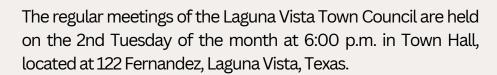
# LAGUNA VISTA'S LATEST



# Meet Your City Secretary Norma Barbosa

Behind every efficient council meeting and well-organized record lies the dedication of our City Secretary. This role is vital to the smooth functioning of our town, from managing official records and overseeing elections to ensuring transparency and compliance with regulations. It's a demanding job that requires keen organization, attention to detail, and a deep commitment to serving our community.

We'd like to take a moment to appreciate the hard work of all City Secretaries but most importantly our very own City Secretary: Norma Barbosa. We welcome you to come by City Hall at any time and meet her in person and experience her stellar customer service! She is knowledgeable in all things Laguna Vista and we are proud that she has made us her working home for the past 4 years as our City and Court Clerk and now proudly representing us as our City Secretary.





#### LAGUNA VISTA BUSINESS OF THE MONTH



We can never thank our local businesses and sponsors enough!



## Mayors' Monarch Pledge

# **Proclamation**

- WHEREAS, the Town of Laguna Vista has been inspired by a butterfly effect in recovery, rebirth, and transformation; and
- WHEREAS, the monarch butterfly is the iconic North American butterfly species whose migration and metamorphosis has captured the imagination of millions of Americans as a symbol of both hope, change, and transformation; and
- WHEREAS, the monarch butterfly population has plummeted 90 percent in the past 20 years due to widespread destruction of breeding habitat and environmental stress; and
- WHEREAS, South Texas, including Laguna Vista, is a vital breeding ground for the monarch butterfly generation traveling to Mexico; and
- WHEREAS, cities, towns, and counties have a critical role to play in helping to save the monarch butterfly; and
- WHEREAS, every citizen of the Town of Laguna Vista can make a difference for the monarch by planting native milkweed and nectar plants to provide habitat for both the monarch and other pollinators in locations where people live, work, learn, play, and worship.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Michael Carter, Mayor of the Town of Laguna Vista, Texas do hereby proclaim the Town of Laguna Vista will partake in

#### "The Mayor's Monarch Pledge"

And urge all citizens to work together with the city to create a healthy habitat for the monarch butterfly to sustain and strengthen a continuing safe migration through our town.

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the Town of Laguna Vista to be affixed on this 12th day of November 2024.

Michael Carter, Mayor

Attest:

Norma Barbosa, City Secretary



Humans need bats. Worldwide, there are more than 1,400 species of bats—that's almost 20 percent of all mammal species. Bats live almost everywhere on Earth except the most extreme desert and polar regions. So, no matter where you live, it is almost certain that there are bats living near you. Bats are amazing animals that are vital to the health of our environment and economy. Although we may not always see them, bats are hard at work all around the world each night. Most bats in North America eat insects, including moths, beetles, aquatic insects, and flies. A single bat can eat up to its body weight in insects each night. Eating all these insects helps protect our food crops and forests from insect pests, saving farmers and forest managers billions of dollars each year.

#### Consider these fascinating bat facts:

Bats come in all shapes and sizes, from the tiny, adorable bumblebee bat that weighs less than a penny to the big, beautiful flying foxes that can have a wingspan of up to six feet.

Bats are the only mammal that can truly fly (although some other mammals "glide"). A bat's wing is actually a modified hand—similar to yours.

Contrary to popular belief, bats actually have good eyesight (similar to that of humans), but for most species, their main technique for navigating or locating prey is using echolocation (not all species echolocate!): emitting very high- pitched sounds that bounce off obstacles in their path, like trees, other bats, buildings, and food.

main target—delicious insects. Not all bats that echolocate are insectivores!

Bats eat lots of different things. Although almost 70% of bat species feed primarily on insects, some bats are carnivorous, eating meat like rodents, frogs, and fish. Only three species of bats feed on animal blood, with two of these species specializing on bird blood. Many other bats eat pollen, nectar or fruit—these bats are vital for pollinating flowers and spreading seeds that grow new plants and trees.

#### **BATS ARE IMPORTANT**

The Earth without bats would be a very different and much poorer place. There are more than 1,450 species of bats worldwide.

#### **BATS IN YOUR STATE**

Explore the vast array of bat species that reside in the U.S.A and Canada. There are many!

Search our Database

Find out More



# LAGUNA VISTA POLICE

#### MOTTO: COURTESY, SERVICE & PROTECTION



During the month of October 2024, the Laguna Vista Police Department conducted a total of fifty-two traffic stops. Officers issued nineteen waring citations. Additionally, officers issued thirty-three citations to appear before the Municipal Court Judge reference to the traffic violations. Furthermore, officers responded to one hundred and two calls for police service.

#### During this month officers investigated the following:

Five assaults, One aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

Officers are investigating two questionable death investigations.

Officers responded to twenty-four medical calls.

Officers conducted fourteen ordinance violations.

Officers responded to and conducted three traffic accident investigation.

Officers responded to three domestic violence issues.

Officers dealt with a subject who resisted arrest and minimum amount of force was use.

#### **Significant Events:**

- \*One new vehicle for the police department has arrived and we are expecting two more vehicles to arrive this week.
  - \* One new officer was hired and is in training.
  - \* There will be an increase in patrol due to the holiday season upon us.
    - \* LVPD has two continuous ongoing investigations.

Tony David
Chief of Police
Laguna Vista, Texas



**Proposed building** 



# LAGUNA VISTA POLICE

MOTTO: COURTESY, SERVICE & PROTECTION





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**Event Director** 

Laguna Vista
Officer John Leos
represented our
town in the 10th
annual "run with
the heroes" RGV 5k
on Ocotber 12, 2024

# FINISHER CERTIFICATE

Supporting Make a wish John Leos

has completed 10th Annual Run with The Heroes RGV 5k Run/Walk October 12, 2024

27:48

Distance: 5K Run/Walk Overall: 70/372 Gender: 54/174 Age Group: 11/32









## Did you know:

- Laguna Vista is protected solely by volunteer firefighters?
- No prior experience is required we provide all the training!
- You will gain valuable experience and lifelong skills to help prepare you for a career in the fire service

#### Requirements:

- Must be 16 years or older
- Willing to dedicate time for training and emergency calls
- Strong sense of responsibility and community service



# **LVFD October Report**

#### **Service Calls**

The month of October was a busy one! The Laguna Vista Volunteer Fire Dept. responded to a total of forty (40) calls for service, putting us at 349 calls for the calendar year. Thirty-Four EMS calls and six (6) Fire calls (Fire is anything other than EMS). The Fire calls consisted of two (2) Dispatched & Cancelled en route, one (1) motor vehicle accident with no injuries, one (1) motor vehicle accident with injuries, and two (2) Fires.

#### **Station Improvements**

The laundry room was completed by RC Construction. Prior to this project the washer and dryer were in the kitchen area. Upon completion the washer and dryer are out of sight and out of mind, they are located in what was previously used as an EMS supply storage room. Also in process is the engineering of the building extension to be added to the north side of the existing station. Upon completion of the engineered plans the bidding process will open up, followed by construction.

#### **New Software System**

By no choice of our own we are changing our incident reporting software. ESO bought out Emergency Reporting System (ERS) (our current software) and we will be switching over to their platform soon. ERS will no longer support the necessary reporting capabilities for the NERIS (National Emergency Response Information System) system, which is replacing the NFIRS (National Fire Incident Reporting System) system (federal). We will also be changing over from "Active911" to "I Am Responding".

Listed below are a few of the benefits:

- · Google mapping to the scene.
- · Satellite imaging of the exact location of the caller. (not just the address)
- The ability to share pre-fire plans with neighboring jurisdictions (shares both ways), jurisdictions must give consent.
- The ability to share hydrant locations (Google Mapping) with neighboring jurisdictions (with consent).
- · No limit on subscriptions.
- · Mutual Aid response status.
- · Recorded alerts, available for playback at any time.



# Community



October is also a busy time of the year for events. This month fire department members went to several events in Laguna Vista, Laguna Heights and Port Isabel to spread the word and bring smiles to children's faces!! On October the 9th LVVFD went to Beacon Bay's Daycare Center to help educate young children on fire safety. Then, on October 18th the FD was at the Town of Laguna Vista Fall Festival (my favorite) helping out with EMS needs and trying to solicit a few new FD members! On October 25th we all met here at the station for the annual First Responder Appreciation Dinner. I can't express enough how grateful I am that Mrs. Gonzalez takes the time to show her appreciation for the time and effort the LVVFD members sacrifice for their community. On October the 26th we were at the Port Isabel Lighthouse for Spooktacular!! What an evening that was! On October the 30th crews showed up at the Golf Course cart barn for the Golf Course Halloween event. All of the events went very well and were a lot of fun for the guys (and gals) of the fire department.











# Safety Tip of the Month

## **Ladder Safety**



As the cool weather becomes more frequent home projects become more frequent as well, no one wants to do these home projects in 100 plus degree weather! Some of these projects involve the use of ladders, whether they are A-Frame ladders, extension ladders, step ladders or even those fancy Little Giant ladders, they are all ladders and deserve to be respected. So here are a few (lots of) words regarding ladder safety brought to you by LadderFeed.

- 1. Ensure ladder inspection requirements The first thing to do before using a ladder is to inspect for any red flags. You need to check for cracks and splits, rust, corrosion, and bolts that are not in place. Also, check that the rungs are correctly secured to both sides of the ladder. All locks and hinges should be functioning seamlessly before using the ladder. Any damage, no matter how small, is an indication of an unsafe ladder. You should only use the ladder if all the safety requirements are met. Ladder rung spacing is also a matter that requires attention. If you are not comfortable with the rung spacing then avoid using that ladder, it's risky.
- 2. Maintain 4 rules for ladder safety The ladder should maintain a 75-degree angle from the wall. You may know this as the 4:1 ratio or 4 rules for ladder safety. What does this mean? If your ladder is going to be 12 feet high, the distance of the base from the wall should be three feet. You can measure this by standing straight with your toes at the bottom of the ladder. When you stretch out your arms, they should rest on the rungs at your shoulder height without overreaching. We recommend this to maintain ideal ladder angle.
- 3. Maintain the 3-point rules when climbing Always climb the ladder with two hands and one foot on the ladder or two feet and one hand in contact with the ladder. Maintaining contact with the ladder will help you remain steady. Also, keep your weight centered between the rails to avoid toppling over.
- 4. Extend the ladder over the roof If you are planning to clean your gutters or fix the roof using an extension ladder, ensure that the ladder is extended over the roof. Ensure that you extend the ladder at least one meter over the roof. If you are going to climb onto the roof from the ladder, climb from the second-highest rung and not the top rung. Extension ladders are more likely to lead to an accident, so while using an extension ladder you must follow extension ladder safety tips.
- 5. Keep the ladder on a stable footing Although some ladders come with rubber feet to prevent slipping, it's still essential to ensure you are working on a firm footing. It's even more critical when you are working on unstable or uneven ground, such as a muddy or sloppy ground. Set the ladder's feet on a non-slip carpet or plywood board staked to the ground for stability. You can also secure the ladder using unique ladder straps for additional stability or get someone to hold the ladder in place as you use it. Learn more about how to secure a ladder for highest level of safety.
- 6. Cover the top ends of the ladder If you are using an extension ladder to access high walls, remember that it can slide against the wall or siding its placed on. You can tie some old socks or rugs on either side of the ladder to prevent skidding. You can also purchase some rubber covers to put over the ends. Remember that you should never lean your ladder against doors, windows, or any unstable surfaces. Learn more about safe use of ladders.





- 7. Use rubber shoes when climbing a ladder Although some ladders come with non-skid rungs, it's essential to wear rubber shoes for precaution. The rubber shoes add traction to the ladder and keep you from slipping when climbing or using. Ensure that the boots have deep treads for maximum stability. Do not climb a ladder barefoot, with high heels or improper shoes.
- 8. Avoid overreaching Overreaching has got to be the biggest sin in using ladders. Do not use the top three rungs of a ladder unless they are designed for use. It does not matter whether you are using an extension ladder, step ladder or an a-frame. The top rungs of the ladder can lead to accidents due to loss of balance. It's also very risky to improvise using boxes and blocks of wood to create extra height on the ladder. These items can collapse and lead to falls. What we've found during our research is really scary, people try to overreach the heights using a tiny step ladder which is very dangerous, so we want to motivate you to follow step ladder safety tips while using one. But if you really need to get access of top corners of your home or workplace then you need the proper ladder. We have also published a resourceful handy reviews of the 9 best indoor ladder for high places, don't forget to check that out.
- 9. Do not exceed the maximum load rating of the ladder Every ladder comes with a weight rating that determines how much weight the ladder can withstand before collapsing. You need to ensure that your ladder can hold both your weight and the work load, if any. Using a ladder that cannot withstand your weight could cause the ladder to break and cause an accident. Even if you are a feather-weight, a type I (heavy duty) or type ii (medium-duty) ladder is recommended. Avoid light duty ladders at all costs.
- 10. Be informed about the weather before using a ladder It's dangerous to work on a windy or rainy day on the ladder since it causes ladder instability. Severe heat or cold also makes it uncomfortable and hazardous to work on a ladder. Therefore, you need to watch weather forecast before setting a ladder date. A dry, mild, and windless day is ideal for repairing your roof or cleaning the gutters using a ladder. Using a ladder on the soft, muddy, or icy ground can expose the user to extreme danger. It's also advisable to follow portable ladder safety guides while using one because portable ladders are a bit more fragile than others.
- 11. Store the ladder in a safe place it's a part of ladder safety The ladder, whether made of wood, aluminum, or stainless steel, should be stored in a dry place to avoid rusting, corrosion, or any damage. The ladder should be repaired, cleaned, and let to dry appropriately before storage. It's also essential to keep the ladder in a lockable garage as burglars can use it to access your house.

As Always, Thank You for the Opportunity to Serve Stay Safe Out There!

Neil Waters Fire Chief LVVFD







#### THEME: THANKSGIVING BOOK OF THE MONTH:

RASPBERRY DANISH MURDER CHILDREN'S BOOK OF THE MONTH: HOW TO CATCH A TURKEY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 Toddler Story Time 10:30-11:30 Book/movie club 5pm	2
3	4	5 LMCA 2pm	6 Homeschool Group 2pm - 3pm	7 Therapy Dog Storytime 4:30pm	8 Toddler Story Time 10:30-11:30	9
10	11	12 Caregiver's Support Group 10am-11am	13 Homeschool Group 2pm - 3pm Wildfriends Storytime 5pm - 6pm	14	Toddler Story Time 10:30-11:30	16
17	18	19 LMCA 2pm	20 Homeschool Group 2pm - 3pm Nutrition Class 6pm - 7pm	21 Therapy Dog Storytime 4:30pm	22 Toddler Story Time 10:30-11:30	23
24	25	26 Caregiver's Support Group	27 Homeschool Group 2pm - 3pm	28 Closed	29 Closed	30

Group 2pm - 3pm

10am-11am



# December



THEME: CHRISTMAS

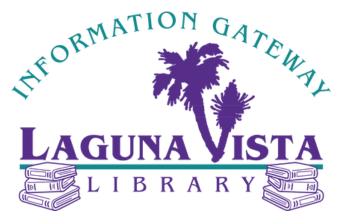
BOOK OF THE MONTH:

CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL "CHRISTMAS COLLECTION"

CHILDREN'S BOOK OF THE MONTH:

**HOW THE GRINCH STOLE CHRISTMAS** 

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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8	9	10 Caregiver's Support Group 10am-11am	11 Homeschool Group 2pm - 3pm Workforce Solutions 2pm	12	13 Toddler Story Time 10:30-11:30	14
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WIFI is available for use in the librarian for more



The Laguna Vista Library will be closed on November 28th & 29th For Thanksgiving.





# Merry Christmas

The Laguna Vista Library will be closed on December 24th & 25th for Christmas.



#### Electronic Resources



#### LibriVox

Public domain recordings of public domain literature. Plays anywhere!



#### TexShare Databases

Login Needed

Includes thousands of full-text magazines and newspapers, WorldCat (35 million library records), Science and Literature databases, on-line encyclopedias, etc.



#### Project Gutenberg

Want 30,000 free ebooks? Download to your own device using PDFs, HTML, epub, Mobipocket and more. Enjoy!



#### Geni

Geni is solving the problem of genealogy and building the definitive online family tree. IN-LIBRARY ONLY for Geni Pro.



#### Libby

Access the library's digital collection of eBooks, downloadable audiobooks, and magazines through OverDrive or Libby.



#### Learning Express

New version! Review skills and prepare for tests.

Check out all the electronic resources available at our Laguna Vista Library. Visit the book catalog to choose one.



ONLINE CATALOG



#### **HOURS**

Monday: Closed

Tuesday: 8:00am - 6:00pm

Wednesday: 10:00am - 8:00pm

Thursday: 8:00am - 6:00pm

Friday: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Saturday: 10:00am - 2:00pm

Sunday: Closed

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY







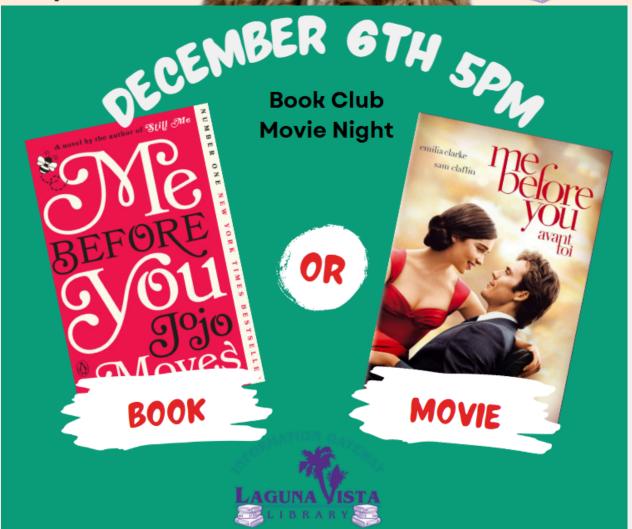
Fridays in December 10:30am - 11:30am













# CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the Month 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Laguna Vista Public Library 1300 Palm Blvd. Laguna Vista, TX. 78578

Here's what to anticipate:

- Opportunity to Share Personal Experiences
- Learn Coping Strategies and Self Care
- First Hand Information on Diseases or Treatments

For Information Contact Dori Moody, Caregiver Specialist (956)505-0437



# BECOME A FRIEND OF THE LAGUNA VISTA LIBRARY

#### MEMBERSHIP ADVANTAGES:

- All donations, whether monetary or in-kind, are tax deductible
- Extended DVD check-out for 5 days
- Free inter-library loans up to 3 per year
- Friends of the Library quarterly newsletter

#### MEMBERSHIP LEVELS:

\_\_\_Individual - \$30/year

\_\_\_Family (2 or more)- \$40/year

\_\_\_Individual Lifetime Membership - \$250 (onetime payment)

\_\_\_Couple lifetime membership - \$400 (onetime payment)

\_\_\_Corporate Gold Sponsor - \$200/year

\_\_\_Corporate Platinum Sponsor - \$500/year

The Friends of the Laguna Vista Library is a registered, nonprofit organization of volunteer members dedicated to providing support to the public library.

### TO JOIN:



Scan for Membership Form OR stop by the Library

The mission of the Friends of the Laguna Vista Library is to support the Laguna Vista Public Library in its effort to provide access to information for lifelong learning. The Friends organization is independent of the City of Laguna Vista.

libraryfriendslv@gmail.com



Every Saturday 8:00am - 12:00pm (or until truck is full) Roloff Park



#### ACCEPTABLE & UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

Brush Acceptable Items	Bulky Items Acceptable Items	ns Items Not Collected Under Brush/Bulky Service	
Tree Limbs	Furniture	Tires	Liquids
Shrubs	Sofa	Construction material	Hazardous materials
Grass (must be bagged)	Table	Demolition	Block / brick
Leaves (must be bagged)	Chairs	Roof shingles	Dirt
	Mattress	Corrugated metal	Car parts
	Washer / Dryer	Sheet rock	Household garbage
	Water heater	Concrete / asphalt	Batteries
	Stove	Lumber	Items containing Freon
		Cardboard boxes	
IMPORTANT NOTE: Items containing Freon such as refrigerators, freezers, or a/c units must have the Freon removed by an authorized facility and be labeled with a decal from that facility indicating that it has been removed.		,	cceptable under brush / bulky items. mers Service for all disposal needs.

#### BRUSH/BULKY ITEM COLLECTION SCHEDULE

2024			
Jan 15 - Jan 19	May 20 - May 24	Sep 16 - Sep 20	
Feb 19 - Feb 23	Jun 17 - Jun 21	Oct 21 - Oct 25	
Mar 18 - Mar 22	July 15 - July 19	Nov 18 - Nov 22	
Apr 15 - April 19	Aug 19 - Aug 23	Dec 16 - Dec 20	

Important Note: Please be sure to have your brush/bulky items at the curb and ready for pick-up PRIOR to your scheduled week listed below. Truck will only make one pass and cannot return for late set outs. If we have serviced your area, please do not set out any late brush/bulky items. They will not be serviced until following month!

#### IMPORTANT SERVICE GUIDELINES

Please do not place items within 6 feet of any obstacles such as gas or water meters, telephone service boxes, overhead wires of any kind, parked cars, building overhangs, etc... In order to help achieve recycling goals please place your brush and bulky items in separate piles.

We greatly appreciate your cooperation in helping us keep the City of Laguna Vista as beautiful as it can be! If you have any questions or service concerns please contact Republic Services customer service at 1-800-423-7316.





#### Recycling Program Laguna Vista Proof of Residency

If you live and/or own property in Laguna Vista, you are eligible to use our weekly recycling services.

A recycling truck is available every Saturday at Roloff Park from 8:00am – 12:00pm (or whenever the truck gets full – so we suggest coming early).

Beginning **November 1**, **2024** only vehicles with a proof of residency sticker will be permitted to drop off their recycling at the Laguna Vista recycle location.

#### Two (2) stickers will be provided per household/business.

Proof of Residency forms can be obtained from our website (HERE) or at City Hall. You will need the following items to complete the form:

#### RESIDENT/LOCAL BUSINESS:

- Drivers License/Passport (cannot be expired);
- 2) A current utility bill or copy of rental lease as proof of residency; and
- License plate number, make, model and color of each vehicle.

Proof of Residency Stickers will be issued within 7 days of form submission.

There is no cost for the stickers; however, as noted above, without the sticker you will NOT be permitted to drop off your recycling AFTER November 1, 2024.

For questions please call (956) 943-1793 or send us an email at info@lvtexas.us.

# UPCOMING EVENTS



The Town of Laguna Vista City Hall and Library will be closed on the following Holidays

November 28-29 Thanksgiving December 23-25 Christmas



# 2024 BELL RINGERS NEEDED Give the gift of your time to help others this

holiday season!



The Salvation Army Red Kettle Campaign is the annual charitable fundraiser in the Laguna Madre.

100% of all funds raised will remain within the Laguna Madre community to support yearround to local families in need.



Sign up to ring anytime between Saturday, November 16, 2024 through December 24, 2024 by scanning the QR code or contacting Olga Vega Carter (956)433-6291 or Julie Gaucin (936)414-8991

Or sign up at this link: https://direct.me/salvationarmy Link also available on Facebook at The Salvation Army of Port Isabel THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE SALVATION ARMY!





# SPIGCC MARKET DAYS 1ST AND 3RD TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH 4PM - 6PM SPI GOLF CLUB



Monthly
Birding
adventures and
lessons themed
with the seasons!







Join the club!! ages 9-15

## \$100 a year

includes year pass to the birding center, 15% discount to our gift shop, and other goodies or \$10 per session

Register at spibirding.org/LLMYBC

## Fall 2024 Schedule 9am-11:30am

- Aug 31st Shorebirds
- Sept 28th Migration
- · Oct 26th- Raptors
- · Nov 23rd- Waterfowl
- Dec 21st Winter Birds









# Coffee with the Birds

Everyday 9 am to 11 am

Serving Tree Frog Coffee

locally roasted in Bayview, Texas

Eco-friendly







Open 7 days a week 8am - 5pm
Free Admission
10 acres of Native Interpretive Exhibits
Educational Lab
Look our board walk

#### STEC Upcoming Events 2024

Sept 10: Rio Grande Chapter TMN Meeting 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Sept 21 STEC Market Day 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

October 27: Participating with the SPI Birding Center Monarch Festival. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

October 31: STEC Halloween Festival 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

November 11 & 12: Participating with an educational booth at the Worlds Birding Festival Harlingen.

December 7: STEC Christmas Event 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Free

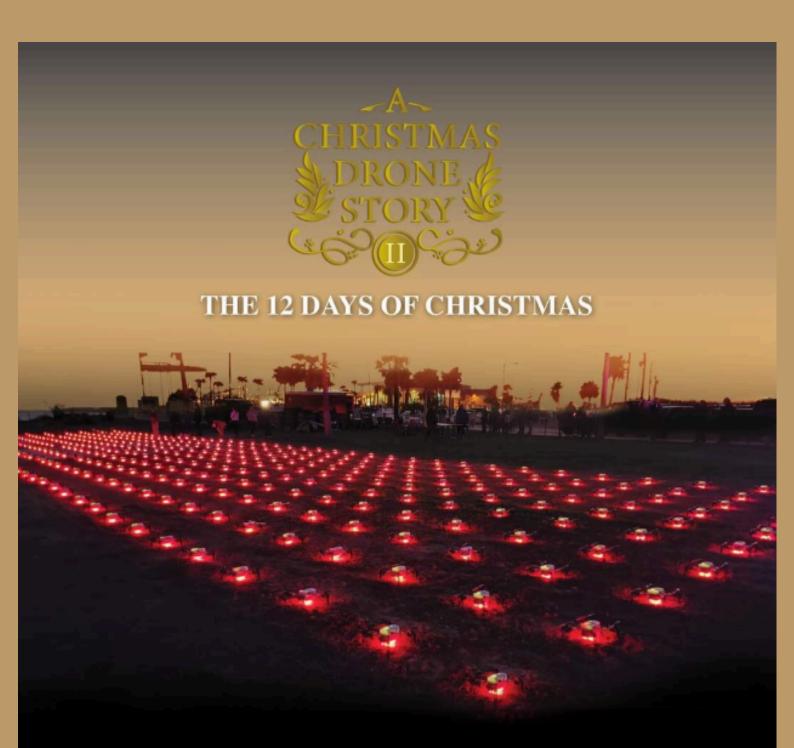


## FREE CLASSES

MARTHA CAMPOS

CERTIFIED EXCERCISE INSTRUCTOR





A Christmas Drone Story II: The 12 Days Of Christmas takes place Saturday, December 7, 2024, on South Padre Island. This historic show features a live performance of the Valley Symphony Orchestra Quintet and Chorale's 2024 Holiday Program. The VSO's concert will consist of holiday favorites including a rendition of the classic Christmas song "12 Days of Christmas", synchronized to mesmerizing drone animations of the twelve days.







