# **BUSINESS NEWS** We salute these Katy area businesses for giving back!

# Katy Magazine gives a shout-out to all the good

# Primrose School of Kelliwood

Primrose School of Kelliwood celebrated 14 years of business with cake and food for parents, students, and staff.

# Camp Bow Wow

Camp Bow Wow is a national sponsor of the American Cancer Society Bark for Life. Bark for Life is a fundraising event that touches the lives of canines and their companions, and empowers people to contribute to the fight against cancer.

# Katy Family YMCA

The YMCA's Water Wise program was offered free of charge at different apartment complexes in the Katy area. The curriculum teaches children and adults who can't swim how to survive if they get into trouble in water.

# Wild West Festival

This year's event not only drew in a record number of participants, but also earned a record amount to benefit Katy area youth. Chairman David Loesch estimated net proceeds to exceed \$90,000.

# **Grace Preschool**

Katie Sukduang is among 16 teachers across six states that were recognized for excellence in preparing preschoolers for kindergarten through the effective use of educational technology.

# **ER Katy**

The staff at ER Katy offered a \$1000 scholarship to one graduating senior in Katy ISD going into a medical field.

# **Houston Methodist Hospital**

The hospital received a grant from The Avon Foundation for \$100,000 to support their efforts toward treatments for breast cancer.

# **Spanish Learning Castle**

Congratulations to Spanish Learning Castle which is celebrating their oneyear anniversary of helping children learn a second language and acquire unique skills for the future.

# **Gallery Furniture**

The furniture store replaced mattresses that were ruined during the Memorial Day flooding for free.

# **HUB Hyundai Mitsubishi West**

The dealership held the first-ever competition between the fire department and the police department in a hot dog-eating contest. All proceeds benefited the 100 Club.

# LJA Engineering, Inc.

John S. Grounds, III, PhD, PE, CFM, D.WRE, director of water resources at LJA Engineering, Inc. received the Roy D. Sedwick Service Award. Grounds was acknowledged for his significant influences to floodplain management and valued service to the association.

# **ESN Health**

The center's clients paid trainers to do specific workouts. ESN doubled the money and donated it to the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

# **Kingsland Dental Group**

Dr. Ingrid Duebbert, of Kingsland Dental Group, recently received the President Award from the Greater Houston Dental Society.

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# news happening in our business community

# ConocoPhillips

Katy resident, Jennifer Clayton, was recently recognized for hitting a home run in the classroom. ConocoPhillips, in partnership with the Houston Astros, honored Clayton at an Astros game for going above and beyond to help students excel in math education.

# **Houston Methodist Hospital**

The hospital offered grant assistance to non-profit agencies providing healthcare to underserved communities in the Greater Houston area.

### **MW Cleaners**

The dry cleaning company recently hosted a Tie Drive benefiting The Salvation Army, accepting any new or gently used ties at all of their locations.

# Texas Children's

Texas Children's Hospital's alarm management team has won the AAMI Foundation & Institute for Technology Health Care's Clinical Solution Award.

# Memorial Hermann Prevention and Recovery Center

The center was presented the James W. West, M.D. Quality Improvement Award in recognition of its Pain Recovery Program. This year is the second time Memorial Hermann PaRC has received this prestigious award.

# **Rover Oaks Pet Resort**

The pet resort recently launched its month-long donation drive, Operation: War Dogs, to support the non-profit organization, Mission K9 Rescue. War Dogs has raised over \$40,000 for the U.S. War Dogs Association.

# **Tradition Bank**

Employees recently participated in the Katy Police Officers Association fish fry and auction. The event is hosted to raise funds for yearround expenses to support the Behind the Badge fund, which is for the families of officers who are killed or injured in the line of duty.

# The Athletic Performance Lab

Katy's Lab celebrated their one-year anniversary at their facility with food, games, and even a dunking booth.

# **Members Choice Credit Union**

This program was created to encourage the love of reading in young children. They provided books and a buddy, a stuffed animal to cuddle with while reading, for students to take home and start their own personal library.

# **Katy Family YMCA**

Giving the gift of life! Katy YMCA recently hosted a blood drive in partnership with Gulf Coast Regional. Anyone who donated, or attempted to donate, received a five-dollar Starbucks gift card.

# **Mattress Firm**

The company recently hosted an event where its CEO Steve Stagner issued store credit to individuals and families affected by the damaging floods.

Qualifying customers received a \$700 credit toward any in-store purchase - from a brand new mattress to pillows and accessories.



We'd love to hear about the positive things you're doing in Katy!