



AUGUST 2023

# CITY CENTER NEWS



## Carter BloodCare

Blood donors are key allies in  
fight against cancer...

More than 25% of the U.S. blood  
supply is used to help patients  
battling cancer.

With nearly 2 million people  
diagnosed with a new cancer each  
year, many need blood and platelets  
during their treatments.  
Transfusions may be required due to  
anemia, low blood counts from  
chemotherapy or radiation  
treatments, or blood loss during  
surgery.



Lauren McCrary from  
Fort Worth shares  
her story

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September 12, 2023  
9:00 am - 1:05 pm  
President's Room in City Club



10th Year of Our Annual Event

# PUBLIC FIGURES PRIVATE ARTISTS

October 4, 2023



42,000 Clients ... 200,000 Art Therapy Sessions

For Details, Tickets & Sponsorships:

[www.one.bidpal.net/pfpa](http://www.one.bidpal.net/pfpa)



## CALLING ALL CITY CENTER ARTISTS!

City Center has partnered with  
**The Art Station**

in support of their Fall Fundraiser:

**Public Figures, Private Artists.**

On Wednesday, October 4, they will host a live auction of artwork donated by Public Figures in our local community. Donated art may be beautiful paintings or watercolor art to carved wood or metalwork, all created by local individuals with deep roots in our community. Many of the participants are secret artist behind their public role, and the art is often completed at home in their free time. However, many public figures that have also donated to the event claim to not be artists, but they work with The Art Station's therapists to create a piece that is unique and inspiring as well.

City Center is inviting artists, aka tenants, to participate in the art creation component of the event. If you would like

to create your own work of art at home to donate, that would be greatly appreciated. But, please know that you don't have to be an artist to join in! The art therapists are highly skilled at helping with the concept and direction of the artwork. On **August 30 and 31**, the art therapists will be onsite at City Center where you can create your own masterpiece that would then be displayed inside City Center and available for auction! It would be a fabulous opportunity to show your colleagues your hidden talent. If you'd like to participate in this activity, please send an email to [vfarrell@citycenterfw.com](mailto:vfarrell@citycenterfw.com).

Learn More  
About

# The Art Station

The Art Station is a nonprofit organization offering individual and group art therapy and community programs to children and adults.

Art therapy is defined as a human service profession that uses art media, images and the creative process to help individuals understand and communicate their thoughts, feelings, relationships, interests, concerns, and conflicts.

Click to watch  
a video to  
learn more!



[www.theartstation.org](http://www.theartstation.org)

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# JOIN US ON SEPT 9!

Many people have asked if they could come watch the Memorial Tower Climb and the answer is a resounding **YES!** The purpose of the event overall is to memorialize the Fallen Heroes from 9/11 and to continue remembering and honoring them today.

During the City Center climb, participants will climb or walk 36 floors, 3 times in the Bank of America Tower at 301 Commerce Street, which is nearly the equivalent of the 110 stories of the World Trade Center.

There will be various tributes to memorialize the fallen first responders including a local pipe & drum band playing *Amazing Grace*, a dedicated moment of silence recognizing the timeline that unfolded on September 11, 2001, and each of today's heroes – our local first responders – will carry a name and photo of a hero who responded to the World Trade Centers.

All participants in this tower climb are area first responders. Many are firefighters wearing an additional fifty to seventy pounds of their protective gear and firefighting equipment and officers wearing an additional ten to thirty pounds of their bullet proof vest and duty service belt.

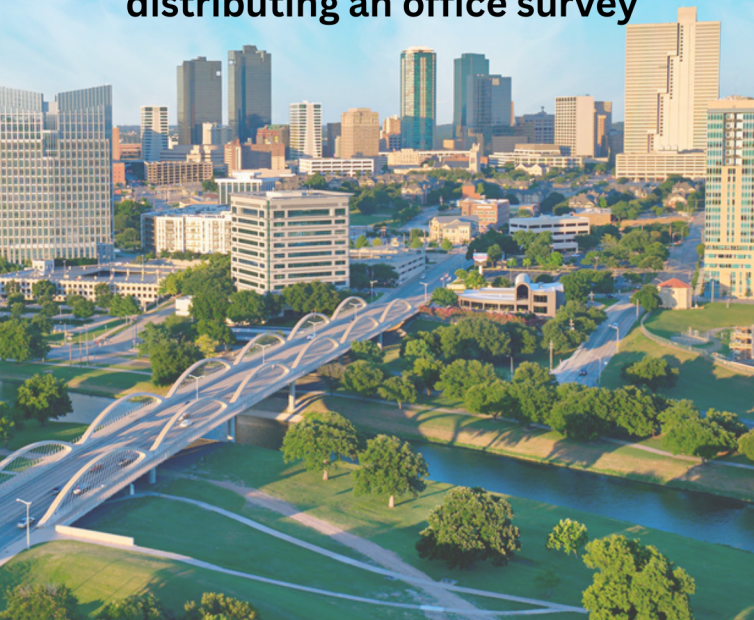


- 8:25 am**     **Opening Ceremony**
- 8:46 am**     **Moment of Silence**  
*North Tower Hit by Flight 11*
- 8:47 am**     **Climb Begins**
- 9:03 am**     **Moment of Silence**  
*South Tower Hit by Flight 175*
- 9:37 am**     **Moment of Silence**  
*Pentagon hit by Flight 77*
- 9:59 am**     **Moment of Silence**  
*South Tower Collapses*
- 10:03 am**     **Moment of Silence**  
*Flight 93 Crashes in Shanksville, PA*
- 10:28 am**     **Moment of Silence**  
*North Tower Collapses*
- by 12:00 pm**   **The final climbers finish**

**Watch a new video  
about the Memorial  
Tower Climb!**



## Downtown Fort Worth Inc. will soon be distributing an office survey



If you are an employee or a CEO officing in Downtown Fort Worth you may be randomly selected to participate in our 2023 Office Survey. Downtown Fort Worth Inc's objective is to understand the evolving needs of downtown's officer workers and space decision makers.

By participating in this survey, you will be part of the ongoing effort to improve downtown as a premier place for corporate offices and employee satisfaction. The information you provide will also help everyone involved in the downtown improvement process make better, more informed decisions.

If you have any questions, please contact Shane Smith, Director of Research, by email or by phone at:

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