Harris County Precinct Three Commissioner Steve Radack’s Cypress Top Historic Park is open seven days a week from dawn to dusk. The buildings are only open on Tuesdays from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Formal tours of the museum complex led by staff or volunteers begin from Juergen’s Store at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. However, we are happy to have you visit the store anytime while we are there on Tuesdays. Group tours may be booked Tuesdays through Saturdays between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Group tours are subject to staff availability. We recommend you make reservations at least one month in advance.

The park and museum buildings are open to all and, as with all events offered at Cypress Top Historic Park, admissions and tours are free.

Like all Precinct Three parks, Cypress Top is a destination because of its beauty and tranquility. This particular green space in the heart of the Cypress commercial district is a place where flowers bloom and wildlife thrives. The park is a favorite of photographers. You might consider visiting, even if you are not a history buff. We think you will enjoy it.

Juergen’s Hall has been converted into a community center. It offers many activities and classes for those of all ages. Please check the Precinct Three website for hours of operation and offerings.

The volunteer work day to clean the old 1910 Pump House/Grist Mill was a “vacuumfest.” Crews repaired some holes in the floor and cleaned it thoroughly. Some volunteers now have their sights set on getting the old line shaft in working condition as part of a future display.

The next clean-up project will be the Barber Shop on May 5th. It will begin at 9 a.m. and should only take a couple of hours. If you want to help clean up small displays and merchandise in the store, come by any Tuesday and we can put you to work. Please contact Jim Wilson at cypresstop@pct3.com if you would like to help.
There was not a Cypress Top Senior History Bus Trip in April

**Signing Up for Senior History Bus Trips (Must be at least 50 years old to go on these trips)**

There is a waitlist for the May 20th trip to the McFadden-Ward House and Museum in Beaumont and the Stark Museum of Art in Orange. The June 3rd trip to the Texas Ranger Museum and the Mammoth exhibit in Waco, July 15th trip to the Houston Museum of Natural Science to see the Faberge Exhibit and the August 5th trip to the Bryan Museum in Galveston are now open for sign up. You may be added to the waitlist or sign up for future trips by emailing cypresstop@pct3.com or calling (281) 357-5324.

You may only sign up yourself plus one friend/spouse. No multiple reservations. **You will get a confirmation e-mail a week before the trip, if you have a seat.**

Members of the Cypress Historical Society are in the Cypress Train Depot (bright yellow building) every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and also on the third Saturday of the month from noon to 3 p.m. They have a great deal of genealogy information on most early Cypress area families. Visit them when you are in the area.

**The calendars** for May and June can be found on the website at [www.pct3.com](http://www.pct3.com). There is a link from the park web page or you can look under the Community Center events calendar.