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New Officers to be Elected at TIAA Annual Meeting on May 26

As called for in TIAA's Bylaws, a Nominating Committee has recommended the following TIAA members for election for the upcoming fiscal year from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017: Gary Stopani, President; Greg Boydston, Executive Vice President, Kate Newman, Treasurer; and Dorothy McAllister, Secretary. All have agreed to serve if elected. Current President, Larry



James, is term limited and therefore cannot stand for reelection. Nominations from the floor will be accepted prior to the vote at the meeting at RFAB, TI's wafer fab facility in Richardson. The meeting will begin at 1:30 pm with a reception and refreshments in RFAB's new conference center. The business meeting will begin at 2:00 pm, followed by comments from Tom Weichel, Manager of RFAB, who will also give a brief update on TI. After his presentation, attendees will be treated to a special video presentation by Sharon Hudgens, which explains the buildup of the facility and its importance to TI. Following the presentations, there will be optional tours of the viewing hall of RFAB production, and displays in the Innovation Center. Please click [here](#) to register by May 19; late registrants may experience delays in obtaining visitor badges.

TIAA Website

Our "new" website isn't so new anymore; it has been three years since we launched it. At the last meeting, The Executive Committee discussed how the website might be improved. What would you like to see that is not already there? What would you change about the things already on the website? We can't guarantee that your wishes will be granted because of financial or physical restraints. However, we would like to have the opportunity to understand what our members are thinking, so please send your suggestions to our office by clicking [here](#) and expressing your ideas.

New Car Show at Texans Credit Union on May 6

Texans Credit Union has invited TIAA members to their 2016 Spring Dealer Car Show at their main office at 777 E. Campbell Road in Richardson from 4:00 to 7:00 pm on Friday, May 6. Live Music will be provided by the **TI Jazz Band**. Cars will be shown by the following dealers: Lute Riley Honda, Ray Huffhines Chevrolet, North Central Ford, Richardson Motor Sport, Park Place Lexus, Subaru of Plano, PM Standley Motorcars and Toyota of Richardson. An auto buying seminar will be held at 4:30, 5:30 and 6:30 pm. There will be free food, a bounce house for kids and games with prizes.

TIAA Travel Events

April Travel Recap: *The azaleas were in full bloom, everything was green and lush and the Bed & Breakfast was only a few blocks from downtown Jefferson as 12 TIAA members traveled to East Texas for a few days. We drove our own cars to Jefferson but did a lot of walking around outside in the beautiful spring weather. The B&B had wonderful breakfasts plus a wine hour every afternoon. Caddo Lake was like another world and cruising around the Cypress Bayou and listening to the Captain discuss this area was very interesting. There was a lot of talking and laughing as we gathered around the "campfire" (the open area of the B&B) before dinner each night. Before we left we had an open discussion and everyone expressed their opinion of this overnight trip experience. It was unanimous that all had a delightful time, enjoyed being with other TIAA members, want to do it again and offered some places that might be nice to visit together. A [slideshow](#) of this trip is available on our website. Please consider joining us for one of our upcoming events.*



May 11, TX Rangers Baseball Game – Wednesday, 11:30 am. Texas Rangers v. Chicago White Sox Game, Arlington – Let's go support our team as they work toward winning the World Series with the MLB Coach of the Year in charge and some new players. We'll sit in the Upper Reserved section looking right down the third base line and enjoy the great view in this stadium which is considered to be one of the best baseball stadiums in the nation. We will leave at 11:30, grab something to eat and drink at our own expense (this is a \$1 Hot Dog Day) at one of the many ball park vendors, enjoy the game and return around 4:30 pm. Cost is \$25 for members and \$28 for nonmembers. Reserved seats are in a covered section of the stadium. Please [register](#) online early as we were only able to buy 20 tickets.



Community Involvement Events

April CIT Recap: *Five TIAA volunteers arrived at the Legacy at Preston Hollow Retirement Center on April 14 to assist the residents during their activity period. We hosted a room filled with cheerful folks in a game of "Bingo". Our volunteers helped the ladies and gentlemen fill out their Bingo cards and yelled "Bingo" when a card was a winner. We handed out gifts to each winner and everyone was a*

winner by the end of the morning's activity. The attendees were very happy to have had us help them through the morning's activities and welcomed us back in the future.

May 5, Texas Ramps – Thursday, 8:30 am to 1:30 pm, various locations assigned day of event. Texas Ramps builds wheel chair ramps for elderly and disabled people who can't afford them on their own. In October, the organization celebrated completing their 10,000th ramp. Please join us at the Texins Activity Center to board a Senior Source bus at 8:30 am. Volunteers will assist in the construction of a custom-made ramp – no construction skills required! Afterwards, we will have lunch at a local restaurant (at our own expense) and arrive back to the Texins Activity Center by 1:30 pm. Please [register](#) online for this event.



May 16, Network of Community Ministries – Monday, 9:30 am - noon. We will meet at 741 Sherman St, Richardson to stock food shelves with canned and dry goods donated by the US Postal Service's collection. Lunch (at our own expense) will be at a local restaurant. Please [register](#) online for this event.

June 8, SMU Mock Trials – Wednesday, 7:30 am to 2:30 pm. We will board a Senior Source bus at Texins Activity Center to go to the SMU Dedman School of Law to act as jurors and provide feedback to the attorneys who will be acting as judge, lawyers and witnesses. You will be paid \$10 for your time as well as breakfast and lunch. You are also welcome to return on Thursday; however this will be on your own. Free parking will be in the Hillcrest and Daniel Avenue parking lot. Please [register](#) online for this event.

Educational Seminars

May 17, Tuesday, "Managing the Cost of Your Prescriptions" and "Diabetes Wellness" 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. Join us as we explore two dynamic topics: Sherry Davidson, RN Diabetes Coordinator at Baylor will discuss healthy lifestyle goals to prevent and manage diabetes. Natalie Mangham and Carl Burlbaw, Eldercare Specialists from the Senior Source, will offer suggestions and ideas on the options available to reduce your prescription costs. This information can be useful to seniors who have insurance beyond Medicare, and to those who don't. Please [register](#) online for this event.



Editors Note

In addition to the fellowship enjoyed by being a member of the TI Alumni Association, one gets to enjoy travel trips, sites around the Dallas/Ft. Worth area and helping various organizations by volunteering. A highlight for me this year was seeing the wonderful musical Show Boat playing at the Winspear Opera House while it was simulcast at the AT&T Center. This was the fourth year Winspear and the Jones family have sponsored simulcasting an opera and it was announced they would do it

again next year. For me, it was wonderful learning what goes on behind the scenes, listening to people explaining what it takes to put on such a show and seeing the cast up close and personal on the massive screen at the AT&T Center. The price was right (free) and parking convenient. Hopefully you will join TIAA members in this opportunity next year as well as all the opportunities coming up this year. Check out our website for information.

TIAA Breakfast Meeting

May 20, Friday, 9:30 am. All TI retirees, TIAA members and their spouses are invited to this informal get-together for breakfast at the Southern Recipe Grill, 621 W. Plano Pkwy. We meet 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, so just show up and bring a friend if you like. From North Central Expy, turn West on Plano Pkwy, cross the bridge and turn North into The Village at Collin Creek. The restaurant will be to your left. If you have any questions, contact Jon Campbell, jonscampbell@gmail.com or 214-507-1500.



Next TIAA Breakfast: June 17, Friday, 9:30 am.

New and Renewing Members

Recently Gerald Shoults became a member of TIAA. Kathlyn Auten, Oma Keel, Andrew Marshall, Steve McQuay, Mary Reed, Thomas Reed, Barbara Stevenson became lifetime members. Shirley Adams, Beverly Allen, Helen Bagby, Roy Bagby, Robert Berry, Paul Bowen, Shirley Bowen, Sharon Braby, Andrew Broiles, Beverly Brown, June Bryant, Wanda Buck, Dorothy Busby, Nelda Caler, Cecil Campbell, Johnnie Campbell, Betty Chambliss, Eveline Corbin, Angela Coronado, Dee Coronado, Edward Dardaganian, Paula Dardaganian, Elmer Elkins, Leonard Foster, Susan Foster, Patsy Fuller, Gertie Gaines, Glenn Gaines, Beatrice Gallaher, Albert Goats, Michael Goidl, Charlie Gonsalves, Cindy Gonsalves, Molly Gunter, William Holton, Lue Horn, Evelyn House, Mary Johnson-Corbin, Patricia Kannenberg, Sylvia Kuehler, Linda Kyprios, Johnnie Levels, Frank Macaluso, Harvey Mattison, Bruce Merritt, Judi Mikulas, Cleophus Miller, Ralph Monroe, Janell Moore, Carlene Morrow, Charles Morrow, Gene Needham, David O'Connor, Christopher Ondeck, Doris Ondeck, Beverly Overby, Hellene Parks, S. Perl, Jim Polozeck, Jeff Pope, Jack Pridgen, Gary Rado, Janet Rado, Don Reed, Warnie Reese, Bruce Robidou, Lucy Salas, Diana Semon, William Sonia, Phil Stephens, Glen Thornton, Clifford Way, Anne Whiteman, Paul Whiteman, Charles Wicker, Emillee Wicker, John Wiley and Dale Williams renewed their memberships. Welcome all.

In Memoriam

We add new names and obituaries of former Tlers to our new website several times a week and currently have over 11,000 entries. To view the names, members can go to [In Memoriam](#) and click on Date so the most recent deaths will be displayed first. You can also sort the list by **City** or **State** or use the **Find** function to locate a particular person. Or members can go to [Recent Obituaries](#) to read those for the preceding year in date sequence

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