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HISD Students Providing Sneak Peek of 36th Annual Art Car Parade Creations

WHAT:

Houston Independent School District students from 21 different campuses have been revving up the creativity constructing beautiful and unique pieces of art on wheels. These creations will make their way down the road during the 36th annual Art Car Parade happening Saturday, April 15 at Sam Houston Park with kickoff starting at noon.

Community members will have the opportunity to get a sneak peek of these creations before they hit the streets. Nearly 100 art cars, contraptions, lowriders, SLABs and incredible mobile masterpieces will be featured at this year's parade. The public will get a first look at them while strolling through Discovery Green and along Avenida Houston. Visitors will also be able to meet artists, enjoy kid craft activities, music, and a special performance by Cirque Olympus.

Students worked on vehicles that are decorated around themes devised by their class and instructors including a tribute to blues rocker Stevie Ray Vaughn and a car inspired by Black Panther: Wakanda Forever. Events like these help students develop a greater sense of pride for themselves, their schools, and their community. Click here to learn more about the art car parade and HISD's participating schools.

WHO: HISD Fine Arts Department, HISD students and staff

WHEN: Thursday, Apr. 13

6:00 p.m.

WHERE: Discovery Green, 1500 McKinney St., 77010

The Houston Independent School District is the largest school district in Texas and the eighth-largest in the United States, with 276 schools and nearly 190,000 students. The 333-square-mile district is one of the largest employers in the Houston metropolitan area, with more than 27,000 employees.

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