



ViperByte for October 11th, 2017



CONGRATULATIONS on a very successful day of performance at the Bands Of America Houston Regional Competition. The Viper Band was named the Class 4A Champion in the prelims competition as well as receiving awards for Outstanding Music and Outstanding Visual.

The band advanced to the Championship Finals competition where they won First Place and received awards for Outstanding Music and Outstanding General Effect. This is only the second time in school history for the band to win a BOA Regional. The students have worked very hard and I'm so happy that they were rewarded for it.....they deserve it!

The students' performance in the Finals last night was exceptional. It's amazing what our students can do! Results from last night's finals competition are as follows:

Bands of America Houston Regional Championship Finals

1. VANDEGRIFT HS - Austin, TX
2. Ronald Reagan HS - San Antonio, TX
3. Leander HS - Leander, TX
4. James Bowie HS - Austin, TX
5. The Woodlands HS - The Woodlands, TX
6. Hendrickson HS - Pflugerville, TX
7. Round Rock HS - Round Rock, TX
8. Cy-Fair HS - Cypress, TX
9. Winston Churchill HS - San Antonio, TX
10. Clear Brook HS - Friendswood, TX

Finals Outstanding Music - Vandegrift HS
 Finals Outstanding Visual - Ronald Reagan HS
 Finals Outstanding General Effect - Vandegrift HS



Lady Viper Volleyball avenged their earlier district loss beating Hays in 3 games to advance to 6-2 in district play!



Lady Vipers X-country won district and Boys took 2nd! Both teams advance to regionals!

Team Tennis beat perennial powerhouse Westlake and will play Lake Travis today for the District title at Lake Travis High School.



IT'S TIME TO GET MUDDY

THE 2017 MUDSTACLE will be muddier than ever! Register early to get the best rate and select your school team to help them win a cash prize!

Time to dig out those old running shoes and climb, crawl and run through the mud!

The ever-popular and growing event offers runners (and most walkers) the opportunity to put their coordination skills to the test, with waves of various lengths (1M, 2.5K and 5K) and obstacle difficulties.

Come early and stay late to enjoy food booths, interactive kid zone and give-aways from local businesses!

Funds raised through this event will support and expand LEEF programs like innovative teaching grants, textbook scholarships for dual credit students, free children's books and college readiness initiatives.

5TH ANNUAL LEEF MUDSTACLE

SATURDAY, OCT. 14 @ 8:30 A.M. FAMILY FUN RUN 2017
VISTA RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL

FOR RACE INFO AND REGISTRATION VISIT **LEEFTX.ORG**

presented by **CEDAR PARK**

The Leander ISD Educational Excellence Foundation (LEEF) is a 501(c)(3) founded in 2007 and dedicated to improving academic outcomes for all students in LISD. LEEF's main program initiatives include early literacy efforts, enriching great teaching and building a college- and career-ready culture among all students.

This flyer has been approved for distribution by LEEF and LISD.

2017 Mudstacle: Help our school win a cash prize while getting muddy?! Register for the 2017 LEEF Mudstacle! With waves that offer varying lengths and obstacle difficulties, the LEEF Mudstacle has something to challenge every member of the family. Come early and stay late to enjoy the food booths, give-aways from local businesses and an interactive kid zone featuring a Home Depot workshop and more!

When: October 14th @ 8:30 am

Where: Vista Ridge High School

Remember to choose our school's team to help us win a cash prize!

<http://leeflx.org/mudstacle/>

Substitute Teachers Needed



Leander ISD is hosting a Substitute Teacher orientation at Canyon Ridge Middle School on September 1st. Please consider applying to be a substitute for our schools. For more information, please read the attached flyer for how to apply.

[Substitute Recruitment Flyer](#)



Join VHS AND VRHS in the Fight Against Breast Cancer!

Come out and celebrate the **2017 VHS PINK OUT** at the Vandegrift -vs-Vista Ridge varsity football game Friday, October 20th at Monroe Stadium! Vipers and Rangers are “Tougher Than Cancer-Stronger Together!” This will be a big game for a big cause! Help raised funds benefitting the American Cancer Society’s Breast Cancer Research at the Annual Pink Out by making a cash donation at “Pass the Bucket” during halftime! **Donate for the Cure Challenge!** Ever wanted to shoot the T-shirt gun? Now’s your chance--and for a good cause! Thank you to ESTEC Solutions for donating the Pink Out t-shirts; 100% of funds raised will go to the American Cancer Society’s breast cancer research.

- \$10 donation only
- \$20 donation to shoot a shirt into the crowd
- \$40 donation to shoot one shirt and keep one shirt for yourself
- \$50 donation to shoot the Mighty Fine “Big Gatling Gun”

[Click here to sign up for “DONATE FOR THE CURE” Challenge](#)

Want to shoot the Mighty Fine "Big Gatling Gun" (12 shirts a pop) as seen at the U.T. Football games? A \$50 donation will get you the chance to go big! Mighty Fine is partnering with us by offering this Texas-sized option in the fight against breast cancer!

[Click Here to see it in action:](#)



Important Dates

4/13/18 Relay for Life & Faculty/Student BB Game

2/10/18 VNEF Gala

4/20/18 Valor Day (on Friday since 4/21 is on Saturday)

5/19/18 VHS Prom

5/23/18 VHS Senior Awards (10am)

5/24/18 Spring Football Game & Thursday Night Bites

6/7/18 Senior Breakfast and Grad Rehearsal

6/8/18 VHS Graduation at Cedar Park Center (8pm)

Please remember that we post our video and written announcements daily on our school website. Please be sure to check the announcements for up-to-date daily information that is important to your student. The link can be found under “Quick Links” and “Announcements/Media” on the left menu of the main VHS webpage. Also, please see the website to follow us on Twitter.