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TEAM TIARA CELEBRATES 10 YEARS FIGHTING BREAST CANCER

Team Tiara celebrates two milestones in 2015. First, this group of pavement pounders celebrates their 10th year participating in the Susan G. Komen 3-Day for the Cure. Even more importantly, Team Tiara will cross the \$1 million mark in fundraising.

“We are thrilled to celebrate 10 years of walking in the 3-Day and can’t wait to cross that \$1 million mark,” says D’Lyn Biggs, Team Tiara Founder and Captain. “Our theme this year is Homecoming. Think of it as a 10-year family reunion. It’s going to be great.”

Biggs and her friend Lisa Harrelson walked their first 3-Day in 2006. “We had no idea we would accomplish this much in 10 years,” says Biggs. “And we have the Fairfield Community to thank for much of that.”

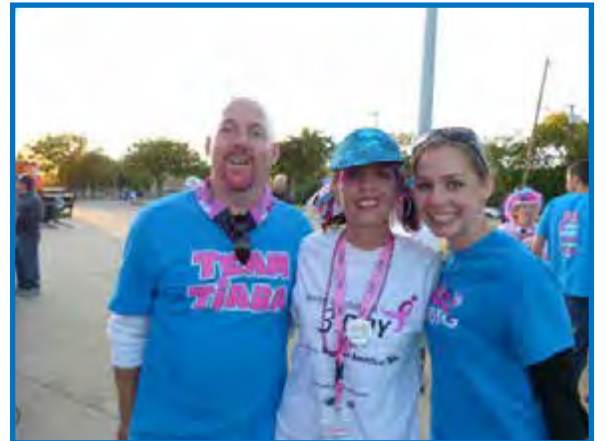
“Fairfield supports Team Tiara on so many different levels. Many of our Team members live here, as well as the friends and family who make it possible for us to walk. The Fairfield Women’s Club and Charlotte Byrne have been incredibly supportive – we owe them a huge debt of gratitude. Without the residents of Fairfield and the Fairfield Triathlon, we would not be able to fund the research and survivor support that are so vital right now.”

Team Members from Fairfield and beyond gather in Dallas each year to walk 60 miles in three days to fund breast cancer research. Each participant is required to raise a minimum of \$2300 to walk. In 2014, Team Tiara raised over \$63,000 and was recognized as a Top 5 team. Registration is ongoing for the 2015 walk, November 6-8.

The Team is proud to announce the 2014 Rachel B. Wickman Metastatic Breast Cancer Research Grant. This grant will give \$15,000 to support metastatic breast cancer research being done by Dr. Priscilla Brastianos at Dana Farber Institute in Boston, Massachusetts. This grant follows the 2012 \$25,000 grant presented to Methodist Hospital in Houston, Texas. The research grants are a result of Team Tiara’s 2012 commitment to independently fund \$100,000 in metastatic breast cancer research. Metastatic breast cancer is an under-funded area of research where the Team can have a lasting impact. Team Tiara has raised over \$7,000 for The Rose, Houston, Texas, to provide mammograms and breast health services to the uninsured and underinsured.

Team Tiara is proud to spread “Pink Fairy Dust” in the form of support for survivors. In 2014 the Team gave financial assistance to 16 different families who

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are in the thick of the fight against breast cancer. “We were able to financially stand in the gap and help fill a deficit created by lost wages, prescriptions, co-pays, etc. for those families,” Biggs says.

Team Tiara’s favorite achievement was working with the Fairfield Sports Association and the entire Fairfield community to build Hope Field, the first softball field in the country dedicated to breast cancer awareness.

Team Tiara continues to be an all-volunteer organization.

Supporting Team Tiara is easy – with several options available.

1. Sponsor a Team Tiara walker or join the Team for 2015 at www.the3day.org/goto/teamtiara2015. Registration is discounted \$20 through April 6, 2015.

2. Donations to Team Tiara at www.teamtiara.net/donate. Donations in the form of checks made out to Team Tiara can be mailed to: Team Tiara, D’Lyn Biggs, 129 Long Wood Avenue, Lakeway, Texas 78734.

If your business would like to support Team Tiara and the fight against breast cancer, please contact D’Lyn Biggs or any of Team Tiara’s team members.

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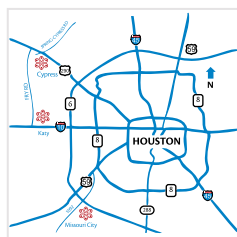
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February 8

Enjoying Coffee – Class by Café ZunZun

February 21 & 22

Cy-Fair Home & Garden Show – The Farmers Market and its vendors have been invited for the 3rd year in a row to set up the market in front of the Berry Center while the show runs on Saturday and Sunday.

March 8

Class by Stephanie Baker – ‘How to grow your own Tomatoes’

We look forward to seeing you at the upcoming markets!

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The American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Cy-Fair

The American Cancer Society is pleased to announce that the Relay For Life of Cy-Fair has placed in the top 20 Relays in the southern territory in the fight against cancer, thanks to the amazing success of last year's event. The 2014 Relay For Life of Cy-Fair brought in more than \$138,700, and drew record participation of over 2,000 people! Total funds raised by Relay For Life-Cy-Fair is now approaching \$1.25 million dollars in ten years!

"Congratulations to the many volunteers, committee members, and teams whose tireless efforts each and every year since 2005 have resulted such an accomplishment. The valued participation of cancer survivors and caregivers make the American Cancer Society Relay For Life unique and appealing to the entire community, most of whom have been touched by cancer in some way," said Relay For Life of Cy-Fair Chair Sulema Tamez.

Relay For Life remains the American Cancer Society's highest-grossing fundraising event in the fight against cancer. Monies raised support the American Cancer Society's mission to help people stay well, get well, find cures and fight back through cancer research, as well as the free programs and services provided directly to cancer patients and their families.

The Relay For Life of Cy-Fair is seeking sign-ups for both business

and personal teams for the April 17-18, 2015 event. The event committee is also seeking volunteers, cancer survivors and caregivers to participate. If you are interested in signing up or learning more about how you can help the American Cancer Society finish the fight against cancer, please visit: www.relayforlife.org/cyfairtx.

About the American Cancer Society

The American Cancer Society is a global grassroots force of more than three million volunteers saving lives and fighting for every birthday threatened by every cancer in every community. As the largest voluntary health organization, the Society's efforts have contributed to a 20 percent decline in cancer death rates in the U.S. since 1991, and a 50 percent drop in smoking rates. Thanks to our progress, nearly 14 million Americans who have had cancer and countless more who have avoided it will celebrate more birthdays this year. As we marked our 100th birthday in 2013, we're determined to finish the fight against cancer. We're finding cures as the nation's largest private, not-for-profit investor in cancer research, ensuring people facing cancer have the help they need and continuing the fight for access to quality health care, lifesaving screenings, clean air, and more. For more information, to get help, or to join the fight, call us anytime, day or night, at 1-800-227-2345 or visit cancer.org.

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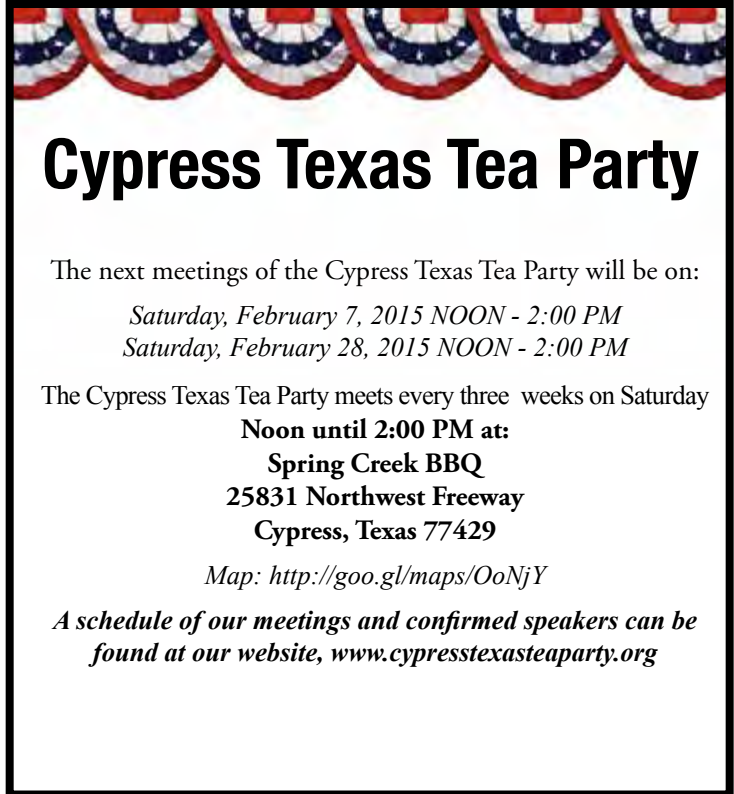
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President Porter was unanimously elected The Association's seventh professional Executive Director in January 2000. After a Bylaws amendment in November 2008, his title was changed to President and CEO. In March of 2011, Porter celebrated 30 years of service to The Association, beginning with his role as Field Director where he logged countless miles and hours in assisting A&M Clubs across the state, nation and world. Years spent interacting with Aggies one on one across the Aggie Network and witnessing their devotion to Texas A&M and Texas Aggies shaped Porter's vision for the organization, compelling him to create a culture built on a foundation of service and teamwork. Under his leadership, The Association has expanded its reach and relevance to the Aggie Network, raised the largest Annual Fund in the organization's history and enhanced the look, feel, and capabilities of the

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