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Galveston County Precinct 1 Constable Blake Patton

Dear Citizens of Precinct 1,

My name is Blake Patton, and I am honored to introduce myself as your Constable Elect for Galveston County, Precinct 1. I am deeply grateful to my family—my wife of 17 years, Kathryn, and our two children—for their unwavering support. As a family man, an avid outdoorsman, and a coach of youth sports, I am truly invested in the well-being of our community.

I bring to this position 19 years of experience in law enforcement in Galveston County. Throughout my career, I have had the privilege of providing professional law enforcement services to our citizens, as well as training over 50 local officers and deputies to do the same. I began my law enforcement career serving with the Galveston Police Department for over 15 years in various roles, including Patrol Officer, Field Training Officer, TCOLE Instructor, K-9 Handler, and as a member of the Traffic Safety Division and Accident Reconstruction Team. I was also part of the S.W.A.T. team for 12 years, serving as both an Operator and the S.W.A.T. Team Leader. Afterward, I spent the last 3½ years at the Galveston County Precinct 2 Constable's Office, where I gained invaluable experience in civil law enforcement.

As your Constable, I am committed to fulfilling our statutory duties, serving the Justice of the Peace Court, and ensuring the timely execution of civil documents. I am also dedicated to improving public safety and enhancing the quality of life for the citizens of Galveston County. Our office will have deputies focused on criminal enforcement, working hand-in-hand with the Galveston County Sheriff's Office and other local agencies to keep our community safe. I pledge to always be accessible and responsive to the needs of Precinct 1 residents.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to Constable Rick Sharp for his career in law enforcement and three terms as Constable providing dedicated service to the citizens of Galveston County. I wish him a well-deserved and happy retirement.

My team and I at Precinct 1 Constable's Office are excited about the future, and we look forward to continuing our work in service to you, the citizens.

Thank you for your trust and support.

Respectfully,
Blake Patton





SAN LEON CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARADE AND PARTY

Saturday December 14, 2024.

Parade starts at 11am

Party starting at Noon until 2pm at
The San Leon Volunteer Fire Department
337 12th Street, San Leon, Texas 77539

Stop in and join us for the Parade starting at 11am, then follow us to the Fire Station to begin the Childrens party where Santa and Ms. Claus will be taking pictures with the children and families. There will be free drinks, hot dogs, candy, cookies, movies, two jumpy houses, our Greek Papa Christmas will be reading Christmas stories, Christmas music, a free toy will be given to each child and a free stocking. There will also be lot of great surprises!!!

This party is for all children up to the age of 13. There will be no unaccompanied minors allowed inside the building!!

All children must be a San Leon Resident to participate. All Adults will be required to bring a legal government photo identification for the children to enter and participate.

To donate or get toys to us or just ask a question:

Isis Mangum Ward 832-414-1507

Or

Dione Morrison 214-505-5851



Fullen's Folly

Sheriff-elect Jimmy Fullen is already making a splash in the Galveston County Sheriff's Office. Unfortunately, that splash involves substantial resignations, terminations and demotions. Come January 1st when Fullen takes office, county residents must wonder if there will be a fully functional county law enforcement agency. Most new leaders, especially those arriving in a new position that they have no equivalent experience in leading take a bit of time to learn the agency, its positives and negatives and try to ensure a smooth transition. Change is expected when there is literally a "new sheriff" in town, and the command staff is likely to see some changes, but the current situation is unique in the history of the Sheriff's Office. The people of Galveston County voted in Jimmy Fullen in spite of the fact that he would not be eligible to be hired by the department he will be in charge of. EPP hopes that the new year does not bring regrets and worse over that choice.

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CRISIS COUNSELING ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING PROGRAM

This project is administrated by the Disaster Behavioral Health Coordination program, through federal funding from the Federal Emergency Management Agency Crisis Counseling Assistance and Training Program grant.

In-home and community-based services for individuals, families, groups, and organizations impacted by Hurricane Beryl.

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The Hurricanes Are Gone

Time to breathe a sigh of relief and let your guard down.....Not. Winter storms will be coming and EPP's readers certainly recall the troubles of power outages and broken water lines and all the other delights that come with below freezing weather across Texas. A truism is that "if we don't learn from history, we are bound to repeat it". Everyone should now understand that being storm ready means being ready for hurricanes and the like during the summer and being freeze ready in the winter. Backup power, food, fuel and other supplies are just as important in February as they are in August. GCOEM.ORG is a good resource for those who want to know how to be prepared and what to prepare for. Galveston County Community Emergency Response Team (GC CERT) training will resume after the first of the year and there can never be too many trained and ready folks during and after a natural or man-made disaster. While it is absolutely unrealistic, EPP hopes to never again have to report on folks who have suffered a preventable tragedy from fire, flood, freeze or wind event. A great and achievable New Year's resolution would be to be strong, prepared and independent in 2025. Who will say "challenge accepted in 2025"?



STEAR State of Texas
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Registry

**REGISTER EVERY YEAR IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE
EVACUATING IN A DISASTER OR EMERGENCY.**

Who should register?

- People with disabilities or limited mobility
- People who need medical assistance
- People with functional and access needs
- People who require transportation
- People with communication barriers

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<https://tdem.texas.gov/stear/>**





This week's Galveston County Animal Resource Center Pet of the Week are Mandy and Oso.

Meet Oso (A026699) a stunning 5-year-old Shepherd/Husky mix with beautiful brown and blue eyes that'll melt your heart. He's a beach lover, shotgun rider, and pro at snuggling with his favorite stuffed animals. Oso is great with dogs, kids of all ages, and even cats—he gets along with everyone! He's ready to find his forever family and share his big, loving heart. Come on in and meet him!

Videos of the Pets of the Week can be viewed on www.facebook.com/garcpets and www.youtube.com.

Pets of the week adoptions include rabies vaccination, spay or neuter and microchip.

For more information call 409-948-2485 or visit www.gchd.org. These and other pets are available at the Galveston County Animal Resource Center, 3412 25th Ave N. Texas City, TX. 77590.

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- 2 Tbsp. flour
- 3/4 c. evaporated milk
- 1/4 c. water
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1 unbaked 9 inch pie shell

Cream butter, gradually add sugar, beat well. Add eggs, one at a time, beat well after each addition. Add flour and mix thoroughly. Stir in milk, water and vanilla. Pour mixture into pastry shell and bake 400 degrees for 20 minutes. Reduce to 300 degrees and bake 15 minutes more. Cool, then refrigerate until thoroughly chilled.

IT IS A CRIME TO IMPROPERLY DISPOSE OF A BOAT OR VESSEL

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FREE VESSEL TURN IN PROGRAM

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STATEPOINT CROSSWORD

THEME: SPORTS

ACROSS

1. Combat vehicle
5. Semi
8. *Biathlon gear, sing.
11. Keiko of "Free Willy"
12. *Ashi Waza and jugodi sport
13. Audience's approval
15. Tandoori bread
16. Ned Stark's daughter, "Game of Thrones"
17. Röntgen beams
18. *Warning track sport
20. Monetary "thank you," pl.
21. Indigo dye shrubs
22. "Arabian Nights" bird
23. Destroyer
26. Danced to certain Polish music
30. Crematorium container
31. One without magic powers in Harry Potter stories
34. Largest volcano in Europe
35. Do nothing (2 words)
37. Singer Yoko
38. Be at the helm
39. Tropical tuber
40. *Player who delivers in a crucial sports moment
42. Recipe qty.
43. Display proudly (2 words)
45. Smells
47. Lake, in France
48. Clean a spill (2 words)
50. #8 Across, pl.
52. *Cornerback and direct snap sport
55. Russian pancake
56. Pasta option
57. Go cold turkey
59. *Reward for multiple sports championships, pl.
60. "Breaking Bad" victim
61. The Beehive State
62. King Kong, e.g.
63. Type of lightbulb, acr.
64. Spooky

DOWN

1. Boatload
2. Riyadh native
3. *Collegiate sports grp.
4. Topeka native
5. Not urban
6. Short poems of pastoral life
7. *Hockey score
8. *Powerful shot in hockey
9. 11th letter of Roman alphabet, pl.
10. Elvis' "____ Now or Never"
12. White and black stork
13. Glorify
14. *Gully and deep mid wicket sport
19. Foe
22. Fish eggs
23. Corrodes
24. Heep of "David Copperfield"
25. Preface
26. Scheme
27. Mr. T's TV show "The _____"
28. Olden days constipation treatment
29. *Bag of nails and baby ton sport
32. *Eagle and mulligan sport
33. African migrator
36. *Turkey and split sport
38. Woody perennial
40. Chlorofluorocarbon, abbr.
41. He gets a flag?
44. Reprieve in a desert
46. Not light-transmitting
48. Dots and dashes code
49. Did like goo
50. Women's underskirt
51. Plural of cow, arch.
52. *Sports transgression
53. Plucked string instrument
54. Pinocchio, e.g.
55. Type of undergarment
58. Olden day "your"

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SOLUTION TO CROSSWORD AND SUDOKU ON PAGE 7

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Route change notice for some of our Bacliff & San Leon residential customers.

Note Bacliff Residential Customers:

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If your trash is currently picked up on Wednesday - Saturday your trash day will move to Tuesday - Friday.

Note San Leon Residential Customers:

If your trash is currently picked up on Monday - Thursday your trash day will move to Wednesday - Saturday.

The included map is color coded to further help understand the services days for each community. **Green Monday - Thursday Routes;** **Blue Tuesday - Friday Routes;** **Lime Green - Yellow Wednesday - Saturday Routes**



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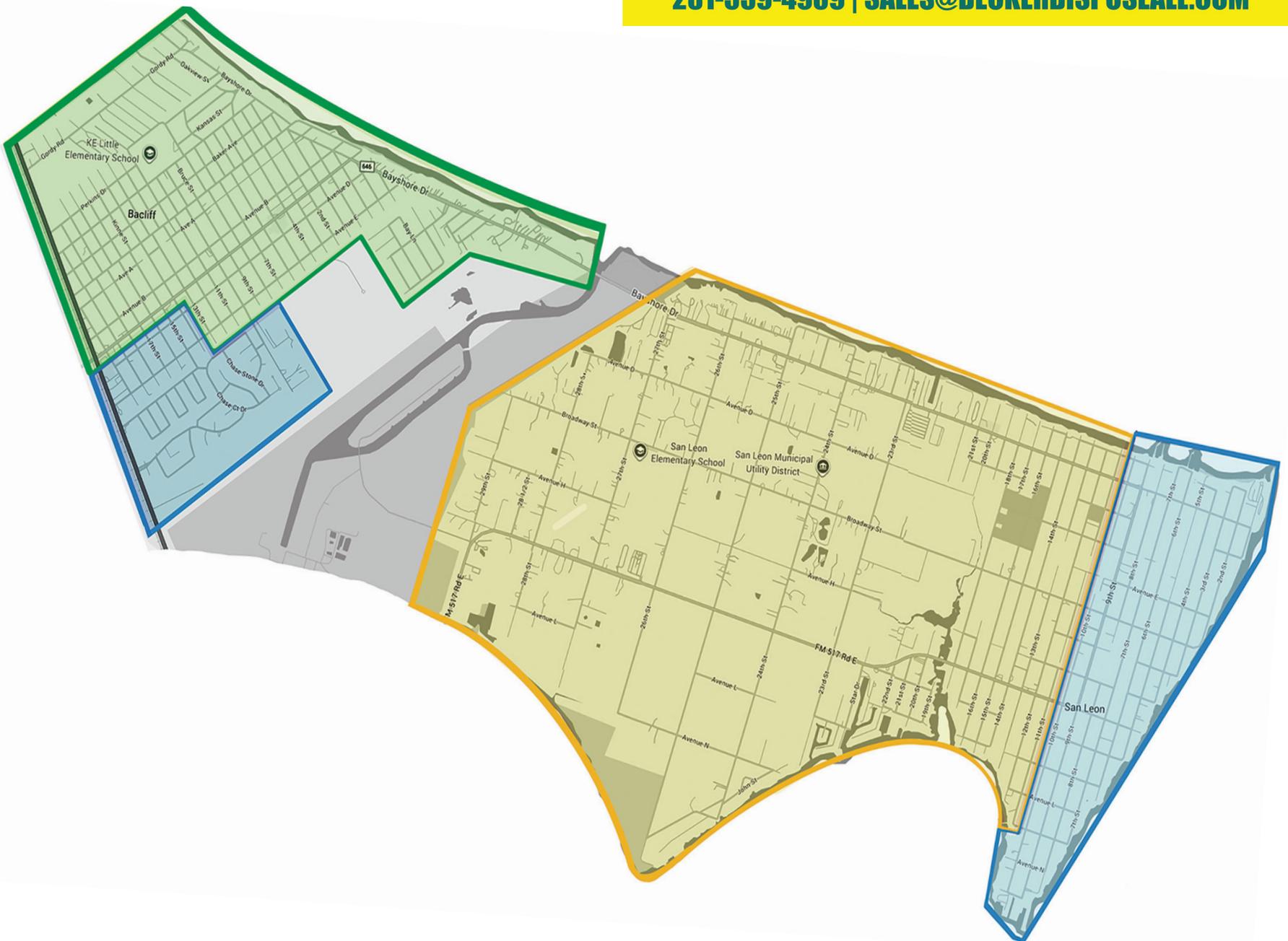


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- Event will be at 600 Grand Ave, Bacl.



BAYSHORE COMMUNITY

CHRISTMAS PARADE

LINE UP: 5:30 | START 6:00



ROUTE

- Start Bayside Park
- Left on 10th
- Right on Chase Park Dr.
- Left on Chase More Dr.
- Left on Chase Stone Dr.
- Right on Chase Ct. Dr.
- Left on Bacliff Dr.
- Right on 15th St.
- Proceed to Kinne
- Right on Oklahoma Ave.
- Right on Bayshore
- Right on Grand Ave.
- End 600 Grand Ave.