

SAISD Nation Newsletter

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SAISD Nation is a community of alumni and friends - former employees and students, educators and education-minded community members - who are furthering the excellence of SAISD ensuring that all students and teachers thrive in SAISD public schools. Share your SAISD pride! Connect with alumni, support your alma mater and develop future graduates! [Join SAISD Nation today!](#)

10th Annual Inspire Awards!

Silent Auction Now Open!

From experiences to memorabilia, there is something for every age & interest. We even have an alumni-led experience. . . lasso roping! Jefferson alum Nancy York was a Lasso and has enjoyed passing down this Jefferson tradition to younger generations. Learn more about the Lassos and their historical significance [here](#) in this write-up from MySA.com. We hope you will find some interesting items and get in on the excitement. Once registered, you will receive a paddle # and can track your bids in real-time. Don't wait to get in on the auction action - the gavel strikes at **noon on Friday, October 8th**. **Click on the images below to view all auction items.**



Appassionante Veneto (Six Wine Bottle) Gift Set



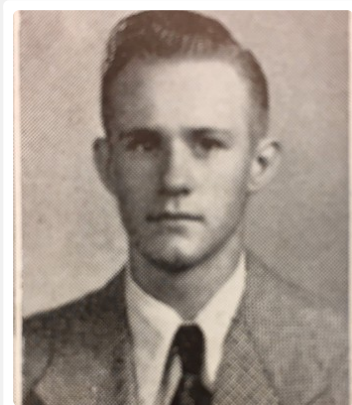
Whataburger for a Year



Port Royal 2 Bedroom Condo 4 Night Stay

2021 Inspire Award Honorees

Click on each photo to read their story!



Boone Powell, Jefferson (1951)



Suzanne Scott, Highlands (1981)




Catherine Torres-Stahl, Fox Tech (1984)

It is Mini-Grant Season!

Twenty-two SAISD educators have applied for mini-grants to fund an innovative project in their classrooms. All projects are listed on [DonorsChoose](#). They make it easy for anyone to help a classroom in need. Public school teachers from every corner of America create classroom project

requests, and you can give any amount to the project that inspires you. The SAISD Foundation is proud to support the creative thinking of educators in San Antonio ISD, as we work together to ensure that our teachers and students thrive. Check out some of these awesome, innovative ideas. **Click on each photo to view their project.**



Math Fun in the Kitchen

Help me give my students fun math manipulatives to add to the math and kitchen centers.


Ms. Gurrola,
Artemisia Bowden Academy • San Antonio,



Comfy While Reading With My Teacher

Help me give my students these soft comfy seats so that we can meet together with social distancing. I have noticed how my students benefit of close but social distanced reading; a bond all teachers know.

Mrs. Urban
Marin B Fenwick Academy • San Antonio, TX



Making History All Fun & Games!

Help me give my students revamped classic board games to make learning history fun!

Ms. Rosales
Sidney Lanier High School • San Antonio, TX

Alumni Updates

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Cynthia Warrick,
Sam Houston



Samuel Huerta,
Edison



Wayne Dickey,
Highlands

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