



October 2nd, 3rd & 4th
Hotel Fredonia, Nacogdoches, TX

Texas Department of Aging & Disability Services
State Supported Living Centers

Totally Awesome 80's

On behalf of my friends who live at Lufkin State Supported Living Center - Welcome, to East Texas! Nacogdoches is the oldest town in Texas and we are known for our pine trees and our SFA Lumberjacks. Lufkin State Supported Living Center is honored to host the 36th Annual Music Festival, which showcases the best talent from all of the Texas State Supported Living Centers.

Thank you for the commitment from the various departments and staff who support the individuals so people can travel to East Texas and stay in the historic Hotel Fredonia which will be the center of activities for the Music Festival.

The people who are performing are "Totally Awesome" and I hope you will all enjoy going down memory lane, remembering the best of the 80's - Rubric cubes, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles, the movie "Back to the Future" and songs like "Footloose", "Girls just want to have Fun" and "9 to 5" by Dolly Parton. I know that our performers are going to awe us with their talents.

We hope you will enjoy being in Nacogdoches and get the opportunity to visit the historic brick streets of downtown, the Stone Fort Museum, and Stephen F. Austin State University.

Gale Wasson, B.S. M.S. Education
Director
Lufkin State Supported Living Center.

DADS Interim Commissioner, Jon Weizenbaum will be a special guest throughout the festival and a presenter during the awards banquet.

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Tuesday, October 02, 2012

3:00 – 5:00pm Music Festival Registration
The Hotel Fredonia
Conference Center foyer

Wednesday October 3, 2012

9:30am **OPENING CEREMONY**

Festival Welcome: Kim Blalock, 2012 Festival Coordinator

Welcome to Nacogdoches: Roger Van Horn, Nacogdoches Mayor

Invocation: Greg Freijo, LfSSLC Chaplain/Master of Ceremonies

Pledge of Allegiance: Rio Grande State Center

National Anthem: Rio Grande State Center

Introduction of Guest Speakers: Chaplain Greg

Gale Wasson, Director of Lufkin State Supported Living Center

Donna Jessee, Interim Assistant Commissioner, SSLCs

Kristi Jordan, Associate Commissioner, DADS

James White, State Representative

Introduction of Judges and Music Directors: Chaplain Greg

Festival Kickoff: Bob Brown, Lufkin Mayor

10:30am **VOCAL SOLO COMPETITION**

Donna Rice (Lufkin).....“He Was On the Cross”

Ron Akin (Denton).....“Land Down Under”

Nancy Baker (Denton)..... “Got My Mind Set On You”

Dana Gottlieb (Richmond)“On the Road Again”

Jacquelynn Pounders (San Angelo)...“Everything’s Gonna Be Alright”

Bruce Wayne Davis (Austin).....“You Were Always On My Mind”

Jesse Mata (Austin)..... “God Bless The USA”

Break until 11:30am

Wednesday October 3, 2012 (cont.)

11:30am VOCAL SOLO COMPETITION continues

Crystal Knotts (Mexia).....“I Love Rock N’ Roll”
Christopher Carroll (Mexia).....“If You Don’t Know Me By Now”
Josephine Cheatham (Abilene).....“Could I Have This Dance”
Fred Cortez (Abilene).....“Elvira”
Maria Garcia (Corpus Christi).....“One Way or Another”
Linzie Jenkins (Corpus Christi).....“Hit Me With Your Best Shot”
Courtney Armstrong (San Angelo).....“Kokomo”

12:00pm - 1:30pm Lunch

1:30pm - 2:30pm SIGN SOLO COMPETITION

Sharlene Medley (Lufkin).....“Girls Just Wanna Have Fun”
Angela Pousson (Lufkin).....“I Know Where I’m Going”
Dorothy Herman (Denton).....“Love Hurts”
Courtney Armstrong (San Angelo).....“God Bless The USA”
Jacquelynn Pounders (San Angelo).....“We Shall Behold Him”
Qualin Turner (Mexia).....“With or Without You”
Dianne Reed (Mexia).....“True Colors”
Patty Mahan (Abilene).....“We Shall Behold Him”

2:30pm - 3:00pm INSTRUMENTAL COMPETITION

Bobby Irwin (San Angelo).....“Terms Of Endearment”
Jeff Tipton (San Angelo)“Chariots Of Fire”
Steven Brooks (Mexia).....“My Prerogative”
Stephanie Marcellus (Abilene).....“Sukiyaki”
George “PJ” Pitones (Abilene).....“LaBamba”

3:00pm – 3 :30pm Break

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3:30pm - 4:30pm VOCAL CHOIR COMPETITION

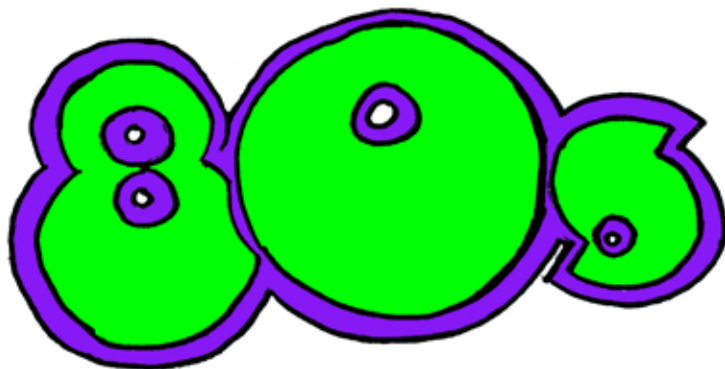
Lufkin	"Somebody's Watching Me"
San Angelo Singers	"We Are the World"
Denton	"Celebration"
Voice of Richmond	"All My Exes Live In Texas"
Austin Community Choir	"I Love Rock n' Roll"
Mexia Mustangs	"We Are The World"
Mexia Mustangs	"Don't Worry"
Mustang Singers (Lubbock)	"Lean On Me"
Abilene's 80's Choir	"I Just Called To Say I Love You"
Corpus Christi	"Walking On Sunshine"
Sounds Of Joy (Brenham)	"We Are The World"

4:30pm - 5:00pm INTERPRETIVE DANCE COMPETITION

Amanda Dickson (Brenham)	"Girls Just Wanna Have Fun"
Jamie Melton (San Angelo)	"Venus Dance"
Denton Rocks	"Thriller"

5:30pm - 7:00pm Dinner

7:30pm - 9:00pm Dance



Thursday October 4, 2012

9:30am - 10:15am MUSIC EXPRESSION COMPETITION

Donna Rice & Cary Forsythe (Lufkin)

"Crazy Little thing Called Love"

Courtney Armstrong, Jeff Tipton, & Bobby Irwin (San Angelo)

"Sharp Dressed Man"

Debbie's Boys (Bryce Phillips, Jesse Mata, & Debbie Parker) (Austin)

"Jesse's Girl"

Christopher Carrol, Crystal Knotts, & Qualin Turner (Mexia)

"Walk this Way"

Josephine Cheatham & Fred Cortez (Abilene)

"Somewhere Out There"

Christopher Carroll & Crystal Knots (Mexia)

"Islands In The Stream"

10:15am - 10:30am Break

10:30am - 12:00pm SIGN CHOIR COMPETITION

Lufkin..... "If I Could Turn Back Time"

Denton Sign Choir..... "In The Name Of Love"

The Richmond Signers..... "God Bless the USA"

San Angelo Signers..... "Friends"

Time Travelers (Austin) "Time After Time"

Sounds Of Joy (Brenham)..... "That's What Friends Are For"

Mexia Mustangs..... "Say You Say Me"

Abilene Signers..... "Greatest Love Of All"

12:00pm - 1:30pm Lunch

1:30pm - 2:15pm BELL CHOIR COMPETITION

Lufkin "Everybody Wants To Rule The World"

Denton..... "Take On Me"

Richmond Ringers..... "The Rose"

Pop a Ring (San Angelo)..... "Pop Corn"

Mexia Mustang Ringers "Chariots of Fire"

Mustang Ringers (Lubbock) "I've Had The Time Of My Life"

Thursday October 4, 2012 (cont)

2:15pm - 3:00pm THEMED ENSEMBLE COMPETITION

Lufkin “Sharp Dressed Man”
San Angelo Thrillers “Thriller”
Devo Dancers (Austin)..... “Whip It”
Sandy and the T-Birds (Mexia)..... “Grease Medley”
Abilene Country ensemble
“I Was Country When Country Wasn’t Cool”

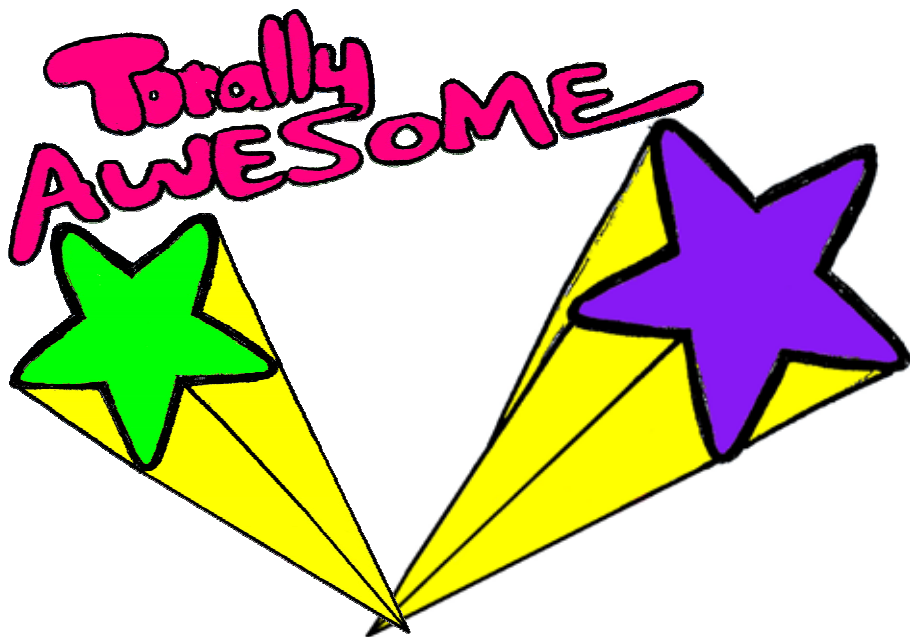
3:00pm - 3:30pm Break

3:30pm - 4:30pm RHYTHM COMPETITION

Lufkin..... “I Love Rock n’ Roll”
Denton “I Want Candy”
Blue Man Crew (San Angelo)..... “Blue Man Drumbone”
Rock Kings (Austin)..... “We Will Rock You”

4:30-5:30 Directors Meeting

5:30-Awards Banquet



Judges

Richard Orton, has a B.A. in Music from North Texas State University in Denton and an M.M. in Musicology from the University of Texas at Austin. He has been a teacher in the Peace Corps in Liberia, serves on the Board of Directors of Friends of the Visual Arts in Nacogdoches, Board of Directors of the African American Heritage Project and a volunteer with CASA of Deep East Texas. He has served on the City of Austin Arts Commission and was the Music Umbrella of Austin, Inc., Founding President.

In 1976 & 1977 Richard was a project director with the Austin Symphony Orchestra, where he produced the Symphony Square Summer Festivals. In 2009, he applied his talents in photography as well as music in producing the slide/sound work, “Homage to Nadia Boulanger”, documenting a concert at the Madeleine church in Paris commemorating the 30th anniversary of the death of Nadia Boulanger.

Mary Ballard, has worked as a Music Therapist in the Sherman Texas public schools and Ft. Wayne State Hospital and Training Center in Ft. Wayne, Indiana. She also worked at and is retired from the Lufkin State Supported Living Center. Following retirement she worked in her family’s Real Estate Business.

Now, twice retired, Mary enjoys working around her farm, which includes gardening, canning, and feeding the animals. Mary is known locally for oil painting and playing the piano for her church. She’s also known to slip off and go fishin’ from time-to-time!

R.H. Miller, began his career in music in 1956. He directed bands in San Marcos, Austin, and Port Arthur before coming to Lufkin in 1969 where he served as Principal at Trout Elementary for 23 years. During that time he directed the Lufkin community band known as the “Hoo Hoo Band”.

After retiring as Principal, Mr. Miller spent six years teaching elementary music part time then returned to teaching full time until retiring again this past summer.

AWARDS

Sign Choir

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____

Sign Solo

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____

Vocal Choir

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____

Vocal Solo

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____

Rhythm/Percussion

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____

Themed Ensemble

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____

Handbell Choir

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____

Music Expression

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____

Instrumental Solo

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____

Interpretive Dance

- 1 - _____
- 2 - _____
- 3 - _____



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