# THE TRIBUTARY MAY 2024

### IMPORTANT NUMBERS

#### YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Cross Creek Ranch Welcome Center (281) 344-9882

Cross Creek Ranch Fitness Center (281) 344-0078

CCR App/Website:

Fulshear Branch Library (346) 481-6800

COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION CCMC

CrossCreekRanchTX@ccmcnet.com (281) 344-9882

Cross Creek Ranch Lifestyle Director Alyssa Brewer - (831) 661-8339 lifestyledirector@crosscreektexas.com

SERVICE PROVIDERS Trash/Water - City of Fulshear

(281) 346-1796

Water - Inframark LLC (281) 398-8211

Cable/Internet - AT&T U-Verse att.com/u-verse AT&T Call Center (877) 910 0501

**City of Fulshear** (281) 346-1796 www.fulsheartexas.gov

Fulshear-Katy Area Chamber of Commerce (832) 600-3221

Fulshear Post Office (281) 533-9146

Fort Bend County Sheriff (281) 341-4665

Fulshear Police Department Non-Emergency: (281) 346-2202

Fulshear Fire Department (281) 346-2800

**Animal Control** (281) 342-1512

**Emergency** 911

### **COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION** CORNER



Get ready to dive into summer fun at Cross Creek Ranch! After enduring a chilly winter, we're eagerly anticipating the warmth of summer, and we're thrilled to introduce two new additions to our pool lineup this year: The Landing located in Creek Rush neighborhood and The Waterhole Amenity Center in Cross Creek West. Keep an eye out for progress updates on these two new locations through our email communications!

Whether you're seeking relaxation on comfortable loungers beneath shaded structures, cooling off in generously sized resort-style pools, playing in splash parks, or taking exhilarating rides down water slides, Cross Creek Ranch has it all. So, come on over and join us for some sun-soaked fun this pool season! Hours of operation which will be posted online for your reference. You can also access this information at your convenience by logging into the My CC App.

Please remember all CCRCA facilities require an access device to gain entry; get your amenity access devices for you and your family by logging on to the My CC App – each member of your household must hold a device; devices are not to be shared. Once you are logged into the app, select "My Community Association" then "Request Amenity Access". You will be prompted through the process of applying for an access device. The Community Association's access device allows you to access amenities with a key fob or mobile credential. As a reminder, if you use the mobile credential, it is not linked to the My CC App but through an app called Conekt.

If you're interested in hosting a pool party or arranging swimming lessons, visit www.abeautifulpools.com and click on "Pool Parties" to make reservations. Let's make this summer one to remember at Cross Creek Ranch!

If you have any questions, please contact us at 281-344-9882 or email Crosscreekranchtx@ccmcnet.com

Thank you, Cross Creek Ranch Management

# Get Connected to YOUR COMMUNITY

# THREE WAYS TO STAY IN-THE-KNOW

1 Monthly Newsletter



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3 MyCrossCreekApp.com

Download the official community app for access to amenities & more!

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Questions?

Contact your CCMC on-site management team at 281-344-9882 crosscreekranchTX@ccmcnet.com | www.mycrosscreektexas.com

> To receive the mailed newsletter or emails, please contact Alyssa Brewer, at LifestyleDirector@CrossCreekTexas.com

> > CROSS CREEK

# # Naturehood

An educational series sharing the nature and wildlife around Cross Creek presented by your resident peers.

As the warmth of spring envelops Southeast Texas, nature awakens from its winter slumber, painting the landscape with vibrant hues of greenery and wildflowers. Alongside the blossoming flora, migratory birds return to grace our skies, while reptiles emerge from their winter inactivity, adding a touch of intrigue to our outdoor experiences. As we embrace the beauty of this season, it's essential to be mindful of coexisting safely with the diverse wildlife that shares our environment.

Our state is the place to be for birds in the Spring, as 1 out of every 3 birds in the USA will migrate through Texas between March 1st and June 15th. Those who hit the trails in the next weeks may be rewarded with a look at a warbler, tanager, or bunting! Sometimes it's easier to hear the birds than see them, which is where a little technology can enhance our experience. Check out the Merlin app from the Cornell Lab of Ornithology to lend a helping hand in identifying the songs.

As the warm weather brings out more reptiles and amphibians, we tend to experience an uptick in encounters with snakes. Those unfamiliar with the scaly citizens of CCR might be dismayed by this, but rest assured that the vast majority of interactions can be kept safe for all involved. There are only a few venomous species that inhabit the neighborhood: Northern cottonmouth, Eastern copperhead, and Texas coral snake. If you find a snake, keep your distance and warn others to do the same. You can encourage it to leave the area with a jet of water from the hose. For those who use social media, there are multiple groups on Facebook devoted to helping people to identify and even relocate wayward serpents including "Southeast Texas Snake ID" and "What Snake is this? Southeast Texas."

Safety Jips FOR COEXISTING WITH NATURE

- Don't reach hands or feet into places you can't check with your eyes first.
- Wear closed-toe shoes and light your way in your yard and garage, especially around and after sunset.
- Keep your yard clear of items or debris that could hide a snake and put away any toys after use.
- Check the area before pets or children come out to play.
- Leave any potentially dangerous snake alone and call for an experienced handler to remove it, if necessary.

As we venture outdoors to enjoy the wonders of spring in Southeast Texas, let's remember to respect and coexist harmoniously with the wildlife around us. So grab the family, a pair of binoculars, and your curiosity to embark on an adventure filled with the sights and sounds of nature's springtime symphony.















#### May 5

#### Cinco de Mayo - Cocktail Class

Get ready to spice up your evening filled with flair, flavor, and festive vibes at Camp Flewellen on May 5th. Indulge in an unforgettable experience as we dive into the art of crafting signature cocktails. Whether you're here to refine your mixology skills, socialize with neighbors, or simply immerse yourself in the festive ambiance, our Cinco de Mayo Cocktail Class promises an evening of fun, flavor, and fiesta. **Space is limited, so be sure to RSVP to secure your spot at this must-attend event!** 



#### **CPR** Class

We are thrilled to announce an essential event that could save lives within our community! Join us for a CPR Certification Class hosted by Care Plus Emergency at the picturesque Camp Flewellen on Tuesday, May 14th. Don't miss this chance to learn and contribute to the well-being of our community. Space is limited and preregistration is required. Together, let's build a safer and more prepared community.

May 17

#### National Pizza Party Day

Join us as we gather together to honor everyone's favorite comfort food – pizza! Immerse yourself in the festive atmosphere as you mingle with fellow residents and take a slice from our 8-foot pizza provided by Dirt Road Cookers. Don't miss out on the fun and be sure to RSVP Today to secure your spot in this mouthwatering event. Let's make memories, one slice at a time!



#### Community Blood Drive

Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center will be set up in the CCR Community Room from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM on Friday, May 10th. They are ready to accept your generous donation and will be handing out free juice and cookies afterward. RSVP Today - every donation can save as many as three lives!

### May 15

#### Toddler Time in Cross Creek

Welcome to Toddler Time in Cross Creek, where the magic of movement, music, and stories come together at Camp Flewellen to create unforgettable moments for parents and their little ones! Join us for a delightful monthly series designed to foster the bond between parent and child in the heart of our vibrant community.

May's Theme: Seaside Serenade



#### Cross Creek Cares -Donation & Recycling

Celebrate community and sustainability at Cross Creek Cares, a Donation & Recycling Event. Let's come together as a community to reduce waste, support local causes, and embrace the spirit of giving. 'Cross Creek Cares' is not just an event; it's a commitment to a greener, more compassionate future for all. Don't miss this opportunity to make a difference!



#### Mama Mia! Mother's Day Tea

Dust off your dancing shoes and get ready to channel your inner Donna Sheridan as we gather to celebrate the incredible women who make our community shine brighter than the Greek sun! Join us for a heartwarming tea party filled with all the charm and elegance worthy of our very own "dancing queens." RSVP today and here's to the incredible mom and maternal figures who make our world a brighter place - may your day be filled with love, laughter, and endless joy!



#### Meet the Team

Save the date! Stop by the Welcome Center on Thursday, May 16, from 6 to 8 pm to meet your CCMC Management Team. There will be drinks, snacks, a photo op, fun for the kiddos, and a chance to mix and mingle with your new onsite team members and neighbors. Be on the lookout for more details and a link to register in an upcoming Weekly Association Update email!



#### **Pool Openings**

Join us for an unforgettable Memorial Day weekend celebration as Cross Creek kicks off the summer season with the opening of our pools! Residents are invited to dive into the fun and explore all of our fantastic pools, including two brand new ones! Plus, here's the exciting part – residents who visit all of our pools over the weekend will be entered into a raffle for a chance to win an amazing prize!



LOOKING TO PURCHASE TICKETS, RSVP, OR LEARN MORE ABOUT UPCOMING EVENTS IN CROSS CREEK? Check out the My Cross Creek app!

Dates and times are subject to change. Please check your resident app and inbox for the most up-to-date event information.

### CROSS CREEK RANCH

### **FITNESS CENTER**

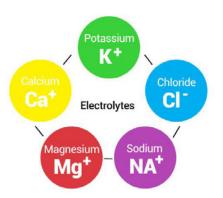


Losing too many electrolytes through sweat, especially on those super hot days, can lead to us feeling tired, getting muscle cramps, and can make it more difficult for us to stay cool. That's why when we're planning a day out in the sun, whether it's a beach trip, a soccer game, or just a picnic, it's important to pack not just water but also snacks or drinks that are rich in electrolytes. This helps our bodies keep the perfect balance of minerals to support the hydration we need, ensuring that we can keep playing, exploring, and enjoying the summer to its fullest.

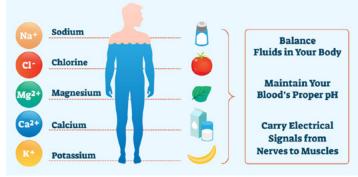
By making sure we all stay well-hydrated and keep our electrolyte levels right, we can make the most of every sunny day, ensuring our Summer adventures are both fun and safe for the whole family. Thankfully, keeping up with our electrolytes in the summer is easy and can be quite tasty! Eating foods like bananas, oranges, and leafy greens, or sipping on some coconut water or an electrolyte powder during outdoor activities can make a huge difference. However you choose to spend your days this Summer, make sure you choose to keep your hydration levels high!

### Breaking down "Hydration"

As the sun shines brighter and our days fill with fun outdoor adventures, staying hydrated becomes more important than ever. While drinking enough water is a huge piece of the puzzle, it is not the only one. Electrolytes are also a key component in keeping our bodies hydrated and functioning properly - minerals such as sodium, potassium, and magnesium that keep our bodies running smoothly. They ensure our muscles and nervous system continue to work properly and send all the right messages. In the summer heat, when we're running, playing, or simply enjoying the outdoors, we sweat a lot. And when we do, we're not just losing water; we're also saying goodbye to these precious electrolytes.



#### THE MAIN ELECTROLYTES IN BODY FLUID



Make sure to check out our Facebook and Instagram pages for the most up to date information, tips and advice from your Cross Creek Ranch Fitness Center team.

INSTAGRAM: @CCFITNESSCENTER | FACEBOOK: FACEBOOK.COM/CROSSCREEKFITNESSCENTER

For information about current or future upcoming programs, call us at 281-344-0078 or email fitness@crosscreektexas.com



### **FITNESS CENTER** Group Classes

**BODY BOOST** WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY • 9:00am

**BOOT CAMP** TUESDAY & THURSDAY • 5:15am MONDAY & WEDNESDAY · 6:15pm

> CORE ESSENTIALS TUESDAY · 6:15pm

> > HIIT TUESDAY • 11:00am

**MOVEMENT & MOBILITY** THURSDAY • 11:00am

> **SCULPTAND TONE** THURSDAY · 6:00pm

> > YOGA TUESDAY · 7:00pm FRIDAY • 9:45am

**ZUMBA** MONDAY • 9:00am THURSDAY • 7:00pm



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### CROSS CREEK RANCH

### FITNESS CENTER Hours







### Ages 18+ ONLY

Valid Key Fob or Mobile Credential required for Fitness Center access.\*

MONDAY-THURSDAY

4am - 10pm

FRIDAY 4am - 9pm

SATURDAY 4am - 7pm

> SUNDAY 4am - 7pm

### Ages 13-17

Valid Key Fob or Mobile Credential required for Fitness Center access.\*

MONDAY-THURSDAY 5am - 10pm

FRIDAY 5am - 9pm

SATURDAY 8am - 7pm

SUNDAY 11am - 7pm

\* Temporary Access Holders permitted during 13- 17 Access Hours

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\*\*\* Applications complete and fobs/mobile credential in transit. 1/23

# WELCOME TO THE Naturehood!

### CROSS CREEK RANCH COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION RESIDENT SOCIAL

....Join Us

January 25 · April 25 July 25 · October 24

6:00PM - 7:00PM

### at The Welcome Center

Meet your Lifestyle Director & Fitness Director

Learn about fun resident events

Meet your Community Association Representatives

Learn more about the residents' My Cross Creek App

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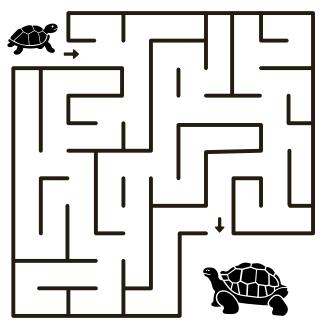


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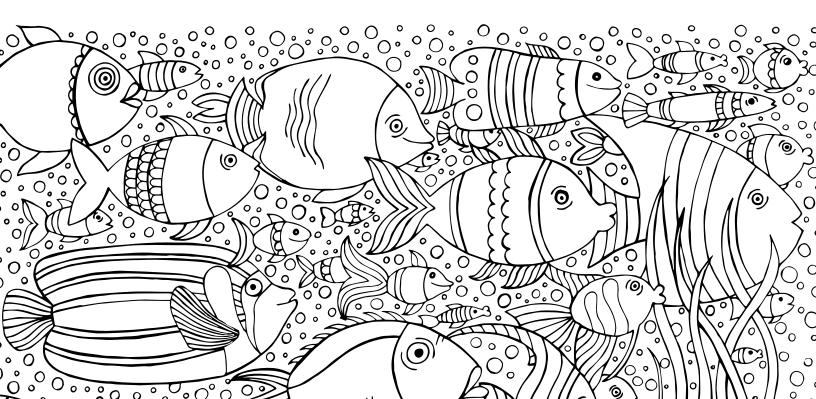


Help reunite the baby turtle with its' mom.

#### CROSS CREEK WORD SEARCH

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Owl Alligator Butterfly Garden Fishing Canoe Trails Adventure Amphitheater Dock Birds DragonFly Turtle























For all things Lifestyle, from event details to program updates, send us an email at LifestyleDirector@CrossCreekTexas.com or call us at 831-661-8339. We can't wait to see you at the next event!

Clyssa BrewerCaroline BorkLifestyle DirectorAssistant Lifestyle Director

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#### MY CC APP REMINDER

Are you in the know of what is going on in Cross Creek Ranch? If not, make sure to sign up for the "My Cross Creek Ranch" app downloadable on google play or app store. You can also access the same information on the website at http://www.mycrosscreekranch.com. Once registered, you will start receiving additional information pertaining to community events, informational items and messages from your board and the CCRCA Management Team.

> Apart from receiving eblasts, the community app is a great source of community information, HOA forms, contacting your committees, community event photos and MORE!!







## UPCOMING events

#### May

Cinco de Mayo Cocktail Class Sunday, May 5th

**Community Blood Drive** Friday, May 10th

Mamma Mia! Mother's Day Tea Saturday, May 11th

> **CPR** Class Tuesday, May 14th

**Toddler Time in Cross Creek** Wednesday, May 15th

> Meet the Team Thursday, May 16th

National Pizza Party Day Friday, May 17th

**Cross Creek Cares: Donation & Recycling Event** Saturday, May 18th

> **Pool Openings** Saturday, May 27th





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#### June

Glow in the Park Saturday, June 8th

Tiny 2K Tuesday, June 11th

Toddler Time in Cross Creek Wednesday, June 12th

**Community Blood Drive** Friday, June 14th

Father's Day Event Saturday, June 15th

Adult Swim - 21+ Thursday, June 20th

Cross Creek Cinema: Dive-In Movie Friday, June 21st

> Club SciKidz Camp June 24th-26th

#### July

4th of July Celebration Saturday, July 6th C.O.B.R.A. Self Defense - Teen Safe Class Tuesday, July 9th **Toddler Time in Cross Creek** Wednesday, July 10th **Community Blood Drive** 

Friday, July 12th

Adult Swim - 21+

Thursday, July 18th

Cross Creek Cinema: Dive-In Movie Friday, July 19th

The Lion King at The Hobby Center

Wednesday, July 24th **New Resident Social** Thursday, July 25th

\*Open to the Public For more details, visit us on the My CCR app or at www.MyCCRanch.com Dates and times subject to change. Please check the app for the most up to date information.