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2008 Sessions Related Events	Date	Location	Coordinator(s)
LSET 16th Annual Meeting <i>Sunrise to Sunset in Jasper County & Lake Sam Rayburn</i>	Thursday, August 21, 2008 9:00 am to 8:00 pm	Rayburn Country Club LNVA Lodge Downtown Jasper Umphrey Family Pavilion Lake Sam Rayburn	Brenda Dickerson, Chair; Jasper County Alumni; Elaine Allums, 2009 Alumni Committee Bessie Chisum, Jan Ely
Advisory Council Meeting FY 2008-2009	Wednesday, August 13, 2008 4:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Annual Meeting Planning	Monday, July 14, 2008 1:00 pm	Mobiloil Federal Credit Union Jasper	Brenda Dickerson, Chair
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, July 9, 2008 4:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
2009 Planning Retreat	Wednesday, July 9, 2008 2:00 pm – 4:30 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Elaine Allums, Mary Poole Coordinators Kathleen Hardey, Facilitator, Dennis Isaacs, Recorder
Alumni 2009 Committee Kick-off Meeting	Tuesday, July 8, 2008 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Bevil Community Room Kountze Public Library http://www.kountzeliblibrary.org	Phyllis Geans, CPA; Stephen Patterson, Ed.D., Elaine Allums, Curt Camper, Pat Shenefelt
Invitations Class of 2009	Early July	9-county region of SETX	Regina Lindsey, Brenda Nichols, Joe Ely
Governing Board Meeting	Tuesday, July 1, 2008 7:30 am	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	LSET President
Annual Meeting Planning	Thursday, June 19, 2008 9:00 am	Umphrey Family Pavilion Lake Sam Rayburn	Brenda Dickerson, Elaine Allums, Steering Committee
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, June 11, 2008 4:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Admissions Executive Meeting	Thursday, May 29, 2008 9:00 am – Noon	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Regina Lindsey, Dr. Brenda Nichols., Elaine Allums
Alumni 2009 Nominating Meeting	Friday, May 23, 2008 8:30 am – 10:30 am	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Phyllis Geans CPA, Dr. Stephen Patterson, Elaine Allums
Annual Meeting Planning	Thursday, May 22, 2008	First Bank & Trust East TX Jasper	Brenda Dickerson, Elaine Allums, Steering Committee

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Graduation Class of 2008	Thursday, May 15, 2008 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Baptist Beaumont Hospital	Tom Henry, LSET Chair 2008
Session V <i>Healthy Workforce</i>	Thursday, May 15, 2008 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Baptist Beaumont Hospital Physicians Plaza, Spindletop Room http://www.mhbh.org	Mary Poole, Coordinator
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, May 9, 2008 2:30 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Governing Board Meeting	Wednesday, May 9, 2008 2:30 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	LSET President
Community Leadership Organization Annual International Conference	Wednesday, April 23 - Sunday, April 27, 2008	Denver, Colorado www.communityleadership.org	Elaine Allums, chair-elect 2009, delegate
Alumni Info Forum and Fellowship Outing Hosted by Chambers-Liberty County Navigation District www.clcnd.com Waterborne Education Center www.txwaterborne.org	Thursday, April 24, 2008 2:00 pm – 7:00 pm Aboard the <i>Smith Point</i> , Coast Guard Vessel with seafood dinner on grounds at Wallisville Locks	Port of Anahuac / Trinity River, Chambers-Liberty County Navigation District, Upper Gulf Coast Waterborne Education Center, US Army Corps of Engineers Wallisville Locks / Trinity River Island Recreation Area, Chambers County www.swg.usace.army.mil/Wallis/LockDam.asp http://co.chambers.tx.us/	Kim McMurray, Guy Robert Jackson, Mary Beth Stengler, Sarah Cerrone for Judge Jimmy Sylvia, Richard Long, US Army Corp of Engineers, Bessie Chisum
LSET Day in Austin 2009	Friday, April 18, 2008 4:30 pm	Beaumont	Dean Conwell, Vernon Pierce, Laura Wilson
Jasper Annual Meeting Planning	Thursday, April 17, 2008 9:00 am	First Bank & Trust East TX Jasper	Brenda Dickerson, Elaine Allums, Jasper Steering Committee
2008 Session Topics Related Events	Date.	Location	Coordinator(s)
Association of Texas Leadership Programs (ATLP) Workshop and Annual Meeting	Monday, April 14, 2008 9:00 am – 3:00 pm	Hobby Airport, Houston Presentation on Regional Leadership Programs	Dennis Isaacs, Elaine Allums, Laura Wilson, Kim McMurray, Bessie Chisum
Admissions Committee Meeting for Class of 2009	Wednesday, April 9, 2008 4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	Art Museum of SETX (AMSET) Downtown Beaumont	Regina Lindsey, Dr. Brenda Nichols, Admissions Committee Host: Lynn Castle, Bessie Chisum
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, April 9, 2008 3:00 pm	Art Museum of SETX Downtown Beaumont www.amset.org	Advisory Council Chair
Nominations 2009 Deadline	Friday, April 4, 2008	To LSET office	Regina Lindsey, Dr. Brenda Nichols
Governing Board Meeting	Tuesday, April 1, 2008 7:30 am	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	LSET President
Session IV <i>A Case Study of Community Branding –</i>	Thursday, March 27, 2008 7:30 a.m. – 4:30	Shangri La Botanical Gardens & Nature Center www.shangrilagardens.org	Kathleen Hardey, Tad McKee, III, Mary Poole, Mary McKenna

<i>Quality of Life and Ecology</i>	p.m.	Nelda C. & H. J. Lutcher Foundation www.starkfoundation.org www.lutcher.org www.goacc.org http://www.orangetexas.net Orange	
Jasper Annual Meeting Planning	Tuesday, March 25, 2008 9:00 am	First Bank & Trust East TX Jasper	Brenda Dickerson, Elaine Allums, Jasper Steering Committee
Jasper Annual Meeting Planning	Thursday, March 13, 2008 9:00 am	First Bank & Trust East TX, Jasper	Brenda Dickerson, Elaine Allums, Jasper Steering Committee
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, March 12, 2008 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Session III Part Two Education/ Training	Wednesday, Feb. 27, 2007 9:30 am - Noon	Memorial Hermann Baptist Beaumont Physicians Plaza, Spindletop Room http://www.mhbh.org	Regina Lindsey, Mary Poole, Bessie Chisum Coordinators
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, Feb. 13, 2008 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Governing Board Meeting	Wednesday, Feb. 13, 2008 3:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	LSET President
Advisory Council Rules of Procedure Meeting	Thursday, February 7, 2008 9:00 am	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Elaine Allums, Chair
Admissions 2009	January – September 2008	Nine-county region of SETX Alumni 1993 - 2007	Regina Lindsey, Dr. Brenda Nichols
JASON Project	Thursday, January 31, 2008 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	John Gray Center, Lamar University www.lamar.edu	Pat Shenefeldt , Kim McMurray Coordinators
Session III Workforce and Training Issues	Thursday, January 24, 2008 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Robinson Campus Silsbee ISD http://www.silsbee.k12.tx.us	Regina Lindsey, Coordinator
South East Texas Regional Planning Annual Dinner http://www.setrpc.org	Wednesday, Jan. 16, 2008 6:00 pm	MCM Elegante Hotel Beaumont	
Spindletop 1901 Gladys City Grand Re-Opening	Saturday January 12, 2008 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Gladys City of Lamar University www.spindletop.org	Joyce Jacob, Gladys City Volunteer Coordinator ; Bessie Chisum, LSET coordinator
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, Jan. 9, 2008 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Holiday Fellowship Event	Thursday, Dec. 13, 2007	Bridge City	LSET Chair / President
2008 Sessions Related Events	Date.	Location	Coordinator(s)
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, Nov. 14, 2007 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Governing Board Meeting	Wednesday, Nov.	LSET Nederland	LSET President

	14, 2007 2:30 pm	ISTC Complex	
Session II <i>Quality Schools Drive Economic Success...are we getting our money's worth?</i>	Thursday, October 25, 2007 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Eagle Summit Woodville High School http://woodville.tx.schoolwebpages.com	Cody Jarrott, Coordinator Host, Glenn Conner, Superintendent WISD
Orientation Make-up Class of 2008	Thursday, October 18, 2007 8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Bevil Meeting Room Kountze Public Library http://www.kountzeliblibrary.org	Mary Poole, Coordinator Bessie Chisum, Elaine Allums
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, Oct. 10, 2007 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Orientation and Session I Class of 2008 <i>ED 101 – Business Retention, Attraction & Creation</i>	Thursday, September 27, 2007 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Lamar State College Port Arthur – Parker Center http://www.pa.lamar.edu Windshield Tour Valero Refinery	Kimberly Bernard, Coordinator Mary Poole, Program Chair Becky Rutledge, Laura Wilson
Advisory Council Meeting	Wednesday, Sept. 12, 2007 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Governing Board Meeting	Wednesday, Sept. 12, 2007 2:30 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	LSET President
Texas Association of Regional Councils Conference	Thursday, Sept. 6, 2007 Austin	Economic Development Game Conference Workshop	Laura Wilson, Suzie Simmons, Dennis Isaacs
LSET 2007 Annual Meeting !5th Anniversary Road Show <i>Follow that Yellow Brick Road to Historic Downtown Beaumont™</i>	Thursday, August 23, 2007 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Art Museum of SETX www.amset.org Jefferson Theater, Hotel Beaumont, St. Anthony Cathedral Basilica, Temple Emanuel, Fire Museum of Texas, Edison Museum, Texas Energy Museum, Tyrrell Historical Library	Carolyn Howard, Chair
Advisory Council Meeting FY 2007-2008	Wednesday, August 8, 2007 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	Advisory Council Chair
Governing Board Meeting	Wednesday, August 8, 2007 2:30 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex	LSET President
Alumni 2008 Nominating	Monday, August 6, 2007 5:00 pm	Beaumont	Kim McMurray, Phyllis Geans
Organizational Governing Board Meeting	Wednesday, July 11, 2007 2:00 pm	LSET Nederland ISTC Complex www.istc.net for map and driving directions	Election of Officers and Board members; adoption of corporate by-laws for 501 (c) (6) non-profit
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