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Upcoming Administrative Professionals Lunch with Keynote Stacey Walters

Stacey Walters, a community leader in Washington County, will keynote the 10th Annual Administrative Professionals Appreciation Luncheon on April 25th at Blinn College, Brenham, TX. Hosted by the Washington County Chamber with sponsors KTEX and KWHI, the event celebrates administrative professionals' contributions. Stacey, known for her social work background and Tres Chic Boutique, reflects deep community ties. Recognized for her service, she inspires positive change. Guests will enjoy lunch and Stacey's motivational speech, followed by gift bags and door prizes. This luncheon offers a special opportunity to honor hardworking staff.



Chamber Hosts State of the Community Forum and Luncheon



On March 19th, the Chamber hosted a SOLD OUT 2024 State of the Community Luncheon, with guest panelist (l-r) Brenham Mayor Atwood Kenjura, Brenham ISD Superintendent Clay Gillentine, Burton ISD Superintendent Dr. Edna Kennedy, Washington County EMS Mark Rosenbaum, County Commissioner Kirk Hanath, with the Chamber Chairman of the Board Becky Ogg as MC.

We had the opportunity to hear from each panelist about the exciting things happening in our county as well as challenges and solutions, followed by a great Q&A session. We would like to thank the Washington County Expo for the amazing facility use and set up assistance, Plants N Things for the centerpieces, and Smitty's Café and Bakery, Inc. for the delicious lunch.

Leadership Washington County Explores Agriculture

This month, participants of the Leadership Washington County class had a great educational experience learning about the thriving Agriculture Industry within Washington County. They visited different businesses including Kieke Egg Farm where participants learned about the management of egg production, the process of caring for alpacas at PEEKA RANCH, the ministry of Miracle Farm, and the role of the Washington County Agriculture - Texas A&M Agri-Life Extension office located at the County Fairgrounds. Washington Thank you to each of these business partners for sharing your industry and knowledge with us!



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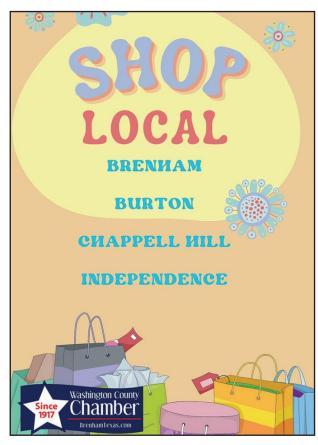


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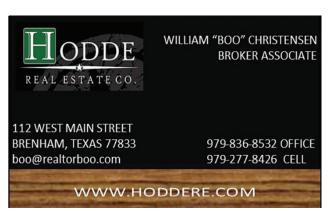












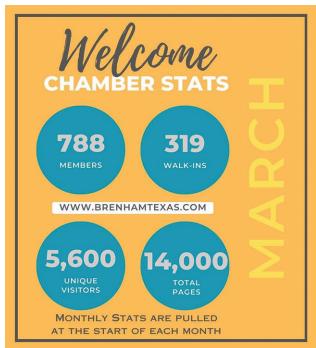


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is encouraged to share the monthly value and promote that value within the company so that possible employees and customers will see that you also support public education. It is hoped that the adults who see these values at their workplace will share with the children in their lives who are also seeing this at school. These Core Essential Values are taught at both Brenham and Burton ISDs.

Thank you to these 2023-2024 Partners for P.E.A.C.E. who have signed up so far to continue to make this program a success in Washington County. They help reinforce the Core Essential Values students are learning in local public schools at their businesses and through their employee interaction:

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