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Dallas County Texas A&M University Mothers' Club NEWSLETTER

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Oct 10 7pm (Tue) **Concert Committee mtg (w/quick** updates about other fundraisers at end), upstairs @ Whole Foods

Oct 11 7-9pm (Wed) Scrapbooking @ Missy's 8834 Fenchurch, Dallas

Oct 12 5-8pm (Thu) Shopping @ <u>Kendra Scott</u>'s Sips and Sweets while you shop

- Oct 14 10am (Sat) New Moms' Social at Robin's 478 Stone Canyon, Sunnyvale
- Oct 16 Time TBA (Mon) AMC at North Park Movie: Victoria and Abdul pg 3
- Oct 19 6:30pm mtg @ 7 (Thu) **Chili Cook-off & Traditions Council** program. BRING canned goods @4024 Caruth Blvd, Dallas Univ Park United Methodist
- Oct 21 10-3pm (Thu) Craft Day Glue, Cut, Hammer @ Robin's home (478 Stone Canyon)

Oct 25 7pm (Wed) **Book Club** (a) Whole Foods

Nov 16 MEET TAMU PRESIDENT

HOSPITALITY CORNER **CHILI COOK OFF!**

It's time for our Annual Chili Cook Off. Prizes will be awarded for the Favorite

in several categories; Best of Bevo, SEC, Ol' Sarge, & Ladies Choice For more details, go to our Sign-up Genius below. Dads are welcome to join us for this event!

Please arrive with your chili by 6:00pm for judging we will start serving at 6:30 pm. If you have any questions, please call Dana at 972-978-8464. We also need help with the fixins' and dessert, if you're not a chili maker.

CHILI COOK-OFF SIGN-UP GENIUS

Thanks and Gig 'Em! Dana Hall



PRESIDENT'S PASSBACK Robin McMahan dcampres@gmail.com "Together Aggie Moms Can..."

Howdy Moms!

I hope things are going well for you and yours. The first round of exams has passed and everyone has settled into a routine. DCAM is settling into our routine and gearing up for a very busy fall as well. I encourage you to add one or more of our activities to your calendar.

It was great to see everyone at our first General Meeting. Welcome! to all the new moms. We are so pleased that you were able to join us. Thanks to everyone who brought the great Tailgate food and to all those who donated diapers or wipes for the Hope Supply Co. They were so appreciative when Janice Patterson dropped them off. The first new moms Social, held at Isabel Campbell's house, was very nice and quite successful. I look forward to meeting all moms new to DCAM, who might have missed it, at our second social on October 14 from 10-12, 478 Stone Canyon Dr., Sunnyvale, TX. Call 972-343-8596 for directions

The calendar has all the latest

information on places and times for our many activities. Our Dallas County Aggie Moms Facebook page is another great place to get information.

OCT MTG PROGRAM

The **TAMU Traditions Council** will join us for our next meeting on Oct. 19. They present a wonderful program on all things Aggie you won't want to miss. We will be collecting Food for the 12th CAN, an on campus food pantry, at this meeting. More information about the 12th CAN collec-

tion and the Chili Cook off can be found in the Hospitality Corner.

Several opportunities this week, come join us!

Together Aggie Moms Can... Robin



Spread the word! November 16 Meeting – Special Guest Speaker TAMU President Michael Young

Texas A&M University President Michael Young will be our speaker at the General Meeting on November 16. Make plans to attend and hear the plans Texas A&M has for the future plus how our students will be affected. Invite your Aggie friends to join you for this special opportunity.

12th CAN Collection on October 19

The 12th Can is a student-run food pantry located at Texas A&M to serve all students, faculty, and staff in need of assistance.

As a part of our mission to serve students, and as moms who take care of all students, we will be collecting pantry items to donate to this organization.

There is a list of *specific* requests based on the needs of students and their other resources. Namely canned protein (tuna, chicken, beans) or fruit and granola or cereal bars are always needed.

Please bring them to our General Meeting on Oct. 19th.



Please make sure you visit our website, dallasaggiemoms.org.



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Next meeting Tuesday, Oct. 10, 7p <u>Whole Foods</u> @ Preston Center (upstairs)





Host Families Needed

for Singing Cadets Concert Bring 2+ cadets home from concert Feed them a light post-concert meal On Sunday morning, feed them breakfast and return them to the tour bus

Kendra Scott Give Back Party!

Get your bling on! Thursday, Oct. 12, 5-8 Preston Center location only Phone orders accepted at 469-804-8538 and FREE SHIPPING! (Like to College Station, maybe?)

Sponsor Opportunities

for the Singing Cadets Concert

Benefits include reserved seating; and recognition at the event and on our website.

Levels begin at \$100.

Sponsors enable us to cover the costs of the hosting the concert, so that all of our proceeds can to go to our scholarship fund!





Map to Kendra Scott's

Singing Cadets Tickets Now on Sale!



Concert and Auction Feb 17, 2018 General Admission \$15 <u>early-bird</u> price thru Nov. 30 https://singingcadetsdallas.eventbrite.com

Save these Dates!

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10/12	5-8p	Kendra Scott Giveback Party	(10% discount and 10% donation)
11/4	6-10a	Belk Charity Day Sale (\$5 admission)**	DCAM keeps the \$5 and will get a
			% of event's sales**
11/9	6-8p	EVOO & Vin Gourmet Tasting	(20% donation)
11/18	11a-11p	Grub Burger Profit Share / Watch Party	(20% donation all day – not just
			during the game!)
12/9	10a-3p	Howdy Holidays Gift Market	Aggie Item Shopping galore!
	-		Tamale Sales, too (Order form pg 6)
2/17	7-9:30p	Singing Cadets Concert and Auction	Our Major Fundraiser of the year
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NEW* Event: BELK Charity Sale- November 4

Belk stores are offering us an opportunity to earn more scholarship dollars! By purchasing a ticket for \$5 you can shop special savings on rarely discounted brands. This sale is only for ticketed customers in the store on <u>Nov. 4 from 6-10am.</u> (You may shop at any Belk store)

To purchase your tickets, contact Sharon Keeler or Robin McMahan.

Scrapbooking Workshop!

Missy Rodgers will be hosting another Scrapbooking workshop. NO experience needed! Come join the fun!

WHEN: Wednesday, October 11 from 7-9 pm

WHERE: home of Missy Rodgers, just off Ferndale (8834 Fenchurch, Dallas 75238)

PH: (214-403-3258)

If you would be willing to help create our Aggie Scrapbooks to sell in our Boutique, please contact Missy so she can plan accordingly. We have sample pages for you to copy, so it is really easy breezy!

Aggie Moms Connecting

Let's meet for a Movie Night Monday, October 16 at <u>North Park Center</u> Victoria and Abdul Time TBA in 10-15 Eblast! Guests welcome.





CRAFT DAY-Saturday, October 21, 10am-3pm Join the fun as we work on our crafts for the Holiday Gift Market in December and the Aggie Mom Boutique in April. NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED! We need cutters, painters, gluers, as well as sewers and letterers. We have a great time working and visiting. All materials and snacks provided.

<u>478 Stone Canyon, Sunnyvale</u> Need help with directions? 972-343-8596 Come join the fun! *Together we can* make anything!

BOOK CLUB



Upcoming Reads: Wednesday October 25th Small Great Things by Jodi Picault

We'll meet at 7p @ <u>Whole Foods</u> (Reading the book Is optional)

November / December Cutting For

Stone by Abraham Verghese

<u>CHECK OUT FACEBOOK GROUP</u>: "Aggie Moms/Dads of Current Texas A&M-Bryan/College Station Students - Q&A"

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2017 MEMBERSHIP

Isabel Campbell <u>dcammembership@gmail.com</u>

Howdy!



Our Membership is growing! To date we have 165 Members WHOOP! Reach out to those Aggie Moms who haven't joined and encourage them to join in on our Aggie Mom fun!

One project we have taken on this year is our "Adopt A Mom" program. We adopt moms who are out of state who have students at A&M College Station and Galveston.

> Welcome **Brenda Anderson** who lives in Annapolis, MD and her student, **Sarah**, **class of '21**. Brenda and her husband, who is a 5th generation Texan, moved to Annapolis in the late 1990's. They hope to move back to Texas soon, as they have recently put their house on the market. Sarah's older sister is A&M class of '98, and Sarah liked the university so much that she followed in her sister's footsteps and has now been accepted into a sorority. Brenda and her husband are coming to A&M in early November for a special event.

Welcome, Brenda, to the Dallas County Aggie Moms club!

We have one more new mom Social on October 14th from 10am to 12pm. Please join us as we get to know each other and talk about all things AGGIE! We will be at 478 Stone Canyon Dr.



Hosted by: The Dallas County Aggie Moms' Club <u>RSVP</u>: Isabel dcamconnecting@gmail.com (214)499-2979 Membership Information: dallasaggiemoms.org



Corresponding Secretary Patti Baty <u>dcamcorresec@gmail.com</u>

Fall Exam Goodie Bags

If you would like to have a goodie bag delivered to the MSC for your student on:

• Monday, December 4 please fill out a form at the October General meeting. The bags cost \$10.

and <u>each mom is to bring 35-40</u> items to fill the bags, to

the November 16 General Meeting. Questions contact Patti at <u>dcamcorresec@gmail.com</u>.



Attention Aggie Moms Do you have a student that will be graduating in December? We want to recognize these graduates at our January General Meeting. Please contact Patti Baty <u>dcamcorresec@gmail.com</u> or call

at 972-900-7243

PRESIDENT'S ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

What a joy! Recently I had the pleasure of meeting Jay at the President's Endowed Scholarship (PES) reception. I know his family must be very proud of him. (Note: a PES provides a stipend for 4 years. More information regarding PES may be found <u>here</u>.)

The Dallas County Aggie Moms' club is very pleased to know that our DCAM PES went to such a deserving young man. He has a bright future ahead and I'm glad to say that the Dallas County Aggie Moms could be a small part in that. *Robin*



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ANCHO CHILI PORK	5
CHICKEN TOMATILLO	5
BLACK BEAN + CORN (VEGAN)	5
BEEF TENDERLOIN	5

A PORTION OF THE SALES BENEFITS

DALLAS COUNTY AGGIE MOMS

DELIVERY DECEMBER 9TH

Convenient Order form on next page for you!

DCAM offers additional ways for you to donate by just shopping! (No added cost to you!)

is only 10 weeks away! (Dec 9)

We receive donations from AmazonSmile, Tom Thumb and Kroger, and all you have to do is link our information.



<u>TIME TO UPDATE</u>: Kroger <u>does</u> require a cardholder to register their donations preference every year, but the others are a one-time sign up. (Update your Kroger charity designation today!)

Tom Thumb's Good Neighbor Program Reward Card #2672 Kroger's Neighbor to Neighbor Program Reward Card # 84820

Click on the <u>Rewards Programs page</u> on our website for more information.





DCAM is connected with Amazon Smile, an option that allows you to link your current Amazon account and your favorite non-profit at no extra to you!

When you shop, use this <u>link</u> (http://smile.amazon.com/ch/751607580), and Dallas County Aggie Moms will receive a percentage!

(**Note**: it will say you're supporting "Federation of Texas A&M Mothers' Club," but all Aggie Moms clubs have the same name associated with their EIN number. *The link provided, is tied to our Dallas County club*).

Contact Liz at dcamtreas@gmail.com with any questions

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BEEF TENDERLOIN + ANCHO CHILES

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