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May 2023



Would you like to learn how to express your commitment to the goals of The Arc of Fort Bend County? You could do this through a planned gift. Once you have provided for loved ones in your will, you may want to include a gift of money, stock or property to The Arc. Your gift will be a lasting tribute to your concern for the advocacy, services and programs The Arc provides, while guaranteeing our long-term future.

Did you know that annually, individuals 70.5 and older can transfer up to \$100,000 as a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) from their traditional IRA* to a qualified charity such as The Arc of Fort Bend County?

For more information, please contact:

Laura LaVigne,
llavigne@arcoffortbend.org
281-494-5923.

You're Invited



Annual Business Meeting

TUESDAY, June 27, 2023

The Arc of Fort Bend

*123 Brooks St.
Sugar Land, TX 77478*

Dinner & Meeting: 6:00 pm

RSVP by Tuesday, June 20, 2023 to Cheryl Olivier
at The Arc office or
Email: adminassistant@arcoffortbend.org
281-494-5920

RSVP is required due to limited seating



The Arc of Fort Bend Annual Awards Dinner



Congratulations to all of our 2023 winners. View the picture gallery.

[Read More](#)

45TH ANNUAL

BEST IN THE WEST

NOVEMBER 11, 2023

Proudly Presented By



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Best in The West Dinner and Dance

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NEW DATE SAT. NOVEMBER 11, 2023

6:00pm - 11:00pm
George Ranch Arena

Benefiting



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Do your Christmas shopping at the
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For more information, please call **281-494-5920** or visit:
www.BestInTheWest.givesmart.com

   #fbcArc - For people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

If you would like to reserve a table or sponsorship, please call Cheryl Olivier at The Arc at 281/494-5920 or email at: adminassistant@arcoffortbend.org.





Golf Classic 2023

It was a perfect day at Sweetwater Country Club!

Thank you, to all who came out and supported The Arc's 29th annual Golf Classic.

Teams, sponsors, donors, and volunteers, we can't do this without you. We appreciate everything you do to continually support The Arc. Every year you make a difference in the lives of people who want to live, work and play in our community.

Thank you, Primeway Federal Credit Union for your support, presence and contributions to Golf Classic.

Thank you, Sweetwater Country Club for all of your help and support during the planning and successful completion of Golf Classic.

Thank you, Steve Mowrey, for the best BBQ in town! Everyone loved it!

Thank you, Mike Means and the Champion X team for serving the BBQ dinner!

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at Golf Classic 2024!

To view pictures, read more below!

[Read
More](#)

Thank You!



In recognition of Autism Awareness month, County Judge KP George presented The Arc of Fort Bend with a proclamation and \$500 donation.

Left to right: Laura LaVigne, CEO, The Arc of Fort Bend; Judge KP George, Fort Bend County Judge; Larry Lobue, The Arc of Fort Bend Board Chair; and Karri Axtell, Program Director, The Arc of Fort Bend.

2023 Teen/Tween Social & Parent Night Out



WHO

11 – 18 year old Fort Bend County residents with an
Intellectual or Developmental Disability (IDD)

WHAT

Games, Sports, Crafts, Activities, Movie

1 – 1 – Small Group, Social Skills Practice

STAFF: BEHAVIOR TECH, TEEN & ADULT VOLUNTEERS

WHEN & WHERE

2023 Dates 6 – 9 PM

Jan 6, Feb 3, Mar 3, Mar 31, May 5,

Jun 2, Sep 1, Oct 6, Nov 3, Dec 1

CHRIST CHURCH @ Family Life Center

3300 Austin Pkwy Sugar Land, TX 77479

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: [ARCOFFORTBEND.ORG](https://arcoffortbend.org)

***REGISTRATION DEADLINE 7 DAYS BEFORE EVENT**





Teen Pals Network



Weekly conversations
/meet-up with a
High School peer

Build social skills
and friendship

For members of
The Arc of Fort Bend
age 13 - 19
who have an IDD

Questions or request
an application:
info@arcoffortbend.org
281-494-5959



*In
Memory*



Kent Martin Edwards

June 26, 1948 – May 2, 2023

Longtime supporter, volunteer, and member of the
Governance Committee
Thank you for your service, Kent, you will be missed.



Regional Track & Field & Soccer Competitions Baytown, TX



Both soccer teams brought home medals and there
were many successes in Track & Field!



Visit The Arc of Fort Bend County
Facebook page
for the latest tips, resources, community events,
helpful videos and MORE.



The Arc's Programs for Adults with IDD:

Adult Social Recreation (22+ years old)

Special Olympics (22 + years old)

Saturday Bowling (22 + years old)

TwentySomethings (20-29 years old)

If you would like to be added to the email list for all of the adult programs a membership is required as well as registration with one of the adult programs. You can join The Arc of Fort Bend County online at www.arcoffortbend.org/membership.

RSVP's are mandatory for all events.

Who to Contact:

Contact Nancy Dobert if you would like 2023 Registration information for the Adult-Social-Bowling program.

Email: nndobert@arcoffortbend.org or phone [281-494-5926](tel:281-494-5926)

2023 Registration is required before you can participate in the Social-Recreation-Bowling program.

Reminder: Registration and weekly reservations are required.

If interested in joining **Special Olympics** or the **TwentySomethings** group, contact Pam Hollaway at phollaway@arcoffortbend.org or 281-494-5928.

Adult Social Recreation/Bowling

May In-person Events:

Sugar Land Space Cowboys

May 26

Constellation Field



Adult Social Bowling

Bowlero Stafford Lanes
(Formerly AMF Stafford Lanes)
4919 South Main
Stafford, TX 77477

May 6, 13, 20 & 27

11:00 am - 1:30 pm

RSVP REQUIRED to Nancy Dobert!

nndobert@arcoffortbend.org





If any athlete's medical form has expired (3 years after submission date), please go to the link below and have one completed by your doctor's office. Return the medical form to Pam Hollaway at The Arc's office: 123 Brooks St., Sugar Land, TX 77478.

A Current Medical is Required to Participate in any Sport!

[Athlete Medical Form](#)

Events:

Golf, Softball, Bocce, and Swimming Practice

Starting in late July

Watch your email for registration information!

Contact Pam Hollaway at phollaway@arcoffortbend.org or 281/494-5928 for more information.

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For more information about The Arc,
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www.arcoffortbend.org

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