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THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF FORT BEND

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared who being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the publisher of **Fort Bend Independent** and that said newspaper meets the requirements of Section 2051.044 of the Texas Government Code, to wit:

1. It devotes not less than twenty-five percent (25%) of its total column lineage to general interest items;
2. It is published at least once each week;
3. It is entered as second-class postal matter in the county where it is published; and
4. It has been published regularly and continuously since 2008.

Publisher further deposes and says that the attached notice was published in said newspaper on the following date (s) to wit:

**Dec 2, 2020**

**Fort Bend County Traffic Notices Ludwig Lane; Aliana Section 66;  
Walnut Creek Section 19; and Harvest Green section 29.**



**Seshadri Kumar**

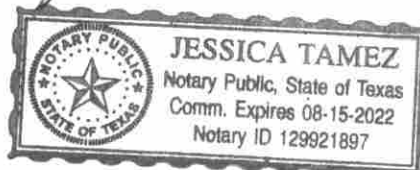
Publisher

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME by Seshadri Kumar who

- (a) Is personally known to me, or
- (b) Provided the following evidence to establish his/ her identity,

On this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2021 to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

Notary Public, State of Texas



# Literacy Council of Fort Bend County's Spelling Bee spells S-U-C-C-E-S-S



Left to Right Executive Director, Terri Stuart, Kristie Pena, Steven Rychlik, Danell Gaydas, and Literacy Council tutor and Board member Lee Ivey Jr.



Left to Right Event Co-chair, Fallon Moody and Event Co-Chair, Taylor Connor

The Literacy Council of Fort Bend County's 11th Great Grown-Up Spelling Bee, presented by CenterPoint Energy and Houston Federal Credit Union on Nov. 12 was a successful evening.

The event was co-chaired by Taylor Connor and Fallon Moody. This year's event raised close to \$20,000 to support the Literacy Council of Fort Bend County.

This year's Spelling Bee was held in the Bluebonnet Ballroom at Quail Valley City Centre. Emcee was Sugar Land Mayor Joe Zimmerman.

Mayor Zimmerman welcomed in-person guests and audience of over 600 who watched the BEE virtually. Lee Ivey, Jr., tutor served as the judge. Kathie Eggert, a GED tutor served as the Bee Pronouncer.

This year's event was a great success due to our wonderful teams, Bee a Word Sponsors, A-B-Cs of Literacy Letter Sponsors, Spectator Bees, and Auction Buyers. The generous supporters included Anonymous Friend of Literacy, Rob & Emily Calbert, CenterPoint Energy, Castella Inc, Exchange Club of Fort Bend, Houston Federal Credit Union, IIR in Alignment, Angela Parker, Roberta K. Randall Charitable Trust, Dallas Insurance, and RVOS Farm Mutual Insurance.

Three teams competed to win a spot in the coveted Honey Hall of Fame and a bee trophy—all in honor of the Literacy Council of Fort Bend County, Richmond, Buzz, "the Best Spellers in Fort Bend County Law Enforcement" sponsored by Roberta K. Randall Charitable Trust were the winners of the 2020 Great Grown-Up Spelling Bee.

Fort Bend County would sincerely like to thank the co-chairs, the committee, and the many wonderful volunteers who helped make the 2020 Great Grown-Up Spelling Bee a success.

Our mission is to improve family, community and professional lives through adult literacy education. The Literacy Council's programs are available to any adult, age 18 and older, who has the desire to improve their status in life. For more information, please visit [fibendliteracy.org](http://fibendliteracy.org) or contact the Literacy Council at 281.249.8181.

This is the third win for Richmond Buzz. Johnny Bravo Entertainment took the 2020 Spelling Bee event virtual, while hosting the Richmond Buzz team who spelled in-person and two teams from CenterPoint Energy who spelled virtually.

VirtualUnGala from Johnny Bravo Entertainment is your solution for sharing the message and mission of your Non-Profit Organization and continuing your fundraising efforts while social distancing is our current norm. Solutions at your fingertips, including events streamed live to your audience, mobile bidding platforms, A/V and production team, professional MC and licensed auctioneer to share your mission and increase donor dollars, <http://johnnybravoentertainment.com/virtualungala/>

No. 20-CPR-035039  
**Notice of Appointment of Carol Sue Kirchner**  
 Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of November, 2020, Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Ed Weber, Deceased, were authorized to be issued to Carol Sue Kirchner, independent Executor of the Estate of Ed Weber, Deceased, by the Honorable Jeffrey A. McMeans, Judge of Fort Bend County Court at Law No. 2, being Cause No. 20-CPR-035039 pending upon the Dockets of said Court.

All persons having claims against such estate are hereby required to present the same within the time prescribed by law at the address of Carol Sue Kirchner, as shown below:

**Carol Sue Kirchner**  
 1413 Honeysockle Lane  
 Sugar Land, Texas 77479

Dated this 30th day of November, 2020.

Dermot Rigg, P.C.  
 2245 Texas Drive, Suite 300  
 Sugar Land, Texas 77479  
 281-566-2500 (phone)  
 281-566-2505 (fax)  
 Email: [drigg1@swinsidestream.net](mailto:drigg1@swinsidestream.net)

Attorney for Carol Sue Kirchner, Independent Executor of the Estate of Ed Weber, Deceased

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**  
 The Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County, Texas has set a public hearing on Tuesday, December 15, 2020, at 1:00 pm for acceptance of traffic control plan for Adams Section 25, Precinct 4.

The hearing will be held in the Commissioners' Courtroom at 401 Jackson Street, Second Floor, Richmond, Texas. You are invited to attend and state your approval or objection on this matter.

Submitted by:  
**Laura Richard**  
 Fort Bend County Clerk

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**  
 The Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County, Texas has set a public hearing on Tuesday, December 15, 2020, at 1:00 pm for acceptance of traffic control plan for Lakeside Lane Mobility Project 13298, from 13298 Ave to Bluffs Lane, Prec 4.

The hearing will be held in the Commissioners' Courtroom at 401 Jackson Street, Second Floor, Richmond, Texas. You are invited to attend and state your approval or objection on this matter.

Submitted by:  
**Laura Richard**  
 Fort Bend County Clerk

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**  
 The Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County, Texas has set a public hearing on Tuesday, December 15, 2020, at 1:00 pm for acceptance of traffic control plan for Harvest Green Section 25, Precinct 3.

The hearing will be held in the Commissioners' Courtroom at 401 Jackson Street, Second Floor, Richmond, Texas. You are invited to attend and state your approval or objection on this matter.

Submitted by:  
**Laura Richard**  
 Fort Bend County Clerk

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**  
 The Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County, Texas has set a public hearing on Tuesday, December 15, 2020, at 1:00 pm for acceptance of traffic control plan for Walnut Creek Section 19, Precinct 1.

The hearing will be held in the Commissioners' Courtroom at 401 Jackson Street, Second Floor, Richmond, Texas. You are invited to attend and state your approval or objection on this matter.

Submitted by:  
**Laura Richard**  
 Fort Bend County Clerk

**PUBLIC ONLINE AUCTION**  
**FORT BEND COUNTY RECYCLING CENTER**

Site: 1200 Blume Rd.  
 Rosenberg

PREVIEW: Thurs. 12/3/20  
 AUCTION ENDS:  
 Tues. 12/8/20

FEATURED ITEMS

2500 AMS Paper Shredder,  
 Pallet Stand w/Carousal,  
 Foam Densifier, McCloy Gas  
 Flapjack Machine, Chain Link  
 Fencing, Air Compressor

[www.onlinenpros.com](http://www.onlinenpros.com)  
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[www.lemonsauctioneers.com](http://www.lemonsauctioneers.com)  
 (800)243-1113  
 OR (281)357-4977

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**  
 The Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County, Texas has set a public hearing on Tuesday, December 15, 2020, at 1:00 pm for acceptance of traffic control plan for Sierra Plantation Section 10, Sierra Parkway Section 1 Street Dedication, Sierra Mountain Estates and Sierra Parkway Extension Street Dedication, Prec 1.

The hearing will be held in the Commissioners' Courtroom at 401 Jackson Street, Second Floor, Richmond, Texas. You are invited to attend and state your approval or objection on this matter.

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## Entries sought for libraries' photo contest - Bridging Differences

Fort Bend County Libraries (FBCL), in conjunction with the Fort Bend County Diversity Initiative, is seeking entries for its "Bridging Differences" Photography Contest.

Amateur photographers of all skill levels are invited to enter original photographs that portray the culture, nature, people, and places of Fort Bend County that demonstrate anti-racism and coming together as a community.

To be eligible for competition, contestants must submit a digital copy of their photograph between Dec. 11 and Jan. 11.

Entries should be submitted through an online form that will become available on the FBCL website on December 11.

Prizes will be awarded for 1st-place (\$200 gift card), 2nd-place (\$150 gift card), and 3rd-place (\$100 gift card). Winners will be announced on Monday, February 1. Photos will be displayed in a virtual gallery on FBCL's website throughout the month of February.

Winning photographs will be determined by a panel of judges, who will make their determinations based on the following criteria: relationship to contest theme, composition, focus, lighting, emotional impact and creativity.

Photographs will be anonymous until after the judging is complete.

All entries must be original, unpublished, and the work of the person submitting it. Only one photo may be entered per person.

The photo can be in color or black-and-white and should be submitted as a high-resolution (1 MB or higher).jpg, jpeg, or gif.

Digital manipulations of the photos should be limited to: cropping, re-sizing, red-eye reduction, and reasonable adjustments to color and contrast.

FBCL reserves the right to print or display any entry to this contest for an indefinite period of time. Entries will be exhibited online for the general public to see, so they should be appropriate for all ages to view.

The photographer is responsible for obtaining verbal or written release for public use of the photo from all identifiable individuals in the photograph submitted; the photographer accepts all liability from the use of a photo where this release has not been obtained.

The contest is open to amateur photographers only. Professional photographers, who earn a living by selling their photographs, are not eligible to participate.

There is no fee for entering the contest.

For more information, call the library system's Communications Office (281-633-4734) or email Christina Tarnig@fortbend.lib.tx.us -

## AUTOMOBILE: Chevrolet Tahoe

By BARBARA FULENWIDER

The 2021 Chevrolet Tahoe is a premier 4-wheel drive vehicle that comes in jet black and maple sugar and has a 10-speed auto transmission.

Performance includes the suspension and magnetic ride control, mechanical limited slip differential, two speed transfer case, automatic stop start engine, 20" polished aluminum wheels, stabilitrak, electronic precision, hill descent control and trailering equipment.

Fuel economy comes in at 18 mpg. Drivers spend 16 in city driving and 20 on the highway. Fuel costs over five years will run \$3,750 compared to the average new vehicle that will cost \$2,250 annually on fuel.

Connectivity and technology include 10 speakers Bose audio system, Chevy infotainment wireless-charging keyless open lock and start, and HubLink services.

Interior and exterior include LED headlamps and taillights, daytime running lamps, hands free power liftgate, power fold mirrors, and dual exhausts.



The interior of the Tahoe keeps tri-zone automatic HVAC on summer or winter, heated and ventilated front power buckets seats with leather surfaces, memory settings, outside mirrors and steering column, second row heated bucket seats, power release and third row 60/40 bench power fold seat.

Safety and security include automatic emergency braking, forward collision alert, lane

keep assist with lane departure warning, lane change alert with side blind zone alert, front and rear park assist, rear cross traffic park assist, front pedestrian braking, safety alert seat, and theft deterrent system.

The standard vehicle price on the Tahoe is \$65,600. With a premium package the price goes to \$70,085. The options include a sunroof with power panoramic, tilt

with power sunshade, cruise control, automatic emergency braking, rear pedestrian alert, rear camera mirror, multicolor head up display, HD surround vision, trailer brake controller, trailering system, trailer side blind zone alert and enhanced cooling radiator.

The 2021 Tahoe Chevrolet is an extremely comfortable vehicle that has plenty of space.

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