AYLUS VIRTUAL SEMINAR

Pearland Branch

presented by Kate Liu

ABOUT ME

• I'm in tenth grade at Glenda Dawson

High School

• I have been a part of AYLUS Pearland

for the past five years

• I am currently one of the Vice

Presidents of the Pearland Branch



ABOUT AYLUS PEARLAND

- AYLUS Pearland is located in the suburban part of the greater Houston area
- AYLUS Pearland was founded in September 2015
- In the past five years, the program has organized over 170 recorded events
- In total, the Pearland branch has over 200 members
- Our mission is: AYLUS promotes the development of its members' leadership, integrity and innovation, through the planning and execution of volunteer projects that aim at benefiting their communities.

ANNUAL ELECTIONS

01 CAMPAIGN

All current members of AYLUS Pearland can campaign for a position as a leader.

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SPEECHES

The potential leaders give a speech about their involvement in the organization and what they would like to bring to AYLUS.

03 ELECTION

Leaders are determined by the popular vote of the members and board leaders.

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LEADERS

After elections, the new leaders work together to help run AYLUS and provide events for the members to attend. In addition, leaders help write summaries that are found on the AYLUS Pearland Website

AYLUS LEADERS



PRESIDENT Andy Gu



VICE-PRESIDENT Andy Jiang



TREASURER BARON NIU



VICE-PRESIDENT JAYDEN LU



HISTORIAN JASON YANG



VICE-PRESIDENT Kate Liu



SECRETARY THOMAS LIANG



PUBLIC RELATIONS AARON WU

COLLABORATING

AYLUS Pearland enjoys collaborating with local and national organizations to provide more volunteer opportunities.

Pearland Parks and Recreation

AYLUS Pearland works with the the Pearland Parks and Recreation center for events such as the annual July 4th celebration.

-Festival hosted at the Independence Park -Volunteers helped with monitoring inflatables, rides and helped clean up the park after the fireworks were over





Keep Pearland Beautiful

Keep Pearland Beautiful is another local organization that helps better the nature in the community. -AYLUS collaborates with KPB to help clean up by collecting trash from parks such as Tom Bass and the Centennial Park

C.A.R.E and FASCA

With the help of CARE and FASCA, AYLUS helps pack and distribute backpacks annually at elementary schools throughout the Houston area. -Members fill the bags with school supplies

-Then, the bags are delivered to students for them to use for the new school year



Pearland Chinese Association

AYLUS Pearland helps the Pearland Chinese Association set up and monitor the annual Chinese New Year Gala. In addition, some members from AYLUS help host the night's show by introducing the Chinese culture inspired acts

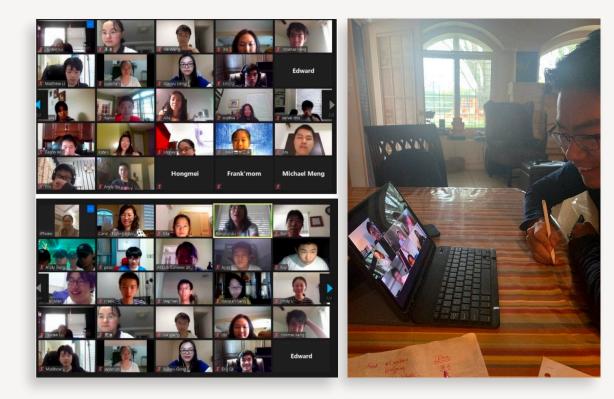


TUTORING

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AYLUS Pearland helps younger students with different aspects of education such as dance, art, reading, math, tennis, swim, and many others.

HELLO WUHAN



In the summer of 2020, members of AYLUS Pearland connected with students from Wuhan to educate them about American culture and teach them how to read and speak English. -Lessons were held twice a week and the students were divided among the members.

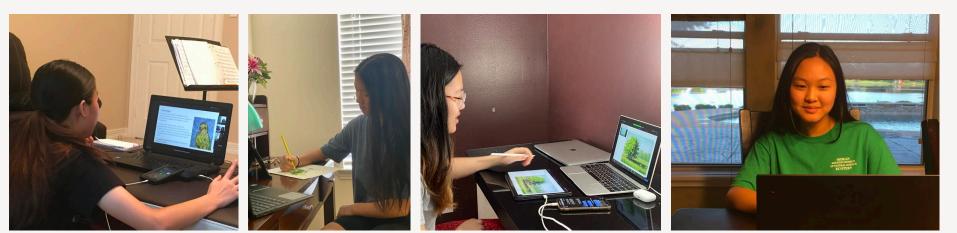
SUMMER LESSONS

Every year in the summer, AYLUS members teach free classes that are open for all community members to attend to. In the past years, classes were held at local facilities such as the local Micheal's art classroom for the arts and craft class. All subjects such as academics, arts, and sports were all taught throughout these classes. Given the new circumstance this summer, all classes were held virtually through Zoom.

ART CLASS







TENNIS

SWIM



CHESS



ΜΑΤΗ



READING

DANCE



FUNDRAISING

AYLUS Pearland organizes various events to help raise money for local causes such as school clubs and charities.

GARAGE SALES

Every year, around the end of summer, AYLUS members will organize a garage sale selling donated items from the community.

-Each garage sale donates to different school programs such as the West Junior High math club, Dawson tennis team, and the Dawson Model UN club.



D R I V E W A Y W A S H E S

AYLUS helps community residents power wash their driveways. The money collected from these washes are used to donate towards charities and local economically disadvantaged schools such as Hobby Elementary school.



HOBBY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DONATIONS



Hobby Elementary School is an elementary school located in Houston, 99% of the school's students are economically disadvantaged. The outbreak of COVID-19 brought hardships to many families of students that attend the elementary school. Therefore, the important cause urged 46 AYLUS members and community families donated a total of \$2700 within two weeks.

CULTURE

In addition to bettering the community, AYLUS also enjoys spreading knowledge and joys of Chinese culture towards community members.



AYLUS helps setup the celebration for Lunar New Year at Dawson and prepare acts such as singing Chinese folk songs or perform traditional Chinese dances. In addition, members will bring homemade Chinese dishes for visitors to enjoy.

Dawson's Asian Culture Celebration

MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL

AYLUS attends the Multicultural festival annually, which is hosted by Pearland High School. Members help organize AYLUS's booth and set up decorations. In addition, they help monitor activities such as Chinese calligraphy, yoyo, and a photo booth where visitors can dress up in traditional Chinese clothing.

CARING FOR THE COMMUNITY

AYLUS helps out at places like local nursing homes and the food bank by caring for our local community members that are in need.

PERFORMANCES AT NURSING HOMES





During the summer months and holiday season, AYLUS members perform at various local nursing homes to bring joy and entertain the seniors. A large variety of acts are performed such as dancing, singing, instrument playing, kung fu, and yoyo

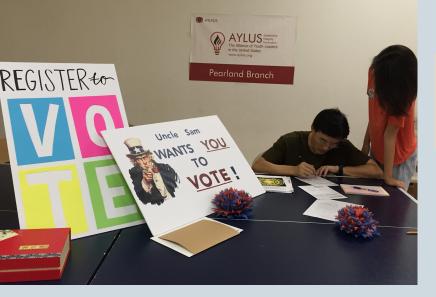
FOOD BANK

Every year, members of AYLUS volunteer at the Houston food bank to help provide meals for families and residents around the greater Houston area. In addition, after Hurricane Harvey members volunteered at the food bank to help with hurricane relief for affected families.



CAMPAIGNING

During the time period surrounding the election, AYLUS participates in promoting voter registration and getting involved into political matters by giving the younger generation a chance to have a voice.



During the months leading up to the election, AYLUS helped organize a booth so that local residents could register to vote. Members helped make posters to inform people about the importance of registering to vote and also talking to community members to encourage them to register to vote.

VOTER REGISTRATION BOOTH



PHONE BANKING

During large political campaigns, AYLUS members work together to phone bank while following laws and regulations, which encourages the younger generation to become educated on important political issues as well as allow them to use their voice. Members phoned potential voters for the presidential nominees. Within the two hours of working, the members were able to complete more than 800 phone calls.



COVID-19 RELIEF

The current pandemic has put many medical facilities and families in a hard position. AYLUS is fortunate enough to have the opportunity to help families and medical centers with donations and service.

HELPING FIRST RESPONDERS + HEALTH CARE WORKERS

After the amount of COVID-19 cases began to increase, AYLUS members worked together to donate PPE and supplies such as N95 face masks, gloves, sanitizers, etc. In addition, over \$15,000 was raised with the help of the Pearland Chinese Association (PCA) and the members of AYLUS. The acts of kindness from AYLUS Pearland were captured on the Houston Chronicle and Community Impact News.



DONATIONS OFPPE



AYLUS members helped donate more PPE items towards one of Pearland's High Schools, Glenda Dawson, so that students and teachers have additional hygiene products to use as they are learning or teaching.

F O O D D R I V E

AYLUS members helped donate food items to the Pearland Neighborhood Center. A few members helped distribute the items at the facility while following social distance and safety orders.



IN CONCLUSION,

Over the last 5 years, AYLUS has been able to organize over 170 volunteer opportunities evolving around numerous aspects. In addition, we aspire for more individuals to join AYLUS Pearland and extend our involvement and collaboration with various organizations to bring more diverse volunteer opportunities.

THANKYOU FOR LISTENING

Thank you for your time and thank you AYLUS National for this invitation. I hope that you all stay safe and healthy. I will be happy to answer any questions that you may have. Have a good rest of you night!