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The Link is Lamar CISD's community e-newsletter. From District highlights and initiatives, to volunteer opportunities and celebrations, this monthly e-newsletter is your link to what's happening in the District.

February 2020

## *Join the Conversation!*

### Lamar CISD Board of Trustees Hosts Community Conversations



The Lamar CISD Board of Trustees recently hosted their first three Community Conversations at Fulshear, Lamar Consolidated and Terry high schools. Parents, students and staff received complimentary dinner and giveaways, and were able to engage in a discussion with board members, as well as campus and District administrators. Click to view photos from the [Fulshear](#), [Lamar Consolidated](#) and [Terry](#) Community Conversations. Click below for more information and upcoming dates in your area.

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## Lamar CISD Rodeo Art Results



Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo (HLSR) Art judging was completed on Friday, Jan. 17 at the NRG Center. Twelve Lamar CISD art pieces received awards and five advanced to the HLSR Art Auction. All pieces will be available to view at the Hayloft Gallery at the Houston Rodeo. For the full list of our HSLR artists, click below.

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## Lamar CISD Swimmers and Divers Qualify for State Championship

A total of 34 Lamar CISD swimmers and divers



qualified to compete at the UIL State Swimming and Diving Championship this weekend at the University of Texas at Austin. Fulshear swimmers Briana Roberson and Jake Litchfield both stood on the medal podium as top finishers at the State Championship. Litchfield was the Silver Medalist in the 50m Freestyle and Roberson was the Silver Medalist in both the 100m and 200m Freestyle.

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### Lamar CISD Musicians Hit a High Note as They Advance to All-State



Eight talented Lamar CISD musicians recently traveled to San Antonio to audition for ensemble and chair placement in the All-State Bands. The Texas Music Educators Association (TMEA) and the Association of Texas Small School Bands (ATSSB) sponsor the Texas All-State audition process to promote students' dedication to their musical knowledge and skill. Click below to see the results.

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### Leaman Junior High Student Crowned Two-Time Spelling Bee Champion



Leaman Junior High 8th-grader Sajid Fahmid claimed the Area 2 Fort Bend County Spelling Bee Champion title for the second year in a row! He competed against 50 participants from schools across the county. Fahmid will now advance to the Houston Area Spelling Bee, where he will compete later this month.

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### Spotlight on Career & Technical Education

February is Career & Technical Education (CTE) Month. To celebrate, Lamar CISD's CTE Department launched the **Spotlight on CTE**, a quarterly newsletter that provides highlights from our CTE programs. Click below to read February's newsletter.

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## The Randle Report



This month's Randle Report highlights:

- Community Conversations;
- The Link;
- Special Olympics;
- and Lamar CISD Rodeo Art.

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## Williams Elementary Selected as TABSE Demonstration School



Williams Elementary was recently selected by the Texas Alliance of Black School Educators (TABSE) to serve as a demonstration school. The goal of this collaborative is to bring together high performing schools from across the state to share best practices and inspire other school leaders.

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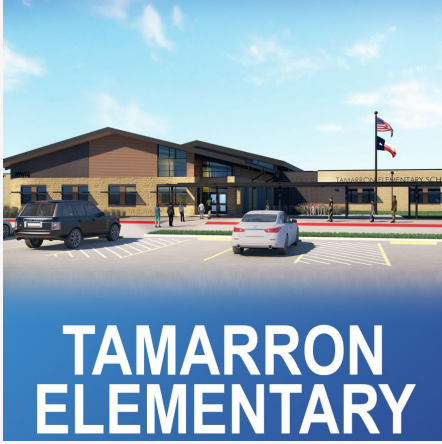
## Adult Transition Program Community Fair Set for Feb. 27



Join the Lamar CISD Adult Transition Program on Thursday, Feb. 27 for the Road to Adulthood Community Fair. There will be opportunities to connect with local agencies, organizations and various service providers ready to help support students with social and learning differences.

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## Tamarron Zoning Underway



Lamar CISD's Tamarron Elementary – located in the Tamarron neighborhood – will open in August 2020. The Attendance Boundary Committee (ABC) will present the recommended attendance zone for Tamarron Elementary to the Lamar CISD Board of Trustees at the February Board Meeting. Click below for more information on the zoning process.

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### Men Who Cook Set for Feb. 22

Sample culinary delights from local “celebrity” chefs and enjoy live music at Lamar Educational Awards Foundation's (LEAF) 2020 Men Who Cook fundraiser on Feb. 22, 2020. The event will begin at 6:30 p.m. at Safari Texas Ranch. Proceeds from the event will support ideas and classroom projects proposed by Lamar CISD teachers that would otherwise go unfunded.

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