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## Christmas Tree Forest FREE Family Fun Day

**AMST, the Junior League, and H-E-B Partner to Bring “A Reading Wonderland”, 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Tree Forest to Corpus Christi**

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:** H-E-B and the Junior League of Corpus Christi, in partnership with The Art Museum of South Texas, are proud to announce the **9<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Tree Forest: A Reading Wonderland**. This event is an exhibition of Christmas trees decorated to mirror the themes of children’s books chosen by participating local schoolchildren.

Join H-E-B, the Junior League of Corpus Christi and The Art Museum of South Texas in celebrating - **Christmas Tree Forest Free Family Fun Day**. This wonderful celebration of literacy will take place on **December 8, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** at The Art Museum of South Texas. On this day, with the sponsorship of H-E-B, the Junior League of Corpus Christi will provide H-E-Buddy goodie bags to the first 2,000 children who attend. There will be Christmas music, live entertainment and a special appearance by Santa Claus! Individuals will be able to vote for their favorite tree decorated by local students based on a children’s book. Families and children of all ages are invited to experience and participate in the wonder of literacy by enjoying this fun and free event.

This exhibition will be **on display at the Art Museum of South Texas from November 17 through December 12, 2018, including three bonus Mondays (11/26, 12/3, and 12/10)**. For more information regarding group tours during these dates, please contact the Art Museum Education department at [AMSTed@tamucc.edu](mailto:AMSTed@tamucc.edu).

### **Christmas Tree Forest Free Family Fun Day**

**Who:** Art Museum of South Texas, H-E-B, and the Junior League of Corpus Christi will host Christmas Tree Forest FREE Family Fun Day with art activities, Santa Claus, H-E-B Buddy, and holiday music.

**When:** December 8, 2018 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

**Where:** Art Museum of South Texas, 1902 North Shoreline Boulevard Corpus Christi, TX 78401

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*The Art Museum of South Texas, located at 1902 N. Shoreline Blvd. Corpus Christi, Texas is open to the public Tuesday – Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 1 p.m. – 5 p.m. and is closed on Monday. For admission information details contact the museum at 361-825-3500 or visit [www.artmuseumofsouthtexas.org](http://www.artmuseumofsouthtexas.org)*

*The Junior League of Corpus Christi, Inc. is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving the community through the effective action of leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable.*