



Cutten Green Informer



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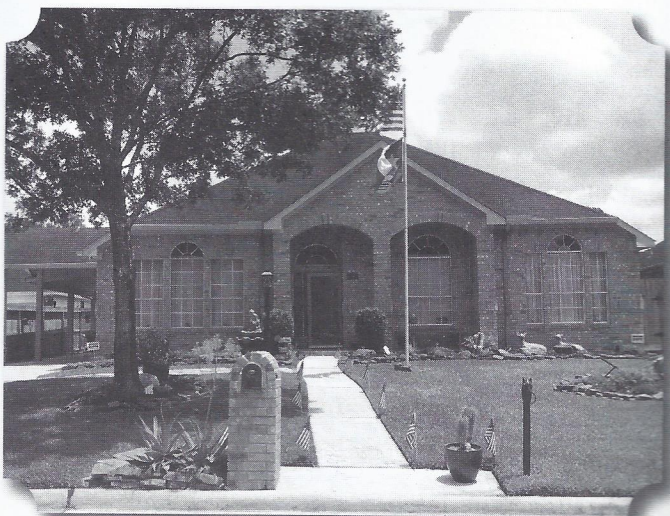
YARD of the MONTH for June 2020



This beauty mixes a bit of Southwest charm and lots of patriotism. Everywhere one looks one finds balance, color, & natural elements. The tree on the left side of the yard is balanced by the large bed containing the old plow & bright red vegetation on the right, which

help to play up the patriotic touches found throughout the yard. Old Glory certainly shines brightly in this yard! The healthy green grass provides a wonderful backdrop for the colorful succulents, and the large fountain left of the door and the 2 large deer resting on the right invite the observer to stop, rest, and remember those who have given their blood, sweat, and tears for this country.

Congratulations to The McBride Family!
6411 Brittany Park Lane- Section 2



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Cutten Green would like to salute
its 2020 Graduates.

Email a bio and a picture to:
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**Remember
Dad
Sunday,
June 21st**

*If you no longer want to advertise
on the residents' page, please email
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Please check that your information is updated too.*



DARIO's DESK

Monthly Technology Tips

*** June 2020 ***

COVID-19 Epidemic has rendered our seniors extremely susceptible and must quarantine.

The results of separation from family, friends and normal activity can be very challenging.

Tech can play an important option to assist in maintaining some form of normal activity and keep connected to the outside world.

Please visit these websites for further information:

For free video chat for Windows, IOS and Android: <https://downloads.digitaltrends.com/zoom/windows>

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/johnkoetsier/2020/04/02/elder-tech-how-to-keep-seniors-connected-safe-happy-in-the-coronavirus-era/#60cd36a466cf>

<https://www.zdnet.com/article/for-seniors-on-covid-19-lockdown-alexa-proves-to-be-a-valuable-friend/>

If anyone has a question, comment or needs tech assistance I'm listed in our Cutten Green Informer directory.

Also a reminder: please sign up at Next Door Cutten Green website :

<https://nextdoor.com/invite/xbbkcaesgrdaspbqnfme>

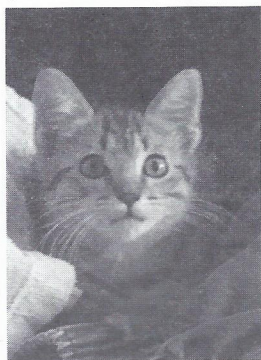
Here you can keep up with current or social events in our subdivision and surrounding subdivisions.

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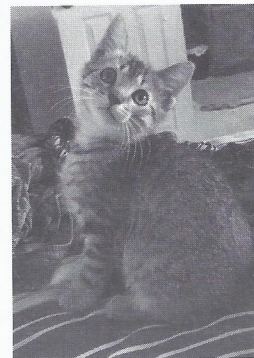
CG Residents:

If you are one of the 70% who still has a job or steady income, PLEASE consider making a \$50 donation to an animal rescue. Donations made to 501c organizations are fully tax deductible. I am trying to get at least 3 fifty dollar checks made to Pet Connect. Many times a family does not want to separate

siblings. Since each pet is fully vetted, including spayed/neutered, the adoption fee is \$95 per cat/kitten. If we can use one \$50 donation to off set the total price for adopting 2 cats/kittens, it will help out more than you can imagine. Please email me so that I can pick up a check or give you their mailing address for a donation. Thanks.



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PLAYHOUSE 1960 SUMMER CAMP

Hello Summer Camp Family!!!

So many of you have reached out asking if we will be having summer camps this year and we have been working hard to make that happen.

First and foremost, we know this is a very complicated and trying time for everyone due to COVID-19 and want you to know the health and safety of our community is our #1 priority in all decisions we have made below. We, as a theatre, must begin to make contingency plans for our future productions and summer camps that are so vital to our little theatre home. Since a lot of information from our state and

local authorities will be coming in closer to the end of May, we have decided to put out our current plan to allow for our summer camp program if we are given the green light from the state and local authorities to give us and you more time to prepare. We know this is a lot of new policies and changes to our regular camp experience but please know our goal is to maintain as much camp fun with great performances as possible while keeping each other healthy and safe. Please read through this entire email as there will be lots of new info and possible changes that will affect all campers. If you have any questions or concerns, please email patricia.gant@gmail.com or call 832-713-1648.

1. We will only have summer camp if and when the State of Texas and Harris County authorities give permission and we will follow all guidelines given by them. If we are not granted permission to have summer camps, all camp registrations will be refunded in full.

2. Camper Spots will be greatly limited to a smaller number in order to keep social distancing guidelines. We do have campers already signed up online and through mail and we will not be able to accommodate more spots once they are full.

3. We will require all campers and camp crew to have their temperature taken before leaving home and we will again take their temperature with a no touch + forehead thermometer upon arrival to theatre with their drop off representative present.

4. At this time, all crew and campers will be required to have masks during camp. We are awaiting more guidance as to when and what appropriate times to wear them. This information will be updated.

5. Campers will not be allowed to share any materials brought to camp. IE: food, pencils, scripts, phones etc...

6. We have hands-free hand sanitizer stations through out the theatre that will be used during camp times as well as hand soap washing before and after lunch and snack breaks and during bathroom visits.

7. We will not allow campers to have physical hands on contact of any kind during the camps. The crew will be diligent in teaching them the proper way to interact healthy and happy with one another in order to stay within all guidelines.

INTERESTED PAST AND NEW CAMP HELPERS AND INTERNS ...

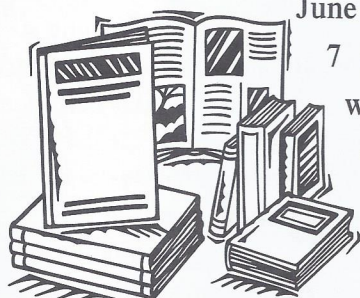
We have positions to fill in all areas!

PLEASE EMAIL (patricia.gant@gmail.com)

Mrs. Trish for updated info regarding helping this year!

JUNE 11TH CUTTEN GREEN BOOK CLUB

June 2020 Cutten Green Book Club will be on
June 11, 2020 starting at



7 pm. The bookclub
will meet via Zoom
online. This month the
discussion will be on
the book "Where
the Crawdads

Sing" by Delia Owens. The books for the next
three (3) months of reading will also be selected
at the June meeting. Please contact Julianne
Srirama at 281-989-5162 if you would like
to be sent an invitation to the Zoom meeting.

10 Secret Kitchen Ingredients That Can Help Your Garden Grow

by Lauren Cahn

Who knew that these pantry ingredients were so good for the garden?



Make flowers bloom like crazy with baking soda

If there were an award for most versatile of pantry ingredients, baking soda would certainly be a nominee. In addition to this baking soda hack, you can sprinkle it on the surface of your soil to make your geraniums, coneflowers, daylilies and clematis bloom like crazy.

That's because baking soda is alkaline, and those flowers thrive on alkaline soil.

Repel ants with cream of tartar

No one wants to share their outdoor dining table with ants, but if you're not inclined to use chemicals to keep them away, you can use cream of tartar instead. (Get a new jar here!) Simply sprinkle a bit of cream of tartar on the perimeter of the table or wherever you want to "dust their trail," recommends the Farmer's Almanac.

Repel squirrels with cayenne

Squirrels are adorable until they start digging up your daffodil and tulip bulbs. To deter them, sprinkle cayenne pepper around your bulb gardens. Reapply when you see the squirrels returned.

Erase algae with white vinegar

Forget renting a power washer! All you need to get rid of that unwanted icky green stuff on your patio is to spray it with full-strength distilled white vinegar.

Use baking soda for sweeter tomatoes

A more alkaline soil makes tomatoes sweeter. To grow sweeter tomatoes, simply sprinkle baking soda on the surface of your soil in your tomato garden.

Clean and condition garden tools with olive oil

Rub olive oil onto the cutting and digging surfaces of your garden tools, as well as on your lawn mower blades. This will repel dirt and rust and make it easier to clean them next time.

Fight fungus with baking soda

While baking soda doesn't kill fungus, you can use it to prevent fungus because its alkalinity creates an environment hostile to fungal growth. Simply stir a teaspoon of baking soda into a liter of water and spray the leaves of your fungus-prone plants (these include tomatoes and lilacs).

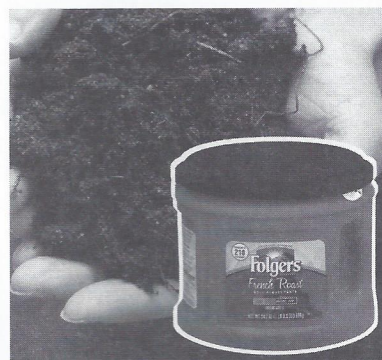
Turn pink hydrangeas blue with vinegar

Unlike baking soda, distilled white vinegar is acidic, and acidic soil is the secret to turning your pink hydrangeas blue. (Note: This doesn't work on white hydrangeas.) Vinegar also enhances the soil of acid-loving plants like azaleas, rhododendrons and gardenias. Use a cup of white distilled vinegar to a gallon of tap water.

Say goodbye to beetles with liquid dish soap

My biggest complaint with Japanese beetles is how they can quickly turn beautiful zinnia leaves into lacy remnants of their former selves. They also decimate over 300 other types of garden plants. Unfortunately, the best way to get rid of them is to hand-pick them off your plants...and drown

them in a mixture of water and dishwashing soap. Sorry...not sorry....we're talking zinnias here!



Attract earthworms with coffee grounds

Adding coffee grounds to your soil benefits your soil by attracting earthworms and microorganisms (both of which make

your soil healthier and more fertile). But note: fresh coffee grounds are acidic, whereas used coffee grounds are neutral. If you are enhancing the soil of an alkaline-soil loving plant (such as geraniums or sweet tomatoes), then used coffee grounds are the way to go.



Fireworks & Pets Don't Mix

Things to consider doing NOW to prepare for 4th July fireworks if you are a pet owner.



You know this happens two or three times a year! Fireworks scare cats and dogs. Consider making an investment by sound proofing a closet, a bathroom, a laundry room or an interior space with no windows. You can Google soundproofing. There are sound proof inserts and even soundproof wall paper. But the key is to do it now. You can't wait til July 1st.

Another thing to consider buying is a vest that calms cats and dogs by fitting snugly around their bodies, just like if you were holding them. You have to order right away because they might take a week to ship.

Something else to consider is having a distraction like music (preferably soothing) near your pet before and during the fireworks. Have several treats handy so they can keep their minds off those loud booms.

If you have outdoor pets, please consider bringing them inside for the night. If you have a cage stored, now is a good time to set it up on your back porch. Have blankets and treats ready. Lock them down from sunset to sunup.

If your pet is likely to have a nervous breakdown, make a vet appointment this week. Talk to the vet and see if the vet recommends sedatives. You'll have to order them, and that takes time. Do this asap !

Some people recommend oils for pets. Those will have to be ordered on line unless you know a person who sells oils. Time is running out. Read more online or speak to a person who sells oils.

Google "ways to calm my pet" and read a few of the hundreds of articles. Prepare your fur baby as best as you can.



Here's Exactly Why Clorox Is So Good at Killing Germs

by Emily DiNuzzo Updated: Mar. 11, 2020

Hint: It has to do with the smell, too.

It's always very obvious when someone's just finished cleaning with Clorox. The smell is so distinct that many people automatically think of one word when they get a whiff: clean. Although spreading germs is a part of life, and some germs are living in and on you that you couldn't live without, you can avoid the unnecessary ones that spread disease with the help of cleaning products like Clorox—but how does it work? And can it kill the coronavirus?

So why is Clorox good at killing germs?

If Clorox Regular Bleach is your go-to cleaner, you're probably wondering how and why it's so good at disinfecting. Thank the main ingredient, bleach, for these antimicrobial properties, according to Travers Anderson, a Research and Development Manager for Clorox. It's especially great for disinfecting because it's an oxidant that attacks and breaks down the cell walls of microorganisms. "This mechanism is indiscriminate, meaning it will attack many different molecules that make up the cell walls of microorganisms," Anderson says. "This allows it to work across a broad spectrum of organisms such as bacteria, viruses, and fungi." Plus, this means these organisms can't develop a resistance to Clorox Regular Bleach, according to Anderson. So, yes, you should definitely use Clorox products to clean these little things everyone forgets to clean (but shouldn't).

Is it effective against coronavirus?

The ultimate test of a cleaning product's mettle right now is whether or not it kills the coronavirus, COVID-19. And, sure enough, Clorox passes this test! "Several Clorox disinfecting products...have demonstrated effectiveness against viruses similar to COVID-19 on hard, non-porous surfaces," a Clorox spokesperson tells Reader's Digest. "Therefore, per the EPA's Emerging Pathogen policy, they can be used against COVID-19 when used as directed." More than 25 Clorox products make both the EPA's list and American Chemistry Council's Center for Biocide Chemistries' (CBC) list of antimicrobial products to use against the virus. These products include Clorox Regular Bleach, Clorox Clean-Up Cleaner & Bleach Spray, and Clorox Disinfecting Wipes. And Clorox's site also has a list of the approved products, plus some more helpful information on the virus in general.

And what about that smell?

So you know Clorox works, but what's the meaning behind the smell? According to Anderson, that distinct Clorox scent is purposeful. "The smell of the bleach when you open the bottle is a way to know your bleach still has active cleaning agents," he says. "This is especially helpful if you tend to have bottles stored in your home for a long time." When you use it, the smell lets you know that the product is working to breakdown the germs on the surface, according to Anderson. Next, find out these clever ways you haven't been using bleach—but should.

Graduates

congratulations
class of 2020



Kayleigh
Michelle
CULLOM

Kayleigh Michelle Cullom is a 2020 graduate of Sam Houston State University with a Bachelors Degree in Business Administration. She was a member of the Sam Houston State Marching Band and Color Guard where she performed in numerous competitions across the state. Kayleigh was a 2016 graduate of Klein Forest High School where she was a member of the band and was the Captain of the Color Guard. Kayleigh is planning to continue her studies to obtain a Masters Degree at Sam Houston State University.

★ Help celebrate the 2020 Graduates ★
Email a bio and a picture to:
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Thanks.

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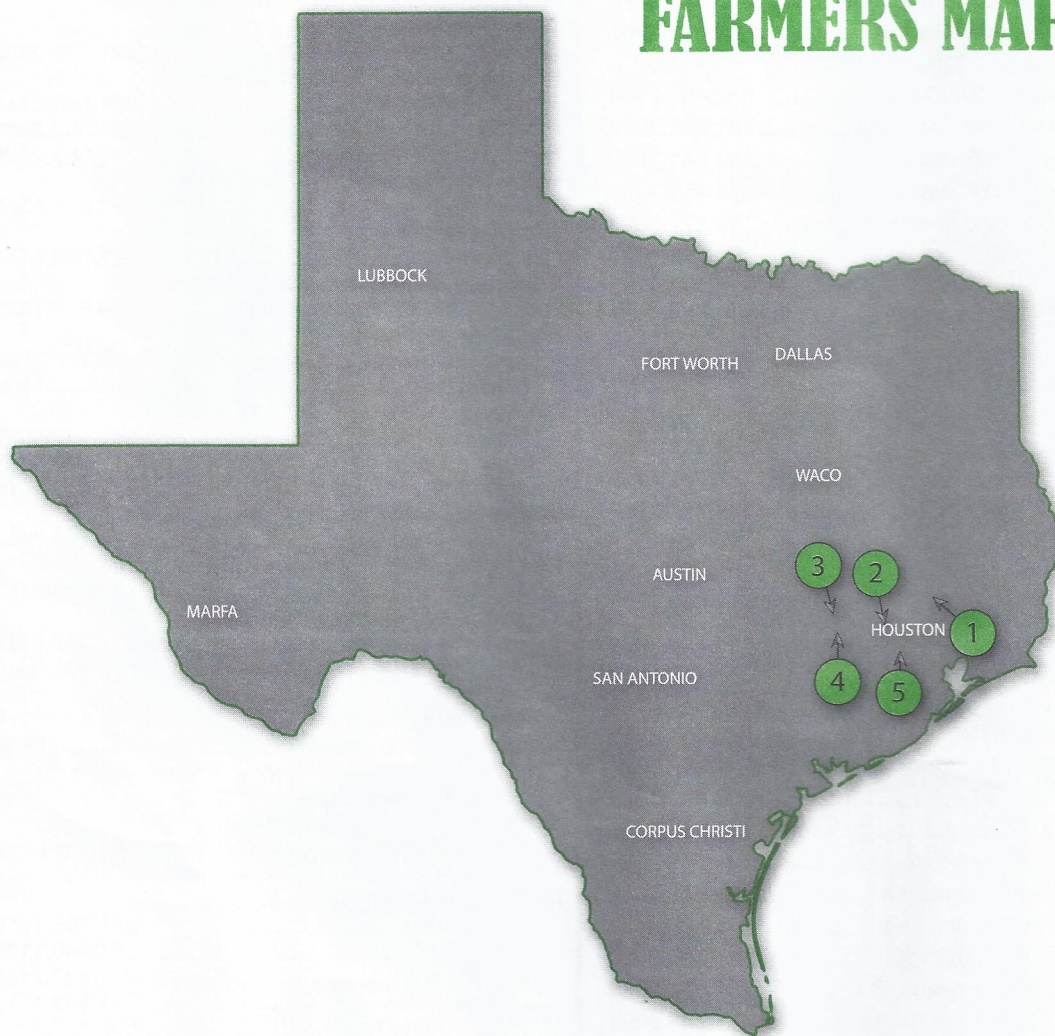
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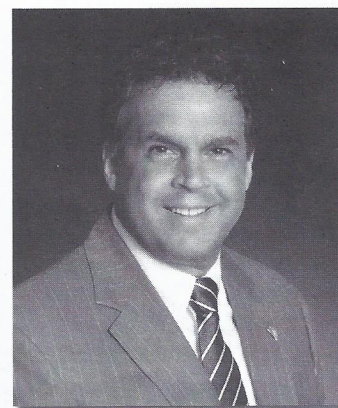
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