

Mainland Retired Teachers Association

From the President's Pen

Bridge to Success

Hello MRTA Members,

I know many of us were pleased to receive the Social Security check earlier this month! Last month we received a COLA and this month a Social Security check. Kudos to Tim Lee, his team, and our state legislators for making all of this possible. If there are any questions concerning the Social Security check, contact the Social Security Office.

The Membership Drive for the 2025-2026 year began on March 1, 2025. (Note the Membership and Treasurer's Report). Members, come prepared to pay your dues at our March meeting!

I attended the dedication of the Rita Boykin Library, on February 25, 2025, @ Roosevelt-Wilson Elementary School. It was well attended and many kind thoughts were expressed about Rita's contributions to TCISD. Congratulations again Rita Boykin for a Milestone Achievement!

Please bring the 2024-2025 MRTA Yearbook you received at January's meeting to March's meeting. I will exchange it!

Maxine Wyche

Reports

OFFICERS/CHAIRMEN NOMINA-TIONS

Nominations are being accepted to fill vacancies for the 2025-2026 year. Give names to Thomasine Allen, Immediate Past President. Contact her @ (409) 739-5689.

HOSTS/HOSTESSES

All Hosts/Hostesses slots have been filled for the year. If there are any changes please contact Bonnie Brooks, @ (409)789-3472.

MARCH HOSTESSES

Irma Cantu

Margaret Cussen

Ura Flores

Elodia Salazar

Noemi White

Each Hostess group is responsible for an Ice Breaker Activity.



March 1, 2025 Membership Drive begins for the 2025-2026 year.

> March 16, 2025 ZOOM Meeting @ 6:00 PM For Day at the Capitol Participants

> > March 19, 2025 MRTA Meeting Nessler Center Surf Room 12:30 PM

Speaker: Sheila Wolf, TRTA D4
President

March 26, 2025

Day at the Capitol

Austin, Texas



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To All March Celebrants



Membership Report

We need your help to boost our MRTA membership. Our Membership Drive for the 2025-2026 year began on March 1, 2025. If you have missed some of your friends, reach out to them and encourage them to come join us. Also, don't forget to recruit newly retired educators. Our combined efforts to work with our elected officials has been a success, but we need more voices. Remember to send all payments to Paul Bland.

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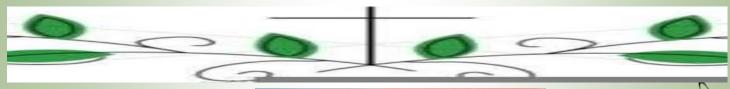
1 (409) 599-1165

Treasurer's Report

As of March 1, 2025, our balance is \$7,770.12. I am now collecting chapter dues for the 2025-2026 year. Also, I have the order forms for the NEW D-4 Shirts! Contact me to pay your dues, to place an order for the D-4 shirt, or see me at the March meeting.

My Contact Information Is:

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Delores F. King-Penrice 1936-2025

Rest In Peace



