



neighbors in dire need.

## Helping After Harvey

All of us at Boys and Girls Country continue to pray for the recovery of those impacted by Hurricane Harvey. Thankfully, our cottages are dry and our kids are safe. Our kids were eager to help the community, and many cottages spent the week volunteering at area churches and helping clean out homes. [Check out our BLOG POST about these efforts.](#) We are encouraged by the servant hearts of our children and staff.

We ask you to pray for our campus while you direct your efforts toward your own recovery and that of your family and

## A little sunshine after the storm Summer Celebration Video

Thank you for making sure our kids had a fun and safe summer! Because of our donors and volunteers, our kids enjoyed church camp, VBS, summer jobs, vacations, and more. Enjoy our summer fun video!



## Your Support Sent Over 100 Kids Back to School Donors Give Kids Successful Start

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our Back

# COTTAGE 7



**Roman is ready for High School!**

to School campaign in August. Our children eagerly started school on Tuesday, and they were happy to have everything they needed to start the year right.

"Mike" is 16, and he started at Waller this week. He came to live with us at the beginning of the summer. He has attended over 23 schools in the Greater Houston area. You are providing kids like Mike stability and support to be successful in school and life. Thank you!

## College & Career Update Our Young Adults

The C&C kids had a great summer working and taking a break from school. We wanted you to know what they are up to!

- Billie, Cynthia, Kelly and Macleod are all taking classes at Lone Star College and working part time.
- Starting their junior year, Jean Paul is back at UT and Tracey is at Texas State.
- Cynthia and Vannesa are both working on their phlebotomy certifications and hope to find work in their field soon.
- Helen is starting her Freshman year at Sam Houston, and Naidi is a freshman at Prairie View A&M.
- Denisha is finishing her RN at University of North Texas in Denton.
- Levi and Joseph are both working at local businesses and doing well.



**C&C students work in addition to attending classes**

## A Big THANK YOU Goes To

Grace Fellowship United Methodist Church  
Lone Star College Cy-Fair  
St. Maximilian Kolbe Catholic Community  
Jackrabbit Tennis Club  
Newcomers and Neighbors of Greater Houston  
Siemens  
Community of Faith  
Dayna Williams  
Frank Richardson & Friends  
Aileen Kirkham, Lou Black, Bonnie Buhl  
Alejandra Peimbert & BARC  
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## About Boys and Girls Country

In 1971, Tommy and Jean Robinson founded Boys and Girls Country with \$25 and two acres of land. Their intent-to provide a Christian home for children from families in crisis-has been the mission of BGC ever since.

Every year, more than 100 children and young adults from families in crisis call Boys and Girls Country home. It costs \$146 per day to care for one child at Boys and Girls Country. We can't do it without your gifts of time, treasure and talent. Thank you for investing in our kids!

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