



Have a
blessed and
meaningful
Easter!



**25th Lake Tomahawk
Benefit Classic Golf Tournament
April 12, 2025**

Chambers County Golf Course · #1 Pinchback Dr, Anahuac TX

8:30 am Shotgun Start

Player Fee: \$80 per player / 4 player scramble = \$320 per team.

Hole sponsorships are \$100 per hole in honor, memory, or your name, company or church.

Fee includes green fees and cart, fajita and sausage brunch, soft drinks during play, and player enhancements (Tee box move-up, hole-in-one contest) AND unlimited Christian fellowship!

All proceeds will be used to sustain the financial needs of Lake Tomahawk Christian Retreat Center.

Register your team and/or your hole sponsorship for this year's tournament! Details can be found at our website: <https://sanjacintobaptist.com/ministries/lake-tomahawk/benefit-golf-classic/>

Contact us at sjba@sanjacintobaptist.com or 281.422.3604.



<p>April 2025 Volume MMXXV No. 4</p>	<p>“But the word of God increased and multiplied.” (Acts 12:24 ESV)</p> <p>San Jacinto Baptist Association is a community of churches uniting believers to reflect Christ through encouragement, education and resources in making disciples for the glory of God’s Kingdom.</p>
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Jason Shuttlesworth

Pastor, Wooster Baptist Church, Baytown

SAN JACINTO BAPTIST ASSOCIATION First, I want to thank you for being a part of SJBA! Thank you for praying, giving, and serving! I also want to thank Mike Martin and Wes Freeman, who are serving as co-interim executive directors for us. Please pray for them and be encouragers to them!

It was in my first pastorate when I saw a block party firsthand. I was a new pastor in Johnstown, Colorado, and a missions team had been arranged to come and serve our church and community. It had been arranged by the interim pastor who served before me. It was a learning experience for me.

A team with the Baptist Association from St. Joseph, Missouri, came out to serve our community. It's been a day or two (probably more like 9000 days), so I don't remember all of the details, but I do remember it having an impact on my life and ministry! The block party was set up in a local park. We had food, games, and testimonies. There was a drama group that did some creative presentations that shared God's Word. It was geared to attract people, build relationships, meet needs, and share the good news of Jesus! The group returned the next summer and had two smaller block parties in other parks as well as a prayer event and some door-to-door work.

It was after these two years that my wife, Angie, and I started leading our church to do block parties of our own. That was a long time ago now, but the concept and goals are the same.

We've been asked, as an association of churches, to help pastor Marcos Ramos and his wife, Irma, with a block party. Bro. Marcos is now pastoring Airline Manor Baptist Church in Houston. The address is 610 East Parker, Houston, TX, 77076. There are needs in the area, and we have an opportunity to help them on Saturday, April 26, from 10 am to 2 pm. We will be bringing the SJBA block party trailer. We will need help setting up, taking down, cleaning up, leading games, manning the bounce house, giving out food, making relationships, and sharing the good news of Jesus Christ.

Pray for this church, community, and event. Come and help us out. I pray it will inspire you to reach out to your own communities also!

Prayerfully,
Bro. Jason

SJBA Missions Evangelism Opportunity

Block Party

SATURDAY, April 26

10 am-2 pm

Airline Manor Baptist Church
610 East Parker, Houston TX



A wonderful opportunity for you and your church to help a sister church and former pastor in our association. Marcos Ramos, formerly of First Baptist, Galena Park, is now pastor of Airline Manor Baptist Church in Houston. Pray for pastor Marcos and the Airline Manor church family as they seek to reach their community through this block party! Please come out to be the hands and feet of Jesus by helping out with this event!

For more information contact Jason Shuttlesworth at parsonjayc26@yahoo.com.



Baptist Student Ministry

Tina Wash, Director

Spring has sprung! And life is exciting!

Recognition Ceremonies are already beginning, and the BSM has been invited to participate in the way of prayer for students and their futures...Jeremiah 29:11 will be front and center stage!

Every student who has participated in the BSM over the years is precious – they have proven leadership in every area, especially in their commitment to God. This past week I witnessed a remarkable young man speaking to his ever-growing group of friends and heard him comment how this particular group of 18 had grown from a group of 3 wanting to grow in their faith and share it with others. This group joined the BSM for the first time this semester - always faithful and desiring to share, pray, encourage and express gratitude for the BSM each week. And then many who have been with us for several years will be graduating soon but have used campus involvement to share their faith. They are strong and committed leaders, and I could not be more proud of them! Proud may not be the best choice of words when I talk of the BSM students and faculty. Perhaps the word GRATEFUL is a better choice: grateful for the opportunity to participate in BSM, grateful for the individuals who have touched my life, grateful for campus personnel who welcome us each week, and most of all grateful to God for allowing me to witness His grace and power in the lives of students!

AND grateful to the churches who pray for us and prepare the food served each week...you have a ministry far beyond what is witnessed in that room in the Security Building. Students enjoy your encouragement, your testimony, and always your willingness to meet their physical needs. Thank you from all of us at the BSM.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

Don't forget!

April 21, 2025

12 pm

11:30 am for lunch @ \$10

SJBA Mission Center - 1020 Birdsong Dr, Baytown TX

EASY & SECURE WAYS TO GIVE

Give to San Jacinto Baptist Association

<https://onrealm.org/SJBALT/Give/SJBA>

Text "SJBALT" to 73256

Give to Lake Tomahawk Christian Retreat Center

<https://onrealm.org/SJBALT/Give/LT>

Text "SJBALT LT" to 73256

Message and data rates may apply. Message frequency varies
Text HELP to 73256 for help. Text STOP to 73256 to cancel.

Your GIVING Matters. Thank You!

SPRING

Lake Tomahawk Fish Fry

April 8, 2025

Lake Tomahawk, Livingston, Tx
10:00 am - 3:00 pm
Cost \$18 per person

Entertainment
Marshall Family



Register through your church.

Churches—please register your participants online.

Late registrants can still be added. (No refunds after March 24.)

A County bus will leave the Association at 8:30 am. Call 281.422.3604 if you want to ride the bus. Or go to www.sanjacintobaptist.com.

Register at www.sanjacintobaptist.com or 281-422-3604.



Need to Know Workshop

July 19, 9:00 am

Prevent, Detect, and Report Medicare Fraud

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For more information and to register go to www.sanjacintobaptist.com or call 281.422.3604.



2025 SJBA Summer Camps

at Lake Tomahawk

Register your group for one of our amazing SJBA Summer camps!

Boys Camp

July 7-11 (Mon-Fri)

For boys completed 1st through 12th grades

Youth Camp

June 16-20 (Mon-Fri)

For Junior High and High School Students



Girls Camp

July 7-11 (Mon-Fri)

For girls completed 1st through 6th grades

Preteen Camp

July 20-24 (Sun-Thurs)

Boys and girls completed 3rd - 6th grades.

Find information about each camp and Lake Tomahawk at www.sanjacintobaptist.com or call 281.422.3604.

Lake Tomahawk News
Patrick Flowers, Camp Manager

Lake Tomahawk Workdays

Church Groups & Individuals are Welcome



We need willing and able volunteers to help with some projects at Lake Tomahawk. We have a wide range of projects from difficult to easy. If your church is interested, please contact me, Patrick Flowers, at 936-563-4644.

Lake Tomahawk Christian Retreat Center
408 Lake Tomahawk Rd, Livingston, TX 77351



Senior Life Day Trip

NATIONAL UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES MUSEUM



May 7, 2025 (Wednesday)

The bus will leave SJBA at 9:30 am and return at approximately 2:30 pm. Cost is \$11 plus lunch at the Golden Corral Restaurant.

The Museum is located in Houston and has an exciting collection of Texas military history with walk-through environmental exhibits as well as static displays.



For additional information and to register go to www.sanjacintobaptist.com or call 281.422.3604.

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Folks ‘N Facts



Tell Lee College students you know about free Thursday lunches at BSM.

Thanks to our SJBA churches for providing the following BSM lunches at Lee College:

- 04/03 Central Baytown
- 04/10 Baker Road Baytown
- 04/17 Encouragers Church Intl Baytown
- 04/24 Cedar Bayou Baytown
- 05/01 A New Direction Crosby

You are impacting the lives of our Lee College students with the Gospel. Thank you!

▶▶ Want your church to be a part of the BSM Ministry?
Contact the SJBA office at 281.422.3604 or sjba@sanjacintobaptist.com

April 21, 2025
SJBA Executive Board Meeting
12 pm (Lunch 11:30 am for \$10)

~ Church Anniversaries ~

04/01/1991	Lena Gunn, Second Jacinto City
04/14/1996	Tommy Clements, Second Baytown
04/24/2011	Bill Ingram, South Avenue Pasadena
04/01/2012	Randy Piatt, Memorial Baytown
04/01/2018	Kristy Wanke, Community Crosby
04/29/2019	Jonathan Swirsky, First Huffman
04/01/2020	Gene Talbot, A New Direction Crosby

~ Birthdays ~

04/05Pat Flowers, Lake Tomahawk
04/07Henry Davis, Newport Community
04/17Bill Ingram, South Avenue Pasadena

~ Meetings ~

Senior Life Ministry Council will meet Tuesday, April 1, at 10:30 am at the SJBA Mission Center.

Coordinating Council will meet Monday, April 21, at 10:00 am at the SJBA Mission Center.

Executive Board will meet Monday, April 21, at 12:00 pm (Lunch at 11:30 am)