



HC WCID 116 / Huntwick Recreation Facilities Newsletter

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Cross-Connection Control and Backflow Prevention

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What is cross-connection?

A physical connection between drinkable water and an actual or potential contamination hazard that could make the water unsafe to drink. Wherever there is a cross-connection, there is a potential threat to public health from contaminants.

What is backflow?

Water flowing in the opposite of its intended direction, either from a loss of pressure in the supply lines or an increase in pressure on the customer's side. In either of these situations, if any affected customer's pipes include a cross connection, contaminants could be drawn through the cross connection into that customer's pipes—and, if the backflow continues, perhaps even into the water mains.

Your Role as a Water Customer

By taking steps to control cross connections and prevent the possibility of backflow at your home, you will help to protect the public water supply and ensure that your family continues to enjoy safe drinking water. Garden hoses and irrigation systems are common concerns, but there are other common residential sources of cross connections, too.

Common cross-connections:

- **Garden hose:** Backflow can occur at your home if you leave a garden hose turned on and submerged in a swimming pool, insert it into your car's radiator to flush out anti-freeze, or attach it to an insecticide sprayer. That material could siphon back into your potable water.



- **Private well:** Backflow can also occur from an untreated water supply, such as a private well, if the well plumbing is connected to the potable-water supply plumbing. The untreated water could be pumped into the potable-water supply serving your home and into the public water system.
- **Lawn sprinkler system:** TCEQ regulations required that all lawn sprinkler systems be connected through a backflow-prevention assembly—without which, the stagnant water, and anything in it, from the sprinkler system could be drawn into the potable-water supply for your home.

How can backflow be prevented?

Backflow into a potable-water system can be prevented by using a backflow-prevention assembly, or an air gap, which is a physical separation between the water supply and a potential source of pollution. Licensed professionals as well as your public water system are responsible for determining the type of backflow-prevention assembly required, based on the degree of hazard.

Testing backflow-prevention assemblies

Because backflow-prevention assemblies are mechanical assemblies that can fail, the TCEQ requires testing of all backflow-prevention assemblies at installation by a TCEQ-licensed tester. Backflow-prevention assemblies installed to protect against any health hazard must be tested annually.

How can I find out more information about backflow?

For more information about backflow and cross-connection control, visit www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cc.



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The updates regarding HRF Patron, Patron Group and additional services events and activities contained in this newsletter are being provided for informational and scheduling purposes only and are not being endorsed, promoted or recommended by the District.

Huntwick Tennis

King of the Mountain

Mark your calendars to play tennis every Wednesday evening in June, July and August beginning Wednesday, June 5th and continue thru August 28th. The format will be a "King of the Mountain" tennis play with winning players advancing and losing players moving down a court. This event is open to all Huntwick Recreation Facilities Full Patron members 18 years of age and over. Play will be determined by the number of players who show up each week. Play will begin at 7:00 pm and end around 10:00 pm. If you cannot be there at 7:00 pm, come out anyway and join in on the second round. Cost to participate is a new can of tennis balls each night. All play will be at the back courts at 13715 Charwell Crossing, also known as Donut Lake.

Fall Tennis League Play

Huntwick fall tennis leagues will be starting up soon! Schedule updates will be posted in the District newsletter, bulletin board at 13715 Charwell Crossing "Donut Lake" park, near the primary courts used for league play as well as the District website <https://www.huntwickwater.com/recreation/events-schedule/>.

- All teams must be registered prior to the start of the league season. All team members must have and maintain Full Patron status.
- All registered teams must request a schedule by applying to the HRF Representative prior to the start of the season, tennis courts scheduling will be determined and coordinated by the HRF Representative.
- All refuse removal is the responsibility of the sponsoring team.
- During league season, the opposing team will not pay Guest fees. League use of the tennis courts will not count against the Annual Use Rule.

Back to School Tennis

Are you looking for an activity for your child after school to keep them active and make new friends? Our goal is to instill the love of a lifetime sport! Your child will gain strong fundamentals, solid technique such as footwork, eye hand coordination and mental toughness. Teach them how to compete with no fear of defeat.

Contact Coach Andre and get your kids signed up today! 832-642-4110. Must be an active HRF Full Patron to participate.

Huntwick Pickleball

A fun sport that combines many elements of tennis, badminton and ping-pong. Played with a paddle and a plastic ball with holes. Played as doubles or singles. Huntwick Recreation Facilities now offers pickleball on Clubhouse Courts 3 & 4 for HRF Full Patrons. Courts must be reserved in advance by calling the HRF office as these courts will double for tennis and pickleball play.

First Friday Bridge

First Friday Bridge will be played at the HRF Clubhouse on Friday, August 2nd at 7:00pm. The host for the evening will be Hans and Donna Ohlson. Any HRF Patron interested in an evening of casual party bridge are welcome. Please contact Harold and Ann Conrad at 281-440-1159 to join.

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Huntwick Pool 2019 Schedule

Reserving the pool for private pool parties does not provide exclusive use. With the exception of swim team practices and meets, the Pool remains open to all HRF Full Patrons and their paid guests during hours listed below. Contact HRF Coordinator to book your next pool party.

Please remember to take home all personal belongings when leaving pool for the day! Thank you!

May 31 through August 18

<u>Day(s)</u>	<u>Pool Times</u>
Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday - Thursday	11:00 am - 8:00 pm
Friday	9:00 am - 9:00 pm
Saturday	11:00 am - 9:00 pm
Sunday	12:00 noon - 8:00 pm
July 4th	9:00 am - 9:00 pm

August 19 through September 2

<u>Day(s)</u>	<u>Pool Times</u>
Monday - Thursday	CLOSED
Friday	6:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Saturday	11:00 am - 9:00 pm
Sunday	12:00 noon - 8:00 pm
Labor Day	11:00 am - 8:00 pm

Early Morning Adult Swim

Early morning adult swim is being offered for the 2019 swim season. Beginning on **Friday, May 31st through August 16th**, any Full HRF Patron who is 18 years and older interested in taking advantage will have access added to their key card for the pool from **5:00 am to 8:00 am Tuesday thru Friday only**. Patrons must vacate pool no later than 8:00 am so as to not interfere with swim team practices beginning June 3rd at 8:00 am. **As there will not be any lifeguards on duty during this time, Patrons are expected to use the buddy system.** "Buddy" must be another adult Full Patron and both Patrons must swipe their card at gate entrance to pool. Be sure gates remain closed and keep close tabs on your card key(s). If you are interested in signing up, please send email request to huntwickrec@comcast.net and access will be added onto your card. If you have lost or need new cards issued, email your request to huntwickrec@comcast.net and new card(s) will be issued.

Children's Art Class

Summer Schedule - June 5th thru August 21st: Wednesdays 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm

Art class for HRF Patrons' children will be held at the HRF Clubhouse on Wednesdays. Children coming to art class from the pool are encouraged to change into dry clothes. There will be light snacks, and all supplies will be available. Personal care will be given for special needs students. A small fee will cover art materials.

1st day of school for Cy-Fair and Klein ISD is Monday, August 19th.

****NO ART CLASS HELD ON AUGUST 28TH NOR SEPTEMBER 4TH****

Beginning Wednesday, September 11th, art classes will be held from 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm at the HRF Clubhouse.

To sign your child up for classes or have any questions, please call Doreen Levy at 281-586-9290. Must be an active HRF Patron to participate.

August 2019

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<p>All events are at HRF Clubhouse, 5300 Coral Gables, unless noted otherwise. All events and hours are subject to change. View HRF Schedule of Events online by visiting https://www.huntwickwater.com/recreation/events-schedule/</p> <p style="text-align: center;">KEY CARD ACCESS TO POOL AREA</p> <p>Key cards will work on gates to pool area only while lifeguards are on duty during times listed above. Access is for active Full HRF Patrons and their paid guests only. Accompanied by Patron, a guest may use facilities a max of 3 times per year before Patron fee is required. A Patron may bring up to 5 guests for a fee of \$5 each. Register all guests at Lifeguard station.</p>				<p>1 POOL OPEN 11:00am-8:00pm</p> <p>9:00pm-11:00pm Private Event-Clubhouse</p>	<p>2 POOL OPEN 9:00am-9:00pm</p> <p>7:00pm First Friday Bridge</p>	<p>3 POOL OPEN 11:00am-9:00pm</p> <p>5:00pm-11:00pm Private Event-Clubhouse</p>
<p>4 POOL OPEN 12:00pm-8:00pm 8:00am Private Event-Clubhouse 2:00pm-6:00pm Private Event-Clubhouse</p>	<p>5 POOL CLOSED</p>	<p>6 POOL OPEN 11:00am-8:00pm 4:30pm Private Event-Clubhouse</p>	<p>7 POOL OPEN 11:00am-8:00pm 12:30pm Patron Children's Art Class with Doreen</p>	<p>8 POOL OPEN 11:00am-8:00pm 9:30am Private Event-Clubhouse</p>	<p>9 POOL OPEN 9:00am-9:00pm</p>	<p>10 POOL OPEN 11:00am-9:00pm 3:00pm-5:00pm Private Event-Pool</p>
<p>11 POOL OPEN 12:00pm-8:00pm 8:00am Private Event-Clubhouse 4:00pm-6:00pm Private Event-Clubhouse</p>	<p>12 POOL CLOSED 3:00pm Water District Regular Board Meeting</p>	<p>13 POOL OPEN 11:00am-8:00pm 7:30pm HCA Board Meeting</p>	<p>14 POOL OPEN 11:00am-8:00pm 12:30pm Patron Children's Art Class with Doreen</p>	<p>15 POOL OPEN 11:00am-8:00pm</p>	<p>16 POOL OPEN 9:00am-9:00pm 5:30pm Huntwick Happy Hour Hosted by HCA <i>Early morning Adult Swim ends today</i></p>	<p>17 POOL OPEN 11:00am-9:00pm 5:00pm-7:00pm Private Event-Clubhouse & Pool</p>
<p>18 POOL OPEN 12:00pm-8:00pm 8:00am Private Event-Clubhouse</p>	<p>19 POOL CLOSED <i>Beginning today, pool hours revert to weekends only through September 2nd.</i> 7:00pm Private Event - Clubhouse</p>	<p>20 POOL CLOSED</p>	<p>21 POOL CLOSED 12:30pm Patron Children's Art Class with Doreen</p>	<p>22 POOL CLOSED</p>	<p>23 POOL OPEN 6:00pm-9:00pm</p>	<p>24 POOL OPEN 11:00am-9:00pm</p>
<p>25 POOL OPEN 12:00pm-8:00pm 8:00am Private Event-Clubhouse</p>	<p>26 POOL CLOSED</p>	<p>27 POOL CLOSED</p>	<p>28 POOL CLOSED NO ART CLASS TODAY</p>	<p>29 POOL CLOSED</p>	<p>30 POOL OPEN 6:00pm-9:00pm</p>	<p>31 POOL OPEN 11:00am-9:00pm 4:00pm-8:00pm Private Event-Clubhouse & Pool</p>

This calendar is intended to provide information regarding availability of the Huntwick Recreation Facilities on given dates and times and is not intended to endorse or promote events or activities by any HRF Patrons or Patron Groups.

All participants of Patron Group Events must have and maintain active HRF Patron status.

To become an HRF Patron, please call 281-444-3404, ext. 4 or e-mail huntwickrec@comcast.net.



District Contact Information

General Information: 832-413-5333

Customer service and billing: 281-807-9500 (TOPS)

Water Emergencies: 281-807-9500 (Karl Skarboszewski)

Huntwick Recreation Facility Information: 281-444-3404 ext. 4 (Jamie O'Boyle)

HC WCID 116 has an answering system to better serve the community. Emergency calls are routed to the on- call system to ensure a quick response.

HC WCID 116 Website:

www.huntwickwater.com

E-mail Addresses:

Customer Service/Billing/Water: customerservice@topswater.com

Board of Directors: huntwickwater@comcast.net

Recreation: huntwickrec@comcast.net

For Mail to HC WCID 116 Office:

HC WCID 116
5135 Cobles Corner
Houston, TX 77069

For Mail to Huntwick Recreation Facilities:

Huntwick Recreation Facilities
5300 Coral Gables Drive
Houston, TX 77069

The Huntwick Recreation Facilities (HRF) are owned and maintained by Harris County WCID No. 116 for the benefit of the community served by the District.

The Facilities are located at 5300 Coral Gables and 13715 Charwell Crossing. A clubhouse, six tennis courts, swimming pool, two playgrounds, athletic fields, and a bark park are located on the properties. The Athletic field, playgrounds and dog park are open to all residents of HC WCID 116 and all Patrons of the Recreation Facilities. House Patrons may rent the clubhouse and join All-Patron groups which use the clubhouse for parties, meetings, and other events. Full Patrons enjoy the same benefits as House Patrons, with the added benefit of use and rental of swimming and tennis facilities.

HC WCID 116 provides water and wastewater services for the Huntwick Forest and Huntwick Parc subdivisions. The service area also includes the Providence at Champions Apartments, the Oaks of Huntwick Townhomes, and commercial property on the north side of FM 1960 from Wunderlich Drive to the property just to the west of Champion Forest Drive.

Board of Directors

President	Les Griffith
Vice-President	Bob Warner
Secretary	Frank Sklenka
Treasurer/Asst. Sec.	Jeff Handojo
Assistant Treasurer	Cheston Cooper

Service Contractors

Operating Company TOPS

Regularly scheduled Board meetings are open to the public and held on the second Monday of the month at 3:00 pm at the HRF Clubhouse at 5300 Coral Gables, Houston, TX 77069.

Water Bill Payment Options

Automatic Payment Plan:

Have your bank account or credit card automatically debited each month.

Go to topswater.com for form, complete, and mail.

Convenience fee: \$1 for ACH (paid by District); 4% for credit card.

Online Payments:

Pay your account 24/7. Go to topswater.com/clients/hcwcid116/, select Customer Portal.

Use Visa, MasterCard or Discover

Receive immediate receipt
Convenience Fee: 4%

USPS Mail/Drop Off:

Your monthly bill includes a window envelope for mailing check or money order directly to TOPS.

Payments may also be left in the water plant payment drop box at 5135 Cobles Corner or can be dropped off at Clubhouse HRF Office.

**Harris County WCID 116
2018 Consumer Confidence Report (CCR)
Annual Water Quality Report**

HC WCID 116's most recent Consumer Confidence Report for the period January 1 to December 31, 2018 is available to view on the HC WCID 116's website at <https://www.huntwickwater.com/documents/>. This report is intended to provide important information about your drinking water and efforts made to provide safe drinking water.

Este reporte incluye información importante sobre el agua para tomar. Para asistencia en español, favor de llamar al teléfono 281-807-9500.

Huntwick Women's Club

We hope you are all having a nice summer and staying cool enough... Come to the President's Coffee to hear about the programs and other exciting activities for the coming year. All women of Huntwick are welcome to join us at the President's Coffee on Sept. 19, 2019. It will be held at the home of our President, Mary Quinn, at 5215 Westminister Ct. Spoiler Alert!! Programs coming up are Fashion Show in October, Antique Roadshow in November and Christmas Coffee in December just to name a few.

You can help the planning committees by paying your dues of \$25 before the September Coffee. Just drop off your check, made payable to Huntwick Women's Club, at the home of our Membership Chairman, Annette Kelly @ 5335 Olympia Fields. See you in September!