

In What's Happening **Around Texas**, we give you highlights of events and activities happening around the state in the TXCPA chapters.

The TXCPA Dallas Business & Industry Committee hosted Behind the Scenes at BuzzBallz on March 25. Members had the privilege of listening to Merrilee Kick, CEO of BuzzBallz, as she shared information about the company's origins, the intricate crafting process and future plans. The event also included a tour of the facility and samples of BuzzBallz cocktails.

TXCPA East Texas teamed up with the UT Tyler Writing Center to host a valuable Scholarship Essay Workshop on February 1. Attendees worked on refining and enhancing their essay writing skills, received valuable guidance and broadened their professional network.

On March 26, a group of curious students, new licensees and longtime members connected for the TXCPA Fort Worth "Yappy Hour." During lively conversations, ideas were exchanged and bonds were forged, as contented canines comingled with members.

On March 2, TXCPA Houston members and their guests volunteered at Rescued Pets Movement in Houston. Volunteers of all ages rolled up their sleeves, engaging in a flurry of activities from dog-walking to kennel cleaning, and even penning heartfelt donor thank-you notes.

TXCPA Permian Basin hosted a beneficial CPA2B Bootcamp at UTPB on February 2. Accounting students immersed themselves in the one-day program, gaining insights on crafting dynamic resumes, mastering interview etiquette and navigating the intricate path toward sitting for the CPA Exam.

On March 26, TXCPA San Antonio organized an exclusive members-only hard hat tour at 300 Main in collaboration with Weston Urban. This unique event provided members with an insider's perspective on downtown development. Then on April 1, a dedicated group of volunteers from TXCPA San Antonio participated in a Habitat for Humanity event, giving back to their local community.











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