

Get your Sugar Shindig Tickets!



Don't miss out on securing your Sugar Shindig tickets! The window for ticket sales closes Friday, October 10, prior to FBISD's Fall Holiday! Tell your adult friends and neighbors, and purchase your tickets before it's too late. For tickets, go to <https://bit.ly/2025sugarshindig>.

The night of Sugar Shindig (Friday, October 24), dress in your favorite costume or casual clothing (including jeans) and join us at Safari Texas (11627 FM 1464 Richmond, TX 77407) for a casual, high-energy, adults-only evening among friends and colleagues. Guests will have a deliciously sweet time as they enjoy a tasty fajita dinner, a cake auction featuring delectable cakes from local bakers, live music by Password and dancing the night away! Clock out and join us as we cut loose and fundraise for our Grants to Teachers and Schools programs.



Save the Date: March 7, 2026 for our Hollywood Nights Gala!

Mark your calendars for Saturday, March 7, 2026 and make plans to join us for our "Hollywood Nights: Where Glamour Meets Giving Under the Spotlight" Gala!

Gena Horak and Mindy Cabble are co-chairs of the gala. At the Gala Committee Chair Meet & Greet, Horak and FBEF Executive Director Hillary Dunn unveiled the theme on behalf of the co-chairs.

Sponsorship opportunities are currently available at <https://bit.ly/2026Gala>. We can't wait to roll out the red carpet for an unforgettable evening!



FBEF Golf Tournament a Success!

We gained record-breaking results from our Back to School Scramble Golf Tournament this year, thanks to all of our sponsors and supporters! Because of you, the tournament raised \$150,676, making it the highest amount ever in the tournament's history! We can't wait to do it all again next year!

You're invited to join our FBEF Auxiliary Volunteer Team!

Would you like to lend your time and talents to supporting the Fort Bend Education Foundation as we plan fundraising events? If so, we invite you to join our Auxiliary Volunteer Team! To get started, complete the Volunteer Interest Form at <https://bit.ly/3PDGWH7>.



GRANTS IN ACTION

spotlighting Madden Elementary and Sartartia Middle Schools

Madden Elementary's "Let's make a POINT to start Strong in Letter Formation"

Madden Elementary kindergarteners are learning proper letter formation thanks to teacher Ruth Schmalz! With a \$1,449 FBEF grant, she ordered sets of Trace & Write magnetic boards for students to use in the classroom literacy stations. Students place an activity card, showing an upper- or lower-case letter, on the left side of the board and trace the letter with their finger. They then use the stylus to write the letter on the board's writing surface. They can erase the letter and practice repeatedly before moving on to the next activity card. The students enjoy working independently while strengthening their literacy skills

Sartartia' Middle School's "Stepping Up Our Math Game with Equivalent Fractions, Decimals, and Percents"

Learning has become more visible and accessible to everyone at Sartartia Middle School. With her FBEF grant, teacher Cynthia Hitchcock purchased and placed 14 vinyl decals on the risers of steps in one of the school's stairwells. Each decal includes a benchmark fraction, decimal, and percent equivalent, along with a visual model. (For example: $0.25 = 25\% = 1/4$. The graphics include a quarter, a 25% charged battery and $1/4$ of a circle shaded in.) Seeing visuals each day helps students transfer the basic facts from short-term to long-term memory, while emphasizing the importance of math.

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SAT BOOTCAMPS

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goldfish swim school

BACK TO SCHOOL, BACK TO POOL!

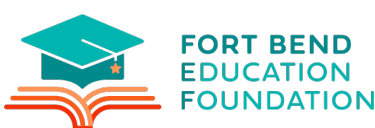
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