



PTA/PTO Presidents and Principals' Meeting

Welcome:

Dr. Don Stockton, Superintendent, welcomed the PTA/PTO Presidents and Principals and thanked them for attending. He presented an overview of the District, updated information on the 2004 Bond Referendum and the most recent information from the legislature regarding school funding.

Community Relations

Dr. Jean Stewart, Deputy Superintendent, shared information regarding the CISD Partners and Volunteers website. The website is active and can be viewed at www.conroeisd.net/about/pv/pv.asp or by visiting the www.conroeisd.net. Dr. Stewart addressed the group about the importance of the PTA/PTO programs in our communities and our schools.

Junior Achievement

Cathy Heindl, Junior Achievement Senior Development Manager, presented an overview of the Junior Achievement program. Mrs. Heindl shared information regarding the impact that Junior Achievement programs have on students in CISD. She introduced several new programs that will be available this year and hopes to get more teachers and community members involved in Junior Achievement. The programs she include:

- Curriculum for grades kindergarten through 12
- Our City
- JA Global Marketplace
- Enterprise in Action
- JA Personal Finance
- Exchange City
- Scholarships

Montgomery County United Way

Julie Martineau, Executive Director of Montgomery County United Way, gave an overview of the United Way and discussed opportunities for community members to get involved. Mrs. Martineau also reported to the group the current status of the Hurricane Katrina relief efforts taking place in Montgomery County. A daily update regarding the Montgomery County United Way's relief efforts is available for viewing by visiting the website at www.uwmc.org.

PTO/PTA: Sharing Our Good News!

Principals shared great activities taking place on their campuses to promote parental involvement. Schools that shared were:

- Senior High – The Woodlands College Park High SchoolMark Murrell
- Junior High – York Junior High SchoolDr. Gena Jerkins
- Intermediate – Cryar Intermediate SchoolDru Ann Davis
- Elementary – Milam Elementary SchoolJudy Davis

Closing

Dr. Stewart concluded the meeting by thanking everyone for attending and noted the dates of the next two meetings.

- November 9, 2005
- March 8, 2006