



Exchange Hotline

Exchange Club of
Sugar Land Newsletter
October 15th, 2019

The Exchange Club of Sugar Land

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Weekly Meetings

Wednesdays, 7:00 a.m.

Sweetwater Country Club
Palm Royale Blvd.
Sugar Land, Texas

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Wings Over Houston Air Show! Houston Ellington Field

The 35th Wings Over Houston Airshow is October 19-20, 2019 and our club has participated for 14 years. This years show will feature the USAF Thunderbirds and the Canadian Snowbirds. Other crowd favorites are the F-35 Lightning Demo Team, aerobatic Team Oracle, the CAF Tora! Tora! Tora! show (You will feel like you were in the battle), and the Legends and Heroes Autograph Tent. **We still have volunteer spots available Sunday.**

Rich Welsh talked about the work of the Commemorative Air Force (CAF) their mission of flying and maintaining vintage war birds to preserve that history. He spoke about the Wings Over Houston airshow and how important groups like the ECSL is volunteer wise to help keep the show running (**Wings Over Houston, donates \$7,500 to our club**). The CAF has 175 aircraft between their 83 units and was founded and headquartered in Texas. The CAF was founded to find and preserve World War II-era combat aircraft for the education and enjoyment of present and future generations.



Ellington Air Field is our location for this event!

Saturday Oct. 19th

Sunday Oct. 20th

Please come have fun with the rest of the Exchange Members!

It's that time of year again when we ask for support for our second largest fundraiser of the year. This will be our 15th year supporting this event.

Youth of the Month, Clements Highschool !



Let me introduce the **Youth of the Month**, Ms. Emma Michelle Lee. Presented by Amy Mitchell, L-R Emma, President Vernon Hunt, Amy Mitchell, Father, Emma, Mother, and Counselor at Clements. Organizations Emma has been active in; Future Farmers of America, FBISD GT Mentorship Program, National Honor Society, English Honor Society, Crochet Club, National Student Leadership Conference at Yale, Clements Earth, Education in Action Alumni Council. Emma's personal Attributes are **ANALYTICAL, ORGANIZED, TASK-ORIENTED, LEADER**. (Amazing young lady)



Speaker of the Week

10/02/2019



Our speaker was Rich Welsh and Pete Hyatt who will update us on the latest addition to the show.

Standing with President of Exchange Mr. Vernon Hunt on the far left..

WINGS OVER HOUSTON - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday

8 A.M. — Gates Open

- Static Warbird Display Area Open
- Kids Area
- Food & Beverage Tents

9 A.M. — Legends & Heroes Tent Opens

10 A.M. — Feature Flying

11 A.M. — Warbird Area Closes

3 P.M. — Jet Team Flying

No admittance to Airshow after 3 p.m. / Gates Close approx. 6 p.m.

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The [CAF Wings Over Houston Airshow](#) is an IRC 501(c)(3) community event presented by the volunteer efforts of the **Houston Wing, Gulf Coast Wing, and Tora! Tora! Tora!** of the **Commemorative Air Force**, with support from the Lone Star Flight Museum, Collings Foundation-Houston based at Ellington Airport, and the Vietnam War Flight Museum.

One of the top air shows in the United States, this premier Houston event is dedicated to showcasing vintage World War II aircraft, along with the thrills of modern aviation, and has supported a variety of local and national charities during its 35-year history.

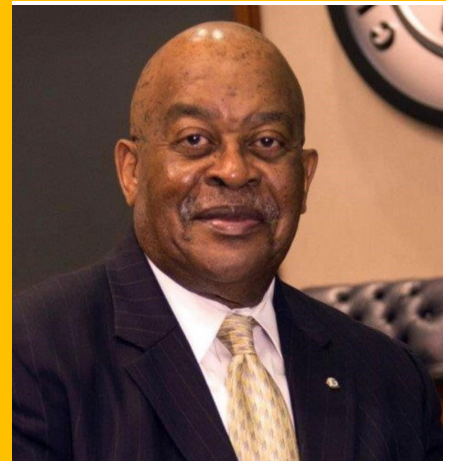


Committee Chairs and Board Members!

- Americanism... Nick Landoski/Dave Kiger
- Child Abuse Prevention... Ruthanne Mefford
- Community Service... Cookie Joe Arthur & Tran Pham
- Historian... Greg Oelfke
- House Committee... Jeff Dodson/ Carlos Perez
- Membership... Nora Sim
- Photography... Russ Braun/Amy Mitchell
- Programs/Speakers... Kevin Barker
- Santa's Exchange... TBA
- Socials... Sue Sanchez
- Spaghetti... TBA
- Technology... Brad Porter
- Website... Charlie Braun
- Youth... Juli Fournier

From The President

“Get involved”



Where do you see yourself in our Organization? Think of the Possibilities!



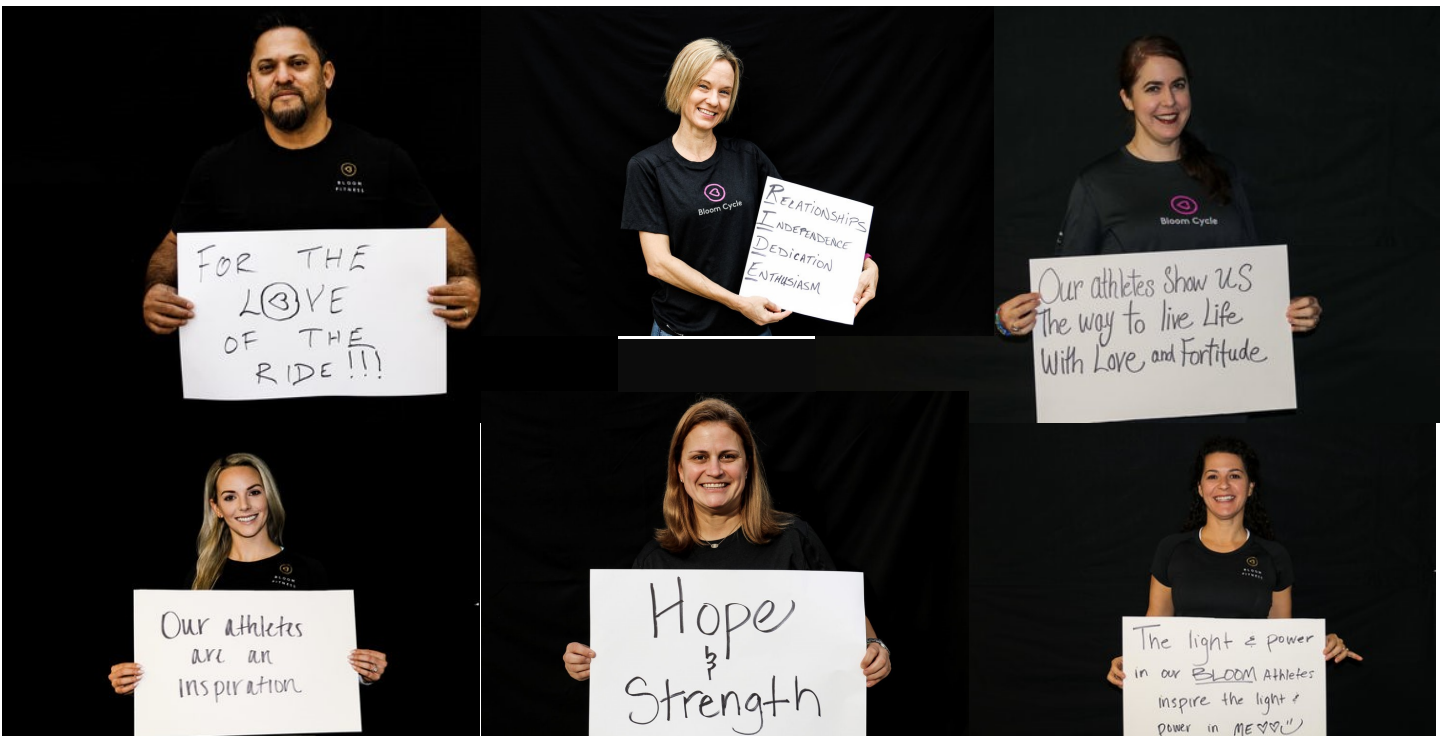
Speaker of the Week!

09/09/2019



As the parents of five adult children, with their youngest, Emma, 21 years old and living with IDD (Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities), John and Jill Watson thought, “how can these young adults become a productive part of the community?” They also knew that most parents of individuals with IDD are striving just to cope and struggle to help their child progress through the various stages of life. John, Jill, along with their children, started brainstorming and Bloom Community was born.

John, the President of Bloom Community, left the mortgage industry after 32 successful years, to start the 501c3 nonprofit. Bloom Community to help people with IDD become valued participants in the communities where they live by helping development employment opportunities for people with IDD, health education, as well as an indoor cycle program to promote fitness for this group.



Young Citizen of the Month,
First Colony Middle School! Introduced by
Farah Ahmed meet Harry Pham!



Youth of the Month,
Kempner Highschool! Introduced by
Rene Cannavo meet Mr. William Tang!



Happy Birthday
Mr. David
Lanagan!

Past President of
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