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WELCOME TO THE ROSEHILL REPORT

A Newsletter for the Lakes of Rosehill Community

The Rosehill Report is a monthly newsletter mailed to all Lakes of Rosehill residents. Each newsletter will be 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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For those wishing only to train, join us in Katy for AHFC Friday Night Academy. Visit Katy Youth Soccer to register for this Friday Fun Program.

AHFC is proud to partner with New Territory and offer New Territory Thursday Night Academy, a 5-week Skills Program.

Email us at jhsl@albionhurricanes.org for more information or questions.

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Introducing Get To Know Your Neighbors

We are all very fortunate to call Lakes of Rosehill home. But, Lakes of Rosehill 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 Lakes of Rosehill a better place to live, please let us know. We would like to introduce them to your neighbors.

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CHINCH BUGS: NO EASY FIX

Author: Nathan Riggs

The heat and high temps of July and August aren't the only culprits that take a toll on your landscape and lawn. If your St. Augustine grass is looking sad and jaundiced, it may be under attack.

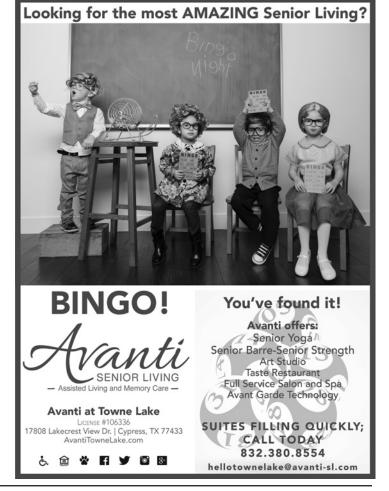
Summertime means a lot of different things to people — grillin', fun in the sun, barefoot walks in the lawn and other outdoor activities.

Unfortunately, the hot temperatures in July and August also have a daunting impact on local lawns and landscapes by creating water stress. When St. Augustine lawns in full sun become water stressed in July and August, they fall victim to attack by the Southern Chinch Bug (Blissus insularis).

Chinch bugs suck the sap from the grass at the point where the blade emerges from the runner, or rhizome. As they feed on the sap, chinch bugs release saliva into the wound, causing the grass to turn yellow and die.

This yellowing usually begins at a central point and radiates in a circular pattern outward as the chinch bugs expand their feeding area. St. Augustine grass is a chinch bug's favorite meal, but Bermuda and Zoysia grasses may be attacked as well.

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Here are a couple of ways to test for chinch bugs in the affected

- Drench method: flood an area on the edge of the sick grass with a soapy solution (2 tablespoons of liquid soap to 1 gallon water). If chinch bugs are present, they will emerge from the grass to get away from the soapy water.
- Flotation method: take a metal can with both ends removed and push one end into the ground at the border of the sick grass. Slowly fill with water and see if chinch bugs float up. Repeat for several different areas.

Once you've determined chinch bugs are present, you must target the infestation. To reduce chinch bug populations, treat a 15-foot radius around the damaged area with a liquid insecticide approved for turf grasses. It is NOT NECESSARY to treat the entire yard because a) non-target beneficial insects will be adversely impacted by the treatment, and b) chinch bugs won't be present in the entire yard.

After treatment, you must PATIENTLY rehab the affected turf areas. Do not overwater your grass in an effort to get it back to health because the root system is still recovering from the chinch bug onslaught. Instead, water thoroughly, but infrequently to encourage a deeper, more drought-tolerant root system.

Secondly, avoid over-fertilizing your grass. Too much nutrients in the soil will encourage weed growth as well as place stress on the damaged root system. Aerate the affected turf areas to allow nutrients, water and oxygen to reach the root zone and get those roots back on the road to recovery.



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.

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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.

ABOUT CY-FAIR EXPRESS NETWORK (CYFEN)

Now over 60 members strong, Cy-Fair Express Network's vision is to be a community and national leader for the support of professional women by providing a nurturing environment for business development, networking, education and mentoring. Our members have opportunities to pursue excellence and achieve (Continued on Page 5)





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both local and national recognition. CYFEN is part of the national organization of American Business Women's Association (ABWA), for more information go to www.CYFEN.org.

ABOUT AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION (ABWA)

Founded in 1949, ABWA provides business training and networking opportunities for women of diverse occupations and backgrounds. ABWA has dedicated 60 years to women's education, workplace skills and career development training. For more information, visit, www.abwa.org.



Memorial Herman Volunteers

Memorial Hermann Health System recognizes the vital importance of volunteers, and the newly opened Memorial Hermann Cypress Hospital is no different. The hospital is now taking applications for its volunteer program.

"Volunteers provide support to our staff so that they can focus on patient care, as well as provide positive interactions with patients and their family members," says Lorena Hurtado, the volunteer services coordinator at Memorial Hermann Cypress.

Volunteer tasks range from working at the front desk, to nursing unit assistance, helping discharge patients and much more. Dozens of volunteers have already joined the program, but there are more spots available.

"Volunteering is a great experience. The nurses and staff are so friendly and professional, and many of them live in the area. As a long-time Cypress area resident, it makes me feel even better knowing the hospital is staffed by people who share the same love for this community that I do," says Toni Scott, a volunteer at Memorial Hermann Cypress.

Four-hour volunteer shifts are available seven days a week from 5 a.m.to 9 p.m. Adults are asked to complete an application and schedule an interview with the volunteer coordinator. Learn more at: http://www.memorialhermann.org/locations/cypress/volunteer-at-memorialhermann-cypress-hospital/



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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 Runner-up 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 in the Henderson Cup, we feel like true

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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.

Fountain of Life Church of God on Mueschke Road runs a food pantry on Mondays from 3:30 pm to 6:00 pm and the only requirement is that the client should live in zip code 77433 and west of Skinner 77429. For more information, contact 281-373-9337. Food donations and volunteers are also greatly appreciated.

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