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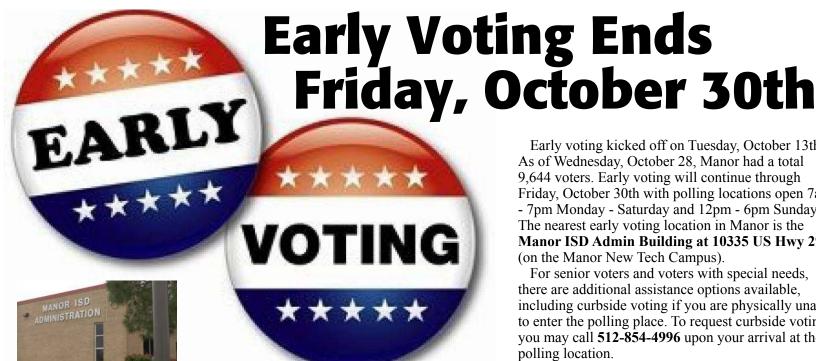
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Early voting kicked off on Tuesday, October 13th. As of Wednesday, October 28, Manor had a total 9,644 voters. Early voting will continue through Friday, October 30th with polling locations open 7am - 7pm Monday - Saturday and 12pm - 6pm Sunday. The nearest early voting location in Manor is the Manor ISD Admin Building at 10335 US Hwy 290 (on the Manor New Tech Campus).

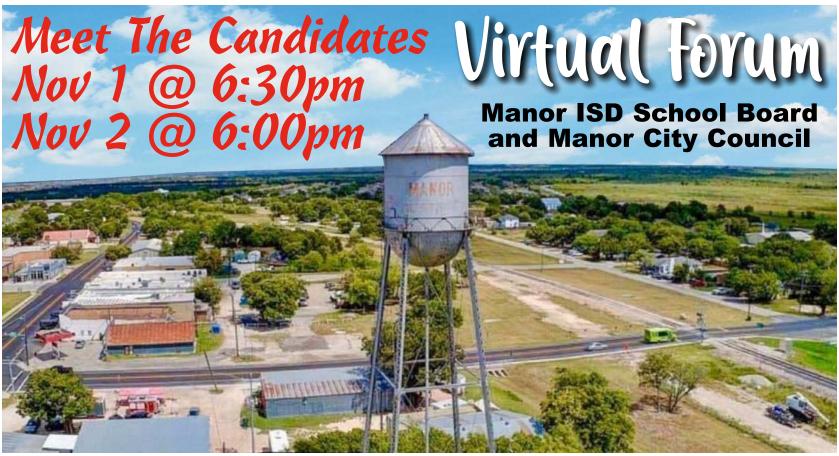
For senior voters and voters with special needs, there are additional assistance options available, including curbside voting if you are physically unable to enter the polling place. To request curbside voting you may call 512-854-4996 upon your arrival at the polling location.

Fire in Hamilton Point leaves One Woman Dead



On Tuesday, October 27, Manor Police Department responded to a structure fire at Hamilton Point Circle in Manor. According to authorities, officers and firefighters arrived on a confirmed active fire inside the residence. Travis County ESD 12 was able to extinguish the fire. According to Chief of Police Ryan Phipps, two elderly women were in the house at the time of the fire. One woman was able to evacuate, and unfortunately, the other woman passed away. Phipps believes the fire began in the back of the home in one of the bedrooms.

This incident is currently under investigation, and more details on what caused the fire will be released once the investigation is completed. The Manor Police Department, Austin-Travis County EMS, and the Austin Fire Department and Travis County ESD No. 12 responded to the fire.



"Meet the Candidates" Virtual Forum

Forum to be telecast on Facebook Pages - City of Manor and Manor ISD The Forum is sponsored by

The Mayor's Community Collaboration in Partnership with the Manor Journal







November 1st 2020 - 6:30pm

November 2nd 2020 - 6:00pm

Manor City Council

Place 2 - Anne Weir William Willner Place 4 - Sonia Wallace Todd R. Shaner Place 6 - Eugene Kruppa Jacob Hammersmith

Manor ISD School Board

Place 5 – Temeika Thomas Med Place 6 - Bryan Nya

Place 7 – Felix Paiz.

Monique Celedon Janie Serna

Dr. Royce Avery



IMPORTANT NOTICES



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Stories and Submissions must be received by 5pm Tuesday to be included in our following Friday edition. Please submit stories, additions to our Community Calendar, and story tips to

editor@manorjournal.com



Important Election Dates

Presidential Joint General and Special Elections Tuesday, November 3, 2020

Last Day of Early Voting in Person

Friday, October 30, 2020



DO YOUR PART: COVID-19







STAY INFORMED

- Call 2-I-I (interpreters available) www.multco.us/covid19 • TTY call 7-I-I
- ENGLISH AND SPANISH ONLY: • Text your zip code to 898211 (TXT211)
- Email help@21linfo.org



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Police Report

OCTOBER 21, 2020 TO OCTOBER 27, 2020

Description Date Incident Address

10/21/2020 THEFT

11900 BLK HWY 290E

10/21/2020 LOST/FOUND PROPERTY 11900 BLK HWY 290E

10/22/2020 ASSAULT PUBLIC SERVANT 14200 BLK N SH130

10/22/2020 ABANDONED VEHICLE

12900 BLK N FM 973

10/22/2020 CRIMINAL TRESPASS 11600 BLK LAPOYNOR ST

10/23/2020 VCO 168 NUISANCE ANIMALS 14900 BLK BRECCIA RD

10/23/2020 HARASSMENT 11900 BLK HWY 290E

10/23/2020 BURGLARY OF VEHICLE

19700 BLK HUBERT HUMPHREY RD

10/23/2020 CPS REFERRAL 11400 BLK DIMMIT ST

10/25/2020 DWI

18600 BLK US HWY 290E

10/25/2020 HARASSMENT

13400 BLK CLARA MARTIN RD

10/25/2020 STORED ABANDONED VEHICLE

12000 BLK ROSINCA DR

10/25/2020 ASSIST ELGIN PD 200 BLK DEPOT AVE

10/26/2020 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

12700 BLK LAPOYNOR ST

10/26/2020 RUNAWAY RECOVERED

400 BLK W PARSONS ST

10/26/2020 FAMILY DISTURBANCE 300 BLK W EGGLESTON ST

10/27/2020 STRUCTURE FIRE

16700 BLK HAMILTON POINT CIR



Eternal Faith Baptist Church Food Pantry Open Saturday November 14th 9am-11am Drive around the back for pick up in your vehicle

Local Newspaper

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Where Manor goes to get informed

Community Calendar

Ongoing

Mobile Food Pant

2nd Friday of every month, 8am-9am, (512) 282-2111 East Rural Community Center, Manor, Texas.

Central Texas Food Bank Offering

Fresh Food for the Family!, (512) 282-2111 1st Monday of every month, 9am East Rural Community Center, Manor, Texas.

Eternal Faith Baptist Church Food Pantry

12720 FM 973, Manor, TX 2nd and 4th Saturdays of every month, 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Manor American Legion Post 331 Meeting

Open to ALL VETERANS Eternal Faith Baptist Church, Fellowship Hall 12720 FM 973, Manor, TX 3rd Thursday of every month. 7 PM

Manor AA Meeting

Tuesday & Thursday, 6pm St. Mary Magdalene Episcopal Church, 12800 Lexington St, Manor, Texas.

Meals with Manor

Last Wednesday of the Month 6:00pm. to 7:30pm. Manor United Methodist Church, 510 N. Burnet Street, Manor

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at Manor United Methodist Church, is closed until futher notice, contact Nancy at 512-925-1813 if there is an emergency need for clothing and household items.

Zumba!

Monday and Wednesday, 7pm-8pm Tuesday and Thursday, 6pm-7pm 600 E Parsons St, Manor, TX - \$5/class

Manor Lions Club Meet 2nd & 4th Monday of each month

7 PM • 429 W. Parsons Street • Manor, Texas 78653 **East Travis County Democrats**

7 PM • Casa Garcia's • 12700 Lexington St #100 Manor, Texas 78653

Manor Arts Council

Public meetings temporarily suspended First Monday of the month, 6:00pm Chokdee Restaurant, 116 E Parsons St, Manor, TX 78653



MANOR AREA



City Council meeting - October 21, 2020

By Vicki McFarland

The Manor City Council meeting held on Wednesday, October 21, included a joint meeting with the Planning and Zoning Commission, two executive sessions, two reports, two public hearings, two items on the consent agenda, and eleven

items on the regular agenda.

Shortly after the meeting started, the Council and members of the Planning and Zoning Commission conducted the first executive session to consult with the City's attorney regarding pending litigation Civil Action 1:20-cv-1017 – Manor RV Park, LLC v. City of Manor, which is pending in the US District Court Western District of Texas, Austin Division. The executive session lasted approximately 51 minutes, and upon the return to the open session at 7:57 pm, it was announced there was nothing to discuss concerning the pending litigation.

At 7:58 pm, the Council conducted the second executive session of the evening to discuss subdivision fees with the City Attorney. Upon returning to the open session at 8:30 pm, it was announced that no decisions were made.

Mayor Dr. Larry Wallace Jr. provided information concerning a letter he had received from an **Austin Community College student who stated** that October is the "Youth Justice Action" month. The student is interested in working with the City to build awareness and civic engagement with the youth and young adults in Manor and keep students out of the adult criminal justice system. No action was taken on the report.

The second report involved the Capital Area Youth Soccer Association (CAYSA), which owns 290 acres of land east of Manor on Highway 290 East. City Manager Tom Bolt noted that the Association's land could accommodate 42 soccer fields, but water is needed to irrigate the playing fields. CAYSA wants to work with the City to create a multi-use sports facility. The City's new wastewater treatment plant that is will be under construction on Highway 290 East could provide water that is needed. The addition of more soccer fields would offer more recreational opportunities for young athletes. No action was taken on the report.

Two public hearings were held during the meeting. The first public hearing involved a rezoning request for 24.81 acres of land located at 9910 Hill Lane from light commercial to multi-family 15. The property is situated mid-way along Hill Lane

and is the last piece of property on Hill Lane in the Manor city limits. Past the property is Austin's Extraterritorial Jurisdiction and Manor Downs. Due to its location, there will be very little pass-by traffic to support the retail uses permitted in the light commercial so that residential zoning will be more suitable. Later in the meeting, as part of the regular agenda, the Council voted to rezone the property.

The second public hearing involved a concept plan for the Presidential Glen Commercial subdivision, which comprises 3 lots on 5.4 acres of land located at 13600 US Highway 290 East. The property is located at the intersection of US Highway 290 and Paseo de Presidente at the Highway 290 entrance to the subdivision. The developer wants to divide the commercial tract into three lots of 1.4 acres, 1.6 acres, and 2. 4 acres. Later in the meeting, as part of the regular agenda, the Council voted to rezone the property.

As part of the regular agenda, the Council approved an engagement letter for legal litigation services and supported the second amendment to the Development Agreement for Manor Heights. The developer shall fund, finance, and pay for the cost of designing and constructing a 400,000 gpd wastewater treatment plant. The treatment plant will be constructed in two phases. The first phase (Interim Phase 1) will consist of a 200,000 gpd wastewater treatment plant, and the second phase of the plant (Interim Phase II) will add a capacity of 200,000 gpd to get the plan to its intended size of

The Council considered waiving payment of application fees for Shadowview Commercial Section 3 preliminary plan, the Hill Lane Extension. The original plans were approved several years ago and then extended for a year, but no work was started, causing the plans to expire. The developer has now refiled the plans and has requested the fee be waived since the application fee of \$1,890 had been previously paid. The Council denied the request to waive payment for the refiling fees.

The Council voted to pay monetary compensation in the amount of \$9,750 to a landowner for a 25-foot wastewater easement and 25-foot temporary construction easement for the Cottonwood Creek wastewater collection line's construction. There will be no cost to the City for this compensation as it is being paid for by the developer. A purchase contract to provide right-of-way for the widening of Old Kimbro Road was awarded to a landowner for \$4,039 monetary compensation for the fee simple and temporary easement. There will be no cost to the City for this compensation as it is being paid for by the developer.

Police Chief Ryan Phipps was appointed chairperson of the Public Safety Committee, comprised of Mayor Dr. Larry Wallace, Jr., City Manager Tom Bolt, and Council members Emily Hill and Dr. Christopher

The Council passed a resolution supporting the **National League of Cities City Innovation Ecosystem** Program (CIE). The CIE program asks city leaders to commit to creating the right policies, programs, and practices to ensure their communities can thrive in the global, innovation-driven economy. It helps participating cities reach their goals by providing technical assistance, seed funding, and peer learning. Each City's commitment is to one specific program, policy, or practice categorized under the four pillars of America's Business Plan, which includes opportunity, funding, knowledge, and support.

The City has selected as its program a downtown revitalization project. A \$15,000 grant has been pledged to Manor by CivStart, and the grant money will be used to design a plan to implement the revitalization process. It is hoped further funding via grants might be available to implement the actual revitalization work. Mayor Wallace noted it should take about nine months to compile the detailed plan for the downtown project. The program would provide a method for determining costs used to collect a budget for revitalizing the downtown area.

The Council passed a resolution in support of the "Cities United" violence prevention efforts, which is an organization that the City will partner with to support the youth of Manor to mitigate crime. The organization sponsors a twelve-month program that will begin in 2021. The program provides job training and mentorships to curtail future criminal behavior. Councilmember Dr. Christopher Harvey will serve as the City's liaison, and the program will be of no cost to the City.

City Manager Tom Bolt was appointed to serve as the liaison from the City to the Manor Chamber of Commerce.

2020-2021 Fall Curbside Meal Pickup Information

Manor ISD Campuses continue to serve curbside meals Monday - Friday. Both breakfast and lunch will be provided to families during pickup. Please see below as our hours of service have changed.

CURBSIDE MEAL SERVICE DETAILS

DATES: Monday-Friday, beginning Monday, August 17th (no service when school

is not in session) TIMES:

Elementary campuses pick-up time:11 am-12 pm

Secondary campuses (all middle schools, MHS and MNTHS) pick-up time: 12

Manor Senior High, pick-up will be at 12:30 pm-1:30 pm. WHO: Any children from the age of 1-18 years old

WHERE: All Manor ISD Campuses

WHAT: Breakfast & Lunch provided

In order to maintain and honor CDC recommendations, Manor ISD Food & Nutrition Services recommends the following safety requirements for individuals driving through the curbside line:

Individuals in the vehicle should be wearing a face-covering, such as a mask remain in your vehicle at all times

Open the trunk of the vehicle or roll down the passenger backseat window to receive meals (when possible)

HOW TO QUALIFY FOR FREE & REDUCED MEALS

Meal Applications:

Apply online at Meal App Now (fastest option)

Complete a paper application - available online to print or available upon request during curbside meal pick-up

Once the application has been processed, a notification letter will be sent to the address on file.

If students are directly certified (DC) for free or reduced meals, a letter will be sent home to inform the parent/guardian of the child's meal status and state no meal application is needed.

Información para recoger comidas para llevar en el otoño de 2020-2021

Comunidad de Manor ISD;

Manor ISD continúan sirviendo comidas en su automóvil para llevar de lunes a viernes. Se proporcionará desayuno y almuerzo a las familias durante la recogida. Consulte a continuación y tenga en cuenta que nuestro horario de servicio ha cam-

DETALLES DEL SERVICIO DE COMIDAS PARA LLEVAR

FECHA: Lunes a viernes, comenzando el lunes 17 de agosto (no hay servicio cuando la escuela no está en sesión) **HORARIO:**

Hora de recogida en las escuelas primarias: 11 am-12 pm

Hora de recogida en los campus secundarios (todas las escuelas intermedias, MHS y MNTHS): 12 p.m.-1 p.m.

Manor Senior High, la recogida será a las 12:30 pm-1: 30 pm

QUIÉN: Cualquier niño de 1 a 18 años de edad **DONDE:** Todos los campus de Manor ISD **QUE:** Desayuno y almuerzo proporcionados

Con el fin de mantener y respetar las recomendaciones de los CDC, El Departamento de Alimentos y Nutrición recomienda los siguientes requisitos de seguridad

para las personas que participan en nuestro servicio de comidas para llevar: Las personas en el vehículo deben usar una cubierta facial como una máscara. permanecer en su vehículo en todo momento

Abra el maletero del vehículo o baje la ventanilla del asiento trasero del pasajero para recibir las comidas (cuando sea posible)

CÓMO CALIFICAR PARA COMIDAS GRATIS Y REDUCIDAS

Aplicaciones de comidas -Solicite en línea en Meal App Now (opción más rápida)

Complete una solicitud en papel, disponible en línea para imprimir

Una vez que se haya procesado la solicitud, se enviarán cartas de notificación a la dirección registrada.

Si los estudiantes están certificados directamente (DC) para comidas gratis o reducidas, se le enviará una carta al hogar para informar al padre/tutor sobre el estado de las comidas del niño y declarar que no se necesita una solicitud de comida.



Can Indoor Cats Skip Yearly Vaccinations?

DEAR PAW'S CORNER: My two cats, "Sandy" and "Frankie," are indoor cats who never go out and never even try to escape. I last took them to the vet about three years ago. A friend said I'm supposed to take them every year and get their rabies shot, but I don't see the point. If they never get out, how could they get exposed? Also, vaccinations are expensive. -- Terry H., Buffalo, New York

DEAR TERRY: I know it can be tough pulling together the funds to vaccinate your pets every year, but it really is critically important that they stay up to date on their shots.

In addition to rabies vaccination -- which is required by law in most municipalities -- your cats need to be vaccinated against feline distemper -- a group of three viruses that are easily spread (they can even be tracked into the house on your shoes) and can cause severe illness and death in cats. If your cats have never received an FLV (feline leukemia virus) vaccination, they need to be evaluated and given this shot, too.

Getting up to date on their shots gives them an umbrella of protection against these illnesses, because you never know what may happen in the future. What if they are spooked by a storm or a volley of fireworks, and dart outside? That's dangerous enough without them potentially crossing paths with an infected cat.

Call around for a better price on veterinary exams and shots. Low-cost clinics are held in many cities and counties, but you have to look online or check notices at the pet store or city hall. Community newspapers are another source to find out about these clinics.

Send your comments, questions or tips to ask@pawscorner.com.

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<u>Manor Matters</u>



GreatSchools.org Honors Manor Independent School District With 2020 College Success Award

GreatSchools.org Honors Manor Independent School District With 2020 College Success Award National recognition celebrates high schools that

prepare students to succeed in college

Manor New Technology High School is proud to announce that it has received a prestigious College Success Award from GreatSchools.org, the nation's leading nonprofit empowering parents to unlock educational opportunities for their children.

Launched in 2018, the College Success Award honors schools that excel in ensuring students prepare for college, enroll in college, and succeed once they get there. This year, Manor New Tech High School is among 2,158 award-winning schools from 29 states who have demonstrated a successful track record of graduating students who later enroll in two- or fouryear college, are ready for college-level coursework, and persist on to their second year, according to available data from each state.

As the COVID-19 pandemic continues to threaten the physical and financial health of the nation, Manor New Tech High School is ensuring students graduate with the skills and resources to succeed as postsecondary scholars and productive citizens. College- and career-ready graduates are critical to fueling the U.S. economy, as 70 percent of jobs will require a postsecondary degree by 2027. Manor New Tech High School (MNTHS) is one of 314 schools in Texas to receive this year's College Success Award. MNTHS is also one of the 145 Award-winning Texas schools that

has more than 40% of students who qualify for free or reduced-price meals.

"Earning this award for the second year in a row honors the dedication and commitment of our Titan Staff to a long legacy of high academic expectations and closing opportunity gaps so that our scholars can succeed in our school and beyond," said Bobby Garcia, Principal at Manor New Tech High School.

Despite the unprecedented disruptions to the educational landscape this year, Manor New Tech High School has adopted and upheld many best practices to support their students' college preparation and success, including offering multiple opportunities for college credit in high school through Austin Community College, UT OnRamps, & Advanced Placement courses; Project-Based Learning as the primary mode of authentic and rigorous instruction; student involvement with College Access Partners such as Breakthrough, GEAR UP, & College Forward.

The College Success Award is possible because Texas is leading the nation in both collecting and transparently sharing information on how students perform after high school, which is valuable information for families, educators, and policymakers.

'We applaud Manor New Tech High School for prioritizing high-quality public education, putting students on the path to bright futures," said Jon Deane, CEO of GreatSchools.org. "Over the past year, students, parents, teachers, and communities have relied on one another like never before. We congratulate and thank all of these individuals at Manor New Tech High School for their unwavering pursuit of college success for all students."

Manor ISD Community please join GreatSchools. org in celebrating Manor New Tech High School on social media using #CollegeSuccessAward.

By Matilda Charles

Online Scammers Eye Holiday Shoppers

Holiday shopping online is one of our annual rituals, at least for a portion of the gifts we want to buy, but with COVID making in-person shopping too risky, a much larger percentage of us are likely to shop online. That's what the scammers and thieves are hoping, anyway. The biggest threat this year is likely to be emails.

You'll often receive an email from the retailer saying your purchase has been shipped, and there might be a link in the email about that delivery. Beware clicking it. It could be a scammer hoping to install malware on your computer to capture any future credit card or account numbers you type in. Or they might ask you outright to type in personal information such as your name and credit card

Instead of clicking any link in any email supposedly from a retailer, go to the merchant's website to look for information on your purchase or call them directly. Take the phone number from your bill or their website, not from any email.

You might also receive emails about items you didn't order and worry that your account has been hacked. Again, that is one way for the scammers to get you to click a link. Don't do it. Call the merchant instead.

Just ordering online isn't the end of your steps to being safe. There are the porch pirates, those awful people who dash up to the house and steal packages right at the door. They often follow delivery trucks to see where the parcels are being left. Keep an eye out for your delivery. Or track it online.

A final warning: Merchants often ask you to download their app to make purchases. You don't have to. You can still make online purchases without adding yet another potentially unsecure form of communication.

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GreatSchools.org honra al distrito escolar independiente de Manor con el premio College Success Award 2020

El reconocimiento nacional celebra las escuelas secundarias que preparan a los estudiantes para tener éxito en la universidad

Manor New Technology High School se enorgullece de anunciar que ha recibido el prestigioso premio College Success Award de GreatSchools.org, la organización sin fines de lucro líder en el país que empodera a los padres para desbloquear oportunidades educativas para sus hijos.

Lanzado en 2018, el premio College Success Award honra a las escuelas que se destacan por garantizar que los estudiantes se preparen para la universidad, se inscriban en la universidad y tengan éxito una vez que llegan allí. Este año, Manor New Tech High School se encuentra entre las 2,158 escuelas premiadas de 29 estados que han demostrado un historial exitoso de estudiantes graduados que luego se inscriben en una universidad de dos o cuatro años, están listos para cursos de nivel universitario y persisten en su segundo año, de acuerdo con los datos disponibles de cada estado.

Mientras la pandemia de COVID-19 continúa amenazando la salud física y financiera de la nación, Manor New Tech High School se asegura de que los estudiantes se gradúen con las habilidades y recursos para tener éxito como académicos postsecundarios y ciudadanos productivos. Los graduados preparados para la universidad y la carrera son fundamentales para impulsar la economía de los EE. UU., Ya que el 70 por ciento de los trabajos requerirán un título postsecundario para el 2027. Manor New Tech High School (MNTHS) es una de las 314 escuelas de Texas en recibir el premio College Success Award de este año. MNTHS es también una de las 145 escuelas de Texas galardonadas que tiene más del 40% de estudiantes que califican para comidas gratuitas o a precio reducido.

"Obtener este premio por el segundo año consecutivo honra la dedicación y el compromiso de nuestro personal Titan con un largo legado de altas expectativas académicas y el cierre de brechas de oportunidades para que nuestros estudiantes puedan tener éxito en nuestra escuela y más allá", dijo Bobby García, director en Manor New Tech High School.

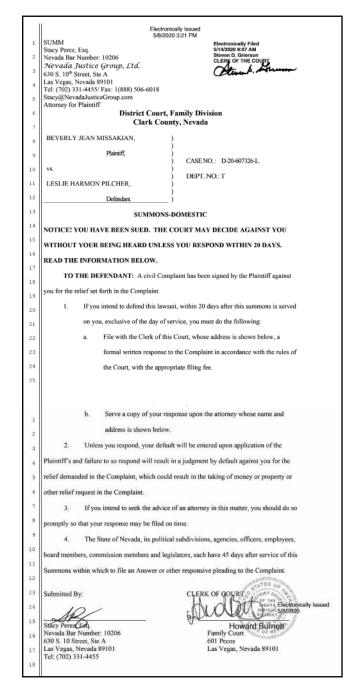
A pesar de las interrupciones sin precedentes en el panorama educativo este año, Manor New Tech High School ha adoptado y mantenido muchas de las

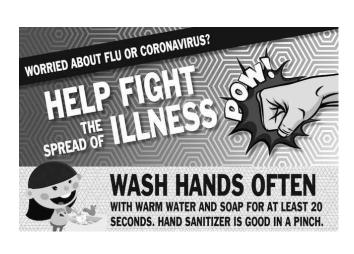
mejores prácticas para apoyar la preparación y el éxito universitario de sus estudiantes, incluida la oferta de múltiples oportunidades para créditos universitarios en la escuela secundaria a través de Austin Community College, UT OnRamps & cursos de Colocación Avanzada; Aprendizaje basado en proyectos como el modo principal de instrucción auténtica y rigurosa; participación de los estudiantes con nuestros socios de acceso a la universidad como Breakthrough, GEAR UP y College Forward.

El Premio College Success Award es posible porque Texas lidera la nación en la recopilación y el intercambio transparente de información sobre el desempeño de los estudiantes después de la escuela secundaria, que es información valiosa para las familias, los educadores y los legisladores.

"Aplaudimos a Manor New Tech High School por dar prioridad a la educación pública de alta calidad, poniendo a los estudiantes en el camino hacia un futuro brillante", dijo Jon Deane, director ejecutivo de GreatSchools.org. "Durante el año pasado, los estudiantes, padres, maestros y comunidades han confiado unos en otros como nunca antes. Felicitamos y agradecemos a todas estas personas en Manor New Tech High School por su inquebrantable búsqueda del éxito universitario para todos los estudiantes".

Comunidad de Manor ISD por favor únase a Great-Schools.org para celebrar Manor New Tech High School en las redes sociales usando #CollegeSuccess





Manor Area Churches

GRACE COVENANT CHRISTIAN CEN-

Temporarily meeting at Manor New Tech High School cafeteria located at 10 Joyce Turner Dr. New church site 14518 U.S. Hwy 290 E. 5127860133

Sunday morning worship 10:00am

Baptist

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH (915) 472-3869 407 East Eggleston Street Manor, Texas

ETERNAL FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH 512-272-4043 12720 FM 973 North Manor, Tx 78653

GILDON CREEK FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 512-272-4575 310 S. San Marcos st Manor, Tx 78653 GILDON CREEK THIRD BAPTIST CHURCH 512-272-5296 204 East Burton Street Manor, Tx 78653

LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH 512-272-4152 406 East Burton Manor, Tx 78653

PARK SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH 512-272-5723 18415 Lockwood Rd, Manor, Tx 78653

RIVER ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH 512-276-3824 12712 FM 969 Manor, Tx 78653

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Methodist

78653

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MANOR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CHURCH 512-272-4914 510 North Burnet Rd. Manor, Tx 78653

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CHRIST CHAPEL 512-272-5768 509 East Carrie Manor Street Manor, Tx

PALABRA DE DIOS WORD OF GOD 512-272-9091 300 East Parsons St, Manor, Tx 78653

NEW DAY MINISTRY Presidential Meadows Elem. School

TURNING POINT FELLOWSHIP

11805 Johnson Road Trail Manor, TX 78653 Phone: (512) 956-1894

CALVARY CHAPEL EAST METRO (512) 590-0925 407 E Eggleston Manor, TX 78653

ABUNDANT LIFE CHURCH-EAST 104 W. Carrie Manor, Manor, TX 78653 Worship Time: Sundays @ 12:30pm Phone: 512-251-4673





Jennifer Ann Reese-Parker April 26, 1971 – October 12, 2020



Jennifer "Jena" Ann Reese-Parker of Leander, Texas, passed away peacefully surrounded by her family. Jennifer was born to Gloria Briseno Hernandez-Reese and Andrew Reese, on April 26, 1971 & was raised in Manor, TX. After a 5 year courageous battle with Breast Cancer; she succumbed on Monday, October 12,

She had a great love for her Lord & Savior Jesus Christ, and was a lifetime member of the St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Jena was a beautiful soul that never met a stranger, with the most infectious laugh & smile. She loved her family dearly. She loved having a huge extended family. She loved all her aunts and uncles. She had many passions, including Disney movies, gardening, butterflies, hummingbirds & the beach. She was a devoted Dallas Cowboys fan, as well as the Notre Dame Fighting Irish & the Houston Texans. And let's not forget the Manor Mustangs. "GO BIG RED"!!! She loved all things George Strait & country music. At the time of her death, Jena was still employed with HEB.

She was married to the love of her life, the late Bill Parker, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church & this union lasted until the time of his death for 22 years. She was preceded in death by her father Andrew Reese, Brother Marvin Reese & infant sister Gloria Hernandez and both her paternal & maternal grandparents.

Jena is survived by her mother, Gloria Briseno Hernandez-Reese of Leander, TX. In addition, she leaves behind her children Donna Blake (Kevin), Juleli "Joie" Cawkwell (Mark) and William Tony Parker (Sharon); siblings Ronny Reese (Ophelia), Diana Johnson, Danny Hernandez (Holly), James Andrew Reese (Yvette), Roy Alba (Teresa), Kristina DeWitty; Godmother/Aunt Terri DeWitty; Godson/Nephew Ishmael Johnson, whom she helped raise. As well as, 4 grandchildren, 1 great-grandson; a host of nieces & nephews and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins & friends. One best friend and co-worker, Melodie Hertz. They considered themselves "two peas in a pod". Another best friend and classmate Bobbie Ford, Bobbie would come all the way from Florida just to spend time with her and they would laugh and talk for hours.

A memorial rosary will be recited at 10:15 am, Friday, November 6, 2020, followed by a memorial Mass at 11:00 am at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 1300 Old Highway 20, Manor, Texas. Committal services would follow at 12:30 pm, Friday, at the Cook-Walden/Capital Parks Funeral Home in Pflugerville.

Due to the current COVID protocols, guests are required to wear protective face masks at all times and practice the recommended six foot social distancing. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to St. Joseph's Catholic Church, PO

Box 389, Manor, TX 78563. Please include a note stating that it is for the Building Fund in memory of Jennifer.

You may share memories and leave condolences for Jennifer's family by logging into her site at www.cookwaldencapitalparks.com.

Arrangements by Cook-Walden/Capital Parks Funeral Home, 14501 N. IH-35, Pflugerville, Texas 78660 512-251-4118.





Meet Manor by Tom West

People Around and About Our Community

Dr. Larry Wallace - Mayor, City of Manor



When President Barack Obama visited Manor, there was a specific manner in which people shared the stage with dignitaries in attendance. If he'd had a sit-down lunch, the Order of Precedence would have also determined the seating arrangement. If the next President swung through Manor for a visit, Mayor Dr. Larry Wallace would be the third Texan in line to receive him or share a burger at the 290 Café. He'd be just behind Congressional Representatives, the Governor, and the Lieutenant Governor in the chow line. That said, Manor's Mayor Wallace has duties more critical to our local folks than being third in line for the fries.

Dr. Wallace was elected Manor Mayor in 2018. He decided to run for election because

"what I love most in impacting change in a real and positive manner. I get to be involved in an array of topics, issues, and concerns at the strategic and ecosystem building level." He sees himself as the lead citywide advocate for all residents, businesses, and other entities impacted by our Manor's reputation and by the city's growth. These responsibilities are an "odd couple" fit for Dr. Wallace. At once, a self-described introvert, he also loves to be informed and active in his community. And the job also has its challenges.



He shared, "the lows for the job general revolve around assumptions that I have ulterior motives, seeking to climb the ladder, etc." Another challenge as Mayor is that it is frustratingly little the city can do regarding landowners and developers who fall short on contractual deadlines. It's not a post for the meek! Upon retiring from the

military, he and his family moved to Stonewater in 2017. It's been a long journey for our Mayor. Born in Corpus Christie, his mom was a radiation therapist and his dad, a public health executive. After growing up in the Dallas-Ft Worth area, his military career took him to duty stations worldwide. He met his future wife, Jamilah (a starting Power Forward for Georgia Southwestern University), in 2005 while serving as a Gold Bar Recruiter (ROTC) at UT Arlington. A long-distance romance ensued with a wedding in 2011. They now have three young children who have played football, basketball, and even cheer with the Maya Mustangs and Manor Falcons. Dr. Wallace has served to coach these kids.

With all this activity and a growing family, it's understandable that he sees "couch potato" time as a hobby, especially when casual T-shirts and shorts are involved. He loves movies and action shows ("If it's a true story, I'm sold!"). But make no mistake, Dr. Wallace comes from a family of service. Most of his siblings have military service time. His adopted family members are affiliated with the church as elders, pastor, bishop, and even award-winning gospel singers. They often attend St. James Missionary Baptist Church.

Mayor Wallace has some advice for anyone considering being a mayor. "Being a strategic visionary is the most crucial and key piece of the role," he notes. "The candidate for mayor must know where they want to take the city and why based on facts over assumptions," he added.

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Sealed Bids for the construction of the LAGOS MANOR PHASE 4 AND 5 will be received at the Austin offices of Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc., 10814 Jollyville Road Building 4, Suite 200, Austin, Texas 78759 (hereafter "Engineer") until 11:00 AM on Tuesday, December 1, 2020, then publicly opened and read aloud (virtually). The work generally consists of the construction of water, wastewater, drainage, pond, and street improvements for approximately 116 single-family residential lots, 7 non-residential lots, and associated and incidental appurtenances within the LAGOS MANOR development in Manor, Travis County, Texas.

Electronic Bid documents for this project may be obtained by contacting the Engineer by email, Jacob.Kondo@kimley-horn.com.

A Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference (Virtual) for this project will be held at 11:00 AM on Tuesday, November 10, 2020 virtually, contact the Engineer by email, Jacob.Kondo@kimley-horn.com. Representatives of the Owner and Engineer will be present to discuss the project. Engineer will distribute to prospecting Bidders a record of such Addenda as Engineer considers necessary in response to discussions or inquiries arising at the conference.

Bids must be accompanied by a bid bond with power of attorney attached or cashier's check of five percent (5%) of the total amount bid (sum of all bid items) made payable to the Developer.

A Bid which, in the opinion of Owner's staff, deviates significantly from the contract Documents, and which has not been clarified through a written Addenda prior to Bid submittal deadline, shall be considered an exception to the Contract Documents and grounds for the Bid to be rejected. Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and to waive any informalities and irregularities in Bids received.

Bidders should read and understand all terms and conditions contained in these Contract Documents. Contract Time is of the essence and all Work shall be substantially completed within one hundred and eighty days (180) calendar days after the Notice to Proceed (A maximum of thirty-five (35) calendar days are included for contingency within these 180 days for construction related delays (rain days, etc.); No additional days shall be allowed). All Work shall be fully completed and ready for final payment within two hundred and ten (210) calendar days after the Notice to Proceed.

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Quick Chicken Piccata

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INGREDIENTS

- 1/4 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 4 boneless skinless chicken breast halves (4 ounces each)
- 1/4 cup butter, cubed
- 1/4 cup white wine or chicken broth
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- Minced fresh parsley, optional

DIRECTIONS

In a shallow bowl, mix flour, salt and pepper. Pound chicken breasts with a meat mallet to 1/2-in. thickness. Dip chicken in flour mixture to coat both sides; shake off excess.

In a large skillet, heat butter over medium heat. Brown chicken on both sides. Add wine; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; simmer, uncovered, until chicken is no longer pink, 12-15 minutes. Drizzle with lemon juice. If desired, sprinkle with parsley.





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Garlic Butter Potatoes

www.delish.com/cooking/recipe-ideas

INGREDIENTS

1 1/2 lb. new or small potatoes

1/4 c. butter, melted

1/4 c. extra-virgin olive oil

3 cloves garlic, minced kosher salt

Freshly ground black pepper

1 c. shredded mozzarella

1/2 c. freshly grated Parmesan

1/4 c. finely chopped parsley This ingredient shopping module is created and maintained by a third party, and imported onto this page.

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DIRECTIONS

Preheat oven to 375° and line a large baking sheet with

parchment paper.

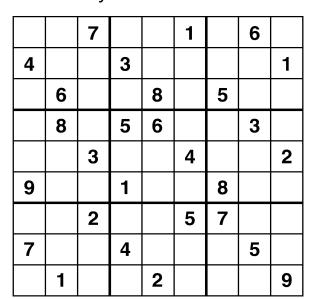
Make small slits in each potato, like an accordion, making sure not to cut all the way through. Place potatoes on

In a small bowl, whisk together melted butter, olive oil and garlic. Brush mixture over potatoes then season with salt and pepper. Bake for 20 minutes, until the slits are starting to separate and the potatoes are beginning to turn golden.

Brush the potatoes with more of the melted butter mixture then sprinkle mozzarella and Parmesan on top. Bake for another 23 to 25 minutes, or until the potatoes are crispy on the outside and tender on the inside. Garnish with parsley and serve warm.

Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle



Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆

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DEAR DEE DEE



My daughter is a senior at Manor Senior High. It's such a disappointment to see her senior year starting out with virtual learning. She's very smart and does her best from home but it's just not the same. She misses her friends, she misses being at school and she misses me and all the activities she's a part of. There is also the uncertainty of what her last semester and graduation will be like. I feel like she's not getting as good of an education this way and that this could affect college acceptance.

Sincerely, Dayna

Dear Dayna:

Now that in person instruction has begun in our district, hopefully some of your concerns

far as the remainder of the school year, because of the pandemic, no one knows what will happen. Hopefully, life will be more normal and the schools will be able to celebrate seniors in the way they have done in the past. Additionally, institutions of higher learning are also taking this past year's difficulties into consideration, while high schools are continuing to make every effort to help seniors receive all they can in the way of acceptances and scholarships, in spite of the pandemic. If you still have concerns, please reach out to the high school and the district to get the help you need. I wish your daughter my very best.

have been alleviated. As

Sincerely, Dee Dee

Salome's For the week of Nov. 2, 2020 ARIES

(March 21 to April **19)** Deciding to work

out that pesky problem (even though you might have been bored, bored, bored with it) should be paying off right about now. Expect to hear some very welcome news very soon.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)

Unexpected news might cause you to rethink a previous conclusion. Don't be bullheaded and try to bluff it out. Make the needed change, and then take a bow for your objectivity.

GEMINI

(May 21 to June 20) Money matters should be considered as you continue to work out your holiday plans. This is a good time to scout out discounts before demand for them outstrips their availability.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A calm period early in the week helps you complete most, if not all, of your unfinished tasks. A new project appears by midweek, and this one could carry some big career potential.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Positive results from recent ventures continue

to pump up those selfesteem levels, making you Fabulous Felines feel you can tackle any challenge anyone wants to throw at you.

VIRGO

(August 23 to September 22) Family and friends might feel neglected because of your almost total focus on a project. Try to rework your schedule so you can have time for both your loved ones and your work.

LIBRA

(September 23 to October 22) Don't be surprised if you suddenly hear from someone from your past who

wants to contact you about the possibility of renewing a longdormant (if not dead) relationship.

SCORPIO (October 23 to **November 21)** This is

a good time to check over what went right and what went wrong with recent efforts. This can provide valuable lessons for projects that will be coming up soon.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to **December 21)** Dealing with people who feel they're always right

about everything might be a problem for some. But the savvy Archer should be able to deflate their oversize egos.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) This

week favors a balance between the demands of your work and your need for fun timeouts. Taking breaks helps restore and keep your

energy levels high.

AQUARIUS

(January 20 to February 18) There could be an occasional setback in what you're working on. But look at them as lessons on how to do better as you move along. More supporters turn up to cheer you on.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Although

a more positive aspect influences this week's course, you still need to be sure that those who will work with you have no reason to work against you. Good luck.

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always easy to do, but

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PET OF THE WEEK



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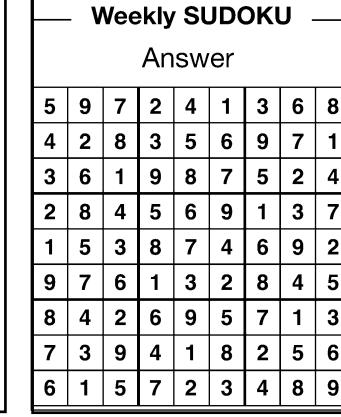
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> - Theodore Roosevelt (1901-1909)





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Manor Area News



Manor Senior High School Highsteppers Receive First Division Rating

The Manor Senior High School Highsteppers drill team received a First Division rating from American Dance's Virtual Half-Time Showcase. Dance teams were judged based on choreography, showmanship, precision, and technique. The High Steppers are under the direction of Ms. Shelby Miller. Congratulations to the Highsteppers team!

El equipo de Highsteppers de Manor Senior High School recibió una calificación de Primera División del Virtual Half-Time Showcase de American Dance. Los equipos de baile fueron juzgados en base a la coreografía, el espectáculo, la precisión y la técnica. Las Highsteppers están bajo la dirección de la Sra. Shelby Miller. ¡felicidades al equipo de Highsteppers!



Manor Mustangs 2020 Football Schedule Varsity

Date	Opponent	Location	Time	
09/24 - Thur.	(Scrimage) McCallum	Mustang Stadium	7:00	
10/02 - Fri.	LBJ	Mustang Stadium	7:30	
10/09 - Fri.	Leander *	Mustang Stadium	7:00	
10/16 - Fri.	Georgetown	GISD Birklebach Stadium	7:00	
10/22 - Thur.	Pflugerville	Pfield	7:00	
10/30 - Fri.	OPEN			
11/06 - Fri.	Hendrickson **	Mustang Stadium	7:00	
11/12 - Thur.	Weiss	Pfield	7:00	
11/20 - Fri.	Anderson ***	Mustang Stadium	7:00	
11/27 - Fri.	OPEN			
12/04 - Fri.	Cedar Park	Gupton Stadium	7:00	

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· Senior Night

DATES AND/OR TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Superintendent: Head Coach: James Keller

Homecoming

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Dr. Andre Spencer MHS Principal: MSHS Principal: Brandon Powell John Matthews

Bold District Games

Mascot: Mustangs Athletic Office: (512) 278 - 4887

Colors: Scarlet, Black, White Athletic Trainer: (512) 278 - 4821



DSHS provides tips for a safe Halloween, Día de los Muertos

With COVID-19 cases and hospitalizations rising, you don't have to abandon Halloween and Día de los Muertos activities, but you can make them safer this year. The Texas Department of State Health Services is sharing tips on what you can do to minimize the risk of spreading the novel coronavirus during this season.

The safest activities are those that put you in direct contact only with people you live with. You can carve pumpkins or decorate your home, prepare a meal that was a favorite of your deceased loved ones, make an ofrenda, or participate in an online costume contest or fashion show.

Outdoor activities can provide more space for physical distancing and reduce the risk of spreading the virus from one person to another. Join in a neighborhood costume parade or scavenger hunt where people stay six feet apart. Decorate the graves of loved ones or have a small group of family and friends for an outdoor meal at a safe distance. Instead of door-to-door trick or treating, leave individually bagged treats at the end of the driveway or on the front steps so children can pick them up without direct contact with other people.

Large, indoor gatherings and anything that brings you face-to-face with people you don't live with should be avoided.

Masks are more important than ever, but a costume mask is not a substitute for a protective cloth mask. It won't provide the same kind of protection unless it has at least two layers of breathable fabric that completely cover the nose and mouth. Build a protective mask into your costume, and don't wear separate protective and costume masks at the same time because that can make it more difficult to breathe.

As always, washing your hands frequently, covering coughs and sneezes and staying home when you're sick

will help prevent COVID-19 and other respiratory illnesses from spreading.

TCSO Impounds Vehicle Involved in Deputy Hit-and-Run



The Travis County Sheriff's Office has impounded the vehicle detectives believe struck a deputy in a hitand-run collision on Tuesday, October 20, 2020. The Lexus ES 350, believed to be involved, was located and recovered from the parking garage of an apartment complex near US 183 and Pond Springs

Road.

The investigation has revealed a potential suspect and detectives are diligently pursuing evidence connecting him to the incident.

The injured deputy was one of three officers conducting traffic enforcement in a school zone on McNeil Dr. As he stepped into an empty lane of travel and signaled a vehicle traveling in the other lane to stop, the vehicle drove into him.

The deputy was transported to a local hospital by Austin-Travis County EMS and was released the same day.

Anyone with information about the incident is encouraged to call the TCSO Tip Line at (512) 854-1444.

Manor ISD offers Caregiver Grab N Go Prepared Meals



Manor ISD will distribute meals for families in need and their caregivers. Families can pick up on Monday - Friday, Oct. 26 - Dec. 18 from 11 a.m. noon at:

Blake Manor Elementary Bluebonnet Trail Elementary Decker Elementary Presidential Meadows Elementary

This service is sponsored by Travis County Health and Human Services and will continue each week until further notice. For more information, contact Rebecca Lott (Rebecca.lott@manorisd. net).

