

## PARTNERS IN EDUCATION

### Outstanding Partners and Volunteers

Quality education is everybody's business. A dynamic public school system is essential to the prosperity and vitality of the community. The Dallas Independent School District's Partners in Education program is a vehicle that promotes involvement and interaction among entities of the Dallas community, parents and schools in order to prepare all students to graduate with the skills necessary to become productive and responsible citizens.

Partnerships are collaborative efforts to achieve mutually agreed upon goals and objectives by matching business and community resources to identified needs of an individual school or the district.

Recognized locally and nationally over the past 38 years for providing outstanding support to Dallas schoolchildren and schools, these partnerships represent all facets of our community: agencies, businesses, individuals, organizations and civic groups, private/public/higher education schools and religious institutions. These partners enhance, enrich, support, encourage and offer a unique variety of talents and expertise to our students and staff. On April 24, 2007 the district celebrated the 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Partner/Volunteer Recognition. Listed below are the recipients of the outstanding partner and volunteer awards.

#### **SUPERINTENDENT'S AWARD** Dallas Bar Association

#### **DR. EMMETT CONRAD EXTRA MILE AWARD** Dallas SCORES!

#### **OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL VOLUNTEER** Tracy Hopper Nathan Adams Elementary

#### **OUTSTANDING PTA PARENT VOLUNTEER** Susan Amason Irma Rangel Young Women's Leadership

#### **DOVE (DALLAS OLDER VOLUNTEER IN EDUCATION)** Ray Crelia Martha Turner Reilly Elementary

#### **OUTSTANDING PARTNERSHIP CONTACT PERSON** Marisela Vargas Arturo Salazar Elementary Arturo Salazar Elementary School PTA

#### **OUTSTANDING ORGANIZATION PARTNER** Dallas County Master Gardeners Multiple Careers Magnet

#### **OUTSTANDING BUSINESS PARTNER** Baker Botts, L.L.P. Julius Dorsey Elementary

#### **OUTSTANDING YOUTH VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION** W.T. White Varsity Basketball Team Nathan Adams Elementary

#### **OUTSTANDING PARTNERSHIP COORDINATOR** Secondary: Hortencia Ibanez Moises E. Molina High Elementary: Shamoya Pope Everette L. DeGolyer Elementary

### Volunteer Contributions

Volunteers from Dallas ISD's partners are tutors and mentors, but there are others who serve as classroom speakers, Texas Scholars presenters, judges, members of advisory or site-based committees. Many others, including the thousands of parent volunteers, assist school librarians, nurses, teachers, office and cafeteria managers and other staff.

	<b>Volunteers</b>
Districtwide tutor/mentor training sessions	<b>13</b>
<b>Total volunteers for 2006 - 2007 school year</b>	<b>18,896</b>

Volunteers in the schools include individuals serving with special programs and districtwide (advisory committees, Communities in Schools, Junior Achievement, Texas Scholars, Principals For a Day, Job shadowing mentors, private schools, etc.)

### Volunteer Service Hours

Volunteer hours reported by the schools	261,441
<b>Value of volunteer service @ \$18.77* per hour</b>	<b>\$4,907,247.57</b>

\* This value is provided by the Independent Sector.

## SUMMARY OF PARTNERSHIPS

A partnership represents a commitment to an individual school or the Dallas Independent School District. This commitment could involve volunteers, funding, donations of materials, in-kind services or incentives. Some businesses, groups or individuals partner with several schools.

### PARTNERSHIPS REPORTED:

	Number	Value
Agency	61	\$1,054,826.51
Business	62	1,084,862.26
Individual	284	109,524.19
Organization	87	229,825.89
PTA	41	124,779.34
Public/Private/Higher Education	61	133,654.65
Religious	87	123,487.50
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>1,241</b>	<b>\$2,860,960.34</b>

### PARTNERSHIP CONTRIBUTIONS:

Funding	\$893,763.44
In-kind services	255,943.03
Materials and supplies	1,435,910.45
Student incentives	189,656.60
Teacher incentives	85,695.82
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>\$2,860,960.34</b>

### VOLUNTEER SERVICE

261,441 Volunteer hours @ \$18.77 per hour \$4,907,247.57

**Grand Total \$7,768,207.91**

\*These numbers reflect the information reported by Dallas ISD schools and departments as of June 5, 2007.

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