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DUNCANVILLE Independent School District

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Reed Students Create Anti-Bullying Video



Students at Reed Middle School created a video the week of November 16 to spread the message that words can hurt. The school's anti-bullying committee planned activities for students which included recording and editing the video. Students also colored



Duncanville ISD is competing with other school districts in the Best Southwest to collect toys for thousands of needy children. Superintendents from Duncanville, Cedar Hill, Desoto and Lancaster are going head-to-head to generate the most toys for charity. The winning district will receive a \$300 donation, and the superintendent will receive a free lunch provided by the remaining superintendents.

pictures of shoes and wrote slogans of support on them. The finished artwork was posted on the entryway of the school along with the slogan, "Walk a Mile in My Shoes."

Hardin Intermediate Collects Food for the Holidays



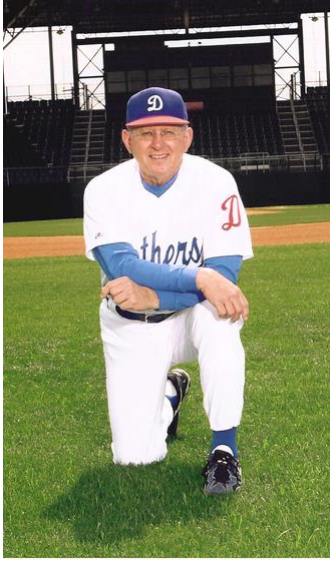
The staff and students at Hardin Intermediate School collected turkeys and canned goods November 4 – 18 to donate to families for Thanksgiving. The project was initiated by Crystal Delley, the campus' site coordinator for Communities in Schools. Rebecca Myers' 5th grade homeroom class donated 558 of the 1,617 total items collected. Mrs. Myers reached out to her family and friends and used social media to increase support. Six families at Hardin received boxes of food and a turkey. Communities in Schools at Alexander Elementary, J.A. Vitovsky Elementary in Midlothian ISD and Lancaster High School also benefitted from the food drive.

Donations will be accepted through **Wednesday, December 3** at each of Duncanville ISD's campuses. The winning district will be announced at the drive-through event at Hillside Village shopping center in Cedar Hill on December 4 from 5 - 10 p.m. featuring personalities from WFAA Channel 8.

DHS Students Advance to State Teaching Competition



Students from Duncanville High School's Education and Training program advanced to the state competition after winning at the regional contest in Mesquite on November 18. The students, who are studying to become teachers, competed in categories including "Impromptu Teaching" and "Planning a Lesson". Eighteen of the 38 DHS students who participated won their categories at the regional Texas Association of Future Educators (TAFE) competition. The state competition, the Texas Tomorrow Summit,



Duncanville ISD Board Approves Rombach Field Dedication

Duncanville ISD's Board of Trustees voted to rename the high school baseball field after Coach Bob Rombach at its November 9 meeting. Rombach taught and coached varsity baseball at Duncanville High School for 26 years, retiring in 2007. Coach Rombach is remembered for his leadership and unwavering support for the district. A naming ceremony will be held at a later date.

will be held January 29 through February 1, 2016 at the University of Houston. View the winners [here](#).

Duncanville Tennis Teams Win Turkey Day Tournament

Duncanville High School's varsity and junior varsity teams ate up the competition at the Mansfield Gobbler



Tournament Thursday, November 19. Chance Phoupardit and Alex Fuentes won the top flight Boys Doubles Championship. Aaron Mancillas and Monica Cervantes won the top flight Mixed Doubles Championship. See other medalists [here](#).



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