

BUTTERFLIES & BOOKS

LEADERSHIP NACOGDOCHES CLASS OF 2016-2017

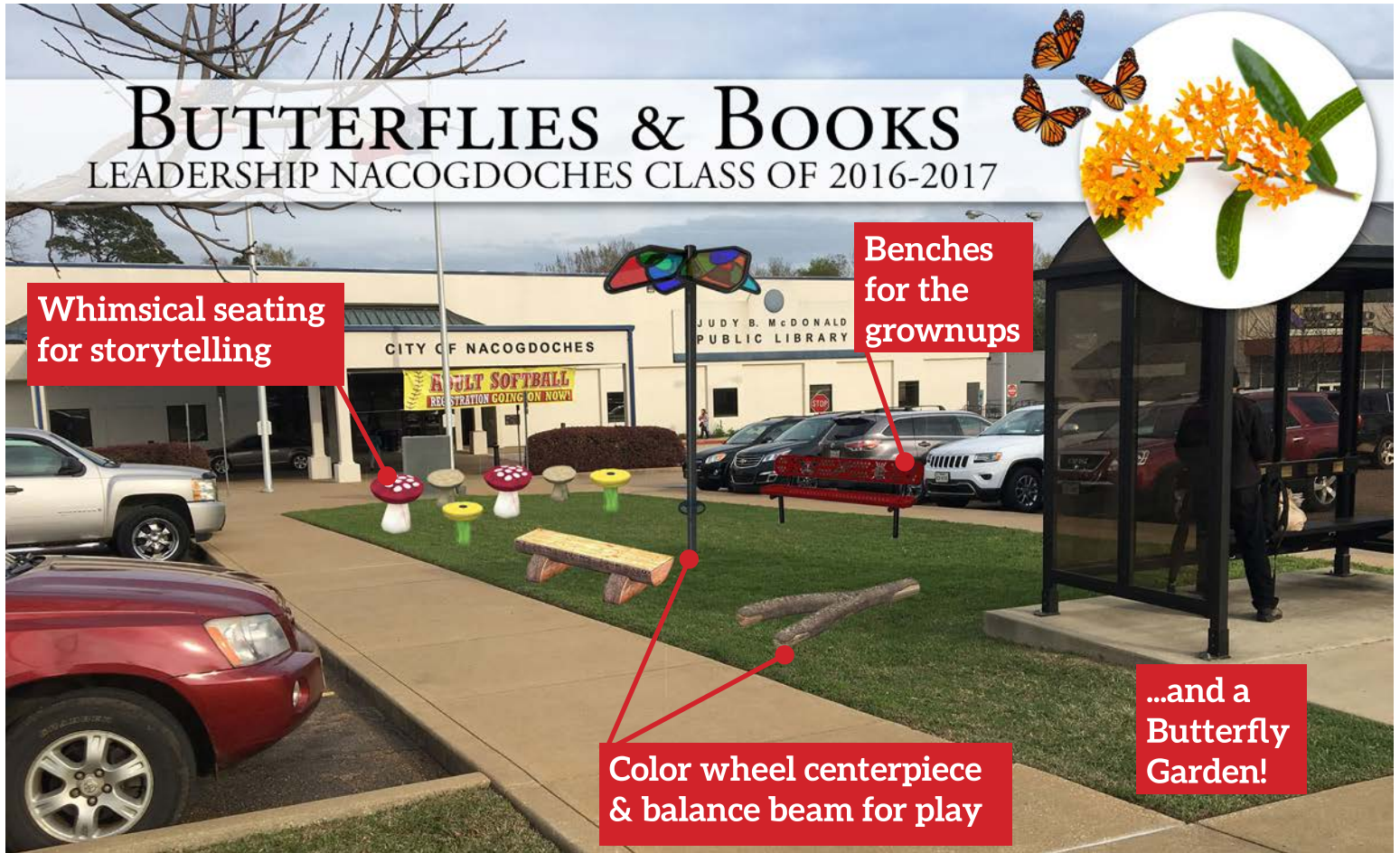


Whimsical seating for storytelling

Benches for the grownups

Color wheel centerpiece & balance beam for play

...and a Butterfly Garden!



Dear Community Member,

As the Leadership Nacogdoches Class of 2016-2017, we are thrilled to present our class project, "Butterflies and Books," to the community of Nacogdoches.

We have worked many hours searching for the perfect concept to adorn the front lawn of the Nacogdoches Public Library. We wanted an inviting space that served dual purposes; one, to encourage an excitement of reading and interaction with the library and two, to serve as a gathering spot for families and their children to enjoy!

This space as it sits now is just a green plot; there isn't much interesting art or a play space to engage the community, so we made a plan! We want to fill the space with a beautiful, flourishing Butterfly Garden, a Story Telling space and plenty of interactive seating and climbing! We have a vision of a beautiful space filled with nature-inspired pieces to really attract the community to the space! The concept art above will give you a general idea of our plan.

We were able to raise over \$10,000 on a raffle ticket fundraiser in early 2017 and now this money will be put to good use, but we could use a little more! Graciously, the city has agreed to maintain the landscaping aspects of the project, but we, as a class need to seek additional funds to help us provide the structures, seating and landscaping needed to make the space amazing.

We are hoping you will review our partnership opportunities that would benefit your company or organization and see if they are a fit for our project. **For your donation, a custom metal plate will adorn your sponsorship piece that features your name or logo!**

Complete with media presence and fun with flair, we will be having a great big party to celebrate the grand opening of our "Butterfly and Books" Butterfly Garden in early May, so time is of the essence.

Again, thank you for the opportunity to share our project with you. Please consider sponsoring an attraction at our new space and helping us make Nacogdoches even better!

Thank you,

The Leadership Nacogdoches Class of 2016-2017