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## WELCOME TO THE SPECTATOR

Newsletter the Cypress Creek Lakes

The Spectator is a monthly newsletter mailed to all Cypress Creek Lakes residents. Each newsletter is filled with valuable information about the community, local area activities, school information, and more.

If you are involved with a school group, play group, scouts, sports team, social group, etc., and would like to submit an article for the newsletter, you can do so online at www. PEELinc.com. Personal news (announcements, accolades/honors/ celebrations, etc.) are also welcome as long as they are from area residents.

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# Rosehill Christian School TAPPS Henderson Cup

Submitted by Sherry Johnson

For the second year in a row, Rosehill has been a top contender for the coveted TAPPS Henderson Cup. The Henderson Cup is a year-long contest for "Best Overall School" in the state that takes into account all points accumulated in sports, fine arts, and academic competitions throughout the year. After moving up from TAPPS classification 2A to 3A this season, RCS knew that the road to the Henderson Cup would be a challenging task and that the competition in 3A would be very strong. In 2016, RCS was the State Runnerup in the 2A Henderson Cup sweepstakes by 15 points. For our move to 3A this year, administrators, coaches, students, parents, and teachers joined together to make a school-wide, concerted effort to win the highly sought-after trophy. RCS collected points by placing at the state level in a wide array of extracurricular events, including: State Champions in Baseball (back-to-back), Cheer, and Girls' Track; State Runner-up in Vocal Music; Third place in Academics (State Champions in Speech) and Dance; Fourth place in Band; Fifth place in One Act Play and Art; Bi-district Champions in Girls' Basketball; and playoff points in Volleyball. It was a groundbreaking year, and even though we crushed our point totals from the previous year, RCS ended up placing third

in the overall Henderson Cup competition by a mere three points. This third place finish was the strongest TAPPS showing by RCS in our school's history. Additionally, we were State Champions for the second year in a row in overall Fine Arts events by over a 30% margin over all other TAPPS 3A schools. The Henderson Cup is the ultimate team event, and it demonstrates how the body of Christ works. Each part of the body is important, and together those parts serve an even greater purpose. Though RCS came in third place



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in the Henderson Cup, we feel like true winners, because we accomplished this extraordinary goal together. Furthermore, coming so close to winning will only make us stronger and more unified as we look to the 2017-18 season.

Besides the Henderson Cup, TAPPS also recognizes the top coaches and male and female competitors in the state in Athletics and Fine Arts. These elite honors are extremely difficult to receive, as all TAPPS schools can nominate competitors from any sport or fine art, and the top individuals in the state are then voted on by an executive TAPPS panel. We are pleased to announce, that for only the third time in school history, the TAPPS 3A State Fine Arts Female Student of the Year is our own Ashley Alexander. Ashley's 2016-17 TAPPS accomplishments are undeniable: State Champion in Original Oratory (Speech); State Runner-up In Ready Writing and 5th Place in Literary Criticism (Academics); Gold Medal in Instrumental Piano Solo (Class I); State Champion in Black & White Photography (Art); State All-Star Crew for One Act Play; and she even served as a state accompanist for TAPPS Vocal Music, not to mention her TAPPS accolades throughout her high school career in these same disciplines. Furthermore, Ashley has accomplished all of this while earning the title of RCS Valedictorian, with a smile on her face and the love of Jesus in her heart, shining through to

everyone who meets her. We are so proud of you, Ashley! RCS loves you, and we cannot wait to see how God uses all of your talents as you set sail for the next stage of your journey. Congratulations

# CYPRESS AREA FOOD PANTRY Times and Services

Do you know of someone who has trouble putting food on the table? Maybe their employment was suddenly terminated; maybe it's a choice between medications or food; for whatever reason a family can find themselves in a situation where they need a little help.

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## August Meeting

Tuesday, August 8th will be CFRW Evening Social, 6:30 PM at Sterling Country Club, 16500 Houston National Blvd., Houston, TX 77095

We'll have a great speaker and heavy appetizers \$20. Cash Bar. RSVP to www.cfrw.net by July 28th. No walk-ins. We look forward to seeing you there!

SAVE the DATE—Friday, November 3rd for High Heels & High Tea at Sterling CC. Watch this space and/or website for further details. Vendors wanted—Contact Nancy Roberts.

Nancy Roberts-Publicity Chair Cy-Fair Republican Women 713-466-4199 / nancyroberts004@att.net

# **Cypress Texas Tea Party**

The next meetings of the Cypress Texas Tea Party will be on:

Saturday, August 19, 2017 NOON - 2:00 PM Saturday, September 9, 2017 NOON - 2:00 PM

Dwayne Bohac, Texas State Representative, District 138

The Cypress Texas Tea Party meets every three weeks on Saturday Noon until 2:00 PM at:

Spring Creek BBQ

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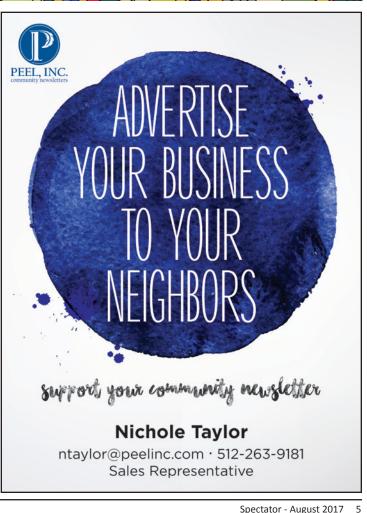
# INTRODUCING GET TO KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORS

We are all very fortunate to call Cypress Creek Lakes home. But, Cypress Creek Lakes is more than just a place to live; it is a vibrant community brimming with family-friendly neighborhoods, chock-full of fascinating, talented people. Our variety is what makes us so both unique and extraordinary. However, sometimes, we get so busy, we lose sight of how interesting and diverse we've become.

We believe that getting to know the people who live nearby will help us create a sense of belonging and shared identity. We have created a column entitled, "Get to Know Your Neighbors" which we hope will strengthen connections, build trust in our wider community, and contribute to a happier neighborhood for everyone.

If you know of a person or a family that you believe is making Cypress Creek Lakes a better place to live, please let us know. We would like to introduce them to your neighbors.





# Is Your Networking not Working?

#### **Luncheon Details**

Thursday, August 24, 2017

Networking 11 a.m.; Luncheon begins at 11:30 a.m.

Sterling Country Club, 16500 Houston National Blvd.,

Houston, TX 77095

Costs \$25 with advanced reservations; \$30 at the door

Houston, TX (July 7, 2017) Toni Harris Taylor is a motivation marketing coach who helps solopreneurs and sales professionals to take drastic steps to get known, get connected and get paid to earn six-figures in record time. Toni Harris Taylor has over 25 years' experience as an entrepreneur. Although she has suffered great personal losses and business challenges, every time she is knocked down, she turns it around by taking drastic steps. Toni brings a level of professionalism and expertise to her clients helping them to take the necessary steps to rise to the ranks of the Top 6 percent of entrepreneurs.

Toni speaks about effectively using networking to build relationships, stay connected and get new clients. With over 13,000



social media followers and friends and 5,000 on her email list, Toni knows how to build relationships that have grown her business nationally and globally. Toni shares the strategies she used to grow her business and helps her sales professional clients to achieve six figures in record time!

Toni has a BS degree in

Business Management and Entrepreneurship and a Masters in Adult Education and Training.

This month's CYFEN meeting begins with networking at 11 a.m. followed with a prompt 11:30 a.m. start of the program. Luncheons are held at the Sterling Country Club, 16500 Houston National Blvd.

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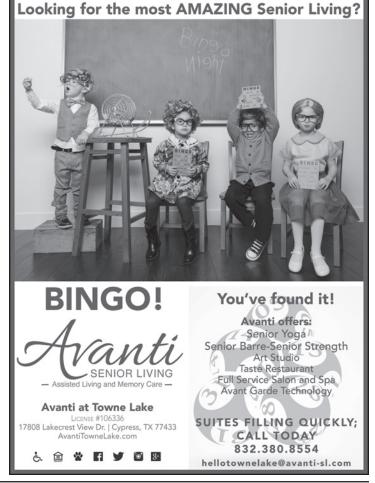
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Total	10	10	12	11	9	10	31	14	30	10	
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