



The Official Newsletter of The Steeplechase Community Improvement Association, Inc. and Steeplechase



## NEW STEEPLCHASE WEBSITE ACTIVATED

The Steeplechase Community Improvement Association has redesigned its website to better provide you with useful information and reference data. The new website address is [www.steeplechasecia.com](http://www.steeplechasecia.com). The previous websites are no longer functioning. This improved website has two sections, one public and one password protected for "Residents Only". (Renters in Steeplechase can gain access to the "Residents" section only if the homeowner, the landlord, registers their account and gives the renter access.) The password protected area will provide you with your individual account status with Chaparral Management, access to the BOD meeting agendas and minutes, a community events calendar and other community information.

You must register on this website to access the "Residents Only" section. Be certain that the email you enter during registration is the email at which you would like to receive news and announcements about Steeplechase. During registration be sure to enter your information as Chaparral Management would have received it from the closing documents on the purchase of your property. If you continue to have errors registering there is an "Unable to Sign Up" option to get assistance. If you are a renter, as mentioned earlier, your landlord must release the information to you before you can access the "Residents Only" section of the website.

Common errors when trying to register include entering a mailing address, not the property address; entering a nickname or shortened first name instead of a legal name (e.g., Bill vs. William) and hyphenated last names. These entries will result in not being able to register.

In the "Residents Only" section, there are links to provide feedback, contact Chaparral personnel and others.

The BOD looks forward to getting every resident signed up for this convenient, user friendly website to stay up to date with what's happening in Steeplechase.

## WALKING TRAIL PARKING AREA

The parking area for the walking trail is nearing completion. The concrete pad has been poured and is useable. Weather permitting, striping will be placed in early March. Boulders and sod (grass) are in place. Plants will be installed once the sporadic freeze weather stops and returns to a warmer cycle.



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Cy-Fair Hospital.....	281-890-4285
Animal Control .....	281-999-3191
Center Point (Street lights) .....	713-207-2222
<a href="http://cnp.centerpointenergy.com/outage">http://cnp.centerpointenergy.com/outage</a>	
Neighborhood Crime Watch .....	SteeplechaseSecurity@gmail.com
Library.....	281-890-2665
Post Office.....	713-937-6827
Steeplechase Community Center.....	281-586-1700
Deed Restriction Issues (CMC) .....	281-586-1700
Water/Sewer .....	713-405-1750
Architectural Control (CMC).....	281-586-1700
Trash Pick-up (Best Trash, LLC) (Wed. & Sat.) .....	281-313-BEST
Harris Co. Pct. 4 Road Maintenance .....	281-353-8424
Harris Co. MUD #168.....	hcmud168board@gmail.com
Community Events.....	281-586-1700
Clubhouse Rentals: Private Parties and Community Events (Jinnie Kelley).....	832-922-8030
Traffic Initiative .....	281-290-2100
Private Pool Parties .....	281-446-5003

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## Community Center Contacts

### Community Maintenance Concerns

Chaparral Management Company .....	281-586-1700
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### Clubhouse Rentals

Private Parties and Community Events (Jinnie Kelley).....	832-922-8030
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### Pool Company Contact

Aquatic Management of Houston. ....	281-446-5003
<a href="http://www.houston-pmg.com">www.houston-pmg.com</a>	

### Board Member Contact

Chaparral Management Company .....	281-586-1700
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## Schools

Emmott Elementary.....	281-897-4500
Campbell Middle School .....	281-897-4300
Cy-Ridge High School.....	281-807-8000

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## MUTT MITTS FOR THE WALKING TRAIL

MUD 168 will be installing MUTT MITT stations at the Walking Trail so that dog walkers can pick up, clean up after their dog has done their "business". If you are dog walker, please use the MUTT MITTs as needed and deposit it in one of the trash cans located along the trail.

Thanks for your help in keeping the trail clean and enjoyable for all to use.



## STEEPLECHASE COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE DATE SET

The Steeplechase Community Improvement Association is sponsoring a Steeplechase community-wide garage sale on Saturday, May 16th from

8:00 am until 12:00 noon. The Association will advertise the community garage sale in the local newspapers starting on Saturday, May 9th and will put signs up on Sunday, May 10th at the Jones Road entrance, Fetlock at Eldridge, Paddock Way at Eldridge and West Road at Yearling entrances. The garage sale details will be posted on the marquee at the clubhouse starting on Sunday, May 10th and will remain there until the garage sale is over. The Association needs to get some idea of the number of participants, so if you are planning to participate please send an email to Stacy at Chaparral Management (sjohnston@chaparralmanagement.com) or call Stacy at 281-537-0957.

If we do not get a reasonable number of participants, the sale will not be advertised.

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## STEEPLECHASE RESIDENT SURVEY

I AM A PROPERTY OWNER \_\_\_\_\_ RENTER \_\_\_\_\_

### TENNIS COURTS

Do you use the courts? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, how many times per month? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you play during Day \_\_\_\_\_ Night \_\_\_\_\_ Both \_\_\_\_\_

How would you rate the courts? Poor \_\_\_\_\_ Okay \_\_\_\_\_ Good \_\_\_\_\_ Very Nice \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any suggestions about the facilities? \_\_\_\_\_

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### POOL

Do you get pool tags for the season? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

How would you rate the pool facilities? Poor \_\_\_\_\_ Okay \_\_\_\_\_ Good \_\_\_\_\_ Very Nice \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any suggestions about the facilities? \_\_\_\_\_

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### CLUBHOUSE

Do you know that you can rent the clubhouse? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, are you likely to rent again? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

How would you rate the facilities? Poor \_\_\_\_\_ Okay \_\_\_\_\_ Good \_\_\_\_\_ Very Nice \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any suggestions about the facilities? \_\_\_\_\_

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### CUL-DE-SACS

Do you live in a cul-de-sac? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, how would you rate the condition of your cul-de-sac? Poor \_\_\_\_\_ Okay \_\_\_\_\_ Good \_\_\_\_\_ Very Nice \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any suggestions about the cul-de-sacs? \_\_\_\_\_

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The Steeplechase Board of Directors is asking residents to complete this survey to provide input about usage and evaluations of the various amenities in Steeplechase. The survey can be mailed, scanned and emailed, or faxed to Chaparral Management, Attn: Stacy Johnston. Alternately, this same survey is located on the new website and can be completed after you have registered on the website.

The deadline for submitting the survey to Chaparral Management is Friday, May 29th. Results will be compiled and published in a future newsletter article and on the website. The Steeplechase Board of Directors thanks you for your time and looks forward to receiving your input.

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## MEMORIAL DAY COOKOUT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Steeplechase pool opens on Memorial Day weekend. As usual the Association is sponsoring a cookout at the pool.

The cookout is on Monday, May 25th with serving to start at 11:30 am. Setup will start at 10:30 am. This event always has been run by volunteers from the Steeplechase neighborhood. Help is needed to setup, cook, serve and cleanup. If you can help with the cookout please email your contact information (name, telephone number, and email address)

to [sjohnston@chaparralmanagement.com](mailto:sjohnston@chaparralmanagement.com) or call Stacy at 281-537-0957. Thanks for your help.



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Questions?

**Boys:** Mark Rufo at [mrufu@albionhurricanes.org](mailto:mrufu@albionhurricanes.org) or call 979-453-1933

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## Cypress Symphony 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Fundraising Gala

The Cypress Symphony hosts its 3rd Annual Fundraising Gala and Season Announcement Dinner presented by Clearwater Utilities at 5pm on April 26, 2015 at the Norris Conference Centers at CityCentre. The evening will include revealing all major works for the 2015/2016 season with introductions by season conductor Jerry Hou, returning after his enthralling performance in January.

Richard Dowling will perform an exclusive recital for gala attendees that will elegantly (or subtly) match the theme of the evening “Stardust” with an emphasis on evening jazz. A Texas native, Dowling is known best for his recordings of American Music and has won the hearts and recognition of many for his performances, including the Houston Tuesday Musical Club Competition and a sold out debut at Carnegie Hall in New York City. Dowling was the first soloist to appear with the Cypress Symphony in September 2013 at the inaugural concert.

Founder Caroline Ewan comments that “I am thrilled that the symphony is about to embark on its third season. Our mission to enrich and educate the community has the support it needs to expand not only the size of our orchestra, but also the number of communities that we are reaching. Our third season will be our first entre into these two areas. It is a historic and exciting time at the Cypress Symphony.”

The Cypress Symphony, founded by 26-year—old Caroline Ewan,

is receiving great support from the northwest Houston community for its energetic performances. The next concert is May 9th at 7PM at the Centrum under the baton of Bohuslav Rattay, Conductor of the El Paso Symphony. Kathy Winkler, violin professor from Rice University, will perform the wonderful “Lark Ascending” by Vaughan-Williams as well as “Appalachian Spring.”

During the fundraising gala, there will be a silent auction presenting items from some of Houston’s best cultural institutions and local artisans. Ms. Ewan and the administrative team will highlight the current status of the Cypress Symphony and present exciting new developments for the 2015/2016 season.

The gala will be held at Norris Conference Centers at CityCentre at 826 Town & Country Blvd, Suite 210, Houston, Texas 77024. Tickets for the gala can be purchased online at [www.CypressSymphony.org](http://www.CypressSymphony.org) or by calling (832) 766-0529. Individual seats for this exclusive event are \$60 with discounts for table purchases or priority seating. Additional tickets and upcoming concert information can be found online at [www.CypressSymphony.org](http://www.CypressSymphony.org).

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