

## Plano ISD Council of PTAs – PROGRAMS

Listing of programs listed in the Programs file (updated August 23, 2010)

CATEGORY	VENDOR/PROGRAM	CONTACT INFO	SCHOOL/FEEDBACK
Animals	Critterman	<a href="http://www.critterman.com">www.critterman.com</a> 940-365-9741	
	Frank Buck Zoo	<a href="http://www.frankbuckzoo.com">www.frankbuckzoo.com</a>	
	Live bats assembly discussing their importance to the ecosystem	<a href="http://www.batworld.org">www.batworld.org</a> Dottie Hyatt - VP	Est. \$200
	Live raptors assembly	<a href="http://www.braptorcenter.org">www.braptorcenter.org</a>	
Afterschool	"Team Building/Social Success"	<a href="mailto:ChrisReeseerik@yahoo.com">ChrisReeseerik@yahoo.com</a> 972-527-3524	Harrington PTA loves this
Anorexia	"Equipping Parents Before It's Too Late"	<a href="mailto:kali@trufflesfromheaven.com">kali@trufflesfromheaven.com</a> 972-713-9070	Former Plano ISD mom who lost daughter to this disease
Anti-Smoking		Jerry Berkowitz 817-377-4333, <a href="mailto:speak4333@aol.com">speak4333@aol.com</a>	Cara Mendelsohn knows and endorses this speaker
Authors	Michael Steele – author and screenwriter Barney, Night at the Museum...	Michael Anthony Steele <a href="mailto:ant@masteele.com">ant@masteele.com</a> 972-572-1257	
	K-2 students	Anastasia Suen Asuen.com	Skaggs Elem highly recommends
	Shakespeare Dallas Grades 3-5	Julie Osborne Educ. & Mktg Coordinator 214-649-5651	Skaggs Elem highly recommends
Arts In Ed Programs	South African folk music, Jazz songs, Bells, ...	Rochelle Rabouin 972-434-5428 <a href="mailto:Rochelle_rabouin@yahoo.com">Rochelle_rabouin@yahoo.com</a>	
	The Artist Within	Dawn Petty 2001 Coit Rd, Ste 206 Plano, 75075 ArtistWithin.com	Hightower Elem recommends
	Quiggly's Clayhouse	Kirby & Kristi Carmichael Richardson, Tx 972-234-2644 <a href="http://www.quigglys.com">www.quigglys.com</a>	Came highly recommended
	AbraKadoodle	Dave Coates 214-387-6969	

		<a href="mailto:dcoates@abrakadoodle.com">dcoates@abrakadoodle.com</a> abrakadoodle.com	
	Young Rembrandts	Tracy Moore 214-427-7050 <a href="http://www.youngrembrandts.com">www.youngrembrandts.com</a>	
	The Purple Crayon	Karen Sedita 469-544-9011	
	My Classics	972-596-8949 Myclassics.org	
Bike Safety/Rodeo	Bike Texas Texas Bicycle Coalition	Brenda Chulewah 512-476-RIDE (7433) <a href="mailto:Brenda@biketexas.org">Brenda@biketexas.org</a> <a href="http://www.biketexas.org">www.biketexas.org</a>	
Brain Health	Teen Brain	Joan Epps – Center for Brain Health 972-883-3402 Dr. Sandra Chapman, PhD 214-905-3007	Great reviews on Dr. Chapman
	Noggin Nuggets: Brain Strength Training	Ms. Jeanine McGregor 972-679-7323 msmac@wcc.net	
Bullying	Links Between Bullying and Addiction	Scott F. Gallagher <a href="mailto:scott@schooladdictions.com">scott@schooladdictions.com</a>	
	Cyber Bullying	Crossroads Family Services 972-578-2802 <a href="http://www.cfsplano.org">www.cfsplano.org</a>	Great program. Council hosted in 2009.
	Safe School Ambassadors program	<a href="http://www.ImpactCoachingandSpeaking.org">www.ImpactCoachingandSpeaking.org</a> <a href="mailto:impactassociates@aol.com">impactassociates@aol.com</a>	Saw presentation in Austin. Very good!
	“Ice and Fire: Social Aggression among Girls”	Marion K. Underwood, PhD <a href="mailto:Undrwd@utdallas.edu">Undrwd@utdallas.edu</a>	Council hosted in the past.
	<a href="http://www.bullies2buddies.com">www.bullies2buddies.com</a>		Resources for schools
	<a href="http://www.dontbullyonline.com">www.dontbullyonline.com</a>		Haggard & Carpenter
Cultural Diversity	“Cultural Contrasts in a Multicultural School Environment”	Georgina Tezer Language Services Specialist Carrollton-FB ISD <a href="mailto:tezerg@cfbisd.edu">tezerg@cfbisd.edu</a> 972-968-6513	Good speaker and very interesting info. Great for parents brown bag.
Dallas Cowboys	Stadium tour	John Blakely 817-892-4653 <a href="mailto:jblakely@dallascowboys.net">jblakely@dallascowboys.net</a>	
Driving	Program teaches behind the wheel accident avoidance skills	<a href="http://www.TexasDrivingExperience.com">www.TexasDrivingExperience.com</a> Texas Motor Speedway 817-430-4343	

Chess	USA Chess	Ben Wheeler 214-315-9385 <a href="mailto:bwheeler@usachess.com">bwheeler@usachess.com</a>	Barksdale, Bogges, Haggar, Hunt, Miller, Schell, Skaggs
	Independent	Frank Mordente 972-517-5931 <a href="mailto:Paladin274@yahoo.com">Paladin274@yahoo.com</a>	Daffron, Andrews
	Independent	Diana Zetune <a href="mailto:diana@zetune.com">diana@zetune.com</a> 972-208-9225	
	Independent	Bobby Hillman <a href="mailto:Bobby.hillman@pisd.edu">Bobby.hillman@pisd.edu</a> or <a href="mailto:bobby@afterschoolchess.net">bobby@afterschoolchess.net</a>	Brinker
College Prep	SAT prep	Dave Crawford <a href="http://www.collegeboundTexas.com">www.collegeboundTexas.com</a> 972-599-9922 <a href="mailto:dcrawford@collegeboundtexas.com">dcrawford@collegeboundtexas.com</a>	
	Prep, financial assistance	Henry Bryant, Jr AXA Advisors, LLC 972-801-4108 <a href="http://www.axaonline.com">www.axaonline.com</a>	
	College Admissions...more than SAT scores?	Marilyn Kaufman, MEd	DO NOT USE!! VERY DIFFICULT TO WORK WITH.
	Destination College	Collin College 972-377-1545	
	Karen Dillard's College Prep	972-867-6544 <a href="http://www.karendillard.com">www.karendillard.com</a> <a href="mailto:info@karendillard.com">info@karendillard.com</a>	
Dads	Strong Fathers-Strong Families	Michael Hall 817-301-4086 <a href="mailto:mikehall@strongfathers.com">mikehall@strongfathers.com</a> <a href="http://www.strongfathers.com">www.strongfathers.com</a>	
Dating	Dating Violence	Jan Langbein Genesis Women's Shelter	Shepton HS
Drama	Drama Kids International	Toni Rogers 214-592-4066 <a href="http://www.dramakids.com/tx5">www.dramakids.com/tx5</a>	
	All The World's a Stage	Julie Osborne Educ. & Mktg Coordinator 214-649-5651	
Drugs/Alcohol	MADD	<a href="http://www.schoolassembly.org">www.schoolassembly.org</a> 800-438-6233 ext. 4579	
	Party 101: consequences	Texas PTA	Great reviews – have demo video for preview
	Kids and Meth: What	Carol Falkowski	

	Communities Need to Know	Hazelden Foundation <a href="http://www.hazelden.org">www.hazelden.org</a>	
	Inhalant Abuse Program	Isabel Burk, speaker	Adults only
	Coming Clean If I Had Only Known Then What I Know Now	Mitzi Rudderow <a href="mailto:mitzirudderow@sbcglobal.net">mitzirudderow@sbcglobal.net</a> 214-448-5932	Haggard strongly recommends this speaker
	Look Before You Leap	Just Say Yes <a href="http://www.justsayyes.org">www.justsayyes.org</a> 972-437-0002	Have demo tapes for viewing. Very good programs by this company. \$\$\$ but can share with other schools –worth it.
Environmental	Environmental Education Resources	<a href="http://www.tceq.state.tx.us/publications">www.tceq.state.tx.us/publications</a>	
Etiquette	Various programs – business and social protocols	Joy Weaver 972-608-8817 <a href="http://www.protocolexpert.com">www.protocolexpert.com</a> <a href="mailto:joy@protocolenterprises.com">joy@protocolenterprises.com</a>	
Fire Safety	Plano Fire Dept.	972-941-7421 <a href="http://www.planofire.org">www.planofire.org</a>	Programs are free Fire Prevention week is October.
Health	Childhood Obesity	Marie Dean and Dr. Carolyn Ashworth	DO NOT USE! They no-showed for a school due to a better offer
	Family Nutrition Education Nights	Dr. Audrey Ross 972-699-1059	
	Resource only	<a href="http://www.ActionForHealthyKids.org">www.ActionForHealthyKids.org</a>	
	Playground learning activities and kits	<a href="http://www.gametime.com/playon">www.gametime.com/playon</a>	
History	Underground Railroad: A Journey to Freedom	The Butterfly Connection Adam Dietrich 817-333-4028 <a href="mailto:adamjdietch@gmail.com">adamjdietch@gmail.com</a>	
Jason's Deli	Speakers and leaders of Jason's Deli are avail. For workshops on real food and nutrition. Tours also	<a href="mailto:Alisha.harrington@jasonsdeli.com">Alisha.harrington@jasonsdeli.com</a>	
Maps	Educational playground maps and ideas	<a href="http://www.outdoorlearningmaps.com">www.outdoorlearningmaps.com</a> Robert Pooley 419-352-3887	Resource
Math	Rubik's Cube Solution Kit	<a href="http://www.YouCanDoTheCube.com">www.YouCanDoTheCube.com</a>	Resource
Motivational	My Life as a Hot Dog – Dynamic Rope Jumping	Rene' Bibaud <a href="http://www.jumpropenet.com">www.jumpropenet.com</a>	

	Dennis Lee & The Funky Monkey Bunch - ventriloquist	<a href="http://www.dennisleeproductions.com">www.dennisleeproductions.com</a> 214-443-0396 To book: Dawn Dye	Various topics – Taks pep rallies, red ribbon wk, bullying...
	Motivational Productions	1-800-487-8464 <a href="http://www.motivationalpro.org">www.motivationalpro.org</a>	Good reviews about the company. Carpenter PTA not thrilled w/“The Truth of Lies” prog.
	Making A Difference	Glen Sanders, Inc. <a href="mailto:glensanders@glensanders.com">glensanders@glensanders.com</a>	
	Lorin Nicholson	<a href="http://www.lorinnicholson.com">www.lorinnicholson.com</a> <a href="mailto:info@lorinnicholson.com">info@lorinnicholson.com</a>	Rave reviews from many campuses
	Character Rocks	<a href="http://www.charactercounts.org">www.charactercounts.org</a>	
	Yes You Can! Meeting challenges & overcoming adversity. Speaker has deformed legs and gives inspiring program.	<a href="http://www.yes-you-can.net">www.yes-you-can.net</a> Lloyd H. Bachrach 773-761-0099	
Money	Money Smart – covers general, checking & savings, budget, credit	<a href="http://www.fdic.gov/moneysmart">www.fdic.gov/moneysmart</a>	Have promo CD in file.
Music	Dano	Dano Par <a href="http://www.DanoRecords.com">www.DanoRecords.com</a> <a href="mailto:spdano@hotmail.com">spdano@hotmail.com</a>	
Parenting	Seminars for Parents – many topics	<a href="http://www.familydimensionz.com">www.familydimensionz.com</a> Cynthia Small 972-446-2608	Great review from council
	“Families Under Fire”	Jody Capehart <a href="http://www.capehartconnection.com">www.capehartconnection.com</a>	Good reviews
	The Do’s and Don’ts of Discipline	Dennis Mitchell <a href="http://www.IGNconsulting.com">www.IGNconsulting.com</a> 1-800-234-9264	
	Parenting Tips and Information	Dallas Assoc. for Parent Educ. 972-699-0420 <a href="http://www.dallasparents.org">www.dallasparents.org</a>	resource
	School-Smart Parenting: Raising Children for Success & Happiness in School	Michael L. Brock, LPC <a href="mailto:mlbrock@gte.net">mlbrock@gte.net</a>	
	Program for moms and dads	<a href="http://www.iMOM.com/morning">www.iMOM.com/morning</a> <a href="http://www.AllProDad.com">www.AllProDad.com</a>	
	Love and Logic	Amy Diehl 972-334-9531	

		<a href="mailto:ajdiehl@sbcglobal.net">ajdiehl@sbcglobal.net</a>	
	Parent Ed Programs – many!	Jewish Family Service, Dallas 972-437-9950 <a href="http://www.JFLdallas.org">www.JFLdallas.org</a>	Great reviews from PTAs
	Polly Harrison	<a href="mailto:info@pollyharrison.net">info@pollyharrison.net</a> 214-519-8263	Bio and details on file
Police Programs	High Flying Excitement Cafeteria Cops Age of Accountability Drugs, Bullying....	Officer Bianez 972-941-2437 972-951-3339 cell	Good reviews from many campuses
	Plano Police Dept- Crime Prevention Unit workshops (property, personal safety, identity theft...)	Mark Dawson 972-208-8045	Great topics and programs!
	Get Organized!	Lorraine Brock 972-841-0738 <a href="http://www.GetOrganized.ws">www.GetOrganized.ws</a>	
Porn	Six Random Clicks to Porn: Where has your child surfed today?	Texas PTA	
Reading	Storybook Theatre – Bringing Stories to Life	<a href="http://www.sbttheatre.com">www.sbttheatre.com</a>	
Resumes	Resume writing for PTA parents and home-to-work parents	Texas PTA Karen Martin, MBA, CFRE <a href="mailto:Kmartpta@yahoo.com">Kmartpta@yahoo.com</a>	Great reviews from council
Safety	Realities of Child Abuse	Collin County Children’s Advocacy Center 214-515-9045	
	Cell Phone and Web Safety (texting, driving, GPS tracking...)	<a href="http://www.safety4kidsnow.com">www.safety4kidsnow.com</a> Justine Juele 817-223-0567	
	Crime Stoppers-campus program	<a href="http://www.thetexascrimestoppers.org">www.thetexascrimestoppers.org</a> 866-220-4357	
	Internet and Technology Safety Education Program	<a href="http://www.whatswhat.me">www.whatswhat.me</a> Katie LeClerc <a href="mailto:Katie@ktlgreer.com">Katie@ktlgreer.com</a>	Saw her program in Austin. Former safety analyst with Mass. State Police – great program.
Science	Sci-Tech Discovery Center	<a href="http://www.mindstretchingfun.org">www.mindstretchingfun.org</a>	Hightower used
	Mad Science of Dallas	972-SCIENCE <a href="http://www.madsciencedallas.com">www.madsciencedallas.com</a>	
	The Science Alliance	<a href="http://www.thesciencealliance.com">www.thesciencealliance.com</a> 262-248-4399	
	Ocean Adventure	<a href="http://www.theoceanadventure.com">www.theoceanadventure.com</a> 800-760-6089	

	Science of Spin assembly	<a href="http://www.scienceofspin.com">www.scienceofspin.com</a> 877-201-9696	
	Trinity Science Solution's "Big Canyon Balloon"	Trinity (972-632-8202) Teri Monk <a href="http://www.trinitysciencesolutions.com/shop/s tart">http://www.trinitysciencesolutions.com/shop/s tart</a>	Wells, Huffman, Wyatt, Mitchell, Hickey
	The Balloon Scientist	<a href="mailto:cbrust@excite.com">cbrust@excite.com</a> 817-861-3352	
	Digital Sky Adventures Portable planetarium	<a href="http://www.digitalskyadventures.com">www.digitalskyadventures.com</a>	
	Various programs	<a href="http://www.mobileproductions.com">www.mobileproductions.com</a>	
Self-Esteem	Savvy and Chic	972-665-9977	
Sex	"What's the Big Deal about Porn and Sex Addiction?" by Shane Adamson, LCSW	Dykeman Assoc. 214-528-2991 <a href="http://www.dykemanassociates.com">www.dykemanassociates.com</a>	
Spanish	Afterschool program	Yolanda Chacon NeatSpanish.com 972-408-6529, <a href="mailto:info@neatspanish.com">info@neatspanish.com</a>	
Speakers Bureau	NTTA	NTTA Speakers Bureau 214-224-3088	Free service to the public
	Keith Davis	<a href="http://www.keithdavis.org">www.keithdavis.org</a> <a href="mailto:keithdavispeaks@aol.com">keithdavispeaks@aol.com</a>	Murphy MS used him and was very pleased. Review on file.
	The Morris Brothers – misc. topics available	<a href="http://www.themorrisbrothers.net">www.themorrisbrothers.net</a> 214-544-0988	
	Many professional development topics	Judy Whitaker Consulting, Inc. 972-427-8894 <a href="mailto:Judywhitaker2@aol.com">Judywhitaker2@aol.com</a>	
	Speakers for k-12	214-498-3046 <a href="http://www.dallaschoolassemblies.com">www.dallaschoolassemblies.com</a> <a href="http://www.dallasperformers.com">www.dallasperformers.com</a>	
	Speaker for secondary Leadership topics for highschoolers	<a href="http://www.ICanLeadBlindFolded.com">www.ICanLeadBlindFolded.com</a> David Long	
	Sports leader	Steve Grant (former NFL) Sports World 352-0732-5700 <a href="mailto:jsample@sportsworld.org">jsample@sportsworld.org</a>	
	Various topics to choose from (lifeskills, reading, recycling, drugs, TAKS...)	<a href="http://www.motivationalSchoolShows.com">www.motivationalSchoolShows.com</a> 512-832-0283	Have discount flyers if you want to book.
	The Speaker Co-op	<a href="http://www.speakercoop.com">www.speakercoop.com</a>	
	Texas PTA programs: 40 Developmental Assets	<a href="http://www.getsmarttexas.org">www.getsmarttexas.org</a> <a href="http://www.txpta.org">www.txpta.org</a>	Great reviews. Need 6 week leadtime

	Food & Fitness Matter NetSmartz Party 101 Profession: Parent Road Rules Stop Bullying Now! True Colors		
Special Needs	Visual Noice "Lights, Colors, Shapes, Sounds and Scents"	Carolyn Feder, TBAE & TAID Sensoryinteriordesign.com 972-965-2674	SAGE used for a parent program. Very good info.
Suicide		Suicide and Crisis Center 214-824-7020	
Teen Safety and Technology	Cyber-Smarts by Katie Koestner		Used by Boggess. Good program but speaker was difficult to work with.
Tutoring	Online tutorials	<a href="http://www.ExpertSubjects.com">www.ExpertSubjects.com</a>	