

BOARD NEWS

A GLANCE AT THE DECISIONS OF THE PASADENA ISD BOARD OF TRUSTEES



2018-2019 BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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Board Member
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Board Member
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Newly re-elected Board of Trustee Members Marshall Kendrick, Vickie Morgan and Kenny Fernandez were sworn in for their new term during tonight's board meeting.



At the board meeting, students who were named to Academic All-State Swimming and Diving Teams for 2019-2020 by the Texas Interscholastic Swimming Coaches Association (TISCA), Texas High School Coaches Association (THSCA), and Texas Girls Coaches Association (TGCA) were honored for their high academic standards for their high school years and for their athletic success during the current season.

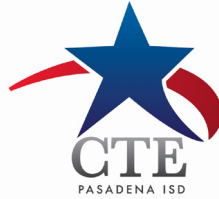
Pasadena High School
Thomas Gonzalez: TISCA & THSCA
Justin Garcia: TISCA

Sam Rayburn High School
Michael Vargas: TISCA

Pasadena Memorial High School
Christine Osborne: TISCA, THSCA, & TGCA
Melanie Jimenez: TISCA; Daniela Fraga: TISCA
Abigail Lezcano: TISCA; Kimberly Dutton: TISCA

The seven-member Pasadena ISD Board of Trustees meets regularly once a month at 7 p.m. in the Board Room of the Administration Building at 1515 Cherrybrook Lane. The meetings are open to the public. Call 713-740-0243 for more information. See the website for complete agenda and approved minutes at www.pasadenaisd.org

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During the board meeting, Career and Technical Education Executive Director Tanya Hagar recognized the successes of 80 PISD students, who, under the guidance of their dedicated advisors, have excelled and represented their schools in a number of national and international career and technical education competitions this year.



At the Future Health Professionals event in Orlando, the following HOSA students competed:
CTHS: Brian Rios De Leon, Medical Assisting | **Dobie:** Maryam Badr, Clinical Specialty; Kennedy Ho, HOSA Bowl; Jennifer Nguyen, HOSA Bowl; Ashley Nguyen HOSA Bowl; Thuyen Vu HOSA Bowl | **Pasadena Memorial:** Javier Garcia, Healthcare Issues; Azucena Sonia Garza, Healthcare Issues Exam | **Sam Rayburn:** Maria Guzman, Healthy Lifestyle; Serena Hernandez, Health Education, Hailey Roberts Health Education, Jackie Morales Health Education | **Parkview Intermediate:** Landon Galvan, Nutrition Testing; Clarissa Ponce, Health Education; Mia Gallardo, Health Education



At the Future Marketing Professionals event in Orlando, the following DECA students competed:
PMHS: Joshua Guardado, Automotive Services Marketing
SHHS: Fabiola Trevino, Ashley Villarreal & Rachael Zepeda, Financial Literacy
SRHS: Emmanuel Escobar Professional Selling



At the Skills USA - Future Craftsmen event in Louisville, KY, the following students competed:
CTHS: Jesus Carlos, Carpentry; Alfredo Rodriguez, Automotive Collision Repair



During the board meeting, Heidi Rao from Texas Parks and Wildlife presented PMHS Coach Lloyd Love with a professional educator of the year award.



At the National Craft Championship event in Long Beach, CA, the following students competed:
CTHS: Javier Armenta & Alvaro Torres



The 24-member Pasadena Memorial High School Archery Team was recognized at the board meeting for advancing to national competition in 2D and 3D archery, held in Salt Lake City, UT.

The team is made up of the following individuals:

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| <i>Damian Burgos</i> | <i>Kyle Garza</i> | <i>Danali Jimenez</i> | <i>Daisy Olvera</i> | <i>Matthew Smith</i> |
| <i>Douglas Caringer</i> | <i>Adrian Gonzalez</i> | <i>Tiffany Messina</i> | <i>Emily Olvera</i> | <i>Avery Speaks</i> |
| <i>Andrew Casey</i> | <i>Daniel Gonzalez</i> | <i>Robert Moes</i> | <i>Grace Orellana</i> | <i>Niha Thanu</i> |
| <i>Samantha Drennan</i> | <i>Jose Jaimes</i> | <i>Angela Mooney</i> | <i>Daniel Perez</i> | <i>Melanie Venancio</i> |
| <i>Teresita Flores</i> | <i>Briyanne Jenkins</i> | <i>Kyley Mullins</i> | <i>Katarina Puente</i> | |



Also recognized at the board meeting was the Pasadena ISD robotics team which is comprised of 32 students from three different high schools. The team recently advanced to the FIRST World Robotics Championship in Houston on April 17-20, 2019.

The team is made up of the following individuals:

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| <i>CTHS:</i> | <i>Mia Gonzalez</i> | <i>Jaquelin Marin</i> | <i>Thien Pham</i> | <i>Dobie HS:</i> | <i>Memorial:</i> |
| <i>Itzel Ayala</i> | <i>Kyus Gordon</i> | <i>Freddy Molina</i> | <i>Kimberly Salas</i> | <i>Sophia Colmenares</i> | <i>Ricardo Betancourt</i> |
| <i>Marcus Bebawi</i> | <i>Angel Herrera</i> | <i>Adan Moreno</i> | <i>Brittany Salazar</i> | <i>Benson Cubos</i> | <i>Eli Felix</i> |
| <i>Rosalva Duran</i> | <i>Dardana Herrera</i> | <i>Eduardo Mozqueda</i> | <i>Ashley Sanchez</i> | <i>Henry Nguyen</i> | <i>Christine Osborne</i> |
| <i>Jessica Garfias</i> | <i>Kenny Ly</i> | <i>Juan Munoz</i> | <i>Megan Scarcella</i> | <i>Pasadena HS:</i> | <i>Ryan Shugart</i> |
| <i>David Gomez</i> | <i>Colby Marbury</i> | <i>Brandon Norman</i> | <i>Jasmine Trujillo</i> | <i>Joana Anaya</i> | |



The Pasadena Memorial Indoor Drumline, under the direction of Assistant Band Director, Mark Waldon, was recognized for competed at the Texas Color Guard Circuit State Championships last month at Reed Arena on the campus of Texas A&M University. With over 60 drumlines in competition that day, the PMHS Indoor Drumline placed first, earning the gold medal and their second consecutive World Class State Championship in a row.

The team is made up of the following individuals:

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| Alfaro, Abel | Chapa, Jaquelline | Garza, Isaiah | Licerio, Nathan | Ngo, Colby | Ramirez, Rene |
| Alvarez, Jayleen | De Hoyos, Kevin | Georgy, Noah | Martinez, Viviana | Nino, Aidan | Reyes, Arturo |
| Arteaga, Vielka | Erskins, Gavin | Gonzales, Alexander | Martino, Carolyn | Nino, Sebastian | Robbins, Seann |
| Baba, Elias | Frayre, Isaac | Guzman, Andres | MendezTorres, Josue | Owen, Ethan | Rodriguez, Melany |
| Balderas, Melanie | Fuentes, Ezequiel | Hainz, Tyler | Morales, Alexis | Paternina, Jesus | Salazar, Sergio |
| Blythe, Douglas | Gandara, Ruben | Herrera, Jonathan | Moreno, Nicholas | Phelps, Benjamin | Thompson, Joe |
| Bravo, Jorge | Garza, Gabriel | Hruska, Tylar | Mota, Fernando | Rabago, Angelina | |



To spread the message to our PISD community on the dangers of vaping, our students in Health Science and Audio Video pathways collaborated with MD Anderson to create Public Service Announcements. Thirty-two different PSAs were submitted last month and judged by a panel made up of district personnel and representatives from MD Anderson and Houston Methodist. The top five were then posted on our district's Facebook page to allow the community to vote on their favorite. The winners were presented with certificates at the board meeting.

- Judge's Choice for best Public Service Announcement is "Lower the Rate – Don't Vape" created by: Alexa Leal, Brittany Salazar, and Victoria Villarreal from Dr. Kirk Lewis Career and Technical High School
- People's Choice for best Public Service Announcement: "Vaping – It's Not a Game" created by Brianna Castillo, Fabian de la Cerda, Andrea Davila, Adonis Dudley, Dulce Garcia, Kayla Munoz, Lizeth Nava, Valeria Romualdo and Hanna Weiser from Pasadena Memorial High School.
- Judge's Choice for best slogan: This groups' slogan, "Vaping – It's Not a Game", was also selected as "Best Slogan". We are proud to announce that this group won in two separate categories.

BOARD NEWS

The Pasadena ISD Board of Trustees approved the following agenda items:

Personnel:

- Joe Saavedra for the position of Associate Superintendent of Campus Development for the 2019-2020 school year.
- Angelica Cruz for the position of Licensed Specialist in School Psychology with Special Education for the 2019-2020 school year.
- Meghan Johnson for the position of Licensed Specialist in School Psychology with Special Education for the 2019-2020 school year.
- Brittany Bates for the position of Behavior Response Team Specialist with Special Programs for the 2019-2020 school year.
- Amy McClellan for the position of Principal at Young Elementary School for the 2019-2020 school year.

Educational Items:

- Approval of the 2019-2020 Agreement between Avondale House and PISD for Education Services and Tuition of 10 Special Education Students
- Approval of the 2019-2020 Memorandum of Agreement with the University of Houston-Clear Lake for 2 BCBA Graduate Assistants
- Approval of the 2019-2020 Memorandum of Understanding between PISD and the Harris County Juvenile Board
- Possible Approval of the Memorandum of Understanding between PISD and the City of Houston for the Digital Sandbox
- Approval of the Application for TEA Low Attendance Waivers for Pasadena ISD Campuses
- Approval of the Application for TEA Missed School Day Waiver for South Houston High School

- Approval of the Application for a TEA Low Attendance Waiver for Thompson Intermediate
- Approval of the Application for a TEA Missed School Day Waiver for Pasadena ISD
- Approval for the Sam Rayburn High School Texan Battalion Army JROTC Leadership Team to travel to Washington, D.C. June 21-25 to compete in the Joint Leadership and Academic Bowl (JLAB) Championships

Financial Items:

- Approval of Budget Amendments for April
- Approval of Interlocal Contract and Resolution with Education Service Center Region 14 (National Cooperative Purchasing Alliance)
- Approval of Dietetic Internship between the University of Houston Health and Human Performance Department and Pasadena ISD Child Nutrition
- Approval of Board Resolution regarding Declaration of Emergency, Employee Compensation, and Purchases due to Inclement Weather on May 10

Operational Items:

- Approval of Final Change Order No. 01 for the Roof Replacement Package 2 Project
- Approval of the Transfer of 2014 Bond Program Unused Project Funds to the Bond Contingency Pool
- Approval of the Continuation of Priority Facility Upgrade Projects, and funding by the 2011 Bond Contingency Pool
- Approval for the Sale of a 5' x 30' Pad Site Easement Expansion to Harris County, Located on the East Property Line of the McMasters Elementary School site

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