

Clean up date set for cemetery

The Conroe Community Cemetery Restoration Project will begin cleaning the Conroe Community Cemetery again on Jan. 23.

The group will meet every two weeks after this to continue cleaning up the rest of the cemetery. Additional clean up dates are Feb. 6 and Feb. 20, March 6 and March 20 and April 3 and April 17. As always weather permitting. Follow the Conroe Community Cemetery Facebook page for updates.

The clean up on Jan. 23 is from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Due to COVID-19, participants are asked to bring a mask and their own lunch. CCC leaders will provide bottled water.

Volunteers will be working on four acres and there will be plenty of room to social distance and family groups are encouraged to work together.

Conroe Community Cemetery is located at 439 N. 10th St. in Conroe. The Conroe Community Cemetery is a historic cemetery in Conroe where many of Conroe's early Black residents are buried. The nonprofit Conroe Community Cemetery Restoration Project has lead the effort to clean up the cemetery which had become overgrown.

Visit cccrp.org for more about efforts to preserve the cemetery.



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Volunteers are pictured cleaning up the Conroe Community Cemetery. The next clean up date is set for Jan. 23, 2021