

THANK YOU NEW LEEF MONTHLY GIVING MEMBERS!



Thanks to our generous community who continue to show up for Leander ISD students and teachers. Leander Educational Excellence Foundation (LEEF) hosted our first Community Monthly Giving Campaign and the new member sign ups will invest \$9,300 annually. These new members combined with existing monthly donors will now invest \$23,600 annually into Leander ISD classrooms and LEEF teaching grants. **Every Dollar Makes an Impact!**

LISD employees invest \$37,000 to LEEF annually by giving \$5-\$100 each month out of their paychecks. Our community is investing just over \$23,000. **Don't want to feel left out in supporting your kids and teachers?** If you sign up by midnight Halloween you get a student designed t-shirt and enter your campus to win a cash prize. Winners announced Friday. <https://bit.ly/LEEFMonthlyGiving>

[Sign Up for LEEF Monthly Giving!](#)

LEEF Fall Grant Patrol!



The LEEF Grant Patrol awarded 18 educator grants investing \$8,440 across 15 Leander ISD campuses/departments on Wednesday, October 18. These grants will fund professional development opportunities, sensory rooms, hydroponics program and more! We are excited to see the impact this will have on our staff and students. A huge round of applause to all the 2023 Fall Innovative Grant winners! To check out a list of grant projects funded and photos from Grant Patrol, visit [HERE](#)

LEEF SPOTLIGHT! ***Teacher Empowerment & Student Safety***



LEEF is proud to celebrate our exceptional Transportation Department employees for their continued commitment to Leander ISD students and professionalism transporting 45,000 individuals every day, which is more than the number of passengers coming into and out of Austin-Bergstrom airport.

LEEF awarded its first grant to the Transportation Department in August for \$5,000. Bus Operator Scott Colvin identified a program that needed improvement and took the time and initiative to apply for funding, illustrating ***two of Leander ISD's Core Beliefs - Empowered Staff and Safe and Innovative Learning Environments.***

Mr. Colvin shared with LEEF that receiving these funds to improve the training video will offer a more inclusive and engaging learning environment for the trainee and an increase in success rates for student/trainee. Read full story here:

<https://bit.ly/3QpqStQ>

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Come one, come all to an Evening in the Emerald City! You are cordially invited to walk the yellow brick road and join the LEEF Gala on January 27 at The Crossover. We will enjoy cocktails and dinner, auction, dancing and most importantly raising money for Leander ISD students and staff. Tickets and tables are on sale [HERE](#). Sponsorships are essential to putting on the event and we have a few left. Email info@leeftx.org for more information!

Community Events

December 24, 2023 Cirque Musica Holiday Wonderland at [H-E-B Center at Cedar Park](#). Secure discounted tickets and support LEEF use the code "UNLOCK" when purchasing tickets: <https://bit.ly/476LjkJ>

Now thru December 22 sign up for LEEF monthly giving and enjoy 7 days unlimited workouts at [ISI Cedar Park](#).

Now thru January 2024 sign up for LEEF monthly giving and enjoy [Ice & Field](#) skating discount at the Crossover.

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