

## OCTOBER 2023

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#### **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

October 13
Staff Development
(no students)

October 16 Fall Holiday

November 3 End of 2nd 6 Weeks

November 5
Daylight Savings
Time Ends

November 6 Staff Development (no students)

November 20-24 Thanksgiving

December 5-8 Testing Days

December 6 Early Dismissal All Campus

December 6
UIL Academic Meet
Elementary/Middle School

December 19 Early Release

December 20 - January 4 Christmas Vacation

BENEFITING SABINE ISD EDUCATION FOUNDATION

### **Homecoming 2023**

Five young ladies were named to the 2023 Sabine High School Homecoming Court. Saqqara Samples was crowned as the 2023 Homecoming Queen. Saqqara is the daughter of Sylvia Austin and Redd Sample and is escorted by Hudson Pepper – son of Monty & Derenda Pepper. Saqqara is a member of the Lady Cards Varsity Basketball team and Lady Cards Track team. She is also a member of the choir and enjoys singing the National Anthem at Football Games. Her future plans are to attend college and major in nursing to become a pediatric nurse.

Cale Brown was chosen as the 2023 Football Sweetheart. Cale is the daughter of Scott & Gayla Brown and escorted by Stacy and Michelle Kirkindoll.

Members of the court include: (from left to right) Matthew Smith, Carol Anguiano, Clayne Simmons, Ella Roberts, Hudson Pepper, Saqqara Samples, Luke Kirkindoll, Cale Brown, Jayden McPherson and Gracie Parrot.





2023 Homecoming Queen Saqqar Samples who is escorted by Hunter Pepper.



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#### 36th Annual

### **Liberty City Christmas Parade**

**Hosted by Sabine Fire & Rescue** 

#### Sunday, December 3, 2023, at 2:30 pm

(rain date December 10)

2023 Theme: "Candy Land Christmas"

The parade will begin at the intersection of FM 1252 and Old Hwy 135 and head south to I-20. Entry is **FREE** but entry forms should be turned in by **November 25th**.

Santa Claus has agreed to participate in this parade so please no Santa look-a-likes in your entry! Also, no ATV's or Dirt Bikes are allowed.

Recognition will be given for the best in various categories!

#### **CATEGORIES:**

Best Decorated – Best Parade Theme – Best Marching Unit – Best Vehicle Best Religious Theme – The Grand Marshall's Award (overall best entry)

#### WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

Bands, Marching Groups, Floats, Singing Groups, Churches, Decorated Trucks, Antique & Classic Cars, Civic Clubs, etc.

\*\*No Santa, No ATV's and No Dirt Bikes\*\*

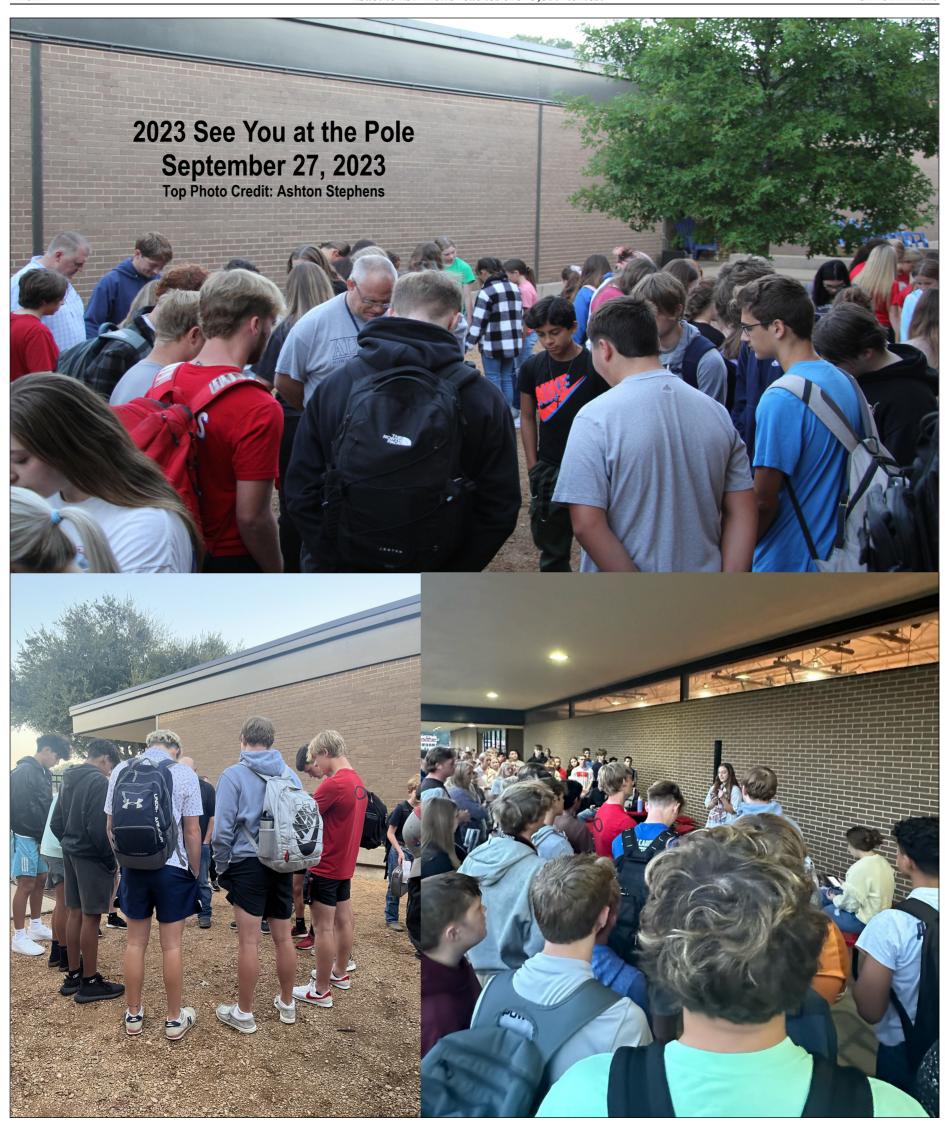
#### **HOW TO ENTER:**

Online at sabinefiredept.com/christmasparade

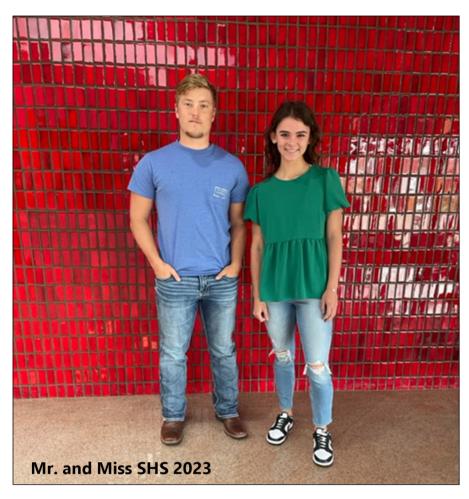
OR Complete form below and email to parade@sabinefiredept.com

OR mail to Liberty City Christmas Parade, 4589 FM 1252 W, Kilgore, TX 75662

Group Name:	
Contact Person:	
Address:	City:
Email Address:	Phone:
Description of Entry:	



### 2023 Mr. and Miss SHS



Cade Silvertooth and Ella Roberts

## Sabine HS Students of the Month September 2023



## **Miss Gregg County Representative**



**Camryn Tatum** 

Camryn Tatum, daughter of Cody and Amy Tatum of Gladewater, was selected by vote from all 2023-24 Juniors to compete for the title of Miss Gregg County. The Miss Gregg County Pageant, which was held on September 14, is sponsored by the Longview Jaycees.

Camryn is very active at Sabine High School. She is a varsity athlete who competes in volleyball, track, varsity cheer and UIL Cheer. Camryn is a member of the Sabine Strutters dance team. She is a member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes, National Honor Society and the High School Fishing team. Camryn is involved with her church and she does many hours of community service. She enjoys time with family and friends, hunting and playing club volleyball.

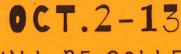
Camryn's future plans are attending Texas A&M where she will continue her dream to become a dental assistant/hygienist.



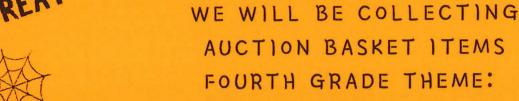


## HARVEST MOON













GOLFERS BASKET:



GOLF BALLS, TEES, ANYTHING GOES





WE WILL BE COLLECTING BAGS OF CANDY (NO GUM!) GRADE WITH MOST WEIGHT WINS A COOKIE PARTY!





















NUMBER OF

CASH

NAME:

WRISTBANDS ----- INCLUDED





FACEBOOK EVENT PAGE



## **Ag News**

Hello Liberty City! We wanted to inform you of all the awesome things Sabine FFA has been up to since the first day of School!

#### August:

10th- First day of school! This year we began our 7th grade agriculture science classes which are called "Flight Plan". We LOVE getting students involved at an earlier age! We are very excited for this year to progress with our 7th and 8th grade classes!

21st- We had our first FFA meeting of the year and celebrated with an Ice Cream social! We were able to meet with several new FFA members and got all of the kids hyped up on Ice Cream before the meeting. We are so grateful for everyone who is wanting to get involved and are in awe of how much our program is growing! Our Fall Major Livestock Show entries were also due today as well!

30th- We had our first workout wednesday! Laney and Daxton were out in the barn working and taking care of their animals. This is a time where the teachers are available for students who need help with their show animal projects. It is also a time where students who are working towards earning buckle points, are able to work as well.

#### September:

1st- Students were announced as the Harvest Festival Junior board members. These students applied and were chosen to represent for the 2023-2024 season! The Jr Board members are: Maggie Carter, Klair Carpenter, Mya Stuart, Brayden Dougan and Mckenzie Carter.

4th- We recently had three jackpot shows that our students participated in: the Longview jackpot, Gilmer Jackpot and Mineola Jackpot. Our members have been working hard with their animals which has paid off at these shows.

Carly Parrott recently won Grand Champion at the Mineola Jackpot show with her Wether Goat project.

5th- Floral Design students completed their Homecoming Mums and Homecoming Garters in preparation for Homecoming week! This is always a favorite for our Floral Design Students! This project takes about three weeks to complete each year.

11th- Tonight is our Annual Kick off FFA meeting! Our Fundraising company, Fresh Country Fundraising, has provided the meat for our meal tonight! We will be discussing our Fundraiser and sharing why fundraising is important for our FFA organization as a whole. We benefit from the amazing supporters of our community and would not be able to be successful without their support!

13th- We had a HUGE participation of students want to participate in the Homecoming Parade this year! We love participating in events like this so our younger members have the possibility to participate in an event as well!

Stay tuned for more awesome Sabine FFA News! *Article submitted by Lacee Garza, Sabine HS Ag Teacher.* 



### Sabine Middle School Movie Character Day Homecoming Week

Photo: Derenda Pepper and daughter Hailey

## Sabine Students Compete at the 2023 AAU Junior Olympic Games

Two of our Sabine students, Samson Black (bottom photo) a junior at Sabine High School and McCallen Evans (top photo), a 5th grader at Sabine Elementary both qualified and competed against kids from all across the country at The AAU Junior Olympic Games this summer. The AAU Junior Olympic Games for Track and Field were held in Des Moines, Iowa, the competition lasted from July 26 to August 5 of 2023.

Through encouragement from a Sabine coach Sam tried shot put & disc for the first time in 7th grade. A couple of years later he began throwing for summer track in 2022. Samson won gold at district, regionals and made his way to state in his sophomore season. This summer Sam won meet after meet here in Texas awarding him the opportunity to compete at the Nike, and USATF Nationals in Oregon then finally the AAU Nationals in Des Moines. Samson placed 2nd in the nation for shot put and 3rd in the nation for discus. He looks forward to next season as he prepares to represent Sabine to the best of his abilities!

McCallen has always loved to run but had never participated in track before joining Beast Texas Track Club this past spring. He ran and long jumped in many meets this past spring and summer winning 12 medals and two 1st place ribbons which earned him the chance to participate in the Junior Olympic Games. His 4x400 relay team placed 25th in the Nation and McCallen placed 52nd in the nation for 11-year old boys long jump. We are very proud of him for working hard making it so far in his 1st year! He is excited to compete again next year and is counting the days until he can run for Coach Hefner and Sabine ISD. *Article submitted by Charquay Evans, mother of McCallen Evans*.







The Sabine High School Cardinal Band presents:

# HONOR AMERICA

November 7, 2023 7:00 pm

James Bamberg Stadium, Sabine High School

- Tickets are \$5 at the gate.
- Veterans admission is free and get priority parking in the season pass lot.
- FIREWORKS!
- Hot dogs, chips, & water.
   (First come, first serve)

Performances by:

Sabine High School Band
Sabine High School Majorettes
Sabine High School Strutters
Sabine Middle School Band
Sabine Middle School Majorettes
Sabine Middle School Steppers
Sabine Elementary Singing Sensations