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# THE RIDGE REVIEW

A LOOK INTO ALL THE HAPPENINGS AT CYPRESS RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL



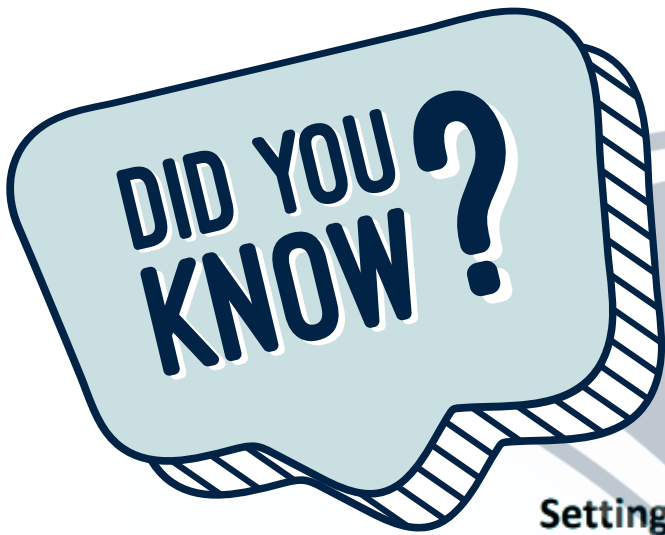
**STATE SUCCESS** | Our Future Business Leaders of America competed at the State Leadership Conference & Competition on Mar. 22-24. Four of these students, Kevin Trinh, Kyle Pham, Haifa Albazmit, and Haania Mirza, are National Qualifiers and will represent Cypress Ridge this summer in Atlanta, GA, competing against students from all over the globe.

**UIL ACADEMICS** | Two of our students are headed to the Regional UIL Academics tournament after taking home hardware at the district competition in March. Juliette Miranda (right) placed 2nd in Poetry while Charlotte Colbert (left) earned the top spot in Ready Writing.



## UPCOMING DATES

- 4/18 English I End-of-Course (EOC) Exam
- 4/19 English II EOC
- 5/2 U.S. History EOC
- 5/3 Biology EOC
- 5/4 Algebra I EOC
- 5/5 EOC Make-up Exams



## Setting Parent Alerts in HAC

Parents can set up notification alerts in Home Access Center for the following items:

<b>Attendance</b>	sends an email for all absences or for a specific absence code
<b>Course Averages</b>	sends an email when a student's average for any class is below or above the parent's specified percentage
<b>Classwork</b>	sends an email when a homework grade is below or above the parent's specified percentage

To set up alerts, login to Home Access Center, click on "My Alerts" in the menu on the left. Check the boxes to set notifications you wish to receive and set percentages where applicable.

If a parent has more than one student, alerts can be set separately for each student.

The screenshot shows the HAC interface with a user profile for John Doe and a navigation menu. The 'My Alerts' section is expanded, showing a table for Mary Doe with columns for Alert Type, Receive Alert, and Alert Details.

Alert Type	Receive Alert	Alert Details
Attendance	<input type="checkbox"/>	Limit alerts to specific absence codes.
Course Average	<input type="checkbox"/>	If my student receives a course average below <input type="text"/> % or above <input type="text"/> %.
Classwork	<input type="checkbox"/>	If my student receives an assignment average below <input type="text"/> % or above <input type="text"/> %.

# 17-6A Varsity District Championship

- **Rylee Hampton** placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the 100-meter hurdles and 300-meter hurdles
- **Rayna Dixon** placed 4<sup>th</sup> in the 100 meters and 200 meters
- **Emily Shook** placed 4<sup>th</sup> in the 3200 meters and 1600 meters

All three athletes will be advancing to the Area Meet on Friday, April 21, 2023 at 2:45 pm at Stratford High School.



**CULINARY** | Five of our culinary arts students took on the State FCCLA competition in Dallas on April 1, and while making it to the state level is a feat in and of itself, junior Hoai Nguyen (left) qualified for Nationals when he won 1st place in his category (below).



**ECO FAIR** | Our Economics teachers hosted the spring Eco Fair in the commons on March 29. Seniors were assigned to work in teams to create a product or service and then sell it during the fair to their peers and Cypress Ridge staff.



# UPCOMING EVENTS



**Last Day to  
Pre-Order a  
Yearbook is  
May 19!**



Apply for 2022-23

## SCHOLARSHIPS

LOTS of opportunities  
available for seniors!  
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# we need you.

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AT CYPRESS RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL.

### WHAT DO I DO?

- Apply online
- Attend a seminar
- Mentor a student  
30 min/week



Scan the  
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to apply

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**DO YOU WANT TO GRADUATE?**  
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U.S. CITIZEN  
U.S. NATIONAL  
Have a GREEN CARD  
Have an ARRIVAL-DEPARTURE  
RECORD  
Have BATTERED IMMIGRANT STATUS  
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**2 TASFA is for:**  
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or Green Card holders  
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Texas for at least 36 months

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Any Senior (with parent approval)  
that chooses not to apply for  
either the FAFSA or the TASFA

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