

# TCU THIS WEEK



EVENTS AND INFORMATION FOR THE TCU COMMUNITY

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## United Way campus campaign tops its goal by \$7,000-plus

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS YEAR'S UNITED Way campus campaign total \$122,725.80 in pledges from 704 donors. And donations are continuing to trickle in, according to **Nancy Styles** (marketing and communication), campaign coordinator. The total is 6.7% over the announced \$115,000 goal.

"Thanks so much to everyone who contributed to this effort. In these challenging times, we can all be proud that members of the University family reached deep in their pockets to help other members of the Tarrant County community who are in need," says **Don Mills**, vice chancellor for student affairs and the University's United Way Campaign chair. "We are grateful to all for their generous spirit and support."

Nancy also notes that \$11,610 of the total was received from 36 retired faculty and staff. ♦

## Lots of activity planned for Western Heritage Day at home football game this weekend

THERE'S MORE THAN A TRY AT THE Guinness World Record for the largest line dance planned for Saturday's football game against Southern Mississippi. Prior to the 2 p.m. kickoff, TCU fans have these added attractions to choose from.

- Frog Alley fun, starting at noon.
- Lunch served by Reata restaurant in Frog Alley. Cost is \$20 per person.
- Live music on four stages around Amon Carter Stadium
- Watch some of the world's best cutting horses in a live demonstration in front of the stadium.
- A fun and educational experience with more than 30 interactive booths displaying the uniqueness of Western culture and Fort Worth.

As far as the line dance goes, you can sign up to be part of the fun either online at [gofrogs.com](http://gofrogs.com) or in the TCU Sports Marketing office in Daniel-Meyer Coliseum, rm. 104. It costs \$5 to participate. It's free to learn the dance steps at Billy Bob's Texas at 7 p.m. Thursday, or every 15 minutes in Daniel-Meyer Coliseum between 9 and 10:30 a.m. Saturday.

For more information, call ext. FROG. ♦

## Share your Christmas with a child at annual treelighting

SGA PROGRAMMING COUNCIL AND THE Order of Omega will once again work in conjunction with Bank One's Spirit of Christmas campaign to collect wrapped gifts for children

## EVENTS

### Today - Nov. 19

Master of Fine Arts exhibition; works by Nhat Pham, University Art Gallery, Moudy North.\*\*\*

### Today

Open Enrollment forms for health benefits due in Human Resources office by 5 p.m.

Faculty organ recital with **Guillermo Martinez**, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium.\*

### Nov. 16

"Identity Theft" crime prevention meeting, noon, Student Center, rm. 207. There will be a presentation by Detective Bob Woods of the Fort Worth Police Department's Fraud Division. For more information call ext. 7276.

Celebration of **Speaker Jim Wright's** election to Congress 50 years ago, 3 p.m., Library. For more information, call ext. 6109.

Steinway/TCU Piano Duo Concert, 7:30 p.m., featuring Steinway artists **José Feghali** and **John Owings**, Ed Landreth Auditorium.\*

### Nov. 17

Chancellor's Council on Diversity and Inclusiveness Task Force monthly luncheon, noon - 1:30 p.m., Kelly Center. Call ext. 7796 for reservations.

KinoMonda International Film Series, *Duck Soup* (USA) 6:30 p.m., Sid Richardson Bldg. LH 4. Call ext. 7292.

TCU Jazz Combo concert, **Curt Wilson** conducting, featuring Dave Pietro's Banda Brazil, 7:30 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall, admission \$5.\*

### Nov. 18

Frog Club luncheon, featuring **Coach Gary Patterson**, noon, \$10/person, no reservations required, Kelly Center. Call ext. 7700.

TCU art student Chad Pence will discuss his work, now on display in the TCU Bookstore, 6 p.m. in Froggie's Café.

Dallas/FW chapter, National Black MBA Association, co-hosted by the Neeley School, 6:30 p.m., Kelly Center.

English Dept. program featuring author Bob

under the care of Child Protective Services in Fort Worth. Faculty, staff and students may select a card denoting a specific youngster and his/her hopes for a special present.

The cards may be picked up at lunchtime Nov. 15-23 or Nov. 29-Dec. 1 at tables in the Student Center and Smith Entrepreneurs Hall, or at dinner time in the Student Center.

The gifts should be returned at this year's Holiday Tree Lighting, set for 9 p.m. Dec. 1 in front of Sadler Hall.

For more information, call Sebastian Moleski at ext. 5392 or by e-mail to [s.moleski@tcu.edu](mailto:s.moleski@tcu.edu). ♦

Cowser Jr., 7 p.m., Reed Hall, rm. 103. Call ext. 6257 for more information.

TCU String Orchestra, **German Gutiérrez** conducting, 7:30 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall.\*

### Nov. 19 - 20

TCU Band Weekend, **Bobby R. Francis** directing. High School students from across the state will be on campus to hear the TCU Wind Symphony, Jazz Ensembles and participate in Weekend Honor Bands. Friday 6 p.m. hear the TCU Wind Symphony and Jazz Ensembles. Saturday 7 p.m. hear the High School Honor Bands perform. Both concerts are free and open to the public. Ed Landreth Auditorium. Call ext. 7640.

### Nov. 19

Men's Basketball vs. University of Texas-Arlington, 7:05 p.m., Daniel-Meyer Coliseum.\*\*

### Nov. 20

Joyce Gibson Roach will sign her children's book *Horned Toad Canyon*, 10 a.m., Froggie's Café in the TCU Bookstore.

Western Heritage Day - TCU Football vs. Southern Miss, 2 p.m., Amon Carter Stadium. \*\*

### Nov. 21

Guest Artist violin recital, 4 p.m., featuring Lindsay Deutsch, PepsiCo Recital Hall.\*

Men's Basketball vs. Shawnee State University, 5 p.m., Daniel-Meyer Coliseum.\*\*

TCU Chorale with **Ron Shirey** conducting, 7:30 p.m., St. Stephen Presbyterian Church.\*

### Nov. 22

Women's Basketball vs. Sam Houston State, 7 p.m., Daniel-Meyer Coliseum.\*\*

Faculty piano recital with **Harold Martina**, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium.\*

\* Call the School of Music at ext. 7602.

\*\* Call the athletic ticket office at ext. 7967.

\*\*\*Call art & art history at ext. 7643.

## AFCA dinner tonight honors late TCU Coach Jim Wacker

THE LATE TCU **COACH JIM WACKER** WILL BE honored tonight at the American Football Coaches Association "Sharing the Victory" Banquet 2004. The event is set for 7 p.m. in the Grand Crystal Ballroom of the Radisson Plaza Hotel downtown.

Grant Teaff, AFCA executive director and former Baylor University coach, will be guest speaker.

(Turn to **Wacker** on back)



(Wacker from front)

The Wacker family is slated to attend and accept a special award for Coach Wacker who passed away in August 2003.

Cost is \$150 per person or \$1,500 for a table of 10. For more information, call 817-457-9398. ♦

## TCU Jazz event will feature Dave Pietro's Banda Brazil

A TCU JAZZ COMBO CONCERT IS SET for 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 17 in PepsiCo Recital Hall, located in the Walsh Center for Performing Arts. Admission is \$5 at the door.

**Curt Wilson** is director.

Guest artists are Dave Pietro's Banda Brazil from New York City. A native of Massachusetts, Pietro has been a saxophonist on the Manhattan jazz scene since 1987 (after graduation from UNT where he played with the One O'Clock Lab Band). He played with the Toshiko Akiyoshi Jazz Orchestra for nine years and has toured and recorded with the bands of Woody Herman, Lionel Hampton, Maynard Ferguson, Maria Schneider, and has played with well-known musicians Ray Charles, Rosemary Clooney, Harry Connick Jr., Michael Feinstein and Liza Minnelli.

Banda Brazil consists of Helio Alves (piano), Leonardo Cioglia (bass), Pedro Ito (percussion) and Adriano Santos (drums). ♦

## Holiday hours for Rec Center

The University Rec Center will observe special hours over the Thanksgiving break:

Nov. 24 - 6 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Nov. 25 - Closed

Nov. 26 - 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

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Nov. 27 - 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Nov. 28 - 10 a.m. - midnight

Hours for indoor pool:

Nov. 24 - 7:30 - 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Nov. 25 - Closed

Nov. 26 - 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Nov. 27 - 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Nov. 28 - 1 - 8 p.m. ♦

## TCU to host Fort Worth Civic Orchestra's Teddy Bear Concert on Dec. 4

THE SIXTH ANNUAL TEDDY BEAR Concert celebrating the holiday season will be held at Ed Landreth Auditorium on Saturday, Dec. 4 at 6 p.m. The Fort Worth Civic Orchestra (FWCO), under the direction of Kurt Sprenger, will perform holiday and classical music.

In conjunction with the concert, TCU social work students will conduct a toy drive for the City of Fort Worth's Cowboy Santa Program. Unwrapped toys can be brought to the concert. In addition, FWISD will hold a contest where students will write their own Christmas carol. Music will be composed for the winning carol and be debuted during the evening's program.

The concert is co-sponsored by TCU's department of social work, in addition to TXU Energy, Target, and the Tarrant County Homeless Coalition.

The Teddy Bear Concert is designed for children and their families who reside in homeless shelters or live in low-income households. Over 1,000 free tickets are distributed to families from 18 different social service agencies throughout the county and the public is also invited to attend. By providing an opportunity to hear music performed live by a full orchestra, FWCO's goal is to introduce classical music and impact the families in a positive way.

Tickets can be purchased at the door on the day of the concert. Cost to attend is \$5 for children under 12, students and seniors, \$10 for adults. ♦

## Black MBA group and Neeley School co-hosting event

THE DALLAS/FORT WORTH CHAPTER OF the National Black MBA Association will hold its fourth annual Corporate Appreciation Reception Thursday. The event, co-sponsored by the Neeley School of Business, will be from 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. at the Kelly Center. ♦

## KUDOS

The University Recreation Center has received the Athletic Business Facility of Merit Award, presented by The Athletic Business Association. This recognition is considered "the gold standard" by which all sport facilities

are judged, whether they are private, public, collegiate, parks and recreation or professional sports venues. **Steve Kintigh** and **Don Mills** flew to Orlando to accept the award in person. The Rec Center has also received the INFORM Award, presented by *Inform* magazine, a professional journal for architects.

**Virginia Dias** (honors program) was sworn in as a U.S. citizen Nov. 9 during a ceremony at the Fort Worth Convention Center, attended by many friends from the advancement office. A native of Peru, Virginia has been a citizen of Canada but decided she wanted to be naturalized because her grandchildren will be Americans.

## DEATH

Sympathy is extended to the family of **Dr. James Farrar** (religion, ret.) who passed away Nov. 6. A memorial service was held Nov. 12 in Robert Carr Chapel.

## CLASSIFIEDS

**WINDOWS CLEANED:** Residential or commercial, great job at a great price. For a free estimate, call Refugio Garcia, 817-480-8124.

**IRRIGATION & LANDSCAPING:** Fall color in your flower beds, sprinkler systems, French drains, winter rye. 817-343-4124.

**FOR LEASE:** Ryan Place 1,800 sq. ft. brick bungalow at 2608 S. Adams, 2 bedrooms/2 baths, just renovated with all new central heat and air, new electrical, new plumbing. Hardwoods, fireplace, utility room, butler's pantry, security system, yard maintenance. No dogs. One year lease. \$1,375/mo with \$700 deposit. 817-921-4272 or 817-924-2570

## JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of Nov. 11. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

Vice Chancellor for University Advancement - Advancement

Accompanist/Ballet/Temporary Staff - Ballet/Modern Dance

Executive Vice-President & Dean - Brite

Financial Assistant - Financial Services

Library Specialist - Library

Frog Club Director - Advancement

Head Track Coach (Men/Women) - Athletics

Instructional Staff/Station Manager - RTVF

Police Officer - TCU Police

Program Coordinator - Alcohol/Drug Education

Computer Technical Specialist - Library

Administrative Assistant - Marketing and Communication

Administrative Assistant - Physical Plant

Administrative Program Specialist-75% - Advancement-Constituent Programs

Alumni Web Services Coordinator - Alumni Relations

Craft Tech Supervisor (Electrical) - Physical Plant

Service Assistant - Residential Services

EMCS Operator - Physical Plant

**Gardening tip from Robert Sulak (physical plant):** Through November is an excellent time to purchase bulbs while there is still a good selection. Bulbs can be planted at any time, except tulips and hyacinths which should be refrigerated until December.