

SUMMER 2022

A Family Tradition since 1975

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Wow, summer has come and gone...

Time flies and kiddos are back in school and we made the summer rush! While some projects were completed ahead of time and others came to a wild and crazy slide into home plate, we made it. Looking back, I truly enjoyed the past three months. We either heard or witnessed how great our team is. Weekends, long hours and celebration is how I summarize it. Seeing the beauty of projects light up and come to life is very fulfilling.

We kicked off the summer with our "All Hands" meeting at Santikos. We continued our conversation around safety and heard from OSHA Compliance Officer Victor Ramon, who provided a regional update and the daunting statistics that haunt our trade. We were further educated about 401k retirement and our health care benefits.

We celebrated 'Family Day' at Fiesta Texas. What was most enjoyable of this experience was not just the day of, but more importantly the bonds made during the planning process.



Supporting Jerry Gomez Family @ our All Hands Mtg (above) plus New HS Intern, Miranda on board for our internship program --->

I want to personally thank all those involved in this process of brainstorming, planning and executing a beautiful day that my family will cherish. (pics on pg. 8)

Ernie & I are so grateful to all of you and your families. Your commitment and dedication is contagious. We want to work harder and celebrate more with you and your families. Life is a journey, and we are honored to be a part of that process with you! God Bless!!!

Regards,
Chris & Ernie Martinez

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SWISD NATATORIUM



Southwest ISD's first and largest indoor Natatorium was completed over the summer after several long work weeks and weekends. The facility will not only house SWISD water sports, but it will also be available to the local community, including lessons and training. Congrats Warren and team!

Port Tech interior work is complete thanks to a great effort by Chris C & team. Being a Scif building for the US Air Force, the work at hand was technical & complicated however Central was up to the task and received great reviews from our longstanding customer Port SA. Great job team! Next up is completing the exterior work once the N3R Swbd arrives from the factory.

PORT TECH FINISH OUT



Medina Base Bldg 310. Also a Scif, Stewart Roland and Mario did a great job completing this project which was a 2-story remodel with new building addition component. This is our 3rd completed project with Butt Construction (GC), and they are looking forward to more successful projects with us in the future.

TOWNE TWIN



Towne Twin is a non-profit project to provide transitional housing to homeless people. There will be dozens of tiny homes, multiple camp sites with amenity buildings- food hall, chapel, laundry room, etc. Joe Diaz and team are nearing completion of the UG work and building finishes will be starting this month.

UTSA PARK WEST

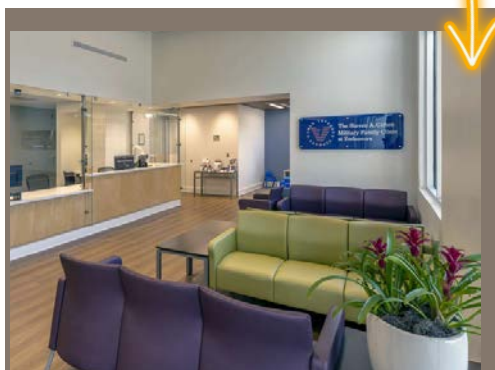


The new soccer, track & field spring sports facility @ UTSA is coming out of the ground. The structure will be erected this month and the project is moving fast. Josh Espinosa and team are keeping up!



NEW PROJECTS

St Phillips College, Campus Center: Our first project with Turner Construction is gearing to ramp up. This is a finishout of the 2-story Campus Center project at St Phillips College. The building is full of technology, meeting space, offices and learning centers. Chris Colunga and team are getting ready to hit the ground running, with over dozen pre-fab submissions coming together in conjunction with 3-D BIM modeling the Josh Pogue is working closely with the Turner team.



Endeavors HQ: Our niche/ purpose of "Growing People Through Lasting Relationships" continues with Endeavors, non profit that provides programs and services towards community, disaster relief, employment, housing, mental health and veteran family services. We were selected by FA Nunnally for the 2nd floor finishout that will provide additional office space for their team.

- PROJECTS IN ACTION
- SERVICE DEPT
- WASHINGTON DC NEWS
- SAFETY MESSAGE

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TEXAS BIOMED



WATERS EDGE OFFICE BLDG



This new project will be kicking off with GC Harvey Cleary. What is highly exciting is a second identical building is also in negotiations and likely to be awarded to us in the near future! This will be our 3rd project with Harvey Cleary.

Service

By: Kyle Reding

We have several crews that are rocking and rolling at the NISD projects at Hobby MS and Leon Springs Elementary.

Projects wrapping up: Portables at Rolling Meadows Elementary and Tradition Elementary as well as a generator upgrade at SAHA Samuel Pedro Arms.

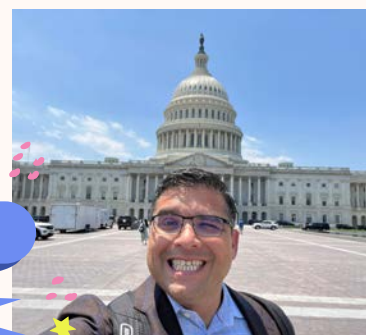
Projects starting up: Grey Forest Generator. After almost a year of waiting for our generator, we will finally be starting in the next month or so. We have also received several SAHA elevator renovations at 5 different locations.

Service shout out, Trisha, Bill, and his son William volunteered their time to help cook 150 sausages for a Neighborhood Block Party at His Bridge Builders that we previously installed lighting and added power to a storage shed. (pic pg 8)

MORE NEWS...WASHINGTON DC



Your voice
is important



Advocating on behalf of our industry is vital to the success of our team. This summer, Chris Martinez, went to Capital Hill to meet with elected officials to talk about the construction industry and the importance of Fair and Open Competition. Chris was part of a delegation from ABC South Texas. Pictured above with Congressman Chip Roy, whom has 100% voting record of supporting ABC.

SAFETY

By: Wally Esquivel

The summer heat was NO JOKE! With temperatures slightly dropping, you should remain alert when it comes to Heat Illness Prevention. Check out these upcoming Safety Trainings!

We continue to promote and make available trainings and certifications to help our team reach personal goals, OSHA compliant and meet electrical standards. Be on the lookout for upcoming OSHA 10/30 certification opportunities!



- **Sept: Confined Space**
- **Oct: Trench/Excavations**
- **Nov Silica**
- **Dec: Fall Protection**

CENTRAL ELECTRIC

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS ENGINEERS

Back to
SCHOOL

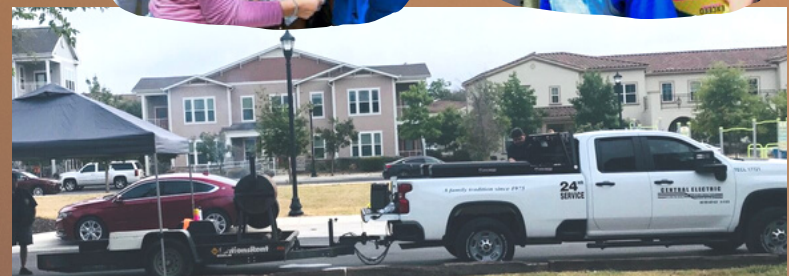
GIVING TO OUR
COMMUNITY



Trish took the lead with organizing school supply donations for this great Bridge-Builders Back to school event. The goal was to help 300 needy children on San Antonio's eastside with backpacks and school supplies. In addition, Art & Trade Mgmt cooked and served sausages as the kiddos came by. We want to thank our team and vendors for your generosity in purchasing much need items for the kiddos, your time, and commitment to helping neighbors. Be on the lookout for more volunteer opportunities! (More volunteer events on pg 8)



BRIDGEBUILDERS
hope in salvation
In San Antonio



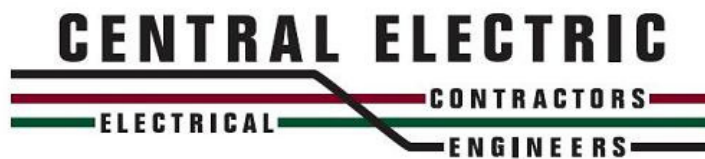
Equipment Share
Trillium
Trade Mgmt
Elliott
Gallagher

and our team for the supplies & your time!

Thank you>>>>



Saving lives!

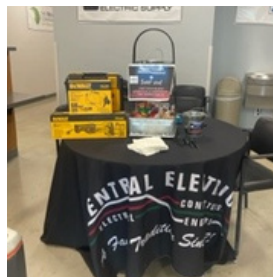
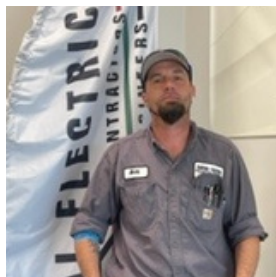
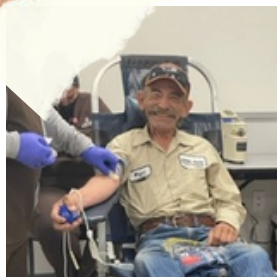


Blood Drive Success!

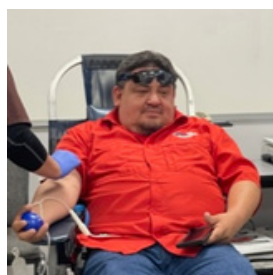
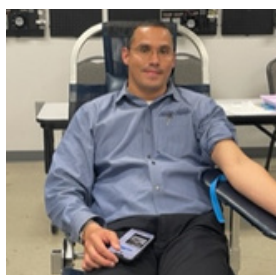
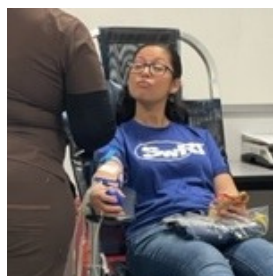
BECOME A BLOOD DONOR

What an incredible day! We had several work family and friends sign up for our 1st Blood drive. A few were unable to go thru the donation process due to unforeseen circumstances, but they made the effort to help the cause. Thank you IEC for the space, Trish for coordinating with UHS, Dewalt tool donations, Construction News AND all blood donors for coming out to support. We ask that you please continue to pray for Jerry's wife, Elizabeth Gomez.

Spread awareness & share w/friends & family by posting on social media!



#Liver4Liz



Blood donations always accepted

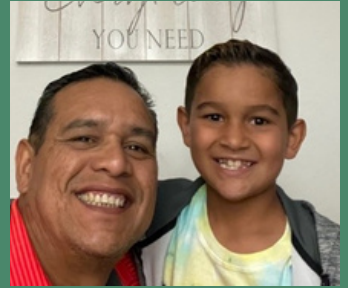
The South Texas Blood Bank and University Health are in need of blood donations. One blood donor may help save THREE lives! Save a life today.

When our oldest daughter was born, a very good friend told me that we would have 18 years until she journeys off into the world. He said the first 4-years she is not old enough to go to school and the last 4-years (high school) she probably will not want us near the school, so that leaves only 10 first days of school.

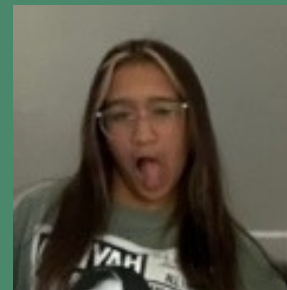
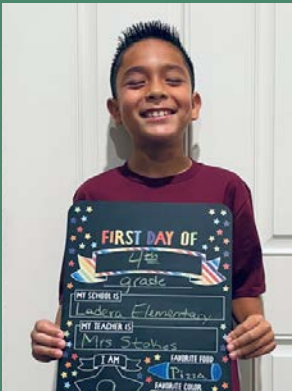
As you know, we are grounded in Faith and Family. Work is family and family is work.

As the new school year kicked off, Ernie & I gave families up to 2 hours of PTO to celebrate with their children on the first day of school. Congratulations on these exciting times and enjoying the moment with your child. Thank you to all those that captured and shared the memories of that special day!

Regards, Chris Martinez

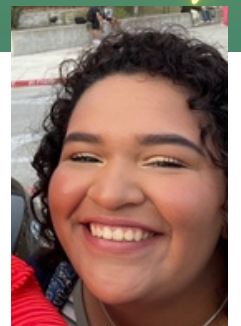


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Thanks for sharing!

FIRST DAY OF Class





By: Edward Garcia

Whenever the time comes that one of our own needs help with something, whether it's guidance, coaching, or fundraising for the kiddos, Central Electric is always there, especially regarding family. I had the opportunity to help coordinate/distribute over 65 plates of some tasty barbecue across four of our projects. Luis Gonzales and family held a fundraiser to help out his son's team competing in the World Series in Grapevine, Texas! Best of Luck!

Birthdays LET'S CELEBRATE!

SEPTEMBER

- 1 Alvin Arias
- 6 Daniel Ibarra
- 15 Jesse Aguillon
- 26 Jesus Ortegón
- 15 Jose Diaz
- 22 Joshua Rodriguez
- 12 Joel Tamez
- 13 Louis Delgado
- 28 Nery Cruz
- 30 Vincent Llamas

OCTOBER

- 2 George Ramirez
- 3 Joseph Casanova
- 8 Gerardo Tejada
- 10 Ramon Rodriguez
- 11 Diego Torres
- 14 Brian Ray
- 14 Julian Reyes
- 16 Uriel DeLos Santos
- 18 Andrew Torres
- 19 Ramon Flores
- 21 Dalton Schubert
- 25 Patricia Wallace
- 31 Juan Quijada

NOVEMBER

- 1 Chris Morales
- 2 John Trevino
- 3 William Ryan
- 6 Leo Aguilar
- 7 Devante Webster
- 13 Jose Trevino
- 22 Ezekiel Gutierrez
- 26 Jesus Tavaréz
- 28 Isaac Garza



Gotta have cake! Celebrating some August b-days @shop!

Anniversaries (# Yrs!)

SEPTEMBER

- 3 David Godines 9 yrs
- 9 Joshua Rodriguez 3 yrs
- 10 Louis Adams 10 yrs
- 12 Rolando Reyes 5 yrs
- 14 George Ramirez 4 yrs
- 16 Michael Acuna 7 yrs
- 17 Patricia Wallace 10 yrs
- 19 Theodore Schloemer 9 yrs
- 20 Jesse Aguillon 10 yrs
- 21 Michael Nira 2 yrs
- 22 Jose Diaz 8 yrs

OCTOBER

- 1 Edward Garcia 10 yrs
- 1 Jesus Ortegón 10 yrs
- 3 Mario Cervantes 11 yrs
- 6 Victor Pruneda 8 yrs
- 10 Marc Pena 5 yrs
- 13 Juan Quijada 14 yrs
- 16 Ronald Johnson 5 yrs
- 24 Josue Lopez 4 yrs
- 24 Joshua Pogue 9 yrs
- 26 Brandon Ruiz 2 yrs
- 31 Nery Cruz 6 yrs

NOVEMBER

- 1 Ernest Martinez 15 yrs
- 4 Eric Reyes 8 yrs
- 15 Juan Torres 10 yrs
- 16 Raul Villagomez 10 yrs
- 18 Jose Nieves Herrera 3 yrs
- 19 Juan Campos 10 yrs
- 22 Christian Escobedo 1 yrs
- 29 Nathan Hernandez 1 yrs

Welcome to our family!

With fall just around the corner, we accomplished our goal to add more apprentices to the IEC apprenticeship program and HS Interns from Sr. Year Construction program @SSISD, in addition some much needed Front office staff!



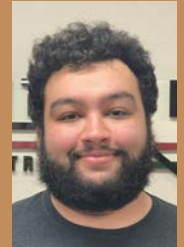
Diego Alvarado



Braulio Sandoval



Miranda Rodriguez



Dalton Schubert



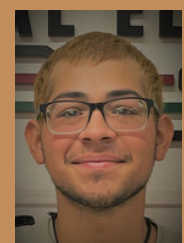
Aiden Ortega



Roberto Farias



Luis Lara



Ethan Rodriguez



Raymond Rodriguez



Cori Hernandez



We wish Oriana the best as she moves back to Peru to continue on her career <-----path!



Our Svc team answers the call again! Bill and Trish (with some great help from Bill's son) cooked 150 sausage for the block party held in July for Bridge Builders. (cont from pg 3)



Congrats Ernest Laredo Family!

DID YOU KNOW... THAT 64% OF OUR TEAM HAS MORE THAN 4 YRS?? congrats & thank u!

Irving Dual Language Career Day: Thanks RJ & Roger Gonzalez



- Meet new people
- Gain Knowledge of other ways of life
- Gain a sense of purpose
- Boost yourself esteem
- Networking Opportunities
- Improve your brain functioning
- Reduce stress by helping others!

From blood drives, Clay Fun Shoots, Golf tournaments, School Supply Drives, Career Day and Oyster Bake, our team is generous with their time & dedication in helping. These events raise scholarship funds for electrical apprenticeships, provide career opportunities, help other organizations and neighborhood needs!



SO MUCH FUN!

(above) Another great event held to raise \$s for multiple programs thru ABC. Mike Medina went on to final round!



We had over 200 folks attend our Family Day @ Fiesta Texas! Shout out to the planning committee and volunteers that made this possible. We hope you join us next year and we welcome anyone on the team to help plan our next event!