



Leadership Southeast Texas Class of 2007 Orientation Workshop

Thursday, September 28, 2006

4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. in the evening

Bridge City High School

2960 Texas Avenue, Bridge City

4:00 p.m. Registration and Refreshments

Class Notebooks, Name Badges, Candid Camera, LSET Wearable Art – monogrammed polo/golf shirts, “dabloon” 15th T-shirts, tote bags, panama hats, and mini-tool kits

Welcome from BCHS Strutters Drill Team

4:15 p.m. Welcome, Introductions and Acknowledgments

Moderator: Tom Henry '03, LSET 2007 Chair

Welcome to Bridge City ISD: Dr. Darrell Myers '06, Superintendent

Introducing Bridge City High School: Gina Mannino, Principal

Recognition of Sponsors: Firestone Polymers and Orange Savings Bank

Welcome from POST: Barbara Knight '94, Chair and Steve Buser, President/CEO

LSET Protocols/Housekeeping: Cell phones, name badges, table tents

Nuts and Bolts: Binders, database change of address form, e-communications

What is LSET? What should I expect? What will I contribute this year?

What can LSET do for my community? County? Business? What can I do for LSET?

Mary McKenna '95, immediate past LSET Chair

Anne Willis '99, Bolivar Peninsula

Andy “Buck” Thornton, Jr. , Class of 2006, Winnie

5:00 p.m. “Makin’ IT happen in SETX Now”...theme for 2006–2007

Kim McMurray '99, Program Chair and Laura Wilson '99, Program Co-Chair

Advocates for 9-counties of Southeast Texas: They / Them / Us / We!

Anya McInnis, Government and Public Affairs Consultant, Houston

Shaun Davis '98, District Director, State Rep. Allan B. Ritter, Nederland

5:30 p.m. Advocacy: Tasking the Breakouts Discussion Groups (5)

“You are one of a 9-member delegation representing SETX . In mid-November, your delegation has appointments (10 minutes in length) with key elected officials and key agency directors in Austin and Washington. What are the 3 issues your group will present as crucial “IT” for Southeast Texas in Austin? What are 2 issues your group will present in Washington? Why these issues?

**6:30 p.m. Buffet supper in cafeteria by Yellow Rose Café, Bridge City
Musical entertainment by BCHS Jazz Band**

7:15 p.m. Report Out by group spokespersons of "IT" issues (4 minutes per report)
Discussion and Q & A by class members
Class selection of "top" 3 issues for Austin and "top" 2 for Washington
Moderators: Laura Wilson, Anya McInnis and Shaun Davis

Preview of LSET Class sessions: October, January, May
Kim McMurray, Program Chair

LSET Day in Austin V, Session III, March 25–26, 2007
Jimmie Cooley '01, Nelson Bernard '98 and Bessie Chisum '93

7:55 p.m. Closing Remarks & Adjournment until 7:30 a.m., Thursday, October 26, 2006
Lamar Institute of Technology Multi-Purpose Center, Beaumont

Appreciation to Bridge City ISD
Elaine Allums, LSET Chair-elect



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Orange Savings Bank

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Bridge City Independent School District

Bridge City High School

Orientation 2007 Committee

Tom Henry, Dr. Darrell Myers, Gina Mannino, Joe Ely,
Kim McMurray, Laura Wilson, Elaine Allums, Suzie Simmons
Barry Murchison – Yellow Rose Café, Bridge City
Bessie Chisum – LSET, Steve Buser, Kay Bottoms, POST

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*** Breakout Groups ***

Group 1 - Cafeteria

Facilitator(s):

Jimmie Cooley '01, Woodville
Randy Stanton '02, Silsbee

LSET Participants-

Rosanne Akin, Orange
Pat Anderson, Beaumont
Allen L. Barnes, Liberty
David Caplan, Beaumont
Betty Davis, Nederland
Madelyn Hunt, Beaumont
Elizabeth Jackson, Orange
Guy Robert Jackson, Anahuac
Ben Johnson, Evadale
Todd Monette, Port Arthur
Vicki Scott, Orange

Group 2 - Cafeteria

Facilitator(s):

David Gonzales '06, Beaumont
Kathleen Hardey '98, Orange

LSET Participants-

Chris Barnes, Silsbee
Dallas J. Barrington, Silsbee
Jayne Bordelon, Beaumont
Johnnie Keen Brown, Vidor
Rod Carroll, Beaumont
Jim Gillingham, Port Arthur
Mark Herndon, Dayton
Chuck Kalkbrenner, Beaumont
Patti King, Port Arthur
Tom Lassiter, Silsbee/Evadale
Philip Welch, Orangefield

Group 3 - Library

Facilitators:

Andy Kelley '06, Lumberton
Elaine Allums '04, Kountze

LSET Participants -

Tommy Bartosh, Silsbee
Hunter Bothe, Beaumont/Anahuac
Eileen Deges Curl, Beaumont
Carol P. Hebert, Port Arthur
David Landry, Orange
Kim McDaniel, Kountze
Emmett McKinley, Liberty
Mary Poole, Beaumont
Paul Spence, Buna
Pamela Wise, Port Arthur
Sherry Woodard, Silsbee
Terry L. Wright, Vidor

Group 4 - Library

Facilitators:

Dr. Oney Fitzpatrick '06, Lamar
Suzie Simmons '01, Sour Lake

LSET Participants-

Todd Brindle, Kountze
Travis Brisco, Beaumont
Shanna Burke, Beaumont
Jason Fuller, Silsbee
Doug Harrington, Beaumont
Raymond Johnson, Port Arthur
Eddie Lewis, Newton
Frosty Pruitt, Dayton/ Winnie
Angela Reeves, Orange
Javier Rodriguez, Beaumont
Becky Rutledge, Bridge City
Brenda B. Wilber, Winnie

Group 5 - Distance Learning Center

Facilitators: Mary McKenna '95, Orange
Laura Wilson '99, Dayton

LSET Participants -

Kimberly Garrett, Silsbee
Lynda K. Guidry, Bolivar Peninsula
David Harris, Beaumont
Cody A. Jarrott, Woodville
Tracie Killian, Nederland
Mitch Osborne, Port Arthur
Jim Philp, Lumberton
Sherrie Sheppard, Orange
Charles Shofner, Jr. , Jasper
Mary Beth Stengler, Anahuac
Leslie Symmonds, Port Neches
Jonathan Wolfe, Beaumont

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