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#### A newsletter for Bridgeland residents.

The Times is a monthly newsletter mailed to all Bridgeland 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 activity, social group, etc. and would like to submit an article for the newsletter you can do so online at www.PEELinc.com or you can email it <a href="mailto:bridgeland@peelinc.com">bridgeland@peelinc.com</a>. Personal news for the Stork Report, Teenage Job Seekers, special celebrations, birthday announcements and military service are also welcome. Our goal is to keep you informed!

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# Let it Snow! Let it Snow! Let it Snow!

#### A Special Day in Bridgeland

Submitted by Kay Burkhalter

In December Bridgelanders awoke to a winter wonderland with about 2 inches of wet snow covering trees and yards.

The children were up at the crack of dawn and were racing outside to play. Many folks awoke to the sound of happy children's voices & 2ft snow men in the parks & yard. The beauty of Bridgeland was raised to new heights.

Photos of snow lined shore lakes, trees flocked with snow, and bridges graced with a white dusting, flooded the Facebook pages.

May we hold in our hearts forever the beauty of that special day.

Photo by Wayne Wendel



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### **NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION**

#### GET INVOLVED IN BRIDGELAND COMMUNITY GROUPS

Submitted by Kay Burkhalter

**How to?** First, sign up for Bridgelandlife.com and see what groups interest you. There are over thirty groups!

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Third, Expand your World-Try Something Different

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There will be 1st – 7th place winner trophies, people's choice & best booth trophies. Chili should LOOK GOOD, SMELL GOOD, and most of all TASTE GOOD!

#### REGISTER AT WWW.BRIDGELANDLIFE.COM





# NEW CRICKET PITCH PRACTICE FIELD DEDICATED IN OAK MEADOW PARK ON 12-17-2017

Submitted by Kay Burkhalter

Did you know that most of the world plays cricket not baseball?

Like Soccer, Cricket is increasing popular in the United States.

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# THE TEXAS ELECTION SEASON BEGINS

Submitted by Kay Burkhalter

#### **KEY DATES**

You must be registered at least 30 days in advance of an election date to vote.

To Register Go to www.hctax.net/voter/Registration

Republican & Democratic Primaries----March 6, 2018

Republican & Democratic Primary Run off--May 22, 2018

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#### **NATIONAL CHARITY LEAGUE - CYPRESS GEM CHAPTER**

Twenty-two young women in the senior class of the Cypress Gems Chapter of National Charity League were recently recognized for their outstanding community service. At a formal event held in the Norris Conference Center, the Cypress Gems graduating class of 2018 were presented by their families and honored for their contributions to their chapter and their communities.

National Charity League is a mother-daughter service organization committed to fostering the mother-daughter relationship through community service, leadership development, and cultural experiences. Alongside their mothers, the 2018 class have performed over 3,000 hours of community service. Their work has benefitted multiple Houston area nonprofit organizations such as Reach Unlimited, Houston Food Bank, and Cy-Hope Disaster Relief. The Cypress Gems chapter comprises girls attending Cypress Ranch, Cypress Woods, Cypress Fairbanks and Bridgeland High Schools.

Elizabeth Franklin, Cypress Gems Chapter President stated, "I could not be more proud of these senior girls and the accomplishments they have achieved over the past year. Every single one of them have worked hard to be remarkable role models for our younger members and to truly demonstrate the embodiment of what NCL is about. Our chapter will forever cherish their commitment and dedication as

we have grown together to accomplish our goals as Cypress Gems."

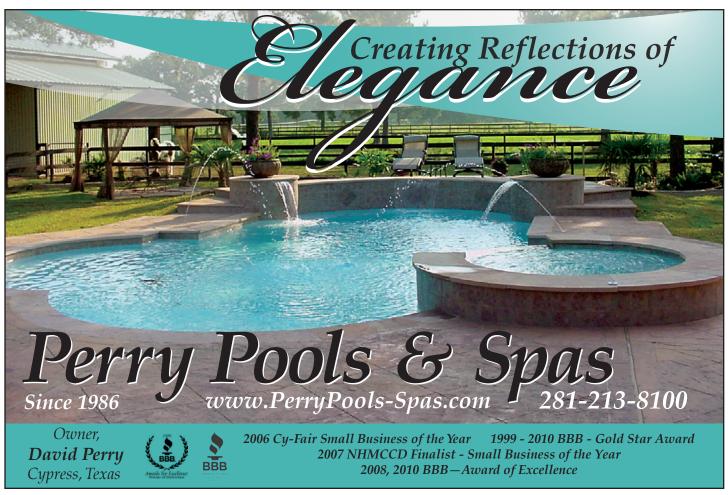
The Class of 2018 Cypress Gems TickTockers as pictured are:

Front Row Left to Right - Isabel Ray, Maren Mullally, Jessica Sackschewsky, Madison Kippes, Madison Gvist

Middle Row Left to Right - Erica Barfield, Julia Rock, Katy Thomas, Hannah Haesly, Kathryn Motsinger, Emily Estes, Lexi Angelica, Ashley Bruton

Back Row Left to Right - Caitlyn Schade, Hallie Bruton, Sarah Theriot, Shannon Hebert, Maggie Lucas, Lexie Hluchanek, Jensen MacLeod, Anna Kolodziejcyk, Becky Clark





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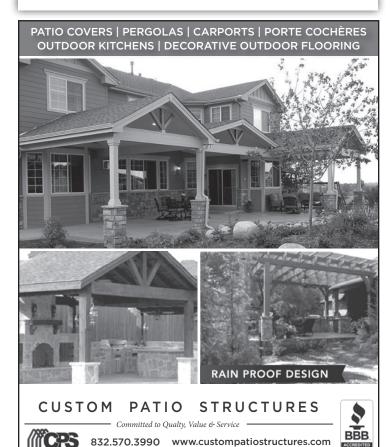
# CYPRESS AREA FOOD PANTRY

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.

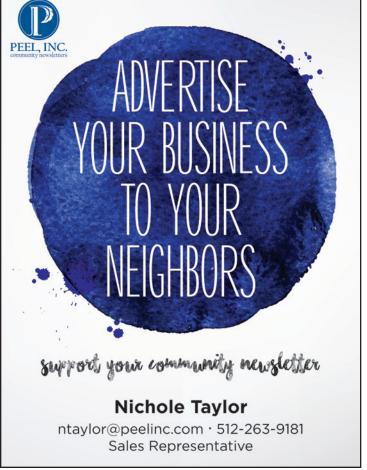
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#### **MEET IRIS**

By Cheryl Conley, TWRC Wildlife Center



Let me introduce you to Iris, our 9-yearold Eastern Screech Owl. She makes her home at TWRC Wildlife Center and is a "gal about town". As one of our Animal Ambassadors, she can often be seen at schools, churches and community events throughout the Houston area.

Iris was just a few days old when a rescuer found her on the ground. Our vet staff could see that one of her eyes wasn't

developing properly. After being examined by a specialist, it was discovered that she was blind in that eye. Knowing that owls can still survive in the wild with only one eye, a dedicated rehabilitator worked with her to prepare her for release. With her eye problem and some other issues that developed, it was decided that it was in the best interest of Iris not to release her and instead "promote" her to an Animal Ambassador.

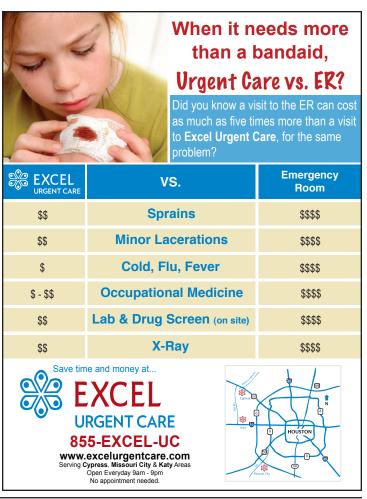
Iris lives a pretty good life. She is served with frozen mice that have been warmed. She goes to the "beauty shop" every couple of months to get her nails done (actually they're called talons) and get her beak trimmed and shaped. She is also given a thorough examination to make sure she is healthy. We are grateful to Dr. White at Briarcrest Veterinary Clinic who donates his time to the Center to care for Iris and our other Animal Ambassadors. In the wild, Screech Owls live an average of 12 years but because Iris doesn't have to face the challenges of life in the wild, she is expected to live well beyond 12 years of age.

Screech owls have a unique call. One source described it as a horse on helium. They let out a descending whinny capped off with a trill. If you come to our Center to visit, she may even "talk" to you. One of her favorite things is to do is to respond to sirens she hears. As soon as she hears a siren, she starts in. Wish we could read her mind to find out why she does that.

Iris and her handlers are available to come and talk to your group, your school, your church or other gatherings. If you would like pricing information, send an email to education@twrcwildlifecenter. org.

TWRC Wildlife Center is a 501(c)(3) organization. www. twrcwildlifecenter.org





# CALLING ALL VENDORS!

The 2nd Annual Mother's Day Market & Car Show presented by Cypress Springs FFA Booster Club will be held on Saturday, April 21, 2018 between 9AM-5PM & Sunday, April 22, 2018 between 10AM-4PM. This event will be advertised in various media outlets such as local community newsletters, social media, online sites such as craftshowdates.com and craftlister.com among others, Houston Chronicle Festivals and Bazaars Spring Edition, billboards, and extensive signage throughout the area. We are also working on entertainment and radio spots to generate business and excitement this year. Indoor booths are \$110.00 and outdoor booths are \$100.00. All proceeds will benefit the Cypress Springs FFA students in attending state convention, competitions and creating scholarships for graduating seniors. The event is held at the CFISD Exhibit Center at 11206 Telge Road, Cypress, TX 77429, 1/4 mile north of Hwy 290. For additional information, please visit www.

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