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## **Camp Hospitality Competition Finals May 14**

### **50 area pre-teen winners from hospitality career day vie for prizes**

Think of it as Hotel Olympics. The World Tuck or the Super Fold

On Friday, May 14, fifty pre-teen finalists from competitions held during the May 12 Hotel & Motel Association of Greater Houston's career day will meet and compete for top Camp Hospitality honors.

The competition? A pillowcase-stuffing relay race, folding napkins and a race against the clock..

The participants were among some nearly 500 HISD students who spent much of May 12 working in 21 area hotels as part of Camp Hospitality. Camp Hospitality, sponsored by the Hotel & Motel Association of Greater Houston, is an annual program that introduces hundreds of area students to the many career and job opportunities in the hospitality industry.

This major stuff and fold match will be held beginning at 10 a.m. at the HISD building located at 3830 Richmond.

Open to boys and girls, ages 10-11, Camp Hospitality included contests in which students raced against the clock to stuff pillows into cases and in a separate event, fold napkins into a design for an upscale dinner table.

The two-person teams represent their host hotels. This year, the largest turnout in the history of the event, participating hotels included [Best Western Park Place Suites on Old Spanish Trail](#), [Crowne Plaza Downtown](#), [DoubleTree Allen Center](#), [DoubleTree Guest Suites](#), [Four Seasons Downtown](#), [Hampton Inn Stafford](#), [Hilton Americas](#), [Hotel Derek](#), [Hotel Icon](#), [Hyatt Regency Airport](#), [Jesse H. Jones Rotary House on Holcombe](#), [LaQuinta Inn Galleria](#), [Marriott Intercontinental Airport](#), [Marriott Hobby](#) and the [Marriott Medical Center](#), [Omni Houston](#), [Park Plaza Reliant Center](#), [Renaissance Hotel Greenway](#), [Residence Inn Galleria](#), [The Sam Houston Hotel](#), [Woodlands Resort & Conference Center](#), [Wyndham Greenspoint](#) and [The St. Regis, Houston](#).

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