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BOARD REPORT

The day-to-day Operating Expenses of the Homeowners Association, such as Administration, Utilities, General Maintenance, Amenities, Landscaping, and Miscellaneous Operating Expenses, are covered by the Annual Assessment Fee and, at the end of October, we had spent 83% of our budget for 2015. Our Operating Budget for 2015 is based on using 97% of the income raised from our Annual Assessment and we are anticipating that our total Operating Expenses for the year 2015 will be at, or just under, the budgeted amount.

The Capital Reserve is used for extraordinary maintenance, repair, end-of-life replacement and the enhancement of assets and funding for this comes from the Reserve Assessment. A third party study of projected Capital Reserve needs for the next 30 years was undertaken in 2012 and, based on that study, it was recommended that the accumulated balance of our Capital Reserve Fund be equivalent to \$700 and \$935 per homeowner by the end of 2015 and 2016, respectively. As things currently stand the projection is that the actual accumulated balance of our Capital Reserve Fund will be equivalent to \$445 per homeowner at the end of 2015 and \$695 per homeowner by the end of 2016.

A Special Assessment of \$600 per homeowner was approved in October last year to provide the funds needed to undertake some extraordinary asset repair work this year. As of the end of October we have used 71% of the funds raised through the Special Assessment and we are projecting that the total committed spend in this area will be slightly less than, or equal to, the funds raised by the end of the year 2015.



Reduce Your Energy Costs

In association with Kilowatt Partners, an independent energy consultant, Chaparral and the Board of Lakes of Rosehill have been working to lower the HOA's energy costs while insuring the predictability of energy costs for the future. Since Lakes of Rosehill started working with Kilowatt over seven years ago, Kilowatt has reduced the community's energy rate by more than half. Recently, Kilowatt was able to negotiate a commercial energy rate below 5 cents per kWh which the board approved for 3 years.

In an effort to help our Homeowners save money, Kilowatt Partners negotiated a residential plan for our Homeowners. The resulting residential energy rates are being offered at a discount from the community's energy provider's published rates.

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- Runaway Unit	713-755-7427
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Cypress Fairbanks ISD Transportation	
Cypress Fairbanks Senior High	
Cy-Woods High School	
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- not working (Report Number on Pole)	
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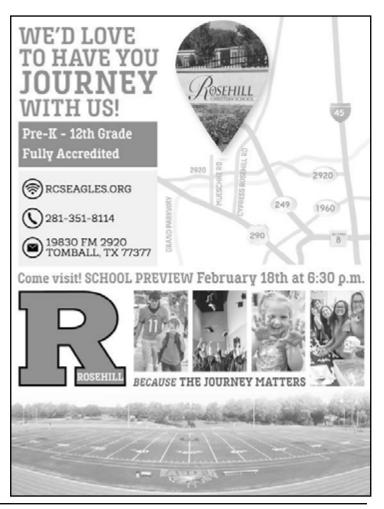
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Our mission is to promote Art Appreciation in Tomball & surrounding communities, to stimulate enthusiasm for the Arts, increase our knowledge and techniques by having renowned artists demonstrate, and to unite artists by having a common meeting place to share new techniques & knowledge. Join Us!

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TAL meets at 9:30 a.m. the 2nd Saturday of the month (some exceptions) in the Amegy Bank building, 2nd Floor,

Hwy 249 @ Medical Complex Dr. in Tomball. For more info: thetomballartleague.com



Northwest Flyers Youth Track Club Free Registration Breakfast

The Northwest Flyers Youth Track Club will celebrate its 29th Anniversary Season by hosting its annual free Registration/ Orientation Breakfast on Saturday, February 6th, 2016. The breakfast starts promptly at 8:30 AM at the Cypress Creek Christian Community Center Forum, 6823 Cypresswood Dr., Spring, TX, 77379.

All boys and girls who wish to join the team for the 2016 spring/ summer track season must attend the orientation, which will be highlighted by a special presentation from a member of the USA Track & Field Olympic organization (USATF).

The Northwest Flyers Track Club is a youth (ages 6-18) track club, affiliated with USATF, that provides a full program of sanctioned "track" events such as sprints, hurdles, middle distance, distance and relays, and "field" events such as long jump, triple jump, high jump, pole vault, shot put, discus and javelin.

For additional information on the Northwest Flyers Track Club, please visit the team website at http://www.northwestflyers.org; contact Linette Roach at linette.roach@sbcglobal.net; or "Like" the club on Facebook.



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Wishing you a Happy and Prosperous 2016



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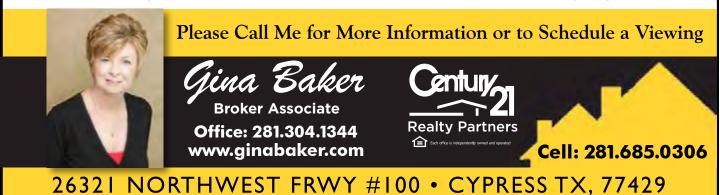
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In celebration of the 10th anniversary of Cypress Woods High School, the Fine Arts Department and Crimson Cadettes will join the Theatre Department in presenting this classic musical comedy. Tickets are on sale now at www. showtix4u.com or at the door.

Meet Me in St. Louis Music & Lyrics By Hugh Martin, Ralph Blane Book By Hugh Wheeler Thursday, February 4th 7:00 PM Friday, February 5th 7:00 PM Saturday, February 6th 2:00 PM & 7:00 PM Location: Cypress Woods High School Auditorium Run Time: Approximately 113 Minutes with One Intermission Rated: PG

This classic, romantic musical comedy that focuses on the Smith family, specifically the four sisters, on the cusp of the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair. The musical spotlights the sisters' education in the ways of the world, which includes, but isn't limited to, learning about life and love, courtesy of the prototypical boy next door. In the end, love conquers all.



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TREES - FRUSH VS. ARTIFICAL

Some people love an artificial tree and it's durability, others enjoy the fresh wintergreen smell of a living tree. Whatever your preference, here are some helpful tips when it comes to decorating for the holidays.

- Artificial trees, although durable, are usually shipped from China and cannot be recycled.
- Be sure to recycle your fresh tree, garland or wreaths when the holiday season is over, never burn these items in your fireplace.
- String lights make any tree or house look great, make sure you turn them off while you are asleep and when you are out to save electricity and prevent fires.
- If you need new lights, make the switch to LED. They save energy.
- to LED. They save energy. Consider making homemade
- decorations for your tree and around the house.

TIS THE SEASON TO BE SUSTAINABLE

No matter what holiday you celebrate during this time of the year, you can take steps to reduce the annual increase of waste during the holiday season. Here are some helpful tips:

- Thousands of plastic bags end up in the landfill every year. Think about using reusable bags to do your shopping or skip bagging large items.
- Wrap or package items together to reduce the amount of paper used.
- Consider making your own wrapping paper and bags from paper around the house.
- Give no-waste gifts like sporting tickets, music lessons or museum passes.
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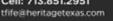
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This is the third occasion we have worked with Tina and she does a fantastic job. She is a lovely lady and a true professional and nothing is too much trouble for her. She has just negotiated another lovely home for us and I would not hesitate to recommend her to others looking for a home.

Overall Rating: 5.00/5.0 ***** SWAN CREEK

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Tina was absolutely amazing through this entire process. She gave wonderful advice on how to present our home for showings while it was up for sale and did a fantastic job at the open house. She proved to be just as helpful while shopping for our new home and we could not have asked for a better person

Overall Rating: 5.00/5.0 **** ***** Competency 5/5.0 ***** Market Knowledge 5/5.0 +++++ Communitation 5/5.0 ***** My Experience 5/5.0

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Tina was wonderful! Willing to meet us at anytime and kept communication lines open to us, the seller and our lender. Will definitely use her again when the time comes.

Overall Rating: 5.00/5.0 *****

**** Competency 5/5.0

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**** My Experience 5/5.0

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her responses and suggestions. I would highly

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Tina always responded to any questions as quickly as possible. Very professional in all areas as well as thinking of our real feelings and trying her best to help us find that house of our dreams. Which she did! Very great experience overall.

Tina was an amazing help to us during our

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She proved to be a true asset when it came to negotiating and was always prompt with

home buying experience. She was very knowledgeable and so willing to show us any

Overall Rating: 5.00/5.0 ***** BLAIR

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***** My Experience 5/5.0

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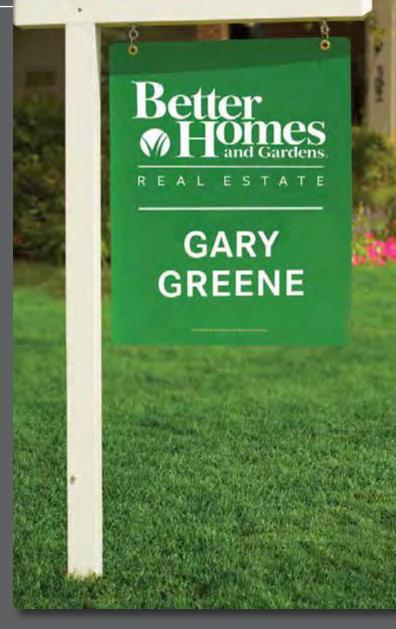


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