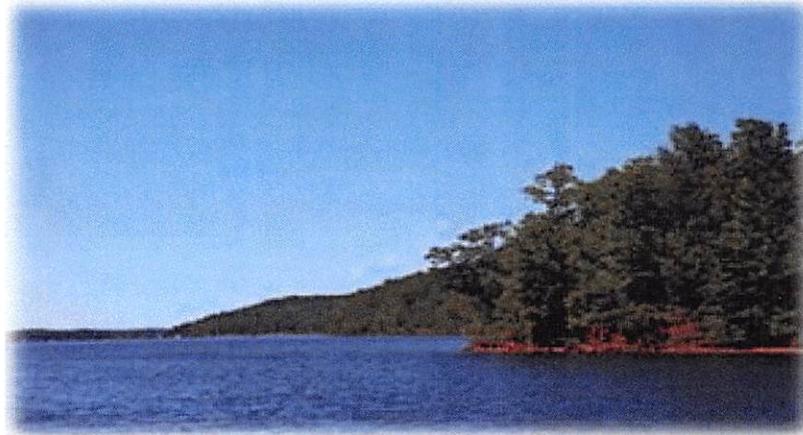


## J. – Leisure Living



Lake Palestine (Just south of Chandler)

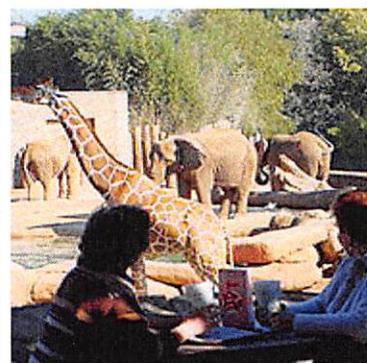
Surrounding Areas: Cedar Creek Lake, Lake Fork, Lake Athens, Lake Tyler, Tyler State Park, Lake Tawakoni State Park, Caddo Lake State Park, Atlanta State Park, Martin Creek Lake State Park, Lake Bob Sandlin State Park, Mission Tejas State Park



Chandler: McCain Park  
Winchester Park, River Park



Texas State Freshwater  
Fish Hatchery



Caldwell Zoo



The Tyler Municipal Rose Garden is a 14-acre park, making it the nation's largest rose garden. The garden is full of breath-taking beauty, especially in the spring and again in mid-October when the Rose Garden is in full bloom. There are over 38,000 rose bushes of at least 500 different varieties, from tall grafted rose trees to miniature roses no larger than a dime.

**Other Activities & Attractions:** East Texas Arboretum – Athens  
Mrs. Lee's Daffodil Garden – Gladewater, U-Pick Blueberries and Blackberries at Local Farms  
Splash Kingdom Water Park and Castle – Canton, Fire Mountain Amusement Park – Tyler



Tiger Creek Wildlife Refuge (Tyler) has over 40 rescued big cats



The Cleveland Amory Black Beauty Ranch(Murchison) Animal sanctuary



Texas Rose Horse Park(Tyler)



Ralph Yarborough Home

**Museums & Planetarium:** Chandler Historical Museum, Edom Museum Tyler - Rose Festival Museum, McClendon House, Brookshire World of Wildlife Museum and Country Store, Camp Ford, Goodman-LeGrand Home, Tyler Museum of Art, Carnegie History Center, Discovery Science Museum, , Historic Aviation Museum, Harold’s Historic Train Museum, Smith County Historical Museum and Archives

Tyler Junior College - The Center for Earth and Space Science Education Planetarium

Kilgore - East Texas Oil Museum, Kilgore College Rangerette Museum

Bullard - American Freedom Museum at Brook Hill Upper School

**Shopping in Chandler:** Brookshire’s Grocery Store, Dollar General, Family Dollar, Celebrations Flowers and Gifts, Forget-Me-Not Flowers and Gifts, and Copeland Chandler Drug (also gifts), Cade Appliance and TV, Miller Hardware, Chandler Feed, Back Room Antiques, Blue Moon Nursery

Tyler – Tyler Mall, Wal-Mart, Target, Sams Club, much more

Canton – FIRST MONDAY TRADES DAYS



**Civic Opportunities:**



**Clubs and Organizations:** Chandler Historical Society, Kickapoo Literary Society and Book Club, Lion’s Club, Friends of the Chandler Library, Women’s Unity Fellowship, Keep Chandler Beautiful, Chandler Cemetery Association, Masonic Lodge, Delta Kappa Gamma Society International – 2 chapters- Iota Delta, and Kappa Pi for retired Educators, Retired Teachers – Henderson and Smith County chapters, Kickapoo Tea Party, AARP LaRue/Moore Station, Compassionate Hospice, Art Club, Red Hat Society, West Lake Quilting Club, Tyler Azalea quilters, Tyler Embroidery club

**Volunteer Opportunities:** Chandler Public Library, Chandler Historical Museum, Chandler Volunteer Fire Department, Gods Open Hands Food Pantry and Thrift Store, Meals on Wheels, Chandler Nursing Center, Boy Scout Troops, Police Explorer Scouts, Meals on Wheels, Chandler Elementary, Chandler Intermediate and local churches, Breckenridge Villages of Tyler – Home for Mentally Challenged adults, Canton - The Library of Genealogy and Local History

