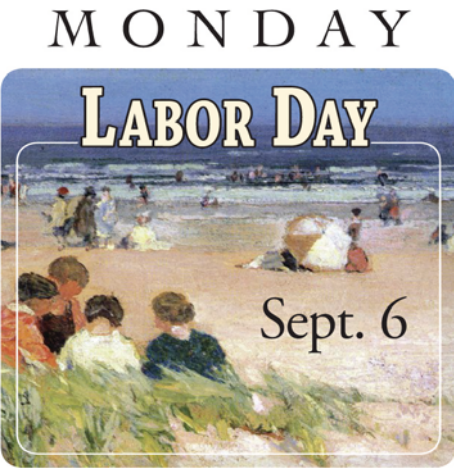


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North Channel Chamber Monthly Luncheon Friday Sept. 3

The North Channel Chamber of Commerce will hold their monthly meeting on Friday, September 3, 2021 at 11:30am in the San Jacinto College North Student Center, 2nd Floor, Monument room. 5800 Uvalde Road.

The Program will be Lisa

Helfman, Director of Public Affairs for H.E.B.

The Sponsor for the luncheon is Sunshine Personnel Solutions, LLC.

Please RSVP by Tuesday, Aug. 31. Members \$25, Non-members \$30. RSVP to Yesenia @NCChamber.com or 713-450-3600.

Sterling White offers Free Dinner and Preplanning Seminar

Sterling-White Funeral Home will hold a Free Dinner and Educational Seminar at 7:00pm on Tuesday, September 14 at Teapot Depot in Highlands.

The Seminar will provide valuable information about final arrangement planning, financial consid-

erations, and more.

You will learn about funerals, cemetery and cremation planning, and gain the peace of mind by understanding all your options. Seating is limited, please call now.

See details on Page 3, or call 281-426-3555 for information and reservations.

Special Election For Constitutional Amendments

AUSTIN - Governor Greg Abbott has issued a proclamation setting Tuesday, November 2, 2021 as the special election day for eight proposed constitutional amendments in Texas.

The eight proposed constitutional amendments on the ballot are:

PROPOSITION 1: The constitutional amendment authorizing the professional sports team charitable foundations of organizations sanctioned by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association or the Women's Professional Rodeo Association to conduct charitable raffles at rodeo venues.

PROPOSITION 2: The constitutional amendment authorizing a county to finance the development or redevelopment of transportation or infrastructure in unproductive, underdeveloped, or blighted areas in the county.

PROPOSITION 3: The constitutional amendment to prohibit this state or a political subdivision of this state from prohibiting or limiting religious services of religious organizations.

PROPOSITION 4: The constitutional amendment changing the eligibility requirements for a justice of the supreme court, a judge of the court of criminal appeals, a justice of a court of appeals, and a district judge.

PROPOSITION 5: The constitutional amendment providing additional powers to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct with respect to candidates for judicial office.

PROPOSITION 6: The constitutional amendment establishing a right for residents of certain facilities to designate an essential caregiver for in-person visitation.

PROPOSITION 7: The constitutional amendment to allow the surviving spouse of a person who is disabled to receive a limitation on the school district ad valorem taxes on the spouse's residence homestead if the spouse is 55 years of age or older at the time of the person's death.

PROPOSITION 8: The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of all or part of the market value of the residence homestead of the surviving spouse of a member of the armed services of the United States who is killed or fatally injured in the line of duty.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SEASON OPENER

NS Mustangs Defense Destroys Sharks 33-10

By Allan Jamail

ROSHARON, TX. - Freedom Stadium, 7 PM Friday, August 27, 2021 the GPISD North Shore Mustang's easily defeated the Alvin ISD Shadow Creek Sharks 33-10.

Head Coach Jon Kay said months ago after losing his premier offense, led by Auburn bound quarterback 4-year starter Demetrius Davis and receiver Shadrack Banks to TCU that he'll lean on his experienced defensive to keep them in the win column until the new offense led by two junior quarterbacks can materialize as a productive unit.

The Eastside Boy's defense performed as Kay wanted; they destroyed the Sharks offense making 4 interceptions, 2 for pick-six touchdowns. The stampeding defense relentlessly chased Sharks quarterback Duke Butler all night; he could only complete 8 of 23 passes (35%) and held their running game to minus yards gained, 21 attempts for 14 yards with only 5 first downs. Butler was helpless, it has been said he's



to be their District's offensive player of the year, his dad, Brad Butler the Sharks coach will need to develop an offensive line

Continued. See NS Mustangs, page 3

LEFT: Mustang's #7 Jacoby Davis made the seasons 1st points on a 58 yard pick-six TD interception. Sharks quarterback #7 Duke Butler (Coach Brad Butler's son) couldn't catch the junior sprinter as he races across the goal. (Allan Jamail Photo)



Mustang's speedster #21 Damon Ford blasts through an opening at the goal-line for a 4th quarter TD, the 5th of the game for North Shore. (Allan Jamail Photo)

Voter Regulations bill passes, Abbott signs controversial legislation

AUSTIN - Governor Greg Abbott today issued a statement following the passage of Senate Bill 1, which Republicans say will protect the integrity of elections in Texas:

"Protecting the integrity of our elections is critical in the state of Texas, which is why I made election integrity an emergency item during the 87th

Legislative Session. I thank Senator Brian Hughes, Representative Andrew Murr, Lieutenant Governor Dan Patrick, and Speaker Dade Phelan for stepping up to ensure that this bill made it to the finish line during the second special session. Senate Bill 1 will solidify trust and confidence in the outcome of our elections by making

it easier to vote and harder to cheat. I look forward to signing Senate Bill 1 into law, ensuring election integrity in Texas."

Senate Bill 1 creates uniform statewide voting hours, maintains and expands voting access for registered voters that need assistance, prohibits drive-through voting, and enhances transparency by

authorizing poll watchers to observe more aspects of the election process. The bill also bans the distribution of unsolicited applications for mail-in ballots and gives voters with a defective mail-in ballot the opportunity to correct the defect.

See Page 2 for status of all bills in Special Session.

AVOID EVICTION

Rent Relief available from Harris County

Money available for Residents Facing Eviction

HOUSTON — (August 27, 2021) — The Harris County Community Services Department has funds available for emergency rent relief for tenants living in unincorporated Harris County who are financially affected by COVID-19. The deadline to apply for aid was just extended to Nov. 30.

"People who find themselves in a bind right now may never have needed help before and they don't know where to turn," said Dr. Adrienne Holloway,

executive director of CSD. "We want them to know we have resources and we are here to help."

Tenant eligibility for the Texas Emergency Rental Assistance Program relies on the ability to provide a copy of the lease agreement, a household income at or below 80% of area median income and proof that financial hardship is a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Most importantly, this program requires landlords register their property to enable tenants to participate. Landlords may be able to recover up to six months of rent (dating back to April 2020).

The service area is unincorporated Harris County and allows for neighborhoods with coop-

erative agreements to participate, including Deer Park, Galena Park, Humble, Jacinto City, Katy, La Porte, Morgan's Point, Seabrook, Shoreacres, South Houston, Tomball and Webster. Residents within the cities of Houston, Baytown and Pasadena are not eligible for this program; however, funding may be available through other programs such as the Community Development Block Grant - Cares Act - COVID-19 - Emergency Assistance Program that is disaster-based and will assist with electric, gas and water utilities if residents are financially or medically affected by COVID-19.

CSD Resource Navigators are working with par-

ticipating landlords to canvass apartment complexes to reach eligible residents.

Since the program's inception in February, CSD has assisted 220 households using \$1.37 million (as of August 27) out of the \$2.6 million approved by the Commissioners Court at the end of January. The Texas Emergency Rental Assistance Program is made possible by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

Tenants and landlords are encouraged to contact a Resource Navigator to assist with eligibility at 832-927-4955 or hrc@csd.hctx.net. You also may visit: <https://bit.ly/CSD-covid-rental-assistance>.

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Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Rate

The Harris County MUD 50 will hold a public hearing on a proposed tax rate for the tax year 2021 on September 23, 2021 at 6:00 PM at 12900 Crosby-Lynchburg Barrett Station, TX 77532 or you may join via teleconference at 346-248-7799, meeting ID 923 7775 0835. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the tax rate that is adopted and on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property. The change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in the taxable value of all other property determines the distribution of the tax burden among all property owners.

For the proposal:

Martin Lemond
Alice Dangerfield

Elyard David
Andrew Sonnier

Against the proposal:

Present and not voting:

Absent:

Daryl Johnson

The following table compares taxes on an average residence homestead in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average residence homestead this year.

| | Last Year | This Year |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Total tax rate (per \$100 of value) | \$0.990000/\$100 | \$0.940000/\$100 |
| | Adopted | Proposed |
| Difference in rates per \$100 of value | | \$- |
| | | 0.050000 |
| Percentage increase/decrease in rates(+/-) | | -5.05% |
| Average residence homestead appraised value | \$98,616 | \$111,025 |
| General homestead exemptions available (excluding 65 years of age or older or disabled \$0 person's exemptions) | | \$0 |
| Average residence homestead taxable value | \$98,616 | \$111,025 |
| Tax on average residence homestead | \$976.30 | \$1,043.64 |
| Annual increase/decrease in taxes if proposed tax rate is adopted(+/-) | | \$67.34 |
| and percentage of increase (+/-) | | 6.90% |

If the proposed combined debt service, operation and maintenance, and contract tax rate requires or authorizes an election to approve or reduce the tax rate the Board of Directors of Harris County MUD 50 proposes to use the tax increase for the purpose of maintenance & improvements.

NOTICE OF TAXPAYERS' RIGHT TO ELECTION TO REDUCE TAX RATE

If the district adopts a combined debt service, operation and maintenance, and contract tax rate that would result in the taxes on the average residence homestead increasing by more than eight percent, the qualified voters of the district by petition may require that an election be held to determine whether to reduce the operation and maintenance tax rate to the voter-approval tax rate under Section 49.23603, Water Code.

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

UPDATE ON BILLS MOVING
THROUGH THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE
DURING THE SPECIAL SESSION

Report by State Representative Mayes Middleton

The Texas House has been racing to pass all of the Governor's priority bills since re-establishing quorum last week. Here's where everything stands so far:

PASSED BY THE HOUSE AND SENATE:

SB 1: The Election Integrity Bill

SB 7: The "13th Check" for TRS Beneficiaries

SB 8: Immediate Homestead Exemption Upon Purchase of a Home

SB 12: Extends School Tax Rate Compression to Provide Over 65 Exemption

SB 13: Adjusts Election Filing Deadlines Ahead of Redistricting

MOVING IN THE LEGISLATURE:

SB 2: Protecting Girls' Sports

SB 3: Banning Critical Race Theory in Public Schools

SB 4: Regulation on Abortion-Inducing Drugs, Preventing Mail-Order Abortions, and Requiring Reporting for Injuries from Drug-Induced Abortions

SB 6: Stopping No-Cash Bail for Certain Crimes

SB 14: Prohibition on Local Governments Imposing Onerous Employment Policies on Employers

HB 20: Protecting Texans from Social Media Censorship

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ON TAX INCREASE

A tax rate of \$0.0300 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of Harris County Emergency Services District No. 2.

PROPOSED TAX RATE

\$0.0300 per \$100

NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE

\$0.0297 per \$100

VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE

\$0.0308 per \$100

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2021 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for Harris County Emergency Services District No. 2 from the same properties in both the 2020 tax year and the 2021 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that Harris County Emergency Services District No. 2 may adopt without holding an election to seek voter approval of the rate.

The proposed tax rate is greater than the no-new-revenue tax rate. This means that Harris County Emergency Services District No. 2 is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2021 tax year.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON September 14, 2021 AT 1:00 PM AT 14418 Beaumont Highway Houston, TX 77049.

The proposed tax rate is not greater than the voter-approval tax rate. As a result, Harris County Emergency Services District No. 2 is not required to hold an election at which voters may accept or reject the proposed tax rate. However, you may express your support for or opposition to the proposed tax rate by contacting the members of the Board of Directors of Harris County Emergency Services District No. 2 at their offices or by attending the public hearing mentioned above.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE RATES MENTIONED ABOVE CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

Property tax amount= (tax rate) x (taxable value of your property)/100

FOR the proposal:

Sonya Anderson
Buster Gates
Johnnie McClelland

Charles Anthony
Earl Skank

AGAINST the proposal:

PRESENT and not voting:

ABSENT:

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

The following table compares the taxes imposed on the average residence homestead by Harris County Emergency Services District No. 2 last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by Harris County Emergency Services District No. 2 this year.

| | 2020 | 2021 | Change |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------------------|
| Total tax rate (per \$100 of value) | \$0.0300 | \$0.0300 | increase of 0.0000, or 0.00% |
| Average homestead taxable value | \$140,516 | \$153,340 | increase of 12,824, or 9.13% |
| Tax on average homestead | \$42.15 | \$46.00 | increase of 3.85, or 9.13% |
| Total tax levy on all properties | \$1,444,276 | \$1,498,433 | increase of 54,157, or 3.75% |

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for Harris County Emergency Services District No. 2 at 713-274-8000 or tax.office@hctx.net, or visit www.hctx.net for more information.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SEASON OPENER

NS Mustangs Defense Destroys Sharks 33-10

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in order for this to happen.
It's not often big guys on defense can steal the show from the offense, but that's just what the "Destroyer's" did. Fans have demanded and enjoyed high powered offenses so much that the defensive squads have relinquished the game's stardom to the offensive. Not so in this game.

The Mustang's destroying defense showed no mercy, they blitzed, they made bruising crushing tackles, and they controlled the Shark's offense.

North Shore's offense made 3 touchdowns, passed for 74 yards, rushed for 177 yards and made 15 first downs. Two junior quarterbacks, Darrel Jean and Wyndell Mitchell split the duties. Offense TD's were made by Jhalyn Bailey, Rashaad Johnson, Damon Ford and defense interception TD's by Jayven Anderson and Jacoby Davis. Extra Point kicks were made by Senor Andres Montes-Zamora.

North Shore (1-0) travels to play Klein Collins Tigers (0-1) (Spring, TX) in a non-conference game on Friday, September 3 @ 7pm.



Let the season begin, after the coin-flip the team captains of NS Mustangs (white) & Shadow Creek Sharks shake hands before the opening kickoff. Mustang seniors #2. Caleb Flagg, #10 Kent Battle, #12 Jhalyn Bailey & #65 Talmage Pounds (Allan Jamail Photo)



#44 Mustang's junior Jaylon Joseph relentlessly rushes and sacks Sharks quarterback Duke Butler the entire game. (Allan Jamail Photo)



Sports Director Randy McIlvain, brings KPRC- Channel 2 Football Frenzy to one of the state's premiere games of the season. The Mustang's District 21-6A and Sharks District 23-6A are both predicted to win their District. He interviewed Mustang's leading rusher Rashaad Johnson and Head Coach Jon Kay. Johnson garnered 102 yards on 11 carries. (Linda Jamail Photo)



The 2021 North Shore Rounders, these hard workers keep the crowd into the game running the length of the field with the schools flags. L-R: Jordan Martinez, Elias Gomez, Arturo Garza, Jacob Tanguma, Aaron Pacheco, Nehomar Ochoa, Emanuel Gutierrez, Exavier Mendez, Luis Mares, Brittany Cantu, Sebastian Rodriguez, Vincent Smith & Josh Peña. Not in photo, adult sponsor, Lourdes (Lulu) Fernandez (Linda Jamail Photo)

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KELSEY-SEYBOLD ANNOUNCES 27th CLINIC LOCATION

The new North Channel Area Clinic will expand access to coordinated, evidence-based care

HOUSTON (March 9, 2021) – Kelsey-Seybold Clinic announced plans today to build a 7,500-square-foot clinic in The Shops at Stone Park in the North Channel area. The new North Channel Clinic represents another significant investment in Kelsey-Seybold’s plan to bring comprehensive care closer to area residents and their families.

Kelsey-Seybold Clinic – North Channel will be located at the northeast corner of Beltway 8 and Wallisville Road, at 5820 E. Sam Houston Parkway North, Houston TX 77049. This new location is expected to open for patient care in the summer 2021.

“We have many patients who live in and around the North Channel area who have

to drive to our clinics in Baytown, Humble, and Pasadena. We believe our patients, and other residents in the area, would benefit from having a convenient Kelsey-Seybold Clinic near their home, school, and place of employment,” said Victor Simms, M.D., M.P.H., F.A.C.P., Chair, Clinic Planning Committee, and Chief of Internal Medicine,

Kelsey-Seybold Clinic. “We are all looking forward to greeting new and current patients at our new location in North Channel a few months from now.”

The new North Channel clinic will continue Kelsey-Seybold’s expansion of coordinated, evidence-based care in the ship channel area, in an area that is currently

underserved with limited options for primary care. Patients will have access to an on-site laboratory, X-ray, and up to four primary care providers, with an extensive referral network for Kelsey-Seybold specialists in Summer Creek and Pasadena.

“Kelsey-Seybold’s growth into the North Channel area demonstrates our commit-

ment to patients living in and around the area,” said John Lyle, Vice President, Operations, Kelsey-Seybold Clinic.

The new Kelsey-Seybold Clinic – North Channel location was designed by architects at Powers Brown Architecture. United Constructors has been named the general contractor.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ON TAX INCREASE

A tax rate of \$0.030000 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6.

| | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| PROPOSED TAX RATE | \$0.030000 per \$100 |
| NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE | \$0.025842 per \$100 |
| VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE | \$0.026761 per \$100 |
| DE MINIMIS RATE | \$0.039752 per \$100 |

The no-new-revenue tax rate is the tax rate for the 2021 tax year that will raise the same amount of property tax revenue for Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 from the same properties in both the 2020 tax year and the 2021 tax year.

The voter-approval rate is the highest tax rate that Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 may adopt without holding an election to seek voter approval of the rate, unless the de minimis rate for Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 exceeds the voter-approval rate for Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6.

The de minimis rate is the rate equal to the sum of the no-new-revenue maintenance and operations rate for Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6, the rate that will raise \$500,000, and the current debt rate for Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6.

The proposed tax rate is greater than the no-new-revenue tax rate. This means that Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 is proposing to increase property taxes for the 2021 tax year.

A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED TAX RATE WILL BE HELD ON September 9, 2021 AT 6:00 PM AT 911 Hollywood Houston, TX 77015.

The proposed tax rate is greater than the voter-approval tax rate but not greater than the de minimis rate. However, the proposed tax rate exceeds the rate that allows voters to petition for an election under Section 26.075, Tax Code. If Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 adopts the proposed tax rate, the qualified voters of the Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 may petition the Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 to require an election to be held to determine whether to reduce the proposed tax rate. If a majority of the voters reject the proposed tax rate, the tax rate of the Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 will be the voter-approval tax rate of the Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE RATES MENTIONED ABOVE CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

Property tax amount= (tax rate) x (taxable value of your property)/100

FOR the proposal:

Danny Naramore
Margie Buentello
Theresa Parker

Dennis Murray
Roger Hamilton

AGAINST the proposal:

PRESENT and not voting:

ABSENT:

The 86th Texas Legislature modified the manner in which the voter-approval tax rate is calculated to limit the rate of growth of property taxes in the state.

The following table compares the taxes imposed on the average residence homestead by Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 last year to the taxes proposed to be imposed on the average residence homestead by Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 this year.

| | 2020 | 2021 | Change |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------|---------------------------------|
| Total tax rate (per \$100 of value) | \$0.026000 | \$0.030000 | increase of 0.004000, or 15.38% |
| Average homestead taxable value | \$148,951 | \$162,858 | increase of 13,907, or 9.34% |
| Tax on average homestead | \$38.73 | \$48.86 | increase of 10.13, or 26.16% |
| Total tax levy on all properties | \$916,073 | \$1,079,455 | increase of 163,382, or 17.84% |

For assistance with tax calculations, please contact the tax assessor for Harris County Emergency Services District No. 6 at 713-274-8000 or tax.office@hctx.net, or visit www.hctx.net for more information.

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set for August 25th

Houston – Due to the increase in demand for COVID-19 vaccinations, Harris County Public Health (HCPH) is announcing two important changes to better meet the vaccination needs of Harris County residents.

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Vaccine operations will take place in the parking lot and HCPH will have the ability to provide 1,500 vaccinations per day.

THE COMMUNITY VACCINATION CENTER CURRENTLY LOCATED AT NRG PARK WILL TRANSFER TO DICK GRAVES PARK ON REED ROAD EFFECTIVE THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 2021.

Open six days a week. Closed every Monday
Hours of operation 9:00 am to 7:00 pm
Address: 2000 Reed Rd, Houston, TX 77051

HCPH will have the ability to provide 3,000 vaccinations per day and provide COVID-19 testing.

Due to the recent rise in first dose vaccinations, appointments are encouraged and residents can schedule through vacstrac.hctx.net or call 832-927-8787. While HCPH will have some availability for walk-up vaccinations, those opportunities will be limited so we recommend residents call or sign up in advance.

Currently all HCPH vaccination sites are participating in the \$100 cash card vaccination incentive. If you are a Harris County resident and receive your first dose of the COVID-19 vaccine between August 17th and August 31st, you will receive a \$100 cash card. For more information, please review our announcement release.

Face coverings will be required for individuals seeking a vaccination and we urge residents to take additional COVID-19 prevention measures such as maintain social distancing, staying at home as much as possible and continue regularly washing their hands.

Parents must accompany their children, ages 12-17, to be vaccinated or children must bring a consent form signed by their parent or guardian. Consent forms can be found via vacstrac.hctx.net and 12 to 17-year-olds are eligible for the Pfizer vaccine. Adults over the age of 17 can choose from 3 vaccines: the one-dose Johnson & Johnson and the multi-dose Pfizer or Moderna vaccines.



SHELDON ISD NEWS

Carroll Elementary receives literacy kits; Employee honored with Educator Appreciation Award

On August 19, Students at Sheldon ISD's H.M. Carroll Elementary School received books and Literacy Kits from Macy's colleagues and Reading Is Fundamental's CEO, Alicia Levi, during a private award ceremony. The organizations also honored Becky Zalesnik for her commitment to children's literacy. The award recognizes stand-out educators from across the country who have shown excellence in supporting their student's literacy and learning, and have demonstrated meaningful impact implementing RIF programmatic efforts through Macy's past funding.



Zalesnik was chosen based on her ambition to make reading fun, including dressing up as The Reading Astronaut. She's also used books previously donated by RIF and Macy's to create an outdoor reading center at the district's Pr outfitted with a weather r

Executive Director of Innovative Programs Becky Zalesnik has been presented the Educator Appreciation Award by representatives from Macy's and Reading is Fundamental for her excellence in supporting student literacy. RIF donated books and literacy kits to Sheldon ISD's Carroll Elementary on August 19.

tor Appreciation Award, Zalesnik received a \$50 Macy's gift card and an in-store styling session with Macy's Personal Stylist, customized school supplies, a new book collection for the school's library and 125 literacy kits (tote bag, three books, three bookplates and a bookmark) provided and assembled by local Macy's colleagues. The kits were distributed to all H.M. Carroll Elementary School second graders by RIF's President and CEO Alicia Levi and Macy's colleagues during the ceremony.

Brand new calendar for families to use for 2021-22 school year

In an effort to make finding activities easier for Sheldon families and community, we have launched a brand new activity calendar that will include all school and program activities in a one-stop-shop format. To find the calendar, click on any campus or the district home page and find the image that says 'District Calendar Events.' Next, you will find two calendars: the instructional 2021-22 calendar with all important academic dates and the activity calendar which includes all extracurricular activities. Families can filter by location to load all activities relevant to their children. To filter by location, click on the funnel icon in the search bar located on the top right corner of the page (see images below) and choose 'advanced filter.' Once a choice is selected, the appropriate calendar/calendar(s) will appear. For screen shot instructions, visit www.sheldonisd.com.

Ed. Foundation surprises teachers with \$39,000 grants

On Friday, May 21, the Education Foundation Board of Directors, Superintendent of Schools, SISD Board of Trustees and administrators presented 18 innovative teaching grants to Sheldon ISD educators at seven schools across the district. The Foundation awarded a total amount of \$39,286, surprising teachers with oversized checks, photographs, and more.

The Sheldon ISD Education Foundation is a non-profit organization that exists to raise funds for teachers who apply for innovative teaching grants. Teachers can apply for funding annually by submitting an application for an idea, lesson or project they want to implement in the classroom. To date the Foundation has awarded approximately \$121,000 in innovative teaching grants. To learn more, go to www.sheldonisd.com/sef/.



Second graders at Carroll Elementary School were surprised with backpacks and literacy kits from Reading is Fundamental and Macys. A small group of students were presented the kits and were able to distribute to fellow classmates on August 19.



The Sheldon ISD Education Foundation Prize Patrol awarded more than \$39,000 in grants May 21. Members of the patrol are pictured with grant recipient Melissa Cunningham from Cravens Early Childhood Academy. Cunningham has won funding for a book vending machine. Students will earn tokens for good behavior and spend the token to buy a book from the machine.

