

Weekly Update

A Review of Achievements & Activities in Cleburne ISD
October 25-November 1, 2019



Golden Pride Chili Supper and BINGO Night Set for Monday, Nov. 4

The annual Cleburne High School Golden Pride Band Chili Supper and Bingo Night will be held Monday in the CHS Cafeteria. Tickets will be available at the door for \$20 for dinner and ten games of Bingo--with major prizes to be awarded. Dinner will begin at 5 p.m. with games starting at 6. The Pride Pep Band will serve as the opening entertainment for the evening, with a full performance by the Golden Pride set for 7:30 p.m. Proceeds will assist the band with their spring contest trip to Disney World.

Sixteen Teachers on Nine CISD Campuses Receive Mini Grant Awards from CEF



Wheat Middle School teacher Sarah Moulden, left, and Irving music teacher Amber Garrison, right, are among the 16 recipients of Cleburne Education Foundation Mini Grants, which were announced on Wednesday. Teachers on nine campuses received surprise classroom visits from CEF members informing them their grant proposals had been accepted.



The grants will provide for a variety of classroom resources, as well as special projects, such as selected titles for Moulden's Readers are Leaders campus book club and recorders for every student in Garrison's music program.

Grant recipients also include Rebekah Kneupper-Smith MS; Courtney Swaim, Angela Watson, Christie Smith and Margarita Ramirez (submitting for 2nd grade reading teachers)-Santa Fe; Sarah Bonner-Marti; Chrissy Sample, Amy Sisk-Adams; Erika Solis-Irving; Dawn Broadway-CHS; Jon Paul Looney-TEAM School and Amy Brown, Kaitlyn Hammond and Kristi Pritchard-Gerard.

Wheat Middle School All-Region Choir Honorees Performing in Concert Saturday



Wheat Middle School students Emma Botkin, Janna West and Xander Ballew, pictured with choir teacher Nicole Dunn, will be among the All-Region Choir members performing in concert Saturday at Weatherford High School. Botkin, who was named to the Region 30 Honor Treble Choir, is receiving All-Region honors for the second year. West's audition placed her in the Select Treble Choir and Ballew is a member of the Tenor Bass Choir. All-Region honorees from Smith MS will also be performing.

Maggie Marshall to Compete at State 5A Cross Country Meet for the Second Year

Cleburne senior Maggie Marshall crossed the finish line in the seventh place position in Monday's UIL Region II race, qualifying her for the 5A Cross Country State Meet for the second consecutive year. Marshall's time of 18:42 placed her in the top ten among individual runners in the three-mile run held at the Jesse Owens Memorial Complex in Dallas. Cleburne was among the 24 Regional qualifying teams competing, following their third place finish at District. The UIL state meet will be held November 9 at Old Settlers Park in Round Rock, with the 5A girls race set for 1:10 p.m.



Burleson Nissan Back with Attendance Incentive Program for CHS Students



A Nissan Sentra to be awarded to one CHS student--who has made coming to school a priority--rolled onto the campus last week. Students will have their names placed in a drawing multiple times, depending on their attendance by six weeks and each semester, with the chance to be among a group of ten finalists given keys to see whose will start the car. Through the

Burleson Nissan/Strive to Drive program, tax, title and license fees will be covered.

Hill College Honors CHS Students with *Moving Forward* Awards

Twenty-one CHS students have been honored with Moving Forward recognitions for their completion of 15-30 college credit hours through Hill College. Hill representatives presented senior Jordan Abbott with the "Think 30" award in achieving the completion of 30 credit hours. "15 Forward" certificates for completing their first 15 hours of college credit were presented to Adam Barnes, Linda Bogan, Kayla Brecht, Justyn Carrizales, Charles Carroll, Chloe Eicholtz, Sterling Elliot, Ally Faulk, Audrey Fenn, Karli Knippers, Caitlyn Malcomson, Maggie Marshall, Benjamin Montanez, Mikala Moore, Rylee Mullen, Kirsten Phillips-McElroy, Avery Rush, Austin Sepulveda, Gracie Walker and Alexis Wallen.



New CHS Dental Assistant Program Highlighted at Dental Careers Open House



The seniors who are serving as the first class to go through the high school's new Dental Assistant program had the opportunity to show off what they have been learning at Monday's Dental Careers Open House, with parents and members of the Cleburne dental community as



special guests. Dr. Ron Sherwood is serving as program instructor following 38 years in dentistry. He is busy preparing students for their upcoming Registered Dental Assistant exam, to be followed by experiences in the office setting, through partnerships with local dentists and orthodontists. The Cleburne students, photo right, had the opportunity to attend speaker presentations and tour the exhibit hall at the Southwest Dental Conference held October 10-11 in Dallas.

Coleman Elementary Kindergarten Teacher Amy Thomas Honored as Mrs. Pink at Annual CHS Pink-Out Pep Rally



Cleburne High School's annual Pink-Out Pep Rally, honoring breast cancer warriors and survivors who are district staff members, included the presentation of \$5,779 to Coleman Elementary kindergarten teacher Amy Thomas, photo left, raised by members of Exchangettes selected as candidates for Miss Pink. Thomas, who was also honored by the Jackets football team as their Teacher of the Week, is pictured with senior Rylea Green, who raised \$1,623 to win the 2019 Miss Pink recognition.



**Daylight Savings Time ends 2 AM Sunday, November 3!
Clocks move back one hour to Standard Time!**