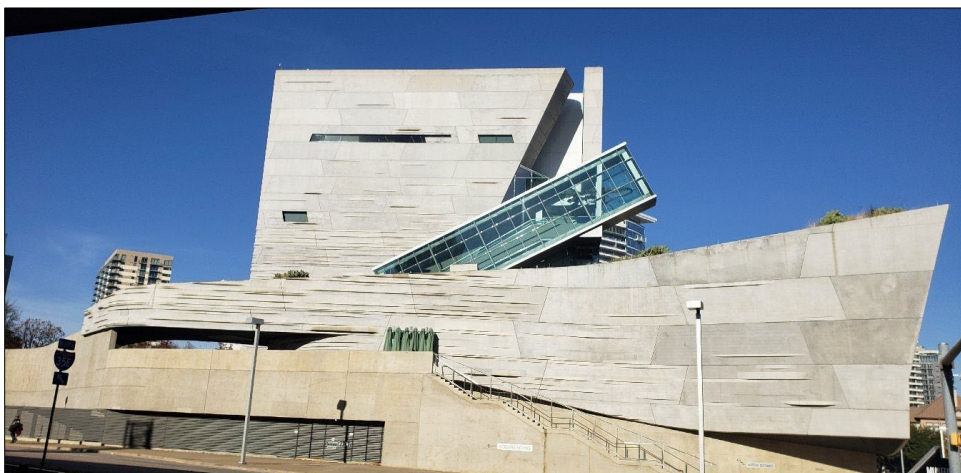


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TIAA Annual Meeting May 8 at Perot Museum

All TIAA members and a guest are invited to join us for the TIAA Annual Meeting being held at Perot Museum of Nature and Science, 2201 N Field St, Dallas, TX 752018, from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. Refreshments will be provided, and buses will run at 12:30 pm from the Texins Fitness Center on the Expressway Site. Parking will be available near the Perot for



those who wish to drive. Note that there is a charge for parking. The Chief Executive Office of the Perot Museum will be our featured speaker. Mark your calendar and don't miss this opportunity to see the exhibits and learn about exciting plans for future events at the museum. Admission and bus transportation are all free with your TI badge or copy of this eNews. Please [register online](#) for the event or send an email to admin@tialumni.org or call the TIAA office at 214-567-8444, with your name and name of anyone attending with you and let us know if you plan to ride the bus or drive. At the meeting, the Nominating Committee will submit the following names for a vote by TIAA members for the term July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020: President – Debi Heaton; Executive VP – Margaret Breedjik; Treasurer – Shyamal Parikh; and Secretary – Kate Rose. The nominees for President, Executive VP and Secretary currently serve these roles and have agreed to serve another term.



Shyamal Parikh, the nominee for Treasurer, joined TI in 1980 after getting an MBA from the University of California, Los Angeles. He started his career as an analyst in the MOS Memory business, with progressive assignments in Accounting, Finance and Operations. He left TI in 2004 as the VP of Financial Planning. After leaving TI, he joined a private equity held technology company, Ocular LCD, as CFO. He then went on to work at Glazer's Distributors, from where he retired in 2018. He currently runs a consulting practice, Glendora Ventures, with a former TI colleague.

TIAA/TI Golf Tournament

The TI Alumni Association/TI Golf Tournament, in support of TI's United Way Campaign, attracted 100 golfers for the 20th-annual event at the Woodbridge Golf Club on April 8 in Wylie and raised \$36,585 in donations and pledges. Contributions will benefit two worthwhile nonprofits – The Senior Source and United Way. TI and the Texans Credit Union were underwriters for the tournament, making it possible for 100 percent of the donations to go directly to the agencies. Since its beginning in the year 2000, the tournament has raised more than \$400,000 for charity.

TIAA Community Involvement

April Community Involvement Recap: *On April 2, TIAA members joined numerous volunteer organizations supporting The Senior Source to be recognized by the Dallas County Commissioner's Court on the annual National Day of Service. Judge Clay Jenkins and the four Commissioners read a proclamation thanking The Senior Source for organizing ongoing volunteer events throughout the Metroplex and thanked the numerous volunteers represented at the ceremony for all that they do throughout the year.*



On April 9, six TIAA volunteers went to the Crossroads Community Services facility. While touring the facility we learned it is 75,000 square feet, about 15 times larger than the old facility. They distributed about 2.25 million pounds of food in 2018 and plan to distribute about 3 times that amount in 2019 to 100 other organization who will then distribute the food to the Dallas area including Ellis and Navarro counties. After the tour, we helped clients load grocery carts with a week's worth of food – canned vegetables, produce, frozen meats and fruits, and boxed items – everything it takes to prepare nourishing meals for the client's family – even complete with recipes.

On April 23, more than 20 TIAA volunteers joined together to pack food boxes for needy senior citizens at the new location of the North Texas Food Bank in Plano. At the end of the project, five pallets of boxes were assembled, with enough food for more than 3,600 meals. This opportunity was arranged by TI in connection with the annual TI United Way Campaign and included a chance to tour the very impressive new 230,000 sq. ft. facility of the NTFB, completed in 2018. After the project, Trisha Cunningham, TI retiree, and now CEO of the food bank, gave an overview of the 12-county impact of their operations and thanked the volunteers for their efforts.



May 13, Network of Community Ministries – Monday, 2:30 pm. Network of Community Ministries, based in Richardson, is a non-denominational, community-based organization and provides emergency services, dental services to adolescents and children and services for seniors. Volunteers for this event will stock food shelves with canned and dry goods obtained from the US Postal Service's food donation collection scheduled each year in mid-May. Please join us at Network of Community Ministries' warehouse located at 741 South Sherman St., Richardson, TX. at 2:30 pm. We will not have transportation for this event as it is located only approximately one mile north of the TI Expressway site. Please [register online](#) for this event.

May 18 TIAA Team Race for The Cure – Saturday, 4:45 – 9:45 am. Join our team and help raise \$10,000 to end breast cancer forever! The North Texas Race for the Cure will take place at the STAR facility, 0 Cowboys Way, Frisco. Let's help TI win the largest corporate fundraising team at this annual event and prove that TIAA is **More Than Pink™** in the fight against breast cancer. Schedule is: (times subject to change): 4:45 am - Volunteer Check-In Opens. 6:00 am - Race Day Registration Opens. 7:30 am - Survivor Photo. 7:45 am - Race Day Registration Closes. 8:00 am - 1-Mile Family Fun Run. 8:15 am - Competitive/Timed 5K. 8:20 am - Casual Run/Walk 5K. 9:30 am - 50-yard Kids Dash. 9:45 am – Promise Parade & Awards Ceremony. Click [here](#) for more information or to register.

TIAA Travel and Events

April Travel and Events Recap: *On April 16, nineteen people went on a private, 90-minute tour to see 74 exotic cats (plus two Lemurs with their long, beautiful tails). The weather was cool and cloudy,*



and the lions "sang" to us all morning long in their deep, bass voices. This organization is a big family in every way and run mainly by about 40 volunteers with soft hearts for animals. It has been rescuing abused, neglected and abandoned exotic felines since 1991 and recently rescued three, white lions who were confiscated from a facility by federal authorities, all of whom were emaciated and ill, but you can't tell that now! They spay all females so there are no baby kitties but leave the males intact, so they can maintain their

luxurious manes. It takes about four hours and 240 pounds of meat a day to prepare everyone's food, and the sanctuary depends completely on private donations. Our guide told us that big cats (once they are comfortable and used to getting fed every day) are as finicky as our little domestic cats! Some like one kind of meat and some another; some like it ground and some prefer chunks. If it's not prepared the way they like it, they simply won't eat it until the staff gets it right. And speaking of getting it right, we certainly enjoyed a delicious lunch at the Ballard Street Cafe in Wylie before returning to TI around 2:00 pm. Please join us on one of our many adventures.

May 6, Sal Lozano Concert - Monday 7:00 pm. Sal Lozano will join us and the Lovejoy High School Jazz Band for a double-header concert. Proceeds will go to the Lovejoy Band Booster Club. You might not recognize the name Sal Lozano, but you have heard him. He plays with Gordon Goodwin's critically

acclaimed Grammy Award Winning Big Phat Band. A few of the artists Sal has also recorded with include Paul McCartney, Natalie Cole, John Legend, Christina Aguilera, Lady Gaga, Stevie Wonder, Lalo Schiffrin, Brian McKnight, Michael Bublé, Keely Smith, Barbra Streisand, Joey DeFrancesco, and Maynard Ferguson. Sal has been a member of the Dancing with the Stars House Band, the American Idol House Band, and the Academy Awards Orchestra along with numerous other television and commercial credits. He can be heard on numerous movie soundtracks including *Incredibles 2*, *Straight Outta Compton*, *Lala Land*, *Sing*, *Joy*, *The Secret Life of Pets*, *Joy*, *Ice Age 5*, *National Treasure*, *Legally Blonde*, *Phineas and Ferb* the last three *Star Trek* movies and Disney's *Beauty and the Beast*, to name a few. Sal is also a clinician for Disney's Performing Arts Workshops at the Disneyland Resort in Anaheim, CA as well as Disney's All American College Band at Disneyland. Purchase tickets [here](#).

May 21, Texas Motor Speedway Tour – Tuesday, 9:30 am. Tour one of the world's largest entertainment facilities, Texas Motor Speedway, by joining TIAA members and guests. Bring your phone/camera for numerous photo opportunities, (selfies are not required but are encouraged.) Speedway tours will have several pit stops: gift shop (of course), a luxury suite, victory lane, and pit road. These will be followed by track laps of the 1.5-mile racing oval in their tour van (laps are subject to weather conditions and scheduling.) We will enjoy lunch at Red Robin (on our own) after the tour. Member's price is \$12 and \$14 for non-members. We will return about 2:30 pm. Please [register online](#) soon as seats are limited.



TIAA Breakfast

May 17, Friday, 9:30 am. All TI retirees, TIAA members and their spouses are invited to this informal get-together for breakfast at the Southern Recipes Grill, 621 W. Plano Parkway. We meet the third



Friday of every month to enjoy a cozy breakfast with old and new friends. You will find fresh food, great service, reasonable prices, and good conversation. Registration is not required as we can always pull up another table or two, so just show up and bring a friend if you like. From North Central Expressway, turn West on Plano Parkway, cross the bridge and then turn north into The Village at Collin Creek. The restaurant will be to your left. We now meet on the southern side of the restaurant. If you have any questions, please contact Jon Campbell,

jonscampbell@gmail.com or 214-507-1500.

Next TIAA Breakfast: June 21, Friday, 9:30 am

New and Renewing Members

Recently Lois Mansfield, Dan Mosher, Kathy Mosher, Dee Schultz and Dick Schultz became lifetime members and Nancy LaVerde, Steve LaVerde, Pam Preskitt and Randy Preskitt became new members. Robert Beck, Marilyn Burgess, Michael Burgess, John Connor, Bob Cox, Mary Early, Paul

Early, Barbara Errickson, Vince Felchle, Linda Ferrio, Carl Golden, Margaret Golden, John Griffith, Richard Hamrick, Sarah Hamrick, Patricia Hayes, Hanns Hirschberg, Glen Johnson, Burrell Ketcham, Linda Ketcham, Doug Knabe, Pat Knabe, Sylvia Kuehler, Charles L'Herisson, Donald Lockley, Steven Marum, George Nado, Neal Okerblom, Patricia Okerblom, Peggy Pharr, Connie Phennel, Michael Phennel, Tarek Radjef, Don Reed, Bill Ryan, Earl Sandberg, Louise Sandberg, Beverly Schmedthorst, Smitty Schmedthorst, Joe Sulc, Charlotte VanDeCarr, Don VanDeCarr, Joyce Vermillion and Delores Womack renewed their memberships. Welcome to all.

TI Retire Badge

A TI retiree badge is required on many of our activities; so, if you need a replacement badge, you can obtain one by calling HR at 1-888-660-1411. HR will verify that you are a retiree and forward the information to the TI Badge Room, who will prepare a replacement badge and mail it to your home address. Within a few days. If you prefer to pick it up, you will need to request directions to the TI Badge Room from the guards at the TI entrance.

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