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Dobie homecoming parade set

Dobie High School is planning a Reverse Parade for Homecoming. The event will be Wednesday, Oct. 28, from 5 to 7 p.m. at Dobie High School. Band, drill team, cheer and other student groups will be stationed throughout the parking lot to celebrate homecoming.

The community is invited to decorate their vehicles in Dobie colors and drive through! The Homecoming Court will be on hand to throw out candy and greet everyone.

Rotary hosts blood drive

The Rotary Club of Houston Hobby Area will be hosting a blood drive to benefit M.D. Anderson Cancer Hospital Blood Bank at Alameda Mall, on the Kleckley Road side, Saturday, Oct. 24, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

To make an appointment visit www.mdandersson.org/bloodbank or call 713-792-7777.

COVID numbers decrease

At press time Wednesday, Oct. 21, a total of 64 South Belt residents had been confirmed dead from COVID-19, according to Harris County officials. That number is up just one from the previous week. Reporting of deaths related to COVID-19, however, may be delayed by local officials.

Of the 2,054 confirmed cases in 77089, 343 remain active, while 1,685 have recovered from the virus. To date, 26 from the ZIP code have died from the disease – up one from last week.

In 77075, 467 of the 1,583 confirmed cases remain active, while 1,095 have recovered. A total of 21 from the ZIP code have died – no changes from last week.

Of the 1,786 confirmed cases in 77034, 550 remain active, while 1,219 have recovered from the disease. To date, 17 residents from ZIP code 77034 have died from the disease, up zero from the previous week.

According to Harris County Public Health officials, the vast majority of the fatalities suffered from pre-existing health issues.

Countywide, there are 155,192 total confirmed cases. Of those, 130,333 have recovered from the disease, while 22,712 cases remain active. A total of 2,140 deaths have been reported in Harris County.

Statistics are updated daily and include numbers from within both the Houston city limits and throughout Harris County. To view an interactive map, visit publichealth.harriscountytexas.gov/Resources/2019-Novel-Coronavirus.

Beltway closures planned

At least one northbound and one southbound Beltway 8 frontage road lane will be closed from Vista to SH 225 daily from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. through Sunday, Nov. 8.

At least one northbound and one southbound Beltway 8 frontage road lane will be closed from Vista to SH 225 nightly from 8:30 p.m. to 5 a.m. through Sunday, Nov. 8.

There will be a total closure of the southbound Beltway 8 frontage road at SH 225 nightly from 8:30 p.m. to 5 a.m. through Friday, Oct. 23.

The closures are associated with the ongoing project to widen Beltway 8 from two to four lanes in each direction.

Gulf Freeway closures set

The northbound exit ramp on the Gulf Freeway at NASA Bypass/ NASA Road 1 will be closed continuously through 5 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 31.

At least one lane of the northbound and southbound entrance ramp from NASA Bypass/NASA Road 1 to SH 96 and exit ramp from NASA Bypass/NASA Road 1 to SH 96 will be closed nightly from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. through Thursday, Dec. 31.

Two alternate lanes on the Gulf Freeway frontage road will be closed from NASA Bypass/NASA Road 1 to SH 96/League City Parkway daily from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. through Thursday, Dec. 31.

The northbound connector ramp from the Gulf Freeway to the IH 610 South Loop, along with one inside lane, will be closed nightly from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. through Thursday, Dec. 31.

At least two alternate main lanes and frontage road lanes on the Gulf Freeway will be closed from IH 610 South Loop to Broad Street nightly from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. through Thursday, Dec. 31.

The northbound and southbound entrance ramp from IH 610 South Loop to Broad Street and the northbound and southbound exit ramp from IH 610 South Loop to Broad Street will be closed nightly from 9 p.m. to 3 a.m. through Thursday, Dec. 31.

The closures are associated with an ongoing construction project to widen the freeway from three to five lanes in each direction and the frontage roads from two to three lanes in each direction.

HOA seeks landscapers

The Sagemeadow Homeowners Association (HOA) is seeking proposals for an annual contract to service the community's landscaping needs starting January 1, 2021. Proposals will be accepted from Oct. 19 until Nov. 19, 2020, at 11:59 p.m. Preference will be given to small businesses located in and near the South Belt area. Contact Seth Webb at Sagemeadow Homeowners Association at 832-377-0847 or by email at admin@sagemeadow.org or <https://sagemeadow.org/contact-us/contracts>.

Halloween activities planned for South Belt kids

Fall has arrived, and with the cooler temperatures comes a variety of local activities for South Belt residents to enjoy.

While many traditional events have been canceled this year due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, others remain in place, with a few new events also being added.

– The Dobie Theatre Department will host an on-line haunted house Oct. 27 through Oct. 30. Titled

“Escaping BLDG 900,” the four-part miniseries will air at 7 p.m. each night, with repeat showings at 8 and 9 p.m. The virtual event will take viewers through four story lines, as a series of characters try to navigate their way through Dobie Building 900’s twists and turns. Admission is \$5 per viewing. To purchase tickets, visit the Dobie Theatre Facebook page at www.facebook.com/dobietheatre.

– The Parker Williams Branch Library will host

a virtual costume parade at noon Saturday Oct. 31. Costume photos may be emailed to PW@HCPL.Net. The virtual parade will be featured on Facebook.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary and Instagram.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary.

While San Jacinto College South will not hold its traditional Fall Festival this year, the campus will host a drive-in movie event Wednesday, Oct. 28. Films include “Coco” (PG), to be shown at 7:30 p.m. and “Scream” (R), to be shown at 10 p.m. Space will be limited to 63 vehicles, or roughly 200 students at four to six per car. The function is open to all students and staff and their guests. Due to limited space, all attendees must make reservations on the campus’s social media pages.

The Park at Bay Area assisted living center, 5000 Space Center Blvd. in Pasadena, will host its Trunk-or-Treat event Friday, Oct. 30, from 5 to 7 p.m. Masks and social distancing required. Candy donations are currently being accepted. For additional information, call 281-721-2500.

Kindercare, 12002 Beamer Road, will host its drive-by Trunk-or-Treat event Friday, Oct. 30, from 6:45 to 7:30 p.m. Parents are asked to pick up children by 6:30 p.m. so the event can start promptly at

6:45 p.m. For additional information, call 281-481-9309.

Scarsdale Family Health Center, 10851 Scarsdale Blvd. Suite 160, will host its Halloween drive-thru Friday, Oct. 30, from 5 to 7 p.m. For additional information, call 281-824-1480.

Clear Brook Meadows, along with Legacy Martial Arts, will host a communitywide Trunk-or-Treat event Saturday, Oct. 24, beginning at 6 p.m. Decorated cars are welcome, but decorations are not required.

Cora’s Cottage Care, 10851 Scarsdale Suite 700, will host its Fall Festival Saturday, Oct. 31, from 4 to 7 p.m. The event will feature bounce houses, face painting, games and food. Admission is free to families whose children attend Cora’s Cottage Care. All others will be charged \$10 per family (up to eight). Costumes are encouraged.

Canceled events

Annual fall/Halloween events canceled this year due to the COVID-19 pandemic include functions normally hosted by the Southeast Volunteer Fire Department, San Jacinto College, Alameda Mall, Crossroads UMC, Stuchbery Elementary, South Belt Elementary and Jessup Elementary.

Dobie getting ready for Halloween



Head costume designer Jasmine Chew, 11th-grader, applies airbrush makeup on director Juliet Rogers as she prepares for her part in Dobie Theatre’s miniseries “Escaping BLDG 900.” The miniseries will air Oct. 27 through Oct. 30. Visit the Dobie Theatre Facebook page for details and to reserve a spot. Photo by Santiago Sepeda

Kirkmont on general election ballot

The Kirkmont Municipal Utility District will hold a board election on the same ballot as the Nov. 3 general election.

This will mark the first time in the organization’s history that the elections have coincided with one another. The Kirkmont MUD election was originally scheduled to take place in May but was postponed due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

Up for re-election are board members Jean Ann Williams and Lonnie Piquet. Both mem-

bers have filed to maintain their positions.

Longtime resident and former board member Bonnie Dimicelli is running as a write-in candidate.

Terms are four years each. Another Kirkmont MUD board member, Gordon Beville, died Oct. 10, also leaving another seat open.

Beville’s replacement will be appointed after the election, according to Linda Arnone, Kirkmont MUD manager.

Man arrested for stealing toolbox

A suspect was arrested around 8 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 8, for allegedly stealing from an auto repair shop in the 12300 block of Scarsdale.

Deputies from the Harris County Precinct 2 Constable’s office responded to a theft call at the above location, where the suspect was reportedly being detained after being caught stealing a toolbox from the bed of an employee’s pickup truck.

Upon the deputies’ arrival, they learned the suspect had managed to flee in a U-Haul box truck, with an employee in pursuit.

Houston police had also been alerted and man-

aged to stop the suspect’s vehicle near Featherwood and Fuqua. The stolen toolbox was found in the back of the box truck, which is believed by investigators to also be stolen.

The suspect, Eduardo Casique, was determined to have multiple theft convictions on his record. Due to this, the Harris County District Attorney’s Office Intake advised charging him with a state jail felony.

The toolbox, worth approximately \$600, was returned to its owner. Casique was charged and booked into the Harris County jail.

Bazan charged with felony murder

Houston police have arrested a suspect charged in the fatal crash that took place around 1:35 p.m. Friday, Oct. 9, in the 7400 block of Beltway 8 near SH 35/Telephone Road.

Misty Shalon Bazan, 39, is charged with felony murder in the 339th State District Court.

The identity of the male victim, 33, is pending verification by the Harris County Institute of Forensic Sciences.

According to police, Bazan, driving a silver BMW 330, exited the beltway at Telephone and struck a white Honda CRV, a black Chevrolet Malibu and a green Porsche Cayenne. The drivers of the three vehicles were waiting at the red light. The Honda and Chevrolet were going east with the Honda behind the Chevrolet. The Porsche was in the left turn lane waiting to go north on Telephone.

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PISD plans virtual telethon for Dec. 8

The Pasadena ISD Education Foundation is taking a blast to the past for the future of students during its first-ever “Back 4 the Future” virtual telethon Dec. 8.

The event will raise funds to provide minigrants for teachers, student scholarships, support for virtual learning, districtwide COVID-19 relief and more.

Organizers are hoping to raise \$250,000 to support Pasadena ISD students and teachers during its giving period, from Dec. 1 through Dec. 8. The event’s grand finale will be live-streamed from noon to 8 p.m. on the final day of giving, Dec. 8.

The virtual event will feature live entertainment from students and staff to community members and alumni.

“Like ‘Back to the Future,’ our telethon will travel back through the decades to celebrate the history of Pasadena ISD, our schools, education foundation, famous alumni and more,” said Cristina Womack, former president of the PISD Education Foundation.

The telethon is being hosted in lieu of the Foundation’s annual Prize Parade fundraising event, in which teachers were awarded minigrants to enhance student learning. The Prize Parade annually

raised nearly \$200,000.

This year, program organizers are optimistic that they will not only be able to meet their annual goal, but surpass it partly due to the accessibility of the giving process, which will be exclusively based online through the telethon website.

“The 2020 school year has been wrought with many challenges,” said Cheri Hutcherson, Pasadena ISD Education Foundation president. “Due to COVID-19, the way we previously raised funds to enhance our educational programs suddenly became obsolete. We have been forced to open our minds and creatively think of ways to be able to meet some of our financial goals.”

“Collectively, we came up with the idea to create a telethon and perhaps involve a greater segment of our community than has been previously involved. We are excited about the possibilities of this new effort and hope you will join us in helping to meet our annual goal, so that we may continue to support our students and teachers.”

For additional information or to donate, visit the Pasadena ISD Education Foundation website at www.pasadenaisdfoundation.org/donate or email the Education Foundation at foundation@pasadenaisd.org.

More students back in school

Several Pasadena ISD students who had originally opted to study from home due to COVID-19 concerns recently returned to their respective campuses after the district’s first grading period was complete, school officials said.

For elementary students, this meant returning Wednesday, Oct. 21, after a nine-week grading period that ended the previous Friday. Students had the following Monday and Tuesday off, while Pasadena ISD staff had two staff development days.

For secondary Pasadena ISD students, the new start date was three weeks earlier, as they follow a six-week grading schedule.

According to district officials, phasing students in between grading periods makes the transition easier for both students and staff. Certain exceptions have been made, however, to allow students to phase in at different stages of the semester, school officials said.

At press time, it was unclear how many new face-to-face students the district would now have. At the beginning of this semester, only around 35 percent of Pasadena ISD students felt safe enough to return to brick-and-mortar learning, opting instead to continue to learn from home.

Thousands of local students and teachers had

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Home invasion in Clear Brook Meadows

The Harris County Precinct 2 Constable’s office is investigating a home invasion that took place around 10:15 p.m. Friday, Oct. 16, in the 10300 block of Sagebrook.

The invaders forced entry through the front door.

According to investigators, the suspects accidentally left a key fob – or wireless vehicle remote – at the scene, which is being used to track their vehicle. A wallet was also reportedly found at the scene.

The occupants of the residence were at home at the time of the invasion.

The female occupant of the home chased off the intruders. She was reportedly armed with a gun.

No injuries were reported. The investigation is ongoing.

A fatal shooting also took place in Riverstone Ranch this past week.

See next week’s *Leader* for more information on the fatality.

Early voting for Nov. 3 underway

Early voting for the Nov. 3 general election is currently underway and will continue through Oct. 30.

While some of the traditional early voting locations will remain in place, the county has added several new ones, including multiple drive-thru sites.

Nearby traditional early voting locations include the Harris County annex at 10851 Scarsdale and Beamer; and the east Harris County Activity Center at 7340 Spencer Highway in Pasadena. The Pasadena site will be one of six

to be open 24 hours on Oct. 29 – a first for the county.

New early polling locations include the El Franco Lee Community Center, 9500 Hall Road; the MultiCultural Center – Banquet Hall, 951 Tristar Drive in Webster; and the BakerRipley Cleveland Neighborhood Center – Gym, 720 Fairmont Parkway in Pasadena.

Drive-thru voting

Due to the current COVID-19 pandemic, the county will have 11 drive-thru early voting sites

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Proper drug disposal event set

The Drug Enforcement Administration is once again partnering with local law enforcement to properly dispose of all expired medications, with multiple collection events scheduled to take place Saturday, Oct. 24, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Participating law enforcement agencies include the Harris County Precinct 8 Constable’s office, the League City Police Department and the Friendswood Police Department.

The Precinct 8 event will take place at 16602

Diana Lane; the League City will take place at 555 W. Walker; and the Friendswood event will take place at Hope Lutheran Church, located at 1804 S. Friendswood Drive.

Coordinated by the Bay Area Alliance, the function will take back all expired and/or unneeded prescription and nonprescription medications. Previous local collection efforts have resulted in the collection of more than 23,000 pounds of medications.

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SoHo crowns King, Queen

Isaac Nunez and Jasmine Flores were crowned king and queen at South Houston’s High School homecoming held last Saturday. SoHo won the evening’s football competition against Pasadena High by a score of 34-0.

Photo by Davy Flickinger

In My Opinion

Baker gives insights on a changed America

I received a message from Ed Johnson about submitting my piece into your opinion section. He indicated you needed it to come from me so I am sending it to you. I am the author of this piece and should you want to I give permission for it's use. "There is no art in this White House. There is no literature or poetry in this White House. No music. No Kennedy Center award celebrations. There are no pets in this White House. No loyal man's best friend. No Socks the family cat. No kids science fairs. No times when this president takes off his blue suit-red tie uniform and becomes human, except when he puts on his white shirt- khaki pants uniform and hides from Americans to play golf.

There are no images of the first family enjoying themselves together in a moment of relaxation. No Obama's on the beach in Hawaii moments, or Bushes fishing in Kennebunkport, no Reagans on horseback, no Kennedys playing touch football on the Cape.

summer when George H couldn't catch a fish and all the grandkids made signs and counted the fish-less days. And somehow, even if you didn't even like GHB, you got caught up in the joy of a family that loved each other and had fun.

Where did that country go? Where did all of the fun and joy and expressions of love and happiness go? We used to be a country that did the ice bucket challenge and raised millions for charity. We used to have a president that calmed and soothed the nation instead dividing it. And a First Lady that planted a garden instead of ripping one out.

We are rudderless and joyless.

We have lost the cultural aspects of society that make America great. The fabric has become old and brittle and torn. We have lost our mojo, our fun, our happiness. The cheering on of others. The shared experiences of humanity that makes it all worth it. The challenges AND the triumphs that we shared and celebrated. The unique can-do spirit Americans have always been known for. We are lost. We have lost so much in so short a time."

Elayne Griffin Baker

Local library events set

In case of storms or adverse weather, refer to library website for details.

Bracewell Branch Library

Bracewell Branch Library, 9002 Kingspoint, has phone service Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, noon to 7 p.m., at 832-393-2580 for information. Visit the website at https://houstonlibrary.org/location/bracewell-neighborhood-library?items_per_page=200#events or for virtual programs, visit <https://houstonlibrary.org/learn-explore/library-events>.

Bracewell HPL To Go curbside service is in operation

Contactless Curbside services, known as HPL To Go, is available by appointment Mondays, noon to 7 p.m.; Wednesdays and Fridays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Customers walking or riding a bike may also pick up reserved materials. For questions, call circulation at 832-393-2222. All overdue fines/fees will be waived through Jan. 1, 2021. To use HPL To Go:

1. Place a hold through the online catalog or by phone.
2. Receive email or phone call of notification prior to scheduling a time for pickup.
3. Upon arrival, park and stay in the vehicle and call to notify staff of arrival.
4. Have MY Link card number and PIN ready.

Book drop

The book drop is open. Library materials can be returned with no overdue fees. The library continues to provide online resources so the public can enjoy the library at home. Large items such as FLIP kits or laptops should not be placed in the book drop. Keep those items until further notice.

Additional resources

The Houston Public Library has electronic resources, books, audiobooks, databases for research, tutoring, language learning, education and parent information for Texas residents with a temporary library card. To get a card, visit the home page at www.houstonlibrary.org under Here's What's Happening. Clicking on the middle of three cards, which is Free Resources for All, will access the digital resources and a link to obtain a temporary card. Also, under the Here's What's Happening link, the first card on the left titled Online Resources for Kids accesses a Virtual Storytime link. This is provided every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11 a.m. The archived storytimes can be found on Facebook by searching Houston Public Library Virtual Storytimes. Another virtual program is Craft.

Houston Public Library's many free online resources and digital services remain available 24/7 with a MY Link Library Card at www.houstonlibrary.org, including e-books and e-audiobooks, streaming TV, movie and music services, online classes and tutoring and databases. Until further notice, only electronic items (i.e. e-books, e-audio books, etc.) are eligible for holds and check-out. HPL has a robust collection of free e-books and audio books. Visit the catalog to determine if a previously requested hold selection may be in a digital format. Instructions on downloading the e-book or audio book are also on the site.

All due dates for existing borrowed materials will be extended through the closure period. Until further notice, no new late fees and fines will be assessed during the closure period, retroactive to March 14, 2020. While the Bracewell Branch Library remains closed, Wi-Fi service is still available by coming to the library standing/sitting within 6 feet of the building. A password is not needed. Go to Settings, then Network and Internet, Wi-Fi and connect to HPL - Public.

HPL is not accepting book donations at this time. Visit www.houstonlibrary.org to find virtual programs and digital resources including e-books, e-audiobooks, streaming music and videos, online learning, online tutoring and more. For more information visit www.houstonlibrary.org to find out how to chat with a librarian 24/7, or how to send questions through HPL's email reference.

Parker Williams Library

Parker Williams Library, 10851 Scarsdale Blvd., is closed to the public. Visit the website at <https://www.hcpl.net/branch/parker-williams-branch-library> for updates.

The book drop is open. No late fees charged during the library closure. Social media links are Facebook.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary and Instagram.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary.

Parker Williams "No-Contact Curbside Holds Pick-Up"

After receiving notification that holds are ready for pickup, call 832-927-7870.

- Have a library card number and PIN handy.
- A pickup time and instructions will be given.
- Upon arriving at the library, follow the instructions given.
- Be prepared to show a library card or other form of ID for verification.

Curbside hours are: Monday - Thursday, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Friday, 1 p.m. - 6 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Visit <https://www.hcpl.net/branch/parker-williams-branch-library>.

Online services

Harris County Public Library will continue to offer a wide array of online services:

- Use HCPL Wi-Fi service with HCPL's Drive-up Wi-Fi.
- Download e-books and audiobooks, stream movies, research and learn at www.hcpl.net.
- Attend an HCPL program or story time online through Facebook or YouTube.
- Check an account to renew loans or request books, e-Books, comics or graphic novels.
- Stream classic films, indie cinema and award-winning documentaries on Kanopy.
- Listen to audiobooks through RBDigital or OverDrive.
- Read along and play with picture books on TumbleBooks.

Don't have an HCPL library card? Instant access can be obtained to all HCPL's digital materials and research tools with an iKnow Digital Access Card. Apply at <https://www.hcpl.net/services/iknow-card> for a HCPL card. For details, visit <https://www.hcpl.net>.

Parker Williams schedule of events this week

Virtual Costume Parade: Photo Submissions. Get creative and join the parade by sending in Halloween costume pictures through Oct. 25 to be featured in the Parade video Oct. 31. Email a photo to PW@HCPL.NET with first and last names with "Costume Parade" in the subject line. The Online Photo Parade will be live Oct. 31. To include a photo, the online photo release must be filled out which is accessed at <https://tinyurl.com/xyf2gal>.

All month long in October. Virtual Photo Club. Join the photo club with this month's photo challenge "Spirit Of Halloween," with a new costume, a pumpkin carving or putting up decorations. Participants are encouraged to go close in with their photo shots and post them online with the tag #HCPLphotoclub for a chance to be featured on the social media accounts: Facebook.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary and Instagram.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary.

All month long in October. Virtual Poetry Club. Residents may send poetry to the library to be featured on its social media accounts. Send an email to PW@HCPL.NET with the subject "Virtual Poetry Club." These posts will be featured on social media on Saturdays.

All month long in October. Book Club: "Gods of Jade and Shadow," by Kim Michele Richardson. Join the Parker Williams Book Club and read a different fiction book monthly. Contact the branch to reserve a copy. Meetings are the last Thursday at 2 p.m. over Microsoft Teams. Contact Tanner Adams at tanner.adams@hcpl.net for more information and an invite.

Thursday, Oct. 22, 10:30 a.m. Virtual Toddler Time. Join Mr. John (John Harbaugh) and Mrs. Celeste (Celeste Plew) virtually. Parents are encouraged to participate to facilitate interaction. While this program is designed for 18 months to 4-year-olds, all children and families are welcome to join virtually. Sign up once with a valid email address online at <https://www.hcpl.net/branch/parker-williams-branch-library> to get a weekly invitation.

Friday, Oct. 23, 1 p.m. Draw with Me. Join Ariel Perez who tries something a little more difficult, but still fun and easy to follow. Residents will be needing pens and markers for these videos which will be featured on Facebook and Instagram.

Friday, Oct. 23, 5 p.m. Is it wrong to watch so much anime? Join Jason Cruz for Episode 5: 2020 Halloween Special. Join Mr. Jason and Mr. John to see how others celebrate in Japan and learn more about the Japanese interpretation of Halloween and explore Halloween moments as well as some shows. This video will be featured on Facebook.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary.

Oct. 26 - Oct. 31. Page Fright: Curbside Trick or Treat and Crafts. Join the third annual Page Fright community event Friday at Parker Williams Library. Due to COVID-19, the event is week-long with contactless curbside pickup only. Candy and take-home activities will be available for each child. The first 50 people may also receive a free 3d printed pumpkin cookie cutter that was printed on the library's new 3D printer. Call 832-927-7870 for details.

Tuesday, Oct. 27, noon. Drawing with Ariel Perez for virtual fun and easy cartoon drawings featuring various doodles, numbers and letters. This video will be featured on Facebook.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary and Instagram.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary.

Wednesday, Oct. 28, 1 p.m. Spanish Storytime. Join Jason Cruz with a story the second and fourth Wednesday of the month. Video will be featured on Facebook.com/ParkerWilliamsLibrary.

Wednesday, Oct. 28, 3:30 p.m., ages 16 and older. Dungeons & Dragons Online. Join Tanner Adams online. No prior experience is required. Contact tanner.adams@hcpl.net for details. Call 832-927-7870 for additional information.

Leader checks out social media

By Natalie Abarca
A member of The Official South Belt & Sagemont Area Crime Alert Facebook group shared a post of two individuals, a male and a female that were breaking into houses around the Monroe area. The

break-ins happened Thursday, Oct. 15. The member states that the female suspect has tattoos, including one tattoo on the back of her neck. The member asks if anyone has any information, to contact Bert at 281-827-6160.

A member of Ashly Pointe Subdivision Facebook group posted video surveillance of two suspects that broke into a home in Amanda Meadows Friday, Oct. 16, between 10 - 10:30 p.m. The suspects left in a black Chevy Impala.

Brantly wins Yard of the Month



Congratulations go to Sharon Brantly (far left) for winning the Sagemeadow HOA Yard of the Month for October. Brantly, who lives on Sageorchard Circle shows her front yard with displays of traditional autumn decorations. Under the Live Oak tree are flowering lantanas, potted mums (chrysanthemums) and a variety of evergreen plants, with scarecrows and decorated pumpkins sitting on hay bales. A delight to see for children! Sharon is a former teacher of Stuchbery Elementary. Awards for best December holiday decorations will be presented in November. If one is interested in becoming a member of the Sagemeadow Beautification team, email beauty@sagemeadow.org. Visit www.sagemeadow.org for more information. Shown with Brantly are her grandsons Benjamin (center) and Nathan Brantly.

Hancock announces perfect attendance for 1st nine-weeks

Hancock Elementary School officials have announced the first nine-weeks perfect attendance for the 2020-2021 school year.

Pre-K

Julian Facundo, Eva Azingue, Nykko Palm, Avanni Arias, Dylan Arredondo, Melissa Juarez, Cristian Lopez, Christian Ochoa, Eiza Rangel and Saul Rivera.

Kayden Rodriguez, Emma Garza, Aryanna Jaramillo, Brea Martin, Lareine Mbusa, Kenzie Morgan, Ethan Parker, Nazareth Sangurima, Micah Strong and Jayden Williams.

Kindergarten

Daniel Banda, Abigail Espinosa, Jonathan Figueroa, Liam Maruri, Alondra Ochoa, Kylie Villa, Angel Aguilera, Sarahi Almonte, Kristian Clark and Aidan Guerra.

Aaliyah McDaniel, Raelyn McPherson, Andrew Rivas, Maria Ruiz, Matteo Rios, Neya Cooper and Jacob Garcia.

First grade

Travis Hawkins, Katty Luna, Isaiah Hernandez, Jru Miles and Diego Navarez.

Second grade

Emily Benavides Garza, Edie Parker, Scarlett Picazo,

Chemya Robertson, Nathaniel Blanco, Taylor Edwards, Josiah Johnson and Jay'ceon Mason.

Danson Nguyen, Amaya Williams, Alexa Guerra, Zoe Moreno, Esau Perez, Alessandro Reyna, Angel Cavazos and Eduardo Garza.

Sebastian Garza, Victoria Granados, Santiago Guerrero and Nazaria Vallejo.

Third grade

Ayden Gutierrez, Alaina King, Aliyah Garcia, Mya Guevara, Bryndon Lenton, Ryleigh Lewis, Evon Nguyen, Lucas Rodriguez and Tevin Edmonson.

Carlina Gonzales, Mia Guevara, Angel Hernandez, Terry Jacobs, Kali Jolivet, Bryson Lenton, Rooney Vu, Julian Garza, Elijah Garza-McDaniels and Luis Lopez De La Cruz.

Daniela Reyes, Angie Sanchez, Lesleigh Williams, Sophia Ibarra, Alex Juarez, Natalya Luna-Villatoro, Legrand Mubisa, Lizzy Rodriguez and Grettel Ruiz.

Fourth grade

Julian Amador, Emily Lopez, Andrew Lopez, Areeba Subhani, Nicholas Gomez, Is-

abella Guerra, Valeria Quintero and Ariana Guerra.

Tagen Baker, Adrian Bell, Nylah Cooper, Kassidi Holcombe, Zion Miles, Stephen Sanchez and Amare Williams.

Fourth grade

Savannah Gomez, Leo Hernandez, Axel Juarez, Eiel Machado, Emily Quezada, Yareli Rangel, Nevaeha Gutierrez, Kameron Johnson and Malina King.

Adam Lopez, Omar Luna, Daily Thrower, Gabrielle Wilkins, Kamiya Bedford, Lucas Cruz, Kenneth Gilbert, Ashlyn Gutierrez and Amiyia Larkin.

Giselle Vallesteros, Nathalia Gonzalez, Londen Kinlaw, Dezmariah Ortiz, Makayla Palm, Brandon Scott, Xaivon Taylor and Joseph Vazquez.

More students learn in schools

Continued from Page 1 already returned to in-person instruction Sept. 8, with the number of reported COVID-19 cases being significantly lower than initially feared by many, including no major outbreaks and only three current active cases in the immediate South Belt area. The three active cases include one Dobie Main student and two from the Dobie 9 campus.

At press time Wednesday, Oct. 21, there were 24 known active cases in the Pasadena Independent School District, including 16 staff members and eight students, or roughly 0.04 percent of the school district's overall population of 50,729 students and 8,101 employees.

Counting those who have recovered from the disease, Pasadena ISD officials report a total of 112 COVID-19 cases this semester, including 72 staff members and 40 students. The statistics include only face-to-face students and those participating in extracurricular activities.

Many community leaders, including longtime Pasadena ISD board member Fred Roberts, feel it is time for most students to now return to campus.

"My feeling is that it's best for students to be in the classroom. Some students will do fine with virtual, but virtual learning is not the best way to get an education," Roberts said. "I believe those children are safe in a classroom, especially if they're wearing masks and social distancing. Our schools are extremely safe. They're doing everything they can to protect the children."

Publisher's Opinion

Quick, easy way to vote

For those of you who have not yet voted and prefer to vote quickly and not have to wait in line, we have the best tip of the day for you.

Early voting will also be held on Sunday, Oct. 25 from noon to 7 p.m. at all polls. El Franco Lee Park is still, by far, the

quickest place to vote.

So if you have not voted yet, and don't like crowds or long wait times, voting on Sunday at El Franco Lee is your best bet. See you at the polls.

—Marie Flickinger
Publisher

Deaths

Gordon L. Bevill Jr.



Gordon L. Bevill Jr. was born Oct. 13, 1947. He died Oct. 10, 2020, unexpectedly.

He was preceded in death by his wife Peggy Bevill; parents Gordon and Lavanda Bevill; and brother Danny Bevill.

He is survived by his son Cody and wife Courtney Bevill; daughter Camie Bevill; and grandsons Kohen and Kegan Bevill; brother Larry and wife Lynn Bevill; and numerous in-laws, aunts, cousins, nieces and nephews.

Gordon and Peggy were married June 7, 1975. He was a longtime resident of the Sagemont area and was very dedicated to the neighborhood. He was associated with the Sagemont Cowboys little league and served on the Kirkmont MUD where he made lifelong friends. He retired from IBM after more than 25 years of service.

He was passionate about cooking barbecue and almost never missed a cook-off. He won many awards for his cooking talents. Gordon never met a stranger when he was cooking and would always invite everyone to sample his food and tell them exactly what he was doing.

He was very dedicated to his family and friends. Gordon would shoot straight and tell it like it is. He would help anyone in need. Gordon would do it all, from driving someone to their voting location or mowing their yard. He loved his grandkids a ton and enjoyed spending as much time with them as possible.

A memorial service to celebrate Gordon's life will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 24, at Peevey Funeral Home (formerly Niday Funeral Home), 12440 Beamer Road.

Patricia Alice Smothers



On Thursday, Oct. 8, 2020, Patricia "Patty" Alice Smothers, loving wife and mother to five children, 11 grandchildren, as well as numerous great-grandchildren died at the age of 66.

Patty was born April 27, 1954, in Asbury Park, N.J. to Yolanda and Robert Nisbet. She moved to Houston in September 1980 where she met and married William Smothers

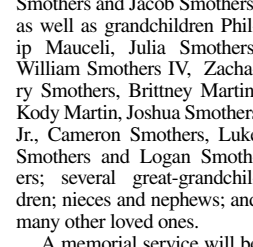
Jr. They were married 38 years and raised their children Lisa Melone, William Smothers III, Christina Martin, Joshua Smothers and Jacob Smothers.

Patty loved to spend her time making creative bottles, picture frames, collages and many other crafty things for her friends and loved ones alike. She had a big heart and loved everyone in her life with a wonderful passion. She was so kind and forgiving, the most selfless person one would ever have met. She was always there when one needed her and her door was always open. She always went out of her way for all her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She will be loved forever and missed deeply.

Patty was preceded in death by her parents Robert and Yolanda Nisbet; her sister Diane Riley; and her grandson Kenneth Martin Jr. She is survived by her husband William Smothers Jr.; her brother Robert Nisbet Jr.; her children Lisa Melone, William Smothers III, Christina Martin, Joshua Smothers and Jacob Smothers; as well as grandchildren Philip Mauceli, Julia Smothers, William Smothers IV, Zachary Smothers, Brittney Martin, Kody Martin, Joshua Smothers Jr., Cameron Smothers, Luke Smothers and Logan Smothers; several great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews; and many other loved ones.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, Nov. 7, from 1 to 2 p.m. at Freeway Baptist Church, 8702 Kingspoint Road. Flowers may be sent to Freeway Baptist Church.

Mary Joyce Riddle Fulghum



Longtime South Belt resident Mary Joyce Riddle Fulghum, 88, died peacefully in her home Oct. 18, 2020, in Houston, due to complications associated with pancreatic cancer.

She was blessed to be surrounded by friends and family in her last days.

She was born Aug. 19, 1932, in Barnardville, N.C. and was the youngest of nine children to her parents William and Marietta Sayer.

She moved to the South Belt area in 1965 with her husband Harold Riddle (now deceased) to work for NASA. Joyce was a physical education teacher at Meador Elementary. She retired from JC Penney after working 30 years in the catalog department. Joyce dedicated her remaining time to her family and friends.

She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law Kathy and Larry Hoot; grandchildren Darlene Kalajian, Ryan Riddle and Nick LeGrotte; step-grandchildren Keith Hoot, Aaron Hoot and Jessa-le Smith; great-grandchildren Pearl Kalajian, Benjamin Kalajian, Trey Riddle, Drew Riddle, Grace Riddle

and Willow LeGrotte; and step-great-grandchildren Lily Mudd, Violet Mudd, Aaron Hoot, Mason Hoot, Regan Hoot, Jett Hoot, River Hoot, Marvix Hoot, Aubrey Hoot and Cohen Smith.

She was preceded in death by her husbands Harold Riddle and Robert Fulghum, and her son David Riddle.

Joyce's faith in God was strong. She attended many churches and many different denominations. She often said, "We all pray to the same God." She loved life. Her strong faith and will to live carried her during her two-year battle with cancer. She did not let her chemotherapy slow her down. She enjoyed going out almost every night with her friend to Whataburger. She was loved by many. She was a mother figure to many and a good listener.

She loved unconditionally without judgment. She had the biggest heart. She will be missed every day.

Family and friends are invited to attend a visitation, Thursday, Oct. 22, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Peevey Funeral Home (formerly Niday Funeral Home). Joyce's celebration of life will take place Friday, Oct. 23, at 10 a.m., also at Peevey Funeral Home.

Don Scallan



Fiercely loyal and loving, Donald "Don" Marcus Scallan was called home on Monday, Oct. 19, 2020, at the age of 73.

Don was born on Sept. 27, 1947, in Cuthbert, Ga. A self-made man who owned his own business Scallan's Air & Heat for nearly four decades, Don was known by many to stop whatever he was doing to help others. He enjoyed visiting with all of his customers, having parties, and listening to music all hours of the night.

His happiness lit up a room and he was a bright light for his wife Eileen throughout their 50 years of marriage.

In recent years, he enjoyed traveling with his wife on cruises and quick trips to Lake Charles, La., to try his hand at the casinos.

He supported his entire family with unconditional love, and for them, and many who knew him, the world is now a richer place because Don was part of their lives.

Don is survived by his loving wife; daughter Jenifer Scallan-Berlinger and husband Alex Berlinger; mother Florine Kytan; and grandsons Zachary and Luke Castillo.

Visitation will be held Wednesday, Oct. 28, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Peevey Funeral Home (formerly Niday Funeral Home), 12440 Beamer Road.

A private burial will be held at South Park Cemetery.

Meador sets rolls

Meador Elementary officials announced the first nine-weeks bug roll, merit roll and honor roll for the school year.

First grade - Bug roll

Bethany Cabriaes, Ricky Flores, Brielle Kay, Janessa Murray, Julia Nguyen, Parker Smith, Adalyn Renteria, Symphani McCallum and Jaielle Guillory.

Second grade - Bug Roll

Arianna McCallum, Eleena Breigheith, Resnemes Nanez, Rosalie Longorai, Tyler Nguyen, Keyona Kelly, Genesis Gonzales, Nathalie Mai, Phillip Picarro and Alyssa Rios.

Third grade - Bug Roll

Gael Lopez, Pablo Martinez, Emily Reyes, Oscar Barrera, Jaelyn Avila, Giselle Cammock, Makayla Clemmons and Autumn Gonzales.

Fourth grade - Bug Roll

Diana Alvarez, Isabella Fernandez, Sophia Ramos and Isabella Rios.

Fifth grade - Bug Roll

Alyssa Picarro, Annabelle Rodriguez, Joseph Nguyen, Aylin Cruz, Paige Hladysch and Julian Montero.

Sixth grade - Bug Roll

Carolyn Erazo and Glenn Mason.

Makayla Hernandez, Kendal Lynsky, Giovanni Olvera, Josiah Ortega, Gabriella Renteria, Nfor Samuel and Marquez Stewart.

Skylla Wells, Sophia Chayeb, Julian Choto, Kayden Donjuan, Elizabeth Hoffman, Savannah Morales, Ashley Quijada and Micah Thompson.

Kyngston Vaughn, Aleishmarie Apointe, Ja'Kayla Bradford and Azariah Calidonio.

Third grade - Merit roll

Sophia Mancuso, Lillian Blanco, Blake Gonzalez, Shae Ibarra and Giovanni Venturilla.

Fourth grade - Honor roll

Diana Alvarez, Isabella Fernandez, Sophia Ramos and Isabella Rios.

Fifth grade - Merit roll

Alyssa Picarro, Annabelle Rodriguez, Joseph Nguyen, Aylin Cruz, Paige Hladysch and Julian Montero.

Sixth grade - Honor roll

Carolyn Erazo and Glenn Mason.

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Pasadena Memorial announces first nine-weeks honor roll

Pasadena Memorial High School officials announced the first nine-weeks honor roll for the 2020-2021 school year.

Ninth grade
Steve Alexander Aguilar, Vianey Alexa Aguirre Rodriguez, Moya Rose Alaniz, Syed Muzammil Ali, Chaney Adelle Allison, Elida Hazzel Almaraz, Emily Alvarado, Jesus Alvarez Villalobos, Jessica Judith Alvarez, Carlos Manuel Amaya Vargas and Perla Cristal Amezcua.

Chloe Ruth Anderson, Manlio Geovanni Arango, Aimee Corina Argueta, Matthew, Alexander Argueta, Hamza Arif, Jacob Alonso Artilles, Aaron Yemar Avila, Adrian Alberto Avina, Alejandro Avina, Prabhleen Bains and Angelo Magampon Baluyut.

Sindy Paola Barrera Serrano, Madeline Yvette Barrera, Lesly Gabriela Barron, Lilianna Yvette Barron, Tanner Gene Basinski, Jazmine Christine Bates, Jaylon E'won Bell, Christian Xavier Betts and Summer Christine Billings.

Judy Bittar, Lesli Botello, Gavin Atom Braffett, Hannah Michelle Brooks, Ethan Andreas Burden, Laura Danelly Caballero Lozano, Destiny Brianna Calixto, Alexa Camacho, Ebony Campos and Caelib Gabriel Canals.

Julian Ray Cantu, Zachary Alan Caracheo, Jalissa Nevaeh Carr, Kaitlyn Ann Carr, Aiden Joseph Carranza, Luis Angel Carrascal, Emelia Anneese Casteel, Galilea Lizom Castillo, Karina Lizabeth Castro and Jorge Centeno.

Karla Marilu Chapa, Nathan Alexander Chavez, Sofia Giselle Chavez, Trey Ryland Choate, Julixa Isabel Cintron, Morgan Elaine Claxton, Isabella Ann Condado, Kassandra Amarilie Cornejo and Angel Enrique Cortazarlopez.

Aileen Cruz, Ashley Libbeth Cruz, Jason Michael Cruz, Santos Daniel Cuellar, Emily Damian, Max Simeon Davis, Aliyah Renee Deleon, Carolina Delgado, Vedika M. Deva, Sophia Faith Diaz and Herleen Kim Dinh.

Princess Prosperity Edogawer, Hugo Adelfo Estrada, Madeline Estrada, Rogelio Eliseo Falcon, Hugo Flores, Isabel Ann Flores, Anita Frank, Carlos Gae Valenzuela, Rylan Wade Garay, Veneria Nahomi Garcia Mayorga, Alondra Jacqueline Garcia and Angel Celeste Garcia.

Christopher Aaron Garcia, Cristofer Elias Garcia, Joliana Magena Garcia, Fabian Garza, Gisselly Garza, Helen Garza, Melanie Garza, Sarah Elizabeth Garza, Mauricio Armando Gloria and Ashley Monique Gomez.

Erin Gomez, Adam Ian Gonzalez, Daniel Gonzalez, Frida Sofia Gonzalez, Pablo Salvador Gonzalez, Shaiyln Renee Gonzalez, Stephen Matthew Gonzalez, Alexander Granados and Lisette Nicole Granados.

Genesis Guerra, Kimberly Anneliese Gutierrez, Saul Emmanuel Guzman, Yuri Diana Guzman, Avery Shea Hainz, Anthony Robert Harnar, Karol Jimena Henriquez Briones, Steven Matthew Heredia and Alejandro Hernandez.

Kiara Hernandez, Nathan Reyes Duran Hernandez, Nicholas Felipe Hernandez, Vivien Hernandez, Dustin Hernandez-Chavez, Lan Emily Hoang, Nguyen Gia Hung Hoang, Bella Isales, Shauntarion Jaymaria Jackson, Madison Nicole Juarez and Devin Baltasar Lara.

Yuen Thi Thy Le, Aleyna Isabel Leblanc, Hacie Alyssa Liscano, Jaiden Phoenix Longoria, Jose Francisco Lopez, Maria Guadalupe Lopez and Daniel Humberto Lozano.

Ivan Luna, Nathaniel Kaye Luna, Megan Han-My Ly, Vincent Mac, Nicole Anahy Machuca, Axel Nahum Maldonado, Stacey Marin, Sarah Leocadia Martinez, Dori Rita Grace Marquez and Alan Martinez.

Fernanda Martinez, Gabriela Martinez, Isaac Martinez, Melissa Martinez, Devany Nevaeh Mata, Alejandro Mateos, Madusu Iman Meite, Nicolas Mendoza Moran, Casey Merlan, Laila Molina, Samantha Montero, Melany Michelle Morua, Nazir Neri and Anh Dong Nguyen.

Kenny Huy Nguyen, Thu Hoang Nguyen, Jaelyn Keyeon Nowlin, Itzel Ojeda, Axel Ryan Olmedo, Mindy Olvera, Noel Angel Padilla, Richard James Alan Palermo, Stefani Michelle Pavon, Maria Guadalupe Pedroza, Cali Natasha Pena and Mariana Ruby Perales.

Jonathan Aram Perez, Juan Abel Perez, Luis Angel Perez, Natalie Marie Pineda, Ruby Naeveh Pineda, Roxanna Nalley Pilego, Reyna Ponce, Steven Ponce, Wendy Quiroz, Krislin Maria Raju, Gisele Marie Ramirez and Alexa Vivian Ramos.

Angel Gabriel Ramos, Mariana Ramos, Patricio Re-

boloso, Angel Eschnaider Reyes, Maria Paola Reyes, Alexandrya Annalyse Reynolds, Breana Michele Richardson, Ethan Alexander Rincon, Itzel Rios, Nicole Gelie Rios and Jiselle Ava Rivera.

Yair Eden Rivera, Zoe Nicole Rivera, Gia Nicole Robinson, Alexis Rodriguez, Emily Rodriguez, Jazely Dalynn Rodriguez, Yaritza Rodriguez, Jaimy Rodriguez-Quintanilla, Yahaira Noemi Romero and Alexandra Stephanie Rosales.

Brielle Stacy Rubio, Ashley Marlett Ruiz, Diego Saenz, Karina Isabel Salas, Betzy Maricela Salazar, Laela Elise Salazar, Alexandre Sanchez, Jose Jorge Sanchez, Valeria Sanchez, Alexia Faye Santellanes and Jonah Geordan Santos.

Mason Alanroy Schnettler, Leah Renjith Sebastian, Ariathna Maria Serrano, Karim Ahmed Siddiqui, Savannah Kylie Smith, Skyla Rhea Smith, Eli Ezekiel Soria, Andrew Hoang Tavu, Oscar Gabriel Tepox, Hannah Eveline Thompson, Caiden Keith Tobias and Isaiah Stephen Torres.

Leylani Michelle Torres, Yareli Torres, Austin Tai Tran, Holly Tu-Anh Tran, Michael Hiep Tran, Michelle Ngoc-Thao Tran, Mai Anh Nguyen Truong, Emery Lynne Tullos, Ana Camila Turribates, Arizeth Suleik Valdez, Josue Giovanni Vallejo and Ngan Kim Van.

Aglae Betsabe Vazquez, Fernando Vazquez, Ricardo Vazquez, Brandi Alan Verdin, Imanol Vides, Javier Alejandro Vigil, Gianni Villarreal, Aurora Grace Williams, Michael Robert Wilsens, Kayorie Julianna Wright, Edlin Zapeta, Israel Zavala, Zuriyah Rose Zavala, Maryuri Yosselin Zelaya Valdez and Eyan Nathaniel Zetino.

Tenth grade
Anna Sofia Abrego Soriano, Adrian Jacob Acosta, Britni Nevaeh Aguilar, Wendy Aguilar, Siani Deva Rose Alaniz, Marcelino Luis Alaniz, Susana Alexa Alcocer, Ashley Renee Aleman and Ashley Alfaro.

Keauno Neikko Andrade, Jabari Naecem Antoine, Miguel Angel Armenta, Brianna Areddondo, Angel Joel Arroyo, Jimena Avila-Garcia, Jennifer Ayala, Miguel Angel Azua, Hazer Fuad Baba, Abraham Baez, Briana Carolyn Nicole Baker, Ashley Nicole Baltazar and Elias Banda.

Juan Manuel Banda, Francisco Xavier Barahona, K'lonnie Sweet Barnett, Jennifer Barrios, Alexander Evan Bengochea, Bianca Bermudez Sarabia, Sinaiyah Janae Marie Bessard, Sydney Faith Bodiker, Jose Christopher Bonilla, Demetri Khalil Bragg, Anthony Gary Charles Britt and Andrei Buenostro.

Brandon Duc-Huy Bui, Kayleen Bui, Bianca Renee Burnett, Eva Alexis Caldera, Genesis Carolina Camaal, Kaitlyn Makenna Campos, Linda Senayda Campos, Daryel Cante, Gianna Jessette Cantu, Eliana Joselynn Cardenas and Darius Roymond Carr.

Hannah Lynn Carrasco, Homero Jesus Carrasco, Emma Grace Carro, Olivia Nicole Casas, Damien Xavier Castro, Samantha Rae Castro, Alexa Grace Cavazos, Yazmin Cerda, Genesis Ruby Cerecero and Jeffery Said Cerrato.

Chloe Paige Clark, Claudia Elizabeth Contreras, Naita Elisa Contreras, Riley Joy Corner, Felix Rene Corona, Ella Deborah Derosse Daley, Trinh Vih Dang, Kaytlyn Marie Diaz, Yosselin Bricida Diaz and Jessica Michelle Dryden.

Yoali Quetzalli Enriquez, Klarissa Sarai Esparza, Andrea Nicole Estrada, Joel Farias, Phoenix Kyle Fielden, Ashley Flores, Jenae Ruby Flores, Santiago Alberto Fonseca, Phoebe Christina Franklin, Moriah Nicole Freeman and Maggi Faith French.

Angel Gabriel Garcia, Arianna Garcia, Jocelyne Elizabeth Garcia, Diego Garnica, Haley Cecilia Garza, Isaiah Jovan Garza, Noah Seth Gaytan, Claudia Gomez, Brianna Nicole Gonzalez and Francisco Gonzalez.

Marlen Estefania Gonzalez, Natalie Leann Gonzalez, Oziel Gonzalez, Yajaira Renee Gonzalez, Hailee Renee Grappe, Eric Joseph Guerra, Julie Ann Guevara, Adam Ishmael Gullion, Aidan Cole Gumkowski, Swazi Towers Gurnell, Brian Eduardo Gutierrez, Edgar Guzman, Ashlyn Kay Hargrove and Chyler Annmarie Harris.

Johanna Hernandez Armenta, Graciela Hernandez, Hannah Paola Hernandez, Israel Hernandez, Cyleigh Francis Herrera, Angel Diego Hinojosa, Gia Huy Nguyen Hoang, Ke'darius Kentrel Holden, Mahir Bin Hoque, Bradford Allen Husband, Christian Alexander Ibarra Gonzalez, Kelly Jasmin Jacobo Cedano, Christopher

Jimenez and Shakty Juarez.

Andy Thanh Lam, Alani Yvette Lara, Nayah Inez Laurent, Qui Ngoc Le, Morgan Renee Lewis, Lorenzo Issac Lezcano, Devon Isaiah Longoria, Grecia Daniela Lopez Serna, Evelin Selene Lopez and Madeline Aurora Esperanza Lopez.

Madysen Grace Lopez, Martin Lopez, Savannah Cruz Lopez, Joseph Alexander Luna, Guadalupe Madrigal, Justin Huynh Mai, Laysa Denise Maldonado, Steven Anthony Maldonado, Victor Manuel Marchante and Joshua Elias Marquez.

Gabreala Grace Marshall, Bryant Alexis Martinez, Daniela Martinez, Ivan Martinez Jared Martinez, Jithzel Rubi Martinez, Juliette Vyanae Martinez, Kristin Martinez, Lilianna Consuelo Martinez, Oscar Martinez, Sophia Lorene Martinez and Joseph Dylan Martino.

Asmir Alessandro Medrano, Cindy Estefany Melendez, Dayanara Belen Mendez, Isaac Jay Mendez, Joshua Raphael Mendoza, Anthony Phillip Messina, Jennifer Miranda, Abigail Elizabeth Mitchell, Osvaldo Montero, Aldo Deinal Morales and Ariana Aileen Moreno.

Lilly Clarissa Munoz, Marina Vianey Munoz, Monica Cecilia Munoz, Tomas Nava, Brenda Ngo, Amy Xuan Nguyen, Angel Thuy An Nguyen, Nancy Nhi Nguyen, Tan Quoc Nguyen, Tram Ngoc Quynh Nguyen, Giselle Monique Nieto and Isabela V. Nunez.

Andrew Alexander Ocampo, Tristan Leigh Olivo, Miguel Francisco Ovalle, Mariana Pabon Aneles, Vanessa Evelyn Paredes, Victoria Evette Paredes, Gilbert Lee Partlow, Diyanka Dhan-sukh Patel, Walker Trey Patrick and Mariana Astrid Pena.

Thaury Ivanette Peralta Montilla, Duc Minh Pham, Vy Thanh Pham, Jose Alberto Pina, Mia Deann Pineda, Siarra Alexandria Quintero, Adrita Rahman, Liya Elsa Rajeev, Kevin Gael Ramirez Jimenez, Abigail Janet Ramirez and Agustin Allan Ramirez.

Briana Marie Ramos, Alexandria Star Rankin, Diana Michell Reyes, Kaitlyn Taylor Reynolds, Audrey Celeste Rivera, Jeremiah Anthony Rivera, Alexis Nichole Robles, Leslie D'ann Robles, Bernardo Rodriguez and Denisse Rodriguez.

Dylan Thomas Rodriguez, Kaitelyn Alexandra Rodriguez, Victoria Esperanza Rodriguez, Elizabeth Leiana Rojas, Rafael Rojas, Samira Anna Romero, Aureli Elena Rutaiaga, Haley Kay Salisbury, Alec Raul San Miguel and Gabriela Amely Sanchez Fuentes.

Paola Sanchez Rivas, Ethan Andrew Sanchez, Crystal Carena Saucedo, Cadence Sarah Scott, Ann Mariya Sebastian, Jakob Fredrick Serna, Grace Isabel Serrano, Anya Lene Simon, Damian Solis, Jasmine Eusevia Solis and Logan Jade Sprinkle.

Hayden David Stallings, Shayla Brienne Stringer, Kimberly Tamez, Devan Thach, Brianna Elise Torres and Christian Alexander Torres.

Dayanara Torres, Jacqlyn Maritza Torres, Joann Alexis Torres, Amber Kim Tran, Hao Ngoc Si Tran, Alexander Trejo, Deisy Alejandra Trevino, Xitlaly Lorely Trevino, Ngoc Thai Truong, Arianna Celina Tucker-Nguyen and Johana Esther Turcios.

Cameron Wade Urdiales, Jorge Omar Uristegui-Rivas, Francisco Valadez, Isela Alejandra Vasquez, Alexandra Vega, Juan Jose Vela, Guillermo Velasquez, Marco Antonio Vera Gonzalez, Samantha Villanueva and Gabriel Villarreal.

Angel David Villarreal Rivero, Victoria Elena Villase-nor, Thao Vy Ngoc Vo, Tuong Vy Ngoc Vo, Emma Catherine Weiser, Justina Raquel West, Ava Renee Wiggington, Eliza Jade Williams, Rye Lee Williamson, Avy Marie Zapata, Gabriella Ann Zepeda, Madelyn Paulette Zikogiannis, Adrianna Hope Zuniga and Aliyah Faith Zuniga.

Eleventh grade
Osvin Omar Aguirre, Savannah Yajaira Alaniz, Naysa Alondra Alicea Gonzalez, Javier Altamirano, Alexy Alvarado, Naomi Nicole Alvarez, Emily Gisselle Alvarez and Laura Gisselle Alvarez.

Evelyn Gonzala Amaro, Alan Christopher Anthony, Roberto Areddondo, Mia Lizabeth Avalos, Julia Gabriel Ayala, Jocelyn Azua, Abigail Balderas, Jayden Matthew Balderaz, Andrek Ayan Barreira, Rosalind Michelle Barron and Tyson Michael Basinski. Naomi Bautista, Edith Beltran, Kaitlin Dawn Ong Bernal, Leslie Julissa Bernal, Douglas Raymond Blythe, Alessandra Borjas, Makayla Jewel Boyer, Sarah Tam-Nhu Bui, Angel Lemuel Cano and Colin Ellis Cantu.

Greg Eduardo Caringer, Savannah Lynn Carranza, Molly Alyse Casas, Aubree Casteel, Briana Marie Castillo, Laisha Castillo, Xilonen Castro, Jason Daniel Cedillo, Jackeline Cepeda, Israel Cervantes and Nicolas Roman Chaidez.

Hailey Nicole Channel, Luis Mario Chapa, Juan David Chavez, Rianna Naomi Coddou, Courtney Elizabeth Colston, Sofia Contreras Rueda, Jake Garrett Creason, Hannah Elizabeth Crum, Jake Alfredo Cruz, Yessica Patricia Cruz and Trent Lee Derosse Daley.

Briana Glory Damian-Rios, Kayla Marie Davila, Emily De Anda Pulido, Brianna De Jesus Antonio, Rachel Del Angel, Madelyn Mei Derosantos, Erika Yaneth Diaz Longoria, Isabella Diaz Rojas, Brianna Cassandra Diaz, Alan Eduardo Duarte, Atenas Grecia Duarte, Aditya Ajith Elanjickal and Gavin Michael Erskins.

Alexis Giovanni Escobar, Daniela Esparza, Madison Brooke Estrada, Jillian Lynette Fernandez, Kaden Hooks Fernandez, Joseph William Fitzgerald, Kayla Renee Franklin, Emma Grace French, Leonardo Joel Frias and Grace Elane Gallagher.

Andrea Noelia Gallardo, Isaac Amauri Gamez, Brianna Garcia, Christian Andre Garcia, Isaac Anthony Garcia, Isabella Marie Garcia, Joel Antonio Garcia, Xavier Garcia, Darwinson Antonio Garcia-Velasquez, Kaitlan Nicole Garlaska, Aleyna Rose Garza, Patricio Garza and Noah Nader Georgey.

Tyrica Lashon Gill, Ivanna Nicole Giraldo, Adriana Marissa Gomez, Abigail Alexandra Gonzalez, Alberto Gonzalez, Alexander Gonzalez, Andrea Gonzalez, Carolina Jocelyn Gonzalez, Emilio Gonzalez and Sammy Gonzalez.

Frida Berenice Gonzalez, Jorge Ivan Gonzalez, Moses David Gonzalez, Vanessa Lynette Gonzalez, Kyle Andrew Gregory, Shayla Raquel Grubbs, Sophie Anne Guerrero, Vivian Marie Guzman and Hisham Noah Habli.

Emily Kim Hear, Ricardo Adan Henriquez, Ariadna Hernandez Armenta, Melissa Hernandez, Mya Renee Hernandez, Viviana Alyne Hernandez, Jonathan Matthew Herrera, Olivia Oriana Herrera and Luciano Hinojosa.

Skyler Grace Hinton, Ashley Sofia Holland, Cierra Lyric Hoop, Madison Leigh Hoop, Tylar Rayne Hruska, Joshua Huynh, Frida Stephania Ibarra, Ignacio Rey Izaguirre, Jazmin Lorena Izaguirre and Alyssah Love Jaramillo.

Alyssa Maribel Jimenez, Karyme Aileen Jimenez, Cheyanne Rose Johnson, Sarah Ann Jones, Sednazitalli Juarez, Kashif S Khan, Madison Nicole Lamb, Nicholas Conner Leon, Marcus Joseph Lind, Johan Harim Lopez Chavez, Aidan Christopher Lopez and Damian Rene Lopez.

Faith Elizabeth Lopez, Laisha Rubi Lopez, Madison Jade Lowe, Michelle Angelique Luna, Alyssa Evette Madrid, Perla Solis Magana, Angela Marie Marler, Aimee Anahi Martinez, Cinthea Renee Martinez, Eunice Naomi Martinez and Patricio Martinez.

Guillermo Mata, Alex Carim Mateo Rocha, Makenzie Elizabeth Mauk, Dominick Medel, Trinity Faith Medina, Cristian Medrano, Kaitlyn Dianne Meier, Jocelynn Guadalupe Mendez, Sarah Grace Mendoza, Gustavo Braulio Meza and Ximena Tahily Miranda Olivares.

Yvonne Miranda, Jeyni Yaneth Montoya, Karlie Marie Moore, Abriana Nicole Morales, Cadey Virginia Morren, Jazmin Munoz, David Ramon Nelloms, Briahna Yen Nguyen, Christopher Dat Nguyen, Dianna Nguyen, Dylan Phuc Luan Nguyen and Tim Duc Nguyen.

Tracy Pham Nguyen, Trishia Dan Thuy Nguyen, Jose Maria Ochoa Aguilar, Emily Olvera, Isaijah Jorge Olvera, Roger Orellana, Jade Brittainy Ortiz, Raquel Ortiz, Sulay Marie Ortiz, Emma Claire Owen and Ethan Thomas Owen.

Jonny Paisano, Jesus David Paternina, Destini Lisette Payne, Kyler Angel Pena, Sofia Coral Perales Espinosa, Angel De Jesus Perales, Abril Monserrat Pereyda Montoya, Anahi Perez, Gissell Perez and Gwyneth Rose Perez.

Kori Anneice Phillips, Zulema Abigail Pica, Marvin Pouerit, Shayla Ngoc Quach, Emiliano Ramirez Benavides, Karen Ramirez, Matthew Aaron Ramirez, Zachary Daniel Ramirez, Mariorie Darlen Rangel, Da'kearion Dymondrai Rawlings and Adam Xavier Renovato.

Rogelio Reyes, Ahzuly Crystal Reyna-Melendrez, Kaely Paige Richardson, Gavin Gerardo Rincon, Cis-

co Antonio Rivera, Jennifer Nicole Rivera, Ivan Robles, Isaiah De Jesus Rodarte and Anaiah Lizette Rodriguez.

Cristina Maryann Rodriguez, Melanie Rodriguez, Adam Rojas, Ashley Jazmin Roman, Elijah Beaux Roque, Christopher Rosas, Anna Lizeth Ruteaga Hernandez, Diego Esteban Saenz and Layla Gabrielle Salazar.

Almaz Semral Sali, Alejandra Yael Salinas, Amanda Alicia Salinas, Naomi Angelique Salinas, Nesly Sanchez, Angelina Santana, Morgan Elizabeth Shrum, Valeria Fuentes, Emma Leigh Skripka, Alondra Estefania Solis Santiago and Osiel Iram Soriano.

Feliza Soto, Carisma Kiara Spears, Benjamin James Still, Keyla Yasmin Suarez Galvan, Samyia Nat'sha Summers, Robert Quincy Swain, Alyssa Denisse Tamayo, Diego Erin Tavira, Lyra Thi Thach, Melissa Tobias, Alexandra Michelle Torres and Shyla Raquel Torres.

Kayla Tran, Lien Ngoc Tran, Kaylie Suezanna Trimble, Kristina Nhi Tuyet Tu, Cleveland Wayne Tucker, Brandon Devan Vargas, Alyssa Kate Verdine, Ana Cristina Villarreal, Eduardo Villarreal Kamila Villarreal, Julia Isabella Villase-nor and Nicholas Villegas.

Sara Leacann Wade, Kejon Raylon Williams, Nina Richelle Williams, Fernando Yahir Zamora Amezcua, Angel Alberto Zelaya, Alexis Ann Zepeda, Clarisa Nayeli Zepeda, Brianna Isabella Zuniga, Lyzette Yvonne Zuniga Guanseng Xu and Wendy Sara Zarate.

Twelfth grade
Elizabeth Abeja, Yenais Aguilar, Jissel Maxine Aguirre, Ariana Jazmin Alaniz, Roland Alaniz, Nicole Alejandra Alvarez, Gael Amezcua, Anaya Anise Antoine and Arly Arias.

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Kristine Ann Raju, Jacob Nathaniel Ramirez, Juan David Ramos Alzate, Ana Cristina Ramos, Lee Anna Patricia Ramos, Susana Rangel and Emma Grace Rebstock.

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mone Roy, Moriah Graciela Roy and Michelle Rubio.

Omar Ruiz, Mojtaba Mahmood Sadeghi, Fernando Salas, Anisia Mercedes Salazar, Dariana Salinas, Kimberly Melissa Sanchez, Mariana Sanchez, Nathan Jahl Sandoval, Stephanie Annaly Santos and Sophia Burdette Schaper.

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Kevin Nhatkhanh Tran, Jose Francisco Trevino Romo,

Joshua Ryan Trevino, Anthony Truong, Camille Rachel Turcios, Cole Patrick Urdiales, Jared Amilcar Vaquerano, Damian Vasquez, Jacqueline Vasquez, Alyssa Andrea Velasco and Vivian Velasquez.

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Samantha Gayle Wiggins, Jayce Alexander Winson, Reid Weldon Winthrop, Sarah Elena Yezep, Angel Jovanny Zamora, Kathia Gisselle Zapata, Giovanni Antonio Zaso and David Zuniga.

HCMG presents "Holiday Veggies" for kids

The program "Holiday Veggies" for children will be presented Nov. 17 by Harris County Master Gardeners from 10 to 10:30 a.m. To register for this free webinar event, send an email to o.gd.harrisshort@gmail.com with the number and ages of children attending.

Free Home Grown lecture set Oct. 29

The Home Grown Lecture "Wildlife-Friendly Garden Tips" presentation by Brandi Keller, Harris County Master Gardener program coordinator, will be held Oct. 29, from 10 to 10:30 a.m. To register for this free virtual lecture through Eventbrite, visit homegrow n2020october.eventbrite.com/. The deadline to register is at 8 a.m. on Oct. 29. For more information, visit hcmga.tamu.edu.

Gebhard honors 15 years service



Bob Gebhard, (left) is shown presenting John Walters with a pin commemorating veterans with 15 years of service who served in the Vietnam War. The Rotary Club of Greater Houston Veterans, which is headed by Gebhard, is planning a Veterans Day event in Galveston County. The club's primary function is to provide services to veterans within the framework of the Rotary International's 7 Areas of Focus. Membership is open to veterans, active duty service members, patriots and past Rotarians looking to renew their Rotary relationship and service to others. Rotary Club is looking for anyone seeking to serve veterans and the community through Rotary. The veterans club meets twice a month on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. One meeting a month is via Zoom while the other meeting is a hybrid Zoom/in-person (once allowed by RI and local authorities) meeting.

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Meador offers teachers and staff room service



Shown ready to serve staff and teachers are left to right, Beverly Bolton, Meador principal; Amy Clowers, Meador assistant principal; and Tara Merida, Meador counselor.

Meador administrators enjoyed providing room service to their Meador staff VIPs. The staff members selected their choice of a drink and snack and placed their room service order outside their doors. The Meador principal, assistant principal and counselor delivered the goodies to each of them. Meador administrators know the teachers and staff have all been working extra hard teaching face-to-face and virtually and wanted to give them a treat to personally thank them for their dedication.



Shown at right is a Meador room service tag which was hung on each door. Teachers and staff selected items from the room service tag which were delivered to their classrooms.



Hannah Schaper (left), Meador pre-K teacher, receives treats from Beverly Bolton (far right), Meador principal, with help from Amy Clowers, Meador assistant principal.



Above, left to right, Kelly Terwilliger, paraprofessional; Kathryn Pachioli, campus ELA coach; Beverly Bolton, principal; and Amy Clowers, assistant principal stopped to have a photo taken during room service delivery for teachers and staff.

Badr competes in speech debate



The J. Frank Dobie speech and debate team competed at the prestigious 28th annual Yale University Invitational. The tournament which hosted 396 schools from 41 states, is one of the most competitive academic contests of its kind allowing for nearly 2,000 student participants. Dobie's own, Maryam Badr, competed in Informative Speaking placing 5th overall out of 90 in the event with her speech concerning medical discrimination. Badr, a senior at Dobie is also the team's president and advocates for all students to use their voices for societal change.

Appraisal board seeks applicants

Applications for Appraisal Review Board members are being accepted by District Judge Robert Schaffer, administrative judge for the state district courts in Harris County. The ARB was created by the Texas Legislature to provide an independent judicial review of property owner protests of values established by the Harris County Appraisal District. Service on the ARB would begin in January 2021. Applications from Harris County citizens interested in ARB service must be submitted by the applicant directly to Judge Schaffer through the HCAD

human resources division to be considered. The application process will be open until the current vacancies are filled. The ARB is a citizen board that sits in panels of three to hear testimony and review evidence in order to determine property owner protests which cannot be resolved informally with HCAD. Members would be required to serve at the HCAD offices and, in addition, they will be expected to be prepared and capable of conducting virtual hearings on their personal computer. If selected to serve on the ARB, the member would not be an employee of HCAD or qualify for benefits. Service on the board does not constitute a full-time job, but members are compensated per diem when conducting hearings and attending ARB meetings. ARB members are required to attend ARB meetings and serve on panels for actual ARB hearings. Review board service is a full-time commitment during summer and fall and requires members to be available to serve all day, every weekday and several Saturdays from May through the end of the year. Weekday hearings are also held throughout the year. ARB members are not always scheduled every day but must be available to serve if needed. Candidates for the ARB must be current residents of Harris County for at least two years; must be up-to-date on property taxes for property in Texas or show the tax is being paid under an installment agreement; and must not have served all or part of three previous terms as an ARB member. Persons who fall into any of the following categories are not eligible to serve: - An individual currently employed by the State Comptroller of Public Accounts, or who is a member of the governing body, an officer, or a full- or part-time employee of a county, city, school district, community college district, MUD, or any other entity supported by local property taxes. - Former governing body members, or officers of a taxing unit served by HCAD (ineligible for four full years from the date they ceased to serve in that capacity.) - Anyone who personally, or whose spouse personally, has a contract with local government or an appraisal district. The same restriction applies if the person, or his or her spouse, owns a 10 percent or greater interest in a business which contracts with a local government or appraisal district. - Persons who have appeared before the ARB for compensation as a tax consultant, accountant, appraiser, or representative of a property owner fewer than two years before the date the person is appointed. - A person who has served all or part of three previous terms as a board or auxiliary board member on the ARB. - Anyone who has ever been employed by HCAD or has ever served as a member of the district's board of directors. - Persons who have served as a member of the governing body or officer of a taxing unit in Harris County until four years after resigning that position. - Applicants who are presently under indictment or have previously been convicted of a felony or a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude. Applicants selected as finalists will be scheduled for interviews. Application forms are available at www.hcad.org under the "ARB Application" tab. Only current application forms from this site will be considered. Call 713-957-5265 for information about ARB service requirements. Applications should be submitted electronically to ARB.Recruitment@hcad.org, with "To Judge Robert K. Schaffer" in the subject line or by mail to Judge Robert K. Schaffer c/o HCAD Human Resources Division P.O. Box 920975, Houston, TX 77292-0975.

Remember When

40 years ago (1980)
Oct. 31 was the deadline for absentee voting in November's general election. All area voters were able to cast absentee ballots at the downtown County Court House at 49 San Jacinto. In addition, absentee ballots were able to be cast in various locations. Voters in precincts 29, 280, 289, 328 and 347 were to vote absentee at the Pasadena City hall, 1211 E. Southmore, or at the Clear Lake City Annex, 16602 Bucaneer. Voters in precincts 76, 257, 417, 418, 475 and 476 voted absentee at the Pasadena Court House Annex, 109 E. Shaw. Hours for absentee voting were 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays.

35 years ago (1985)
Beverly Hills Intermediate School students mourned the death of eighth-grader Darren Higgins. He died at Hermann Hospital after being struck by an automobile while crossing Beamer Road at the intersection of Kirkfair on his bicycle. He was apparently trying to jump the curb when he was thrown back into the path of the oncoming car. Candidates chosen for Dobie High School's homecoming queen were Becki Berlitz, Lori Massey and Sandy Snow. A contract was awarded by Harris County Flood Control for construction of a drainage ditch between Sageglen and Green Tee subdivisions via Scarsdale Boulevard. The Clear Creek Independent School District passed a 92-cent tax rate for 1985, a 10-cent increase over the previous year's rate.

30 years ago (1990)
Clear Brook High School's first homecoming queen candidates were Ginger Jones, Suzanne Hernandez, Jennifer Huynh, Cindi Roberts and Kristee Schneider. Junior princess was Jennifer Dauth, sophomore princess was Huyen Huynh and freshman princess was Lizabeth Love. Based on student achievement, Thompson Intermediate School received the Governor's Excellence in Education Award at the state Capitol. Carrying more than 10,000 signatures on a petition, South Belt area citizens showed County Commissioner El Franco Lee how many of his constituents were opposed to incineration at Brio under the proposed consent decree. The petition signing took six working days over a three-week period.

25 years ago (1995)
Sagemont resident Mary Ellen Rouen, an art teacher in the Pearland Independent School District, presented a statue of St. Luke to her church, St. Luke the Evangelist Catholic Church. The Harris County Sheriff's department was investigating the drive-by shooting on Beamer Road of a 17-year-old Clear Brook High School student. The teenager was transported to Ben Taub Hospital for a gunshot wound. The bullet passed through his neck and missed his spinal cord by a quarter of an inch. It was suspected he was shot in retaliation for testimony in another case handled by the sheriff's department. At regional marching contests, both the 5A Dobie High band and the Clear Brook High 4-A band earned Division 1 ratings in competition at Pasadena Memorial Stadium. American Airlines withdrew jet service from Hobby Airport the same day Continental Express ended its turbo-prop service from Hobby to Houston Intercontinental. Dustin Ross and Mary Niebuhr appeared in Clear Brook High School Roustabouts' performance of "Oklahoma!" South Houston High School's homecoming court consisted of Angie Altom,

Nicole Kuykendall, Selena Thomas, Louis Barajas, Amery McIntosh, Kirshna Ougrah and Johnny Tamayo. Duchesses were freshman Dylia Ramirez, sophomore Cindy Garza and junior Lupe Valencia. A former day care center, which was being converted into an alternative school for problem students, was demolished in a fire that was ruled as arson. The Dobie band earned a perfect score on its UIL marching performance. **15 years ago (2005)** Astros fever swept South Belt as Houston's baseball team reached the World Series for the first time. The *Leader* alerted readers regarding telephone scams in the area. Persons answering the phone heard what sounded like a person calling collect from the Harris County Jail. If the person accepted the call, it triggered a call-forwarding feature and their number could then be used for long distance calls. Officials at Frazier Elementary locked down the school after receiving reports of a suspicious vehicle with the driver displaying a weapon. Police searched the area, but no vehicle was found. The lockdown was lifted soon afterward. **10 years ago (2010)** The results of the Nov. 2 general and special elections were tallied. In the race for governor, Republican incumbent Rick Perry easily defeated Democrat and former Houston Mayor Bill White. U.S. Rep. Pete Olson maintained his District 22 seat. In the Texas House District 144 race, Republican incumbent Ken Legler easily defeated his Democratic opponent. In one of the surprising outcomes of the election, Democratic incumbent Sylvia Garcia lost her position as Harris County Precinct 2 commissioner to political newcomer Jack Morman. In the special City of Houston election, the controversial Proposition 1 to create a dedicated pay-as-you-go fund for drainage and streets narrowly passed, receiving 51 percent of the vote. Also controversial, Proposition 3 asked if the city should continue to use red light cameras to enforce state or local laws relating to traffic safety. Houston voters decided to discontinue the program, with 53.2 percent voting against it. Houston voters also voted against Proposition 2 that asked if the city charter should be amended to provide that the required period of residency to file for the office of district council member be reduced from 12 months to six months preceding the Election Day for the general election in November 2011. **5 years ago (2015)** Nearly two months after his death on Sept. 4, investigators finally determined what killed Dobie baseball player Steven Moreno. According to the Harris County Institute of Forensic Sciences, Moreno's death was caused by acute exertional rhabdomyolysis associated with sickle cell trait. The website for the National Institutes of Health states: "Exertional rhabdomyolysis, a syndrome characterized by skeletal muscle degeneration and muscle enzyme leakage, has been shown to occur in normal, healthy individuals following strenuous exercise. In severe cases, this syndrome can result in renal failure and sudden death. Although anyone who performs strenuous exercise may be at risk for developing exertional rhabdomyolysis, some individuals may be more susceptible than others. A number of case reports of exertional rhabdomyolysis involve persons with sickle-cell trait,

leading to the theory that these individuals might be at greater risk for developing the syndrome than those without this trait." Dobie coaches said they were unaware that Moreno carried the sickle cell trait and that steps were taken to prevent dehydration and overexertion. **1 year ago (2019)** A local panhandler dubbed the "Gas Can Man" was arrested again Oct. 16, this time on a felony charge of assaulting an officer. The incident came 12 days after Luz Alfred Garcia, 29, had been arrested for obstructing a roadway. Both arrests were featured on local news outlets. Garcia had become a local celebrity in recent years in the South Belt community, as his Gas Can Man persona had become a hot topic on social media, with one Facebook page even being established to track his location and share photos. The page has nearly 4,000 likes. In the special City of Houston election, the controversial Proposition 1 to create a dedicated pay-as-you-go fund for drainage and streets narrowly passed, receiving 51 percent of the vote. Also controversial, Proposition 3 asked if the city should continue to use red light cameras to enforce state or local laws relating to traffic safety. Houston voters decided to discontinue the program, with 53.2 percent voting against it. Houston voters also voted against Proposition 2 that asked if the city charter should be amended to provide that the required period of residency to file for the office of district council member be reduced from 12 months to six months preceding the Election Day for the general election in November 2011. **5 years ago (2015)** Nearly two months after his death on Sept. 4, investigators finally determined what killed Dobie baseball player Steven Moreno. According to the Harris County Institute of Forensic Sciences, Moreno's death was caused by acute exertional rhabdomyolysis associated with sickle cell trait. The website for the National Institutes of Health states: "Exertional rhabdomyolysis, a syndrome characterized by skeletal muscle degeneration and muscle enzyme leakage, has been shown to occur in normal, healthy individuals following strenuous exercise. In severe cases, this syndrome can result in renal failure and sudden death. Although anyone who performs strenuous exercise may be at risk for developing exertional rhabdomyolysis, some individuals may be more susceptible than others. A number of case reports of exertional rhabdomyolysis involve persons with sickle-cell trait,

Over The Back Fence by Alexis

ENJOY YOUR BIRTHDAY, SANDRA!
South Belt resident and longtime business owner Sandra Yandell celebrates a birthday Friday, Oct. 23. She is wished a wonderful day from her family and from friends at the *Leader*.

FRED CELEBRATES A BIRTHDAY
Fred Flickinger enjoys a birthday Friday, Oct. 23. Wishes for a wonderful day are sent by wife Leslie Flickinger; daughter Kimberly and husband Matt Lipino; daughter Courtney and husband Chris Durham and their children Abigail, Jackson and Penelope; brother David (Leader president), wife Ellie Flickinger, and their daughter Natalie and her husband Jose Abarca and children Kelvin Lopez and Noah, Eliana and Isabella Abarca; parents Marie (Leader owner) and David Flickinger; and aunt Alexis Lochner.

PENELOPE ENJOYS HER FIRST!
Best wishes for a happy birthday Friday, Oct. 23, are sent to Penelope Durham who celebrates her first birthday from parents Courtney and Chris Durham, sister Abigail and brother Jackson; aunt Kimberly and husband Matt Lipino; grandparents Fred and Leslie Flickinger; great-grandmother Olive Falkowski; great-grandfather John Fairchild; great-grandparents Marie and David Flickinger; and great-uncle David Flickinger (Leader president) and his wife Ellie.

ELI MARKS A BIRTHDAY
Happy birthday greetings are sent to Eli Tanksley who celebrates a birthday Monday, Oct. 26, from his family, friends and the *Leader* staff.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, ALEXIS!
Special wishes are sent to Alexis Lochner (Leader staff) who enjoys a birthday Tuesday, Oct. 27, from sister Marie and husband David Flickinger; daughters Nicole Manning and Jessica LeBlanc and husband Michael; sons Dan Sorensen and wife Erin and Joshua David and wife Tamra; grandchildren Breanna and Andrew Manning, Dira and Danny Sorensen and Michaela, Judea and

Rhett LeBlanc.
TYLER CELEBRATES A BIRTHDAY
Happy birthday wishes are sent to Tyler Scarberry who turns 28 Wednesday, Oct. 28. Lots of love is sent from parents Jennie and Robert Scarberry (former longtime South Belt residents); sister Jenny (Hayes) Laney, husband Josh and children Brayden, Baylee and Olivia; sister Stacey (Hayes) Flowers, husband Stephen and children Kennedy, Owen and Evie; brother Joey Hayes; and brother Austin Scarberry, wife Tiffany and daughters Jade and Lily. Tyler is a 2010 Dobie High School graduate.

SCHOOL DAZE
The following personnel of the Pasadena Independent School District celebrate birthdays Oct. 22 through Oct. 28, 2020.

Atkinson Elementary
Sing a happy birthday song to Nora Freeman Oct. 25.

Burnett Elementary
Remember to wish Elizabeth Kotey a happy birthday Oct. 26.

Bush Elementary
Wishes for a happy birthday are sent to Claudia De Ochoa Oct. 28.

Frazier Elementary
Send a birthday greeting Oct. 24 to Charity Boone. Oct. 28 is the day for a birthday celebration for Maria Martinez.

Genoa Elementary
Break out the birthday cake and ice cream Oct. 22 for Cassidy Horton.

Meador Elementary
A very special birthday wish is sent to Darlene Davis, a former Meador principal, who celebrates her 70th birthday Oct. 22. Belated but warm birthday wishes are sent to Michael Butler who celebrated a birthday Oct. 5.

Moore Elementary
Blow out the birthday candles for Cade Robeson Oct. 23.

South Belt Elementary
Light the candles on a birthday cake for Reynaldo Martinez Oct. 26. The day for a party for Tiffani Thomason is Oct. 28.

Stuchbery Elementary
Best wishes for a wonderful birthday Oct. 23 to Stephanie Bellew. Oct. 28 is the day for balloons and a cake for Mirna Vazquez De Lovio.

Melillo Middle School
Join in the birthday fun Oct. 24 for Stephen Rios.

Thompson Intermediate
Tanis Griffin marks a birthday Oct. 25. Angelina Davila celebrates a birthday Oct. 27.

Dobie High
Oct. 22 is the day for a celebration for Christopher Ferguson. The day for a party for Zach Whitt is Oct. 24. Lanita Simmons and Gregory Steen share a birthday Oct. 25. Send a birthday greeting Oct. 26 to Ashley Moore. On Oct. 27, a birthday wish is sent to Kelly Hancock. Joshua Lyons enjoys a birthday Oct. 28.

FRIENDS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS
Thursday, Oct. 22: Craig Tyr, Jamie Nevarez, Stacey Glass, Kimberly Gale and Jonny Heitman; Friday, Oct. 23: Mike Jimenez, Jennifer Garcia, Kelly Kasselman, Johnny Smithers, Melissa Guerrero, Ruben Salazar, Rosanna Luna and Janna Horst; Saturday, Oct. 24: Stacey Lindsey, Tyra Chopa, Rolf Michelson, Barry Fuller, Marilyn Ramirez; Sunday, Oct. 25: Kim Clardy, Sybil Scott, Chloe Cantu, Michael Crawford, Linda Bergeron and Andreis Benefield; Monday, Oct. 26: Laurel Robertson, Crystal Ramirez, Missy Locklear, Autumn Prater, Sandy Hinson and Arturo Fernandez; Tuesday, Oct. 27: Rose Garcia, Jose Estrada, Sally Silverthorn, James Burkart, Mario Stewart, Troy McMullen and Kelly Pritchett; and Wednesday, Oct. 28: Steve Barbosa, Lynda Lake and Joanne Juren.

LEADER WANTS YOU IN THE NEWS
Email birthday, anniversary, vacation and congratulations, etc., to mynews@southbeltleader.com with OTBF in the subject line by Friday noon for the next week's publication. For birthdays, send an email with "OTBF: Friends Celebrate Birthdays" in the subject line.

Bazan charged with felony

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After striking the three vehicles at the light, the BMW continued through the intersection and struck a black Toyota Camry, which had been traveling north on Telephone and had just made a right turn to go east on the Beltway 8 service road. The Toyota spun and is believed to have struck the rear of the trailer of an 18-wheeler that had also just turned onto the eastbound service road. Houston Fire Department paramedics pronounced the driver of the Toyota dead at the scene. The driver of the BMW, suspect Bazan, was transported to Southeast Memorial Hermann Hospital. It was determined Bazan was under the influence of narcotics and was charged for her role in the crash.

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SPORTS NEWS & NOTES

Dobie's Moreno earns prestigious Sessions honor

Add the Lloyd Sessions Educational Merit Award to Dobie tennis coach Manuel Moreno Jr.'s impressive cache of honors after the lifelong tennis player then coach received notification from chair Paul Rider of the USTA Texas Awards Committee late last month that he is the 2020 recipient.

Moreno, nearing his 40th overall year in youth coaching over a career

that has primarily included stops at Galveston's O'Connell High School, Clear Lake High School and now Dobie, has won his share of accolades over the years.

Each one is special in its own way, and now he has the Sessions award.

"I'm first of all honored and secondly humbled to receive this honor," said Moreno, all the more delighted to share the same distinction his

former Lamar University head tennis coach and mentor Ron Wesbrooks won in a previous year.

"When you consider what all the award encompasses and then realize who some of the previous winners were, it's truly special."

The USTA Texas Lloyd Sessions Educational Merit Award was established in 1973 to, according to the USTA, emphasize the word "educational" and the importance of developing junior tennis in Texas.

The nominee for the award should, therefore, exhibit outstanding abilities at a professional level in building stronger junior tennis at all levels of skill.

To qualify, an individual must be a resident of Texas and be actively involved in working with junior players, but not exclusively.

He or she may be a teacher on the staff of an educational institution, a staff member of a city recreation department, a teaching pro or in some comparable employment.

Cheryl Hultquist of the Houston Tennis Association and friend and tennis associate Terry St. John successfully nominated Moreno for the honor.

According to St. John, "I first met Manuel in the Virginia Slims of Houston tennis tournament press room many years ago and have kept up with his journalistic activities since then. He's been instrumental in helping us publicize HTA activities."

St. John continued, "Each year, (Moreno) nominates quality students for the HTA annual scholarships. I've lost count of how many of his students we have accepted for the scholarships."

but they've all been top academic and deserving players."

Moreno indeed remembers well meeting St. John all those years ago at the Virginia Slims event.

"I remember being petrified at being in the same room with some big-time reporters at a really prestigious event," Moreno said.

"I was basically in awe of it all, but Terry pulled me aside and told me that I had just as much a right to be in that room to do my job as the others did. It meant a lot and, of course, I was able to relax and do my job."

All these years later, St. John said she knows Moreno is a very deserving winner of the Sessions honor.

"Because Manuel is so modest, I wasn't aware of all that he has contributed to the tennis community beyond my involvement with him."

"The criteria for the award asked for his involvement with the USTA and USTA/Texas."

"I initially thought I might have to do some 'creative writing' to show that he was more than a great tennis coach and a friend to HTA."

"But when I started researching, I found how much he had done to promote tennis outside of his regular coaching job and what a good influence and mentor he was for his students, developing

their character as well as their tennis skills. The facts made writing the nomination easy to write."

"Everyone I spoke to had praise for Manuel."

There is no definitive date set for the 2020 Sessions award ceremony due to COVID-19 concerns. Moreno said there is also a possibility he receives the honor virtually.

Regardless, Moreno is proud to have earned the distinction. "I feel like I have dedicated my entire professional life to youth tennis and the game of tennis in general," he said. "It's always nice when you feel like your efforts are recognized."

"Again, I'm very thankful."



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Pioneers' Hutchins delivers career night

Lutheran South Oct. 16 rout of St. Joseph's.

With the win, the Pioneers improved to 2-1 during the pandemic-affected season ahead of their key district matchup at the Second Baptist Eagles, also 2-1, on Oct. 23.

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Unbeaten Longhorns to battle Trojans; COVID-19 case forces schedule change

A coronavirus case within District 22-6A member Channelview's football program not only postponed Dobie's clash with the Falcons Oct. 16 but has also caused a flip-flop within the league schedule as Channelview remains sidelined through week 5, which encompasses Oct. 22-23.

The bottom line for Dobie? The Longhorns will now take on the South Houston Trojans Thursday, Oct. 22, in a 6 p.m. contest at Pasadena ISD's Veterans Stadium.

A night later, Oct. 23, the annual Pasadena versus Sam Rayburn clash will take place at Veterans Stadium beginning at 7 p.m.

Pasadena Memorial goes against Deer Park Oct. 23 at Abshier Stadium in Deer Park to round out play.

Dobie's nondistrict game at Willis set for Oct. 23 has been canceled with no current plans for a redo.

The Longhorns could wind up playing nine overall games this season or perhaps schedule a nondistrict game for Dec. 3-5.

If it's a lot to take in, it's the way life has gone in the coronavirus pandemic era.

Longhorn fans will remember that the varsity team's week 2 game set for Oct. 1 against Bellaire was halted roughly 24 hours before kickoff due to coronavirus concerns within the Bellaire program. Dobie scrambled and found a game against St. Thomas.

On Oct. 16, Channelview ISD Director of Communications Lila Hollin posted a release on the district's website stating that due to a positive COVID-19 test and possible exposure within the Channelview High School football program,

all Falcons' games scheduled for Oct. 16 (against Dobie) and Oct. 23 (at Pasadena) would be postponed.

With Channelview's bye week set for week 10, PISD and Deer Park ISD officials opted to swap the week 10 schedule for that of week 5, thus the matchup with South Houston.

Dobie's Oct. 30 homecoming date against Pasadena as part of week 6 remains as scheduled.

Freshman quarterback Kam'ron Webb had 173 yards rushing and two scores as South Houston put an 0-3 start aside with an easy 34-0 shutout of Pasadena in the 22-6A opener for both programs Oct. 16.

Yet while the Trojans have to feel good about getting a district win, the Longhorns will present a test of huge proportions.

Through three weeks, the Longhorns possessed one of the most powerful and multi-faceted offenses in the Houston area, delivering 530 yards of production per week.

Junior quarterback Cameron Gray has triggered things with a 37-of-55-for-693-yards and five touchdowns start through the air and 223 yards rushing.

Senior Johnathan Baldwin has 275 yards rushing and a league-high eight touchdowns, and Trevion Williams used a huge week against Bush to get to 153 yards rushing.

In the passing game, Dobie's Jeremiah Ballard is far and away the league's top receiver with 15 grabs for 315 yards and four scores, all 22-6A highs.

Now, it's onto South Houston.

The locals then swept past Sam Rayburn Oct. 16 at Rayburn for their fourth win in five tries within league action. Deer Park, a first-round winner over Dobie via three-game sweep, sits at 5-0 heading into action Oct. 20 as Dobie hosted South Houston.

In the battle for second in the standings at this point, the Lady Longhorns got a tremendous overall performance from setter Natalie Onozie and

a team-high 17 kills from Victoria Thomas for the 27-25, 22-25, 25-22, 25-22 win.

Alayna Gonzalez and Maya Scott chipped in with nine kills apiece and Cadie Masterson added

18 assists. Onozie wound up with 28 assists, 14 digs and 10 kills in the victory.

The Lady Longhorns got that fourth win in five league matches by taking down Rayburn 25-9, 25-14, 25-11.

Dobie hosts Channelview

Fri., Oct. 23, 6:30 p.m.

Dobie at Alvin

Sat., Oct. 24, 12:30 p.m.

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Turnovers costly to Wolverines in Clear Falls' shutout loss

Four overall turnovers. A quick 21-0 deficit in the first quarter. Just an overall shockwave delivered by Clear Falls out of the gate.

It all added up to send the upstart Clear Brook Wolverines to their first loss, a 28-0 shutout defeat to Clear Falls that did its part to sour Brook's homecoming festivities Oct. 15 at Challenger Columbia Stadium in Webster.

The Knights ran out to a quick 21-0 lead and used four turnovers in the game

to subdue the Wolverines' scoring chances.

Clear Falls' Quinn Bowen had 165 yards rushing on just 11 carries and scored a 33-yard touchdown as the Knights grabbed a key league win.

The Wolverines' Cameron McCalister completed 22 of 38 throws for 180 yards, but Brook generated just 69 yards rushing on 34 carries.

Jaysen Price had nine receptions for 67 yards, while Nathan Barnett added four catches for 63

yards.

Now at 1-1 in District 24-6A action, the Wolverines will look to turn the tables on Clear Creek during the Wildcats' homecoming week as the two teams meet Oct. 23 at Challenger Stadium in Webster. Game time is 7 p.m.

Cowboys' organization celebrates homecoming

The Sagemont Cowboys and Cowgirls of the Bay Area Football League will celebrate homecoming week Saturday, Oct. 24 as the Cowboys face the Pasadena Panthers at Dobie High School.

Former players and other organization members are invited to wear their favorite Cowboys' maroon colors and come out to enjoy the fun, which will include the crowning of team king and queen homecoming court winners.

The Cowboys' senior and sophomore division teams are both unbeaten through the first half of the eight-week regular season, with the senior team having surrendered just one touchdown overall.

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Clear Creek ISD Athletics Hall of Honor to induct past greats

The Clear Creek ISD Athletic Hall of Honor Board of Directors has announced the 2020 class of inductees who will take their deserved place in the district's long history of outstanding athletes and exceptional citizens.

The 2020 class includes three coaches, 10 athletes and five UIL Class 5A championship teams.

The 2020 class was chosen through an extensive nomination and selection process for bringing distinction, honor and excellence to themselves, their alma maters and community.

The Athletic Hall of Honor was established in 2016 and each year encompasses athletes of a specific era, folding in CCISD high schools as they were formed.

For the current 2020 nomination and award window, the nominee had to be a coach or graduate of Webster High School, Clear Creek High School, Clear Lake High School or Clear Brook High School between the years of 1948 and 1987.

"The CCISD Athletic Hall of Honor Board of Directors wishes to congratulate this special group of athletes and coaches," said Bill Daws, Athletic Hall of Honor Board President.

"The most exciting part of the Hall of Honor is the tradition of reuniting these athletes with each other, their coaches and fans at the annual recognition ceremony and reception," he said.

"But in light of a continuing concern for the health and safety of our guests due to COVID-19, we will look forward to celebrating the 2020 honorees when it is safe to do so." Daws said the ceremony date would be announced in the coming months.

Dobie trio leads way as JFD cross-country nears 22-6As

Seniors Alberto Campa, Amari Singleton and Jojo Olivarez will lead Dobie's high hopes at the District 22-6A Cross-Country Championships Oct. 29 in Deer Park after the program finished the regular season in impressive fashion.

Campa, a state meet qualifier a season ago and looking for more this time around, won for the fifth time in six outings as he sprinted to the finish Oct. 16 at 16 minutes, 08.37 seconds to win the 5000-meter Deer Park Invitational at the Jimmy Burke Center.

The Dobie boys, running with their most complete unit of the season, wound up second to District 22-6A rival Pasadena in the team standings. The Eagles landed four runners within the top 10 overall finishers to three for Dobie.

Singleton and Olivarez went stride for stride in the girls' 5000-meter event,

with Singleton grabbing her second overall win of the season in a time of 20:13.44. Olivarez was second at 20:15.19, and senior Grace Castaneda was fifth as she came to the finish line at 20:50.59.

Dobie, gearing up for what should be a battle with Memorial and Deer Park at the 22-6As, was first in the team standings with a low of 28 points.

Freshman Kyla Lobo stepped up in a big way for the Lady Longhorns as she finished eighth at 21:42.23.

The Lady Longhorns then went 12-13-14-15 and 16 to finish strong. Karisa Hernandez was 12th at 21:52.87, with Izzy Padilla 13th in a time of 22:02.25.

Isela Munoz (22:04.59 for 14th place), Ashley Garcia (22:21.44 for 15th place) and Abby Duron (22:38.90 for 16th place) also ran well, with Karen Martinez in at

23:40.98 for 25th place.

Elsewhere in the boys' 5000-meters, Dobie's Jhan-carlos Carpio was back at it with a third-place finish of 17:47.70 and Travis Webb was in at 18:13.55 for seventh overall.

Jovanni Avila's time of 18:47.05 was good for 14th place, and Zach Wallace was 25th at 19:51.10 to round out Dobie's effort.

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Bay Area Football League Week 4 Scores

Freshmen

Red Raiders 44, Cowboys 13
Dolphins 21, Raiders 0

Sophomores

Cowboys 1, Red Raiders 0
Dolphins 19, Raiders 0

Juniors

Red Raiders 41, Cowboys 0
Raiders 20, Dolphins 6

Seniors

Cowboys 57, Red Raiders 0
Raiders 18, Dolphins 0

Peewee

Red Raiders 48, Cowboys 0
Dolphins 18, Raiders 13

Week 5: Cowboys host Pasadena Panthers, Dolphins at Pearland Oilers

CCISD Athletics Hall of Honor 2020 Class

1991 Clear Creek High School State Championship Baseball Squad

<i>Jimmy Molina</i>	<i>Thomas Uptegrove</i>	<i>Doug Cash</i>
<i>Pat Ryder</i>	<i>Reuben Samaha</i>	<i>Todd Phillips</i>
<i>Chad Sunbeck</i>	<i>Brendan Daly</i>	<i>Eric Silvas</i>
<i>Brian Rudis</i>	<i>Angelo Antoline</i>	<i>Jeffrey Suffron</i>
<i>Ruben Gonzales</i>	<i>Chris Hosek</i>	<i>Scott Adams</i>
<i>Shawn Buhner</i>	<i>Ryan Keathley</i>	<i>Art Jeffords</i>
<i>Rob Rexer</i>		

Jim Mallory, Head Coach – Eric Leger, Assistant Coach – Darrell Warden, Assistant Coach – Bobby Dingenary, Assistant Coach – Carey Faires, Trainer

1983, 1984 and 1985 Clear Lake High School State Championship Cross-Country Teams

1983 Team	1984 Team	1985 Team
<i>Missy Domenick</i>	<i>Missy Domenick</i>	<i>Kim Oliver</i>
<i>Kim Oliver</i>	<i>Kim Oliver</i>	<i>Lisa Pyer</i>
<i>Lisa Pyer</i>	<i>Lisa Pyer</i>	<i>Susie Ibarra</i>
<i>Sandy Dohanich</i>	<i>Barbie Betters</i>	<i>Kelly Cuddeback</i>
<i>Andra Tamburro</i>	<i>Andra Tamburro</i>	<i>Noadiah Beckman</i>
<i>Tessa Ibarra Fuqua</i>	<i>Susie Ibarra</i>	<i>Kim Cook</i>
<i>Denise Daley</i>	<i>Debbie Randall</i>	<i>Lauren Simmons</i>

Anid de la Garza – Head Coach

1989 Clear Lake High School State Championship Boys' Basketball Squad

<i>Eric Valentino</i>	<i>Mike Fultz</i>	<i>Brian Williams</i>
<i>Mike Moten</i>	<i>Paul Cooper</i>	<i>Mgr. – David Woods</i>
<i>Robert Henson</i>	<i>Eric Henderson</i>	<i>Mgr. – Justin Kerr</i>
<i>Bradley Bruce</i>	<i>Mike Simmons</i>	<i>Mgr. – Tomas Moreno</i>
<i>Tim Glover</i>	<i>John Easterly</i>	<i>Mgr. – Jesse Kerr</i>
<i>Scott Boykin</i>	<i>Derrick Lormand</i>	<i>Mgr. – Anthony Kaye</i>
<i>David Buckner</i>	<i>Steve Rasmussen</i>	<i>Mgr. – Todd Shotwell</i>

Bill Krueger – Head Coach, Lynn McDonald, Assistant Coach – Charlie Spurlin, Assistant Coach – Mark Barker, Assistant Coach – Paul Quillen, Assistant Coach – Pud Williams, Statistician

CCISD Athletics Hall of Honor Coach Inductees

Angie Chivers (Volleyball)
Clear Lake High School 1974 - 1994

Peggy Whitley (Girls' Basketball)
Clear Creek High School 1968-1972, 1983-2004

Jim Mallory (Baseball)
Clear Creek HS 1978-2011

Student/Athlete Inductees

John Peskuric (Football)
Clear Creek High School 1970

Daryl Menard (Baseball)
Clear Lake High School 1981

Mark Rudis (Baseball, Football)
Clear Creek High School 1988

Sue Schelfhout Berg (Volleyball, Basketball, Golf)
Clear Lake High School 1985

David Buckner (Basketball)
Clear Lake High School 1989






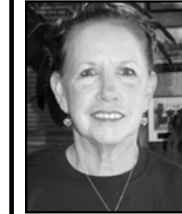
Tracie L. Blumentritt (Tennis)
Clear Creek High School 1979

Jose Oscar Rivas (Baseball)
Clear Lake High School 1986

Cindy Gregory (Multi-Sport)
Clear Lake High School 1979

Lyssa McBride-Seale (Basketball)
Clear Creek High School 1986

Holly Renee Magee (Swimming)
Clear Creek High School 1977

South Belt football predictions						
Dobie vs. South Houston	Dobie	Dobie	Dobie	Dobie	Dobie	Dobie
Clear Brook vs. Clear Creek	Clear Brook	Clear Brook	Clear Brook	Clear Brook	Clear Brook	Clear Creek
Clear Springs vs. Clear Falls	Clear Springs	Clear Springs	Clear Springs	Clear Springs	Clear Springs	Clear Springs
Memorial at Deer Park	Pasadena Mem.	Deer Park	Deer Park	Pasadena Mem.	Deer Park	Deer Park
Atascocita vs. Humble	Atascocita	Atascocita	Atascocita	Humble	Atascocita	Humble
Pasadena vs. Rayburn	Rayburn	Rayburn	Pasadena	Rayburn	Rayburn	Pasadena
Texas City hosts Santa Fe	Texas City	Santa Fe	Santa Fe	Santa Fe	Texas City	Texas City
Lutheran South at Second Baptist	Second Baptist	Second Baptist	Second Baptist	LSA	Second Baptist	Second Baptist
Beaumont West Brook at North Shore	North Shore	North Shore	North Shore	North Shore	North Shore	North Shore
Kingwood at C.E. King	CEK	CEK	Kingwood	CEK	CEK	CEK
Last week's record	7-1	7-1	7-1	7-1	7-1	5-3
Season record	23-12	28-7	24-11	24-11	23-12	21-14

CALENDAR

Due to the current public health situation, it is advisable to verify if face-to-face meetings are being held prior to attending. For Alcoholics Anonymous meetings, visit <https://aahouston.org/meetings>; for Narcotics Anonymous (NA) meetings, visit www.hascona.com; for Al-Anon meetings, visit www.houstonalanon.org/meetings.html. NOTE: Clear Lake Bridge Club – Although the bridge club is closed at this time, visit <https://aclblunit174.org/clearlak/clean-blue-working/clearlake.html> for details about online games or email the director at jpochnsner@aol.com for more information.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22
7 a.m.
AA Meeting – "Breakfast With Bill" Tuesday through Friday, 7 a.m., First United Methodist Church, 1062 Fairmont Pkwy., Pasadena, in Cornell Conference room. Call 713-686-6300 (24/7) or visit <https://aahouston.org/meetings/> for additional information.
7:30 a.m.
Rotary Club of Pearland – Meets Thursdays at 7:30 a.m. at Pearland Chamber of Commerce, 6117 Broadway St., in Pearland. Variety of speakers. For information, call 281-900-7257 or email nalix@texascitizensbank.com.
Noon
Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) – Imperfect Nooners Group, online at <https://aahouston.org/meetings/imperfect-nooners>. For details, call 713-686-6300.
7 p.m.
Narcotics Anonymous (NA) – Women's Group, open meeting, 7 p.m., 2930 E. Broadway (FM 518), Pearland, First Presbyterian Church (youth building). Call 713-661-4200 or visit www.hascona.com or <https://nastuff.com/> for additional information.
11 a.m.
Al-Anon Meeting (Women Only, English) – For women affected by an addict. Saturdays, 11 a.m., First United Methodist Church, 1062 Fairmont Pkwy., Pasadena, Cornell Conference room #111. Call 281-487-8787 for additional information, visit <http://www.houstonalanon.org/meetings.html> or drop in.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23
7 a.m.
AA Meeting – "Breakfast With Bill" See Thursday's notice.
7 p.m.
Narcotics Anonymous (NA) – Women's Group, open meeting, 7 p.m., 2930 E. Broadway (FM 518), Pearland, First Presbyterian Church (youth building). For additional information, call the church at 713-661-4200 or visit www.hascona.com.
7 p.m.
Congregation Shaar Hashalom – All in-person events are canceled at this time. Services will be performed online. Join the Friday night service at 7 p.m. or the Saturday service at 9:30 a.m. at <https://zoom.us> with the Meeting ID 917 102 8979 and the Passcode 18csh1818. For members who wish to download a copy of the prayer book for the online service, visit <https://www.shaarhashalom.org/prayer-book-for-friday.html>. For the general website, visit <https://www.shaarhashalom.org/shabbat-online.html>.
8 p.m.
Serenity Now Al-Anon Group – meets at CrossRoads UMC Fridays, 8 to 9 p.m., 10030 Scarsdale Blvd. Family members and friends of problem drinkers/addicts share, learn Al-Anon principles, that they are not alone, and discover choices available. For details, call 281-484-9243.
Alcoholics Anonymous – meeting at CrossRoads UMC on Wednesday, Friday and Sunday, 8 p.m., 10030 Scarsdale Blvd. For details, call 281-484-9243.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24
7:30 a.m.
AA Meeting – "Breakfast With Bill" See Thursday's notice for additional information.
9:30 a.m.
Congregation Shaar Hashalom – See Friday's 7 p.m. notice.
11 a.m.
StartSchoolLater.net (SSL) Houston Chapter - informational meeting about the link of teen sleep deprivation to depression and low academic performance. The public is welcome, 11 a.m., on the fourth Saturday online in a zoom meeting. For details, call 281-229-1409. RSVP for meeting attendance.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25
5:30 p.m.
Celebrate Recovery – A faith-based 12-Step Program, Sundays, 5:30 p.m., in the student center at Life Church, 9900 Alameda Genoa. Call 713-419-2635 for details.
8 p.m.
AA meeting – CrossRoads UMC. See Friday's notice.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 26
10 a.m.
Al-Anon Deer Park – will resume meeting at In His Presence Fellowship Church when church reopens. Call 409-454-5720 for additional information, or visit <http://www.houstonalanon.org/meetings.html>.
Noon
Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) – Imperfect Nooners. See Thursday noon notice.
6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Toastmasters – The Young Professionals Southeast Toastmasters Club #05324194 has gone virtual at <https://youngprofessionals.toastmasters.com/>. To be a guest at the virtual meeting, select the "contact us" button on the toastmasters' home page to obtain access to the virtual meeting platform. For more information, contact Karen Nunn at 832-722-9061 or Carolyn Carmichael at 832-372-3565.
7 p.m.
Narcotics Anonymous (NA) – Vigilance Group of NA, open meeting, 7 p.m., 2930 E. Broadway (FM 518) in Pearland at the First Presbyterian Church (youth building). For additional information, call 713-661-4200 or visit www.hascona.com.
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27
7 a.m.
AA Meeting – "Breakfast With Bill" See Thursday's notice.
Noon
Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) – Imperfect Nooners. See Thursday noon notice.
7 p.m.
Narcotics Anonymous (NA) – Vigilance Group of NA, open meeting, 7 p.m., at the First Presbyterian Church (meeting in youth building) 2930 E. Broadway (FM 518), Pearland. For additional information, call 713-661-4200 or visit www.hascona.com.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28
7 a.m.
AA Meeting – "Breakfast With Bill." See Thursday's notice.
Noon
AA – Imperfect Nooners. See Thursday noon notice.
7 p.m.
Narcotics Anonymous (NA) – Vigilance Group of NA, open meeting, 7 p.m., 2930 E. Broadway (FM 518), Pearland, First Presbyterian Church (youth building). For details, call 713-661-4200 or visit www.hascona.com or visit <https://nastuff.com/>.
Bay Area Turning Point Crisis Intervention – Call 281-286-2525 (24-hour crisis hotline) for confidential domestic violence/sexual abuse support group for women. Visit www.bayareaturningpoint.org for information.
8 p.m.
Alcoholics Anonymous – meeting at CrossRoads UMC on Wednesday, Friday and Sunday, 8 p.m., 10030 Scarsdale Blvd. For details, call 281-484-9243.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29
7 a.m.
AA Meeting – "Breakfast With Bill." See Thursday's notice.
7:30 a.m.
Rotary Club of Pearland – Meets Thursdays at 7:30 a.m. either at Pearland Chamber of Commerce, 6117 Broadway St., Pearland, or online on Zoom at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81372891968>. Meeting ID: 813 7289 1968. Details are on Pearland Chamber of Commerce website under calendar.
Noon
Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) – Imperfect Nooners. See Thursday noon notice.
7 p.m.
Kirkwood Civic Association meets in a conference call meeting. Call Ericka McCrutchon at 281-989-9990 for more information.
7 p.m.
Narcotics Anonymous (NA) – Women's Group, open meeting, 7 p.m., 2930 E. Broadway (FM 518), Pearland, First Presbyterian Church (youth building). For details, call 713-661-4200 or visit www.hascona.com or <https://nastuff.com/>.

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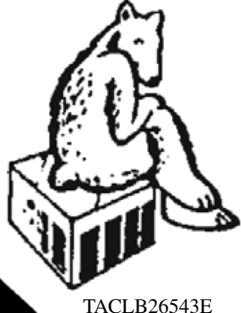
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Keeling celebrates 92nd birthday



Anita Keeling celebrated her 92nd birthday Oct. 13. Keeling has been a Sagemont resident for four and a half decades. She loves family bingo, swing dancing and just enjoying life in general with her family. She has four children, Lynette Keeling, Ray Keeling, Gail Van Winkle and Kim Hubenak; 15 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren. Her family and friends think she is absolutely amazing and know she is loved by many. Her family members wish her a very happy birthday.

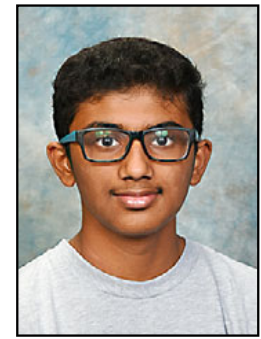
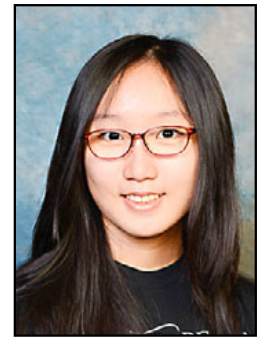
CCISD National Merit semifinalists named

National Merit Scholarship Corporation officials announced the names of approximately 16,000 semifinalists in the 66th annual National Merit Scholarship Program. Clear Creek ISD is home to 17 of those students. These academically talented high school seniors advanced after receiving top scores on the 2019 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test, which served as an initial screen of program entrants.

They will have an opportunity to continue in the competition to become finalists and have the chance at earning some 7,600 National Merit Scholarships worth more than \$30 million that will be offered next spring.

NMSC, a nonprofit organization that operates without government assistance, was established in 1955 to conduct the annual National Merit Scholarship Program. Scholarships are underwritten by NMSC with its own funds and by approximately 400 business organizations and higher education institutions that share NMSC's goals of honoring the nation's scholastic champions and encouraging the pursuit of academic excellence.

The district congratulated the following students:
Clear Brook High School
 Kana Iwahara and Sarvesh Subramanian.
Clear Creek High School
 Helen Ding, Noah T. Ellis



Kana Iwahara
 and Annika Neadeau.
Clear Falls High School
 Leopold Guo, Joseph Li and Dashiell J. Wendt.
Clear Horizons Early College High School
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Nov. 3 early voting underway

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 this election, including one at NRG Stadium.

The closest drive-thru voting site to the South Belt area is the John Phelps Courthouse, 101 S. Richey St. in Pasadena. Benefits of drive-thru voting include the following:
 - Safer for voters naturally

socially distanced within their vehicle.
 Secure using same voting machines and procedures as walk-in voting.
 - Accessible to all voters.
 - Efficient for serving 10-30 voters at all times at each site.
 - Convenient for voters never having to leave their vehicle.

To see a complete list of drive-thru polling sites, visit www.harrisvotes.com/locations?lang=en-US.

A federal appeals court recently upheld Gov. Greg Abbott's controversial order that limits the number of drop-off sites for mail-in ballots to just one per county. Harris County originally had 12 such drop-off sites. The lone remaining site is located at NRG Stadium.

Abbott contends the measure is to combat voter fraud, but opponents say the move is to suppress Democratic votes.

Local races to be decided include who will fill the positions of U.S. House District 22 representative; Harris County Precinct 2 constable; Harris County sheriff and Texas railroad commissioner.

Polling hours are 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Oct. 25; 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Oct. 26; 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Oct. 27-Oct. 29 (24 hours at certain locations); and 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Oct. 30.

For a complete list of polling locations, visit harrisvotes.org.

SHHS 2020-21 Homecoming Court



South Houston High School announced its 2020-2021 Homecoming Court recently. Shown, left to right, are (front row) Deisy Marin, Princess; Faith Valverde, Lady; Jacqueline Bocanegra, Duchess; (middle row) Andres Hurtado, King; Jenna Villanueva, Queen;

Manuel Gamboa, Lord; Itzaira Aguilar, Queen; Jasmine Flores, Queen; (back row) Jason Cruz, Prince; Jeremiah Sheppard-Rubio, Duke; Isaac Nunez, King; and Landon Wenke, King.

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Grace Church gives to community

Grace Church-Houston has been committed to reaching out daily to the community. Leading local outreaches have been a priority during this year.

Grace Church has welcomed members and guests returning to services in person and online, and continues to take precautionary measures by blocking off every other row of seating, and providing hand sanitizer and masks at every entrance.

With the restrictions on large gatherings due to COVID-19, the outreach team challenged team members and volunteers to participate in-person outreach assisting our community.

The goal was to continue to inspire people to make a difference and show love and kindness during this time.

More than 200 outreaches have been done since the start of COVID-19 this year.

Over the span of 14 weeks (April through October 2020) weekly food drives have been held at Grace Church, with 1,429 volunteers distributing more than 550,000 pounds of food to 8,800 families.

Convoy of Hope distributed 450 Hope Kits with the help of 75 volunteers that unloaded and packaged 26 pallets of goods for a three-day

distribution.

World Vision donated items for distribution which included 17,600 gloves, 2,000 masks and 4,070 coveralls.

In six service days at the Houston Food Bank, Grace contributed to packing 252,000 meals.

In three distribution days at the University of Houston 190 students were fed.

Grace held a blood drive over six days which included 220 donors and collected blood to save 660 lives.

Breakfast was served for three days at Sunrise Shelter, with 240 families being fed.

Blessings for Businesses outreach visited forty-three businesses and prayed and distributed hand sanitizer.

A two-hour prayer and worship service was held at Memorial Hermann Southeast Hospital with thirty volunteers.

The Backpack Outreach gave 1000 backpacks with school supplies and Bibles which were distributed to 650 local church families in need, 250 backpacks to Sunrise Shelter, 50 backpacks to Family Promise, and 50 backpacks to School Assistance League of Bay Area.

In the month of September, there were 171 individual outreaches in the church recorded by the Grace Loves ministry.

Items such as PPE, hand sanitizer, hand written cards and gift baskets were distributed to city halls, schools and first responders.

Grace participated in an A21 Global Freedom Summit walk the morning of Oct. 17 to stop human trafficking. For more information Grace Church-Houston, visit <https://mygrace.com>.



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During a weekly food drive, team members and volunteers loaded and unloaded nonperishable food, fruits and vegetables for area residents. Shown passing boxes of fruit are left to right are Andrew Chu and Austin Booth.



Proper drug disposal event set

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 "This initiative is so important because it keeps these potentially dangerous medications out of the reach of children," said Sgt. Anthony Ferraro, president of the Bay Area Alliance Executive Board. "It prevents abuse, misuse or accidental poisonings by youth as well as adults. We are thankful that these local law enforcement agencies have made it a

priority to continue this project."

This point was re-emphasized by Bay Area Alliance Coalition Manager Amanda McLaughlin.

"This effort encourages everyone to do their part in emptying these potentially hazardous drugs from their medicine cabinets," said McLaughlin.

Participants will drive through the drop-off site at

each facility, where law enforcement will take medications for proper and secure off-site disposal.

Residents should note that the entire process is completely anonymous and no identifying information will be requested or noted. No needles will be collected.

For more information, contact the Bay Area Alliance for Youth and Families at 281-284-0370.

Atkinson announces honor roll

Atkinson Elementary School officials have announced the first nine-weeks honor roll for the 2020-2021 school year.

Kindergarten
 Marco Solache, Jennie Ha, Isabella Caballero, Giselle Soto, Gabriella Ramirez, Marlene Briones and Yareli Mosqueda.

First grade
 Ximena Codova, Sofia Gutierrez, Joseph Gutierrez,

Jesse Gutierrez, Jaycob Guzman, Faith Adame, Dillion Hood and Azelyah Esquivel.

Second grade
 Tyler Hoang, Sophie Guzman, Rogelio Gonzales, Rasalynn Vega, Jonathan Tinoco, Issac Silva, Emmanuel Castro, Elisabeth Cordova, Brandon Gonzalez, Gracelynn Baker and Carlos Reyes.

Third grade
 Sophia Castro, Nathan Esquivel, Kimberly Yere-

na, Katelyn Macias, Jimena Mejia, Jayden Cevallos, Ellis Guzman and Duy Nguyen, Diego Moreno, Bethany Gonzalez, Arriana Vasquez, Aaron Salas and Aaron Cardenas.

Fourth grade
 Rolando Guzman, Kristen Tran, Kendra Prida, Jon Carlos Reyes, Jacob Moreno, Alexander Garcia, Bao Pham, Zaron Collins, Joseph Castro and Lyla Saldana.

Weber seeks donations

Weber Elementary is seeking donations to stock classrooms disinfectant supplies. Hand sanitizer and disinfectant spray are needed and can be dropped off at the front office, 11955 Blackhawk Blvd.
 For additional information, email WeberAllStarsPTA@gmail.com.