 731 for \$2,500 and a check for Cub Scout Pack 1133 in the amount of \$500.



# Welcome New Members!



Immediate Past President Kevin Barker officiated the induction of six new members at our 7:00 am breakfast meeting on Wednesday at Sweetwater Country Club. Our new ECSL Members are Brad Porter, Lee Novak, Tara Kuykendal, Taylor Chambers, Rick Bell and Charlie deVega alternating with their sponsors Vernon Hunt, Lynn Krauss, Ray Aguilar, John Robson, Robert Kern and President Carlos Perez.



## Welcome Home!

The Exchange Club of Sugar Land distributed American Flags to a large crowd at Sugar Land Town Square during a ceremony honoring Olympic medalists **Simone Manuel** and **Steven Lopez**. Both Olympians graduated from Fort Bend County schools. We were “Sugar Land Proud” to welcome home our local heroes. Thanks to **Sue Lockwood, Brad Porter, Dave Kiger, Carlos Perez, Sue Sanchez, Nick Landoski, Farha Ahmed, John Heineman, Robert Kern, Leo and Donna Weinberg** for handing out flags.



## Upcoming Events

### Service to Seniors Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>

Join fellow Exchangites in helping seniors celebrate their birthdays with cake and ice cream. Bingo is always a favorite at the 5th Street Community Center in Stafford.  
Contact: **Cookie Joe** [cookiejoedance@hotmail.com](mailto:cookiejoedance@hotmail.com)

### GIVEaKIDaFLAGtoWAVE - Fort Bend County Fair Parade Friday, September 23rd

We will be giving American Flags to kids along parade route. We are the first float that walks on the parade giving out flags. We will meet at 8:00 AM in front of the Old Richmond Court House. If you have never participated, I encourage you to join us. It is fun and you have the opportunity to see many smiling faces. Great Experience for the New Members hint hint! Contact: **Nick Landoski**

### Exchange Club of Sugar Land 29<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY

Lets celebrate together. Party at Fernando's. Details coming VERY soon. Show up at our Wednesday meeting to get the scoop from **Sue Sanchez**, our social committee chair.