

"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

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 our anti-bullying reporting system.

PTSO NEWS

A Note From The Principal:

Please help us communicate to other parents that **The Tradition** is the main communication tool of our school. We are not frequent with recorded phone messages and rarely send home fliers. If there is something to learn about the happenings of our school, you'll find it in this weekly electronic publication, **The Tradition**. Our promise to you is brevity of message, pertinence to the lives of DMS students, and the accuracy of messages sent. If ever you find yourself not "in the know" with school information, don't be surprised to hear that it was covered in, you guessed it, **The Tradition**.

Happy Friday!

Ryan Wilson
Principal

DEADLINE THIS MONDAY!

Online registration is open again through Monday, September 19th. Please click **NOT REGISTERED OR INCOMPLETE** for two lists of students that have not started and/or completed online registration. For questions about your online registration please e-mail Trilby Lavender at Trilby.Lavender@southlakecarroll.edu We will also have the DMS Computer Lab open for parents from 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. on Monday, September 19th.

DEADLINE THIS SUNDAY!

The deadline to order school pictures has been extended to September 18th. Click <http://glamourcraft.com/dawson/> for ordering information. Your student's picture is the same as the Student ID that they were given.

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

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

CISD HOME



[CISD Website](#)

Picture make-up day has been changed to November 10th.

MAGAZINE FUNDRAISER

The Dawson Magazine sale is underway! This is our school's major fundraiser for the year. It's a fast and easy way for you to help support our school.

Simply click on the link below to buy or renew your magazine subscriptions at up to 85% off newsstand prices. It's fast and your child will receive full credit for your selections. 40% of every sale goes to our school! **In addition, you can send emails to friends and family for their support - they'll also save off newsstand prices via the link.**

MAGAZINE SALES!

Post card turn in days are Friday 9/16 and Monday 9/19. Magazine order turn in dates are 9/20., 9/23, and 9/27.

New this year! Ask your Facebook friends for orders. Click [FACEBOOK](#) for the flyer.

Thank you for your support!

Priscilla Danner and Shauna Newman - DMS PTSO Magazine Chairs

BOX TOPS



For every 10 box tops a student brings in, their name will be entered to win a weekly prize.

CHANGE IN COLLECTION PROCESS:

Students will tape/glue the box tops to certificates before they turn them in. We will provide on the PTO Website, and in the front office, a print out of a Box Tops certificate that has spots for up to 10 box tops. For those with more than 10 box tops, they will use additional certificates as needed. Click **BOX TOPS** for the PTSO Website.

CEF CHANGE WEEK

October 3-7 is CEF Change Week! Click on **CEF** for more information on this exciting week!

ODYSSEY OF THE MIND

September 20, 2011 at Dawson Middle School 7:00 p.m. Any and all DMS students who are interested in joining and/or forming an **Odyssey of the Mind Team** should plan to attend the above meeting. Parents should plan to attend too. Odyssey of the Mind teams participate in an international creativity and problem-solving competition teaching and fostering "think outside of the box" life skills, and have a great time doing it!! To learn more click on **ODYSSEY**

SPARK

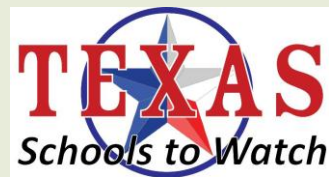
Back by overwhelming requests is Buddy Knight who will return Sept. 27 to Southlake to present a program on Kids & The Internet. Read more at MySouthlakeNews.com or click on **SPARK** for an informational flyer.

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.

BELLE WORKSHOP

The annual Junior Belle Workshop, hosted by the Emerald Belles, will be on October 1st. Please click **JR BELLES** for more details and registration information.



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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