

## **HOLIDAY CLOSURES:**

## **Thanksgiving Holiday**

Thursday, November 24 Friday, November 25

#### **BILL PAYMENT**

**Kiosk locations accepting** credit cards, cash and checks:

#### **HEB**

1609 N. Texas Ave.

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725 E. Villa Maria

#### BTU Drive-Through

205 E. 28th St. Open 24 hours

Bring your BTU account number, BTU bill, keycard or reminder letter.

Payments can be made 24 hours a day via the "e-payment" option by calling 979.821.5700. Account number and credit card required.

#### btutilities.com

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### **Primary Address:**

205 E. 28th St., Bryan, TX 77803

#### **Mailing Address:**

PO Box 8000, Bryan, TX 77805



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Applications are currently being accepted through February 1, 2023. The trip will take place June 11-19, 2023.

# The Why

The idea to send students to Washington D.C. came from President Lyndon B. Johnson, a Texan who advocated for rural electrification and youth development. In 1957, when he was still a U.S. senator, Johnson suggested "sending youngsters to the national capital where they can actually see what the flag stands for and represents."

This notion evolved in the 1960s into a nationwide effort to send young people on organized, fun and educational trips to the nation's capital. Today, electric utilities from nearly every state send more than 1,500 youths to Washington, D.C. each June. Since 1965, more than 50,000 students have toured the capital thanks to their local utilities.

Bryan Texas Utilities (BTU) is committed to powering and empowering the community we serve, and that means providing more than electricity. BTU also works to improve quality of life in the Brazos Valley, which includes investing in the area's young people. We are working to shape tomorrow's leaders by proudly sponsoring three local high school students to attend the Government-in-Action Youth Tour.

## The Where

Students from Texas meet up in our state capital, Austin, TX, for a couple of days of touring memorials and museums to learn about state history. Students then travel by chartered flight to Washington D.C. for a week of fun-filled days touring attractions and historical sites.

## The Who

Three local high school students will be chosen as winners for the trip. To be eligible students must be a sophomore, junior, or senior in high school and either live in or attend school in the BTU service territory.

### All applicants must apply online at: btutilities.com/youthtour

Candidates will be judged on their responses to an essay question, their extracurricular activities, and academic and civic leadership.

Apply online today at btutilities.com/youthtour









Holiday Magic / Sue Haswell Memorial Park December 1 / 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Enjoy the magic of the holidays with the City of Bryan Parks & Recreation Department! Holiday Magic features a snow hill, pictures with Santa, hot chocolate, train rides, games and more! This holiday-filled event is free to attend along with free shuttle rides to and from Blinn College.

CONSERVATION TIPS

## **Energy Conservation Tip:**

Save energy by setting the temperature of the water heater to the warm setting (120°F). It will also help avoid scalding.





### **Water Conservation Tip:**

Hand-washing dishes takes more time than using a dishwasher. Let your dishwasher do the work and you'll save almost 10 days a year while saving money and water! If washing dishes by hand, use a basin of soapy water or plug your sink.