



## School Notes

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### NISD School Notes, April 10 – May 30

#### **AMAT Graphic Design Students Qualify for Nationals**

Northwest ISD Academy of Media Arts and Technology (AMAT) students Jennifer Becan and Vanessa Kantaphone are 2013 SkillsUSA state champions. Northwest High School junior Jennifer Becan received first place in advertising design, and junior Vanessa Kantaphone received first place in T-shirt design. The two graphic design students will advance to the national contest in June.

PHOTO CAPTION [statechampions]: Academy of Media Arts and Technology graphic design students (left to right) Vanessa Kantaphone and Jennifer Becan are pictured with their state champion first place plaques at the 2013 SkillsUSA contest. The two students will advance to nationals in June.

#### **One Week Left to Vote for NHS in the Texas Scholars ‘Vote for Your Favorite’ Competition**

Northwest High School senior Caren Stuebe is among 50 students in the state recognized as a State Farm Texas Scholar. Because of Stuebe’s recognition, Northwest High School is one of 50 schools in the state eligible for a \$5,000 prize as part of the ‘Vote for Your Favorite’ competition. Vote for Stuebe and Northwest High School by going to [www.texasscholaraward.com](http://www.texasscholaraward.com). Voting will take place through April 15, and results will be posted on April 16. The Texas Scholar Award program is open to outstanding high school seniors who are involved in any UIL competition, leaders among their community and high-achieving in the classroom.

#### **Enrollment Online is a Click Away**

Beginning April 18, Enrollment Online will be available for students new to Northwest ISD. This includes incoming kindergarten students. Returning student registration will begin August 1. This will replace the back-to-school packets issued on the first day of school. In order to access the online registration feature, parents of students currently enrolled in the district must have a Home Access Center (HAC) account. Access to the HAC requires an internet connection and a confidential username and password issued to the parent by the school. If you are unsure of your HAC login, you may contact your child’s campus. For more information, go to [www.nisdtx.org/enrollment](http://www.nisdtx.org/enrollment). Parents of returning students can begin the registration process on August 1.

#### **Welcome Class of 2026 - Kindergarten Round-Up Begins April 29**

Children who will attend kindergarten this August are asked to register online beginning April 18. To register, kindergarten students must be five by September 1, 2013 and complete online registration at [www.nisdtx.org/enrollment](http://www.nisdtx.org/enrollment). Kindergarten Round-Up is scheduled for April 29-May 3. Round-Up events are specific to each campus. Check school websites for exact times. Even though kindergarten registration begins online, parents and students are encouraged to attend the Round-Up event at their child’s school to meet staff, tour the facility and provide the necessary documents needed to complete the registration process. Please bring the following items in order to complete your child’s enrollment:

- Birth certificate
- Immunization records (immunizations must be up-to-date to attend school)
- Proof of residency (housing contract, rental agreement, etc.)
- Student’s social security card
- License or government-issued ID of the parent/guardian

Computers will be available at the campus during Kindergarten Round-Up for parents unable to register online from home. Find your local school at [www.nisdtx.org/attendanceboundaries](http://www.nisdtx.org/attendanceboundaries).

### **NISD School Board Meeting**

An NISD School Board meeting will be held April 22 at 7 p.m. in the Board Room at the NISD Administration Building (2001 Texan Drive, Fort Worth, 76247).

### **NISD to Host Night of No Limits**

Northwest ISD kindergarten through twelfth-graders will present their best work in science and problem-based learning at the Night of No Limits on Thursday, May 16 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Northwest High School. Students will share their projects through live presentations and in a gallery format. Families and community members are invited to watch student presentations and engage in hands-on, interactive exhibits from the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History and CBSDFW Meteorologist Jeff Jamison.

### **NISD High School Student Will Win a Chevy Camaro This Spring**

The Northwest ISD Partners in Education will team up with Moritz Chevrolet to give away a 2013 Chevrolet Camaro to one lucky high school student in Northwest ISD for outstanding academic efforts and attendance throughout the year. The car giveaway will take place Friday, May 24 at 10:30 a.m. at Texas Motor Speedway (3545 Lone Star Circle, Fort Worth, 76177).

### **NISD Closed for Memorial Day**

Northwest ISD campuses and administrative offices will be closed Monday, May 27 in observance of Memorial Day. Classes will resume on Tuesday, May 28.

### **BNHS Football Booster Club Hosts Golf Tournament**

The Byron Nelson High School football booster club is hosting a golf tournament on Thursday, May 30 at 2 p.m. at Trophy Club Country Club. For more information, contact Cyndi Huizenga at [chuizenga@att.net](mailto:chuizenga@att.net).

### **Summer School Opportunities in NISD**

Northwest ISD offers a variety of summer programs for elementary, middle school and high school students to enhance their educational experience. Go to [www.nisdtx.org](http://www.nisdtx.org) and look for a listing of opportunities under Announcements on the right-hand side of the website. Registration deadlines vary by program. For more information, call NISD Student Services at 817-215-0083.

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