

August 25, 2011

# "The Tradition"

Dawson Middle School "Where the Dragon Tradition Continues..."

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## DMS Athletics News



Carroll Athletic Booster Club Membership is available on line at [www.carrolldragons.org](http://www.carrolldragons.org)

Questions?

### **ATHLETICS INFO**

Contact Renae Osborne, DMS Athletic Coordinator at 817-949-5580

## Dragons' Closet

Stop by the Dragons' Closet and purchase your student agenda and Dragon apparel. Open 11:00 - 1:30  
Monday - Friday.

## Talk About It!



Click on [TALK](#) for more information our anti-bullying reporting system.

Dear Parents,

We are sending *The Tradition* a day early to give you a quick reminder. **Friday, August 26 (tomorrow) at midnight** is the last day to register your student via the online registration in Family Access. After Friday you will need to register using paper forms.

Cheryl Bryson  
Principal's Secretary

## SCHOOL PICTURES!

Thursday, September 1st is School Picture Day. School pictures will be ordered on line this year. Click <http://glamourcraft.com/dawson/> for ordering information. The deadline to order is September 7th. Picture make-up day will be October 13th.

## DAWSON DRAGON BASH!

Fun, Friends, Food and Games.....Don't miss this annual Dawson Tradition! Friday, September 16th from 4-7 p.m.

Attractions and games include:

Mr. Softee, Mechanical Bull, Giant Obstacle Course, Giant Slide, Wacky Trikes, Bounce House, Fun music with DJ Connor, Temporary Tattoo's, Velocity Sports Course, Caricature Artist, Dunk Tank, Photo Booth, Meet Dragon Varsity athletes and much more!

## PTSO NEWS

For the latest news from our DMS PTSO, click on **DawsonPTSO**

for the PTSO website.

2011-2012 updates are coming!

## MY SOUTHLAKE!

The city of Southlake and Carroll ISD have a website which includes information for the city and schools. Be sure to check it out at: [www.MySouthlakeNews.com](http://www.MySouthlakeNews.com)

**MySouthlakeNews.com**  
for CISD schools, business, and community happenings

## CISD HOME



[CISD Website](#)



Dragon Bash!

Tickets are required for All Attractions and can be purchased during lunch starting September 1 or at the Dragon Bash. Each ticket costs \$1.00, and some booths require 2-3 tickets. Food will be provided by Hamburger Man. The \$5 food ticket includes hamburger or hotdog with chips. Extra items will be sold for cash at the Dawson Concession Stand.

Tickets will also be available at the event, or for your convenience, click on **DRAGON BASH** to order tickets and t-shirts online.

Many Parent Volunteers needed and Community Service hours for CHS/CSHS students, please contact Mitzi Jones at [casidajones@aol.com](mailto:casidajones@aol.com) or Roni Townson at [ronitown@me.com](mailto:ronitown@me.com).

## SCHEDULES

Students may e-mail their counselor if they have any questions about their schedules.

7th Grade-Jennifer Kruse [Jennifer.Kruse@southlakecarroll.edu](mailto:Jennifer.Kruse@southlakecarroll.edu)

8th Grade-Kathy Palmer [Kathy.Palmer@southlakecarroll.edu](mailto:Kathy.Palmer@southlakecarroll.edu)

## MAGAZINE SALES

Student assemblies on September 15th will kick off our PTSO Magazine Sales fundraiser for the 2011-2012 school year. Students will be able to earn lots of great prizes and help our PTSO fund beautification and security enhancements for our campus. Watch for more information this important DMS Fundraiser.

## PTSO NEWS

Along with a new school year comes a great opportunity to help raise money for Dawson Middle School through our community partners. Please consider how you can partner with the PTSO by making your purchases through vendors that are making a difference and supporting education! Please click **PTSO COMMUNITY PARTNERS** for a complete list of vendors.

## CEF CHANGE WEEK

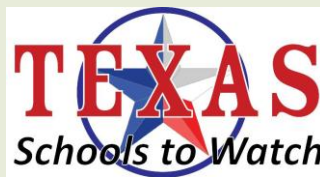
October 3-7 is CEF Change Week! Click on [CEF](#) for more information on this exciting week!

## COLORGUARD MEETING!

There is an informational meeting on Monday, August 29th at 6 p.m. in the CHS cafeteria. Click [COLORGUARD](#) for more information.

## SAGT

Southlake Association for Gifted and Talented is having their Kick-Off meeting on September 29th at 9:00 a.m. at Town Hall. Please click [SAGT](#) for an informational flyer and click [SAGT FORM](#) for the membership form.



Dawson Middle School has been recognized as a "School To Watch" by the Texas Middle School Association. Out of over 1,600 middle schools in Texas, Dawson Middle School is one of 11 that received this recognition.

Texas Schools to Watch is a state-level partnership that seeks to identify high-performing middle grades schools in our state. Texas is one of 19 states that have qualified to be part of the National Forum Schools to Watch® program. The National Forum is an alliance of more than 60 educators, researchers, and officers of national associations and foundations dedicated to improving schools for young adolescents across the country. This program annually seeks to identify schools throughout the nation that are committed to a journey of excellence centered around the program areas of Academic Excellence, Developmental Responsiveness, Social Equity, and Organizational Structures and Processes.



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