

Family Shuns Spotlight, Still “Best of Taylorsville”



Cecala Residence – 6356 South 1300 West

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SUBMIT A NOMINATION?

The Taylorsville Leisure Activities, Recreation and Parks Committee would like your help recognizing the best-kept homes and businesses in our City by sending your nominations to:

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or mail to:

Best of Taylorsville
c/o Jessica Springer
City of Taylorsville
2600 West Taylorsville Blvd.
Taylorsville, UT 84118

Please include address of nomination. Pictures of nominated property and contact information of person making the nomination are optional. Size and value of nominated property are not factors in the judging.

For the Cecala family of Taylorsville, creating and maintaining a beautiful landscape is relatively painless. Accepting recognition for it is a little tougher.

The Cecalas, 6356 South 1300 West, are reluctant winners of this month's *Best of Taylorsville* home beautification award for June. Their inviting landscape is accented by colorful and primly trimmed flowers and shrubs. Strategically located deciduous and evergreen trees give the property comfortable balance. The large front lawn is as finely clipped as a \$30 crew cut. Even two dead apricot trees are trimmed and made to compliment the residence.

The only ones who seem unimpressed by it all is the Cecala family. Mr. Cecala says he doesn't seek the attention but feels a responsibility to take good care of what he owns. That philosophy, he says, probably came from growing up on a farm.

The neighbors aren't as reserved about the folks next store. Nadine Stauffer says Mr. Cecala and his family are always helping others and always showing what it means to be good citizens. "They're the best neighbors you could have," she says. "When our cows escaped into their yard and ate their garden, they didn't even get upset; they just helped us fix the fence."

During the first City Council meeting in August, the Cecala family will receive a beautiful plaque donated by Crown Trophy and a basket of goodies from Great Harvest Bread Company; both are supportive Taylorsville businesses.