



Sunday, February 2, 2025 9:30AM - 5PM **CTBA Annual Clothes Donation Drive**





Clothing Donation Drive - Sunday, Dec 8th 2024 to Sunday, Dec 29th 2024

Give the gift of warmth with a piece of clothing

We are taking all kinds of lightly used winter clothes,

new socks and sneaker shoes Please find the

blue tote bin on the porch

Where do we drop off our donations ?

For convenience of our donors, we have identified 7 locations across Austin where you can drop off your donations.

- 1. 1420 Reprise Bend, Round Rock, Texas 78681
- 2. 8315 Pommel Dr., Austin, TX 78759
- 3. 2609 Roaring River Trail, Leander, TX 78641
- 4. 1805 Autumn Fire Drive, Cedar Park, TX 78613
- 5. 9300 Ivalenes Hope Dr., Austin, TX 78717
- 6. 4432 Mandalin St., Pflugerville, TX 78660
- 7. 16316 Spillman Ranch Loop, Austin, TX 78738

Please note: All items must be either new or lightly used. Although you don't need to launder them, please don't donate soiled, stained or damaged items.

pair-up-buddies

DONATION

Hello parents,

"Dhruobotara" the CTBA magazine committee welcoming our little writers and illustrators to present their skill of writing and drawing on our new initiative, "Saraswati Pujo Exhibition for Kids". We will demonstrate the final creation on our exhibition wall. This can be a very fun activity to encourage our upcoming writers and painters. So parents, be the cheerleader of your kids.

Rules:

- Two kids have to pair up as a team for each entry.
- One kid will be the writer and other will be the illustrator.
- The writing can be a poem, a joke or a short story.
- The drawing and the writing must be related to each other.
- The two articles need to be clubbed on a single A4 size page.
- Last date of submission 01/19/2025
- Submit to dhrubotara@ctbaaustin.org

Details needed for participants duo Names

- Age
- **Team name Parents** names

2024 – Year Look back !

CTBA Saraswati Puja Celebration



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Holiday Lights in and Around Austin – Source: https://austin-christmas-lights.com/

Austin:

37th Street Lights Trail of Lights Zilker Tree Lighting Downtown Holiday Sing-Along, Stroll & Tree Lighting Mozart's Lake Austin Festival of Lights Longhorn Lights Community First! Village of Lights Mueller's Annual Tower Lighting Domain Northside Holiday Display

Georgetown:

Shady Oak Christmas Display Georgetown Lighting of the Square The Light Park

Cedar Park: Tree Lighting & Santa's Workshop Tail of Lights

Round Rock: Hometown Holiday Christmas Dreams & Snowy Things

Buda: Buda Trail of Lights

New Braunfels: Santa's Ranch

Johnson City: Lights Spectacular



Bee Cave:

Lake Travis:

Lakeway Lights On!

Hill Country Galleria Holiday Village

Lake Travis Holiday Boat Parade

Lockhart: A Christmas to Remember



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