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# POW WOW PREVIEW

Announcements for members of the Tyler Junior College Alumni Association

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## TJC Alumni Homecoming Events

**Friday ~ October 23**

### Pep Rally & Picnic on Jenkins Lawn

11:30 a.m. ~ *Come back to Apacheland*—Just bring your lawn chairs and school spirit. Meet our 2009 Apache Football team, Cheerleaders, Band and Belles--and lunch is on us (no RSVP required)!

**Saturday ~ October 24**

### Alumni Association Awards Banquet

11:30 a.m. ~ *Apache Rooms, Rogers Student Center*  
Come help us honor some great alumni and faculty while you reminisce with former classmates. Please RSVP by October 19 by contacting the Alumni Office.\* This year's recipients are:

#### Distinguished Alumni:

- ★ Billie Boyd Hartley, Apache Belle '50

#### Apache Spirit Award:

- ★ Heather and Tom Mensch, Apache Band

#### Valuable Young Alumni:

- ★ Carmin Marie Biggs, PTK/Las Mas '99

### Alumni Association Reunions

2 p.m. ~ Reunions for Band, Belles, Cheerleaders, Tau Kappa Sorority, Brothers & Sisters, Athletic Trainers, etc. will be held in Rogers.

### Alumni Members' Tailgate Party

5 p.m. - 7 p.m. ~ Alumni Catered Barbecue Tailgate Party, *TMF Rose Stadium Parking Lot.*  
(No charge for members ~ \$10 for guests)  
RSVP by October 19~ tickets required!

### Rim Walk and Pre-game Show

5:40 p.m. ~ Apache Band, Belles & their Alumni "Walk the Rim"; King & Queen announced, etc.

### Kickoff ~ TJC Apaches vs Trinity Valley CC

7 p.m. ~ Football game begins.

### Band & Belles Halftime Performance

8:15 p.m. (approx.) ~ Apache Band & Belles perform.

To organize a reunion for your class year or special interest group, just contact the Alumni Office.\*

\*Alumni Office 903-510-2371 / bbri@tjc.edu

## 2009 Homecoming Reunions

**FRIDAY~ 6:30 p.m., October 23 in Rogers**

6:30 p.m.: 50th Reunion for Class of 1959 and tribute to Dr. Edwin Fowler, contact Fred Head at [fredhead@goquest.com](mailto:fredhead@goquest.com)

**SATURDAY ~ October 24 in Rogers**

10 a.m.: ITP Reunion, RSC #307 contact Rhonda McKinzie, [rmck@tjc.edu](mailto:rmck@tjc.edu)

2 p.m.: Reunions for the Band, Belles, Cheerleaders '70-'90, Tau Kappa '72-'77, the Brothers & Sisters '67-'80 and the Athletic Trainers. For more information, contact the Alumni Office.\*

## Belle Babes Workshop Planned

The Apache Belles & Belle Gold invite young ladies ages 4-12 to sign up for their September 19 morning workshop. That evening the Belle Babes will perform with the Apache Belles during halftime of the Apaches vs. Cisco game at TMF Rose Stadium. To register go to [www.apachebelles.com](http://www.apachebelles.com) or for more information contact Jennifer Taylor at [bellebabes@hotmail.com](mailto:bellebabes@hotmail.com).

## Alumni Needed to Recruit Students

Alumni are needed to help recruit future TJC students in the Dallas/Ft. Worth & Houston area high schools' *College Nights*. For more information on volunteering at your former high school, call 1-800-687-5680 and ask for Admissions or call 903-510-2523 or the Alumni Office.\*

## Apache Adventurers Plan Next Trip

JOIN US! Next May the Apache Adventurers will travel with President Metke, professor John Hays and students to Costa Rica! Look for more information in the next Pow Wow!

## I Remember When...



*Dr. Jean Browne made sure I received scholarships so that I wouldn't have to work so many hours and could take time out to be in the production of Medea and compete in speech contests. TJC prepared me for success at Pepperdine University where I became the first female President of the Student Government Association.*

*Dawn Inman Holmes, Las Mascaras, '73*

## NEW MEMBERS



### June, July, August

#### NEW LIFETIME MEMBERS

Jonathan & Stephanie Arriola

Charles Barton

Teresa Bulcken-Bradley

Elizabeth Crook

J.D. Hale

Paula Hammond \*

Gay Howard

Lindsey Gainer

Kallie Murphy \*

Sheila Padon\*

Scott & Sandra Reily

Brady and Chandra Richardson

#### NEW AND RENEWED ANNUAL MEMBERS

Mike W. Andrews

Patricia L. Arms \*

Dana Artley

C. Elmer Austin, Jr.

Molly Bacon \*

Carolyn Brennan \*

Vernessa Carr

Theresa Cheatham

Merry Ann Chenoweth

Ruby Curry

Penny Davison

Betty M. Dease

Jeanette R. Dodson \*

Stewart Dodson

Loyd Dowd

Winston E. Green

Jon & Mary Hayden

Ethel L. Ingold

Robert & Paula Johnson

Catherine W. McDaniel

Lonny & Rhonda McKinzie

Myra Newcombe \*

Belinda A. Oler

Glenda J. Reid \*

Hollie A. Shepperd

Gene Staples

Sherry Towns

Sydney Underwood

Ijeoma C. Unegbu

Edna E. Whisenant

C. Sue Whiteside \*

Carter L. Wilson

William Smith & Paul

Wupperfeld

*Welcome new and returning members. Thank you for showing you support Tyler Junior College!*

\* *Belle Gold Member*

### 2009-10 STARs Announced

The TJC Alumni Board is proud to announce the following 2009-10 alumni scholarship recipients: Laci Butler, Brittany Byers, Elise Dodson, Amanda Duke, Caitlin Foster, Ashley Gentry, Katherine Glass, Hayley Jacobs, Peyton Lilly, Joseph McClain, Kallie Murphy, Bridget Richardson, Megan Richardson, Danielle Salinas, Cody Schwark, Meredith Smith, Alyssa Sylvester, Russell Sylvester and Christina Walker.

For more information on alumni scholarships, contact the Alumni Office\* or check out our web site at [www.tjc.edu/alumni](http://www.tjc.edu/alumni).

## CAMPUS CALENDAR

### September

3—STARs Welcome Dinner, 6 pm, Apache rms, Rogers

7—LABOR DAY, College Closed

10—Football, vs Kilgore, 7 pm, TMF Rose Stadium

10—Foundation Golf Tournament, 11 am-6 pm, Eagles Bluff

17—Founders' Day Service, 7:30 am, Windsor Plaza

17—Retirees Breakfast, 8 am, Apache Rooms, Rogers

17—Tennis Reception, 6:30 pm, Brookshire Community Cts.

19—Belle Babes Workshop, 9 am, HPE Center

19—Football, vs Cisco College, 7 pm, Rose Stadium

19—The Venue: "Open Mike" 9-11 pm, Jean Browne

24—ETX Fair Opens, Tyler Fair Grounds

24—Football, @ Navarro, 7 pm, Coriscana

24—Board of Trustees, 11 am, Board Room, WASC

29—Alumni Board Meeting, Noon, 3rd floor, Rogers

### October

2-3—Parents Weekend, Campus wide, TBA

3—Football, vs Blinn College, 3 pm, Rose Stadium

7-11—Theatre, *Henry V*, 7:30 pm (2 Sun.), Jean Browne

8—Jazz Ensemble Concert, 7:30 pm, Wise Auditorium

10—Rose Parade, 9 am - noon, Tyler & TMF Rose Stadium

10—Football, @ Kilgore, 3 pm, Kilgore

15—Wind Ensemble Concert, 7:30 pm, Wise Aud.

17—The Venue: "Open Mike" 9-11 pm, Jean Browne

22—Board of Trustees, 11 am, Board Room, WASC

23—Campus Pep Rally/Picnic, 11:30 am, Jenkins Lawn

23—50th Reunion/Class of 1959, 6 pm, Apache rms

24—Awards Luncheon, 11:30 am, Apache rms, Rogers

24—Reunions, 2 pm, Rogers Student Center

24—BQ Tailgate Party, 5-7 pm, Rose Stadium Parking Lot

24—HC Football, vs TVCC, 7 pm, Rose Stadium

31—Football, @ NEO, 2 pm, Oklahoma

31—The Venue: "Open Mike" 9-11 pm, Jean Browne

\**For a complete schedule of all TJC Athletic events go to [www.apacheathletics.com](http://www.apacheathletics.com).*

### Golf Tournament is September 10

The Tyler Junior College Foundation will have its annual scholarship golf tournament at Eagles Bluff Country Club on September 10. This year's luncheon speaker is former Cowboy lineman D. D. Lewis. For more information contact Mitch Andrews at 903-510-2034.

### News from Your Alumni Board

The TJC Alumni Association held its annual elections this summer and is excited to welcome to the Alumni Board of Directors: Stephanie Rigdon Arriola, Amy Bland Cunningham, Doc Deason and Diane Dickerson Hawkins.

Special thanks to James Sheridan for serving as our 2008-09 president.

Your 2009-10 officers are: Amy Motes McCullough, president; Gay Bishop Smith, president-elect; and Jon Jacobs, executive secretary.