

HC WCID 116 / Huntwick Recreation Facilities

Newsletter

HC WCID 116 5135 Cobles Corner Houston, TX 77069

November 2019 Volume 14, Issue 11 Happy Holidays.

As you prepare to host family and friends, save water and money with these water saving tips:

- 1. Buy recycled paper products: Products made from 100 percent recycled paper require much less water in their manufacturing than those made from virgin paper.
- 2. Inspect bathroom fixtures before family and friends arrive. During the holidays, your bathrooms are likely to experience heavier than normal usage and, in turn, are more prone to issues. A faulty toilet flapper can waste as much as 200 gallons per hour!
- 3. Cook food in as little water as possible. This will also help preserve the food's nutrients.
- 4. When washing your hands, turn the water off while you lather.
- When planning your holiday meal, consider swapping a meat dish with a vegetarian one. It takes almost eighteen -hundred gallons of water to produce a single pound of beef.

Did you know? If you were to skip meat one day a week, you'd conserve 65,000 gallons of water in a year.

- Don't use water to thaw food. The safest and most water efficient way is to defrost food in the refrigerator.
- Have an Energy Star approved dishwasher? Save water by running a full dishwasher rather than hand washing. Don't have an effi-



cient dishwasher? Wash dishes in a partially filled sink and then rinse them using the spray attachment on your tap.

- 8. Leftover melted ice? Water your indoor plants with the excess water.
- 9. Instead of letting the faucet run to rinse vegetables, rinse them in a pan of clean water instead.

Source: www.watersignal.com

Election Day Information

Huntwick residents live in Harris County Precinct 4 and are in Harris County Voting

Precinct 513.



EARLY VOTING will be held at Champion Forest Baptist Church, 4840 Strack Rd, Houston, TX 77069. Last day to vote early is November 1st from 7:00 am—7:00 pm.

ELECTION DAY IS TUESDAY, NOVEM-

BER 5, 2019 for General and Special Elections. Residents in Precinct 513 vote at the Huntwick Recreation Facilities Clubhouse, 5300 Coral Gables Dr., Houston, TX 77069, from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm.

For additional information, visit www.harrisvotes.com or call 713-274 -VOTE (8683) to be assisted in English, Spanish, Vietnamese, or Chinese.



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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. 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.

Huntwick Tennis

Fall Tennis League Play

Schedule updates will be posted at the bulletin board at 13715 Charwell Crossing "Donut Lake" park, as well as the District website

https://www.huntwickwater.com/recreation/events-schedule/. For maintenance issues noticed at any of the Huntwick Recreation Facilities, please call and report to HRF Coordinator at 281 -444-3404 x-4 or email huntwickrec@comcast.net.

If you are a Full HRF Patron and would like to know more about joining a team, contact the following Captains:

- A-2 Jackrabbit Women: Ann Conrad, 281-440-1159
- C3 Jackrabbit & C2 NWTL Women: Mary Anna Gannon, 210-289-0446
- A-1 NWTL Women: Allison Cook, 832-515-5038
- Monday Night Ladies Work League: Karla Griffith, 832-338-7787
- Huntwick Men: Les Griffith, 281-898-1585



There was some scary good tennis and costumes at the Halloween tennis social. A fun time was had by all. Get signed up early for the Holiday tennis social in December Get your kids involved in after school tennis call coach Andre 832-642-4110.

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 those courts will double for tennis and nickleba



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Children's Art Class

Art class for HRF Patrons' children are held at the Huntwick Recreation Facilities Clubhouse on Wednesdays at 4:30 pm. In observance of the upcoming Holidays, there will not be an Art class held on the following days: November 20 and 27, December 25, and January 1, 2020. 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. Any questions? Please call Doreen Levy at 281-586-9290.

First Friday Bridge

First Friday Bridge will play at the Huntwick Recreation Facilities Clubhouse on Friday, November 1st at 7:00 pm. The host for the evening will be Alan Saber.

Any HRF Patrons interested in an evening of casual Bridge is invited. Please contact Ann and Harold Conrad at 281-440-1159 to be put on the calling list.

The results from October Bridge are: Frist: Anna Embick Second: Donna Olhson Honors: Donna Olhson Low: Sassy Crookshanks Deuce: Lynn Berryman



Huntwick Women's Club

Our November 21st meeting will be held at 9:30 am at the Huntwick Recreation Facilities Clubhouse. We will have a



"Huntwick Antiques Roadshow" - so dig into your cabinets and bring something old...maybe from your mother or grandmother (books, china, silver, paintings, dolls or other memorabilia)...and tells us about its' history. Tables will be set up to display the items. This will be our

own version of Antiques Roadshow we've seen for years on PBS.

Mark your calendars...on December 12th, we'll have our Annual Christmas Coffee at the home of Carolyn Gross. We'll enjoy champagne punch, coffee, tea and homemade goodies brought by our very own members. This event is for Huntwick Women's Club members (and houseguests) only. An email will go out giving all of the details.





Thank you to the Ladies of the Huntwick Women's Club for modeling the beautiful new fashions provided by Chico's at the Annual Fashion Show on October 17th.

November 2019 HC WCID 116 / Huntwick Recreation Facilities Schedule SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT All events are at HRF Clubhouse, 5300 Coral Gables, unless noted otherwise. 2 1 All events and hours are subject to change. 7:00pm View most up-to-date HRF Schedule of Events online by visiting : First Friday Bridge https://www.huntwickwater.com/recreation/events-schedule/ Set your clocks BACK before going to bed onight. 3 Daylight Saving 4 5 6 7 8 **Election Day** q Time Ends 7:00am-7:00pm 4:30pm-6:00pm 8:00am-12:00pm Patron Children's Harris County **Private Event** Voting Precinct Art Class with 513 (Informal Rm) Doreen 1:00pm-3:00pm **Private Event** 4:30pm **Private Event** (Formal Rm) 10 11 Veterans Day 12 13 14 15 16 8:00am-12:00pm 2:15pm 7:30pm 4:30pm-6:00pm 9:30am 5:15pm-7:15pm 2:30pm-7:30pm Private Event 116/HRF Special HCA Board Patron Children's **Private Event** Private Event Private Event Board Meeting Art Class with Meeting (Informal Rm) 3:00pm Doreen Water District 7:00pm-9:00pm **Regular Board** Private Event Meeting (Formal Rm) 22 17 18 19 20 21 23 7:00pm-9:00pm NO ART CLASS 9:30am 8:00am-12:00pm **Private Event Private Event** Women's Club **Regular Meeting** 25 26 29 30 24 27 28 **NO ART CLASS** 8:00am-12:00pm 9:00am-11:00am Private Event Happy Luminaries & Bow Thanksgiving Sale ~hosted by HCA **HRF OFFICE CLOSED 116 DISTRICT OFFICE CLOSED**

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.

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General Information:	832-413-5333
Customer service and billing: (TOPS)	281-807-9500
Water Emergencies: (Karl Skarboszewski)	281-807-9500
Huntwick Recreation Facility Information: (Jamie O'Boyle)	281-444-3404 ext. 4

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: <u>huntwickwater@comcast.net</u>

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, 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 debitd 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 of at Clubhouse HRF Office.

Attention HC WCID 116 District Customers:

Due to a coding error on the September water bill statements, you may be entitled to a tier rate reduction off your bill. Please contact TOPS at 281-807-9500 to see if you qualify.



Did you know that you can access your water services account online to view current balance, water usage and have a notification sent to your email letting you know when the next statement is available to view

and/or print? Visit <u>https://www.huntwickwater.com/customer-info/</u> for easy to follow instructions for online login and e-bill setup.

HC WCID 116 Office Holiday Hours:

Closed November 28-29, 2019

For Water related emergencies, call 281-807-9500

• Happy Thanksgiving!

Huntwick Recreation Facilities Office Holiday Hours: Closed November 26-29, 2019

For HRF related emergencies, call 713-503-3880

Offices will reopen during normal operating hours on Monday, Dec 2 from 9am-5pm.

