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TCMA: Celebrating a Century of Supporting Healthcare



Women's Auxiliary coffee honoring winners of the Science Fair and Nursing Scholarships, left to right: Mrs. Hardy E. Thompson, Mrs. Eugene P. Schoch and Auxiliary president Mrs. Sidney Stewart. Mr. Lawrence J. Buford, A.I.S.D. and Mrs. Clinton Craven, Nursing Scholarship Chairman. Mr. Charles Sansom, A.I.S.D. and Mrs. Jan Cochrum, Science Fair Chairman.

In 1955 the TCMA began a partnership with the Austin ISD to support an areawide Austin high school Science Fair. Two years later, the Science Fair became a significant focus for members of the Auxiliary, making it the "first large money raising project," raising \$420 to send the top two Austin Science Fair winners to the National Science Fair in Los Angeles. Over the following decades the Alliance supported the top winners by sending them to national and international competitions. Today, nearly 70 years later, the TCMA proudly supports the Science Fair.

Pictured are Science Fair winners with the TCMA sponsors from 1958, 1969 and 1974.





The 2024 Membership Campaign is Underway!

Why not grab a cup of coffee with a friend and renew your TCMA membership together. As a bonus, all members who submit their renewals by Thanksgiving will have the chance to win fun giveaways at the Holiday Luncheon on Friday, December 1.

Alliance members have three ways to renew:

 Go online to <u>Renewing Members</u>. Look for the "Renew" button.
Call the TMA Knowledge Center at (800) 880-7955 with your credit card information.
Print an application form available online at <u>Membership Dues Form</u> or use a paper statement; mail with check to TMA Alliance 401 W 15th St

Austin, Texas 78701

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TCMAF Fund Drive Kick-Off

Many thanks to those of you who have donated to our annual FUND DRIVE! The donors list is being compiled. In the meantime, here is a list of this year's worthy recipients:

Saint Louise House Volunteer Healthcare Clinic TCMS PWP Half Helen Austin Center for Grief and Loss Memory Caregiver Academy of Austin Any Baby Can Casa Marianela Mother's Milk Bank

If you haven't already done so, please consider making a <u>tax-deductible</u> <u>donation</u> today (**in \$50 increments**) to support our philanthropic efforts during this centennial year! **Paying by check or with bill pay allows the TCMA to receive 100% of your donation without paying a service charge.**

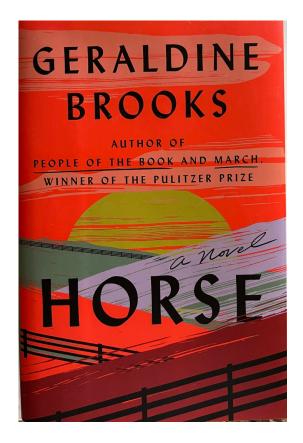
Recognized levels of giving are: **Contributor** (\$100-\$249), **Associate** (\$250-\$499), **Gold** (\$500-\$999), **Partner** (\$1000-\$1499), and **Sponsor** (\$1500+).

On behalf of the entire membership, thank you for your consideration and support. If you did not receive the more detailed fund drive email last week, you can view it at https://www.tcmalliance.org/about1-c150g.

Karen Kim, Fund Drive Chair

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Book Review

October 25; 10am

Westbank's Laura Bush Library 9411 FM2244

Meeting room is to the right as you enter. Bring your own refreshments.

Contact Peggy Russell (<u>pjmrtexas@gmail.com</u>) with questions.

POP-UP Social! TCMS Trunk-N-Treat







Bring your costumed goblins to this "spirited" family Halloween event. Your family will gather treats from decorated vehicles and jump to their heart's delight in the Halloween bounce house. And don't forget to RSVP!

> Sunday, October 29 3-6pm Riveren Church Parking Lot (4214 Capitol of TX Hwy, Austin)

RSVP/Host a Treat Station https://form.jotform.com/232686004929159



Toast To Doctors

RSVP Here

This annual social event brings together fellowship of peers in the community of medicine.

Capital Boat Cruise Sunday, November 5; 5-7pm Hor d'oeuvres, wine and beer provided

Boat departs promptly at 5pm. Plan to arrive early, park and embark on a cruise down beautiful Lake Austin on a lovely fall evening! Park at the Hyatt Regency, 208 Barton Springs Road. Enter through the hotel to the Town Lake entrance.

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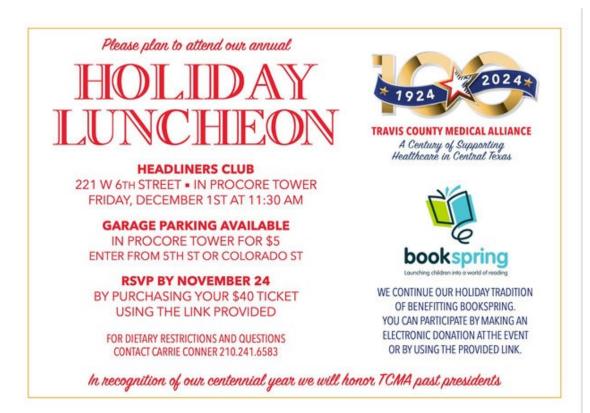
"Soup's On!" Saint Louise House Meal Prep

Cooler weather is soup weather. Please <u>SIGN UP</u> to prepare soup ahead of **Wednesday, November 8**, when we will meet at Summer Moon Coffee (3201 Bee Caves) at 10am. SLH Committee Chair Jeni Lowry will collect the soups and deliver them to residents who will enjoy them on Thursday evening, **November**

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Contact Jeni with your questions: 512-913-9062.







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Week *In* Pictures: October 16 - October 22

General Meeting & Cooking Class at Central Market

To see additional pictures, check out our *Facebook* page









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Centennial Year!





Vital Signs and Social Media Submissions

The weekly Vital Signs Newsletter is distributed each Monday. Submissions are due to Deneitra (<u>denny@wadealliance.com</u>) by 6pm, the Friday prior to distribution. Every effort will be made to include items after the deadline, with no guarantee. Content that is date-driven will appear in the newsletter until expiration. If you receive a draft newsletter, please review by 8pm Saturday.

Likewise, content for our public Facebook and Instagram pages may be submitted to the email address above or to Deneitra at <u>communications@tcmalliance.org</u>. Deadlines do not apply.

To submit information, email:

Attach text as a Word Doc, Google Doc or share within the body of an email.

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