

D'HANIS

EDUCATION FOUNDATION

P.O. Box 307 - D'Hanis, Texas - 78850

The D'Hanis Education Foundation is an independent, non-profit 501(c) (3) organization formed to encourage graduates of D'Hanis Independent School District (DISD) to seek higher education. The D'Hanis Education Foundation (DEF) purpose is to raise funds through events, sponsorships, donations, or memorials to provide scholarships for students of the D'Hanis Independent School District.

The ultimate goal of DEF is to ensure that every DISD graduate has access to scholarships for higher education. The monies generate by DEF will be disbursed as scholarships to graduates of DISD through two programs.

- The first program will set resources aside to build a perpetual scholarship fund that will begin being disbursed as scholarships in the year 2022.
- The second program will provide scholarship funds to be awarded annually beginning with the graduating class of 2010, and will be phased out in 2022.

In this first year of DEF we are seeking individuals, organizations, and companies as Founder Contributors. We are also developing a unique and entertaining annual event as the primary fundraiser support of DEF, and we will need sponsors to underwrite the various activities during the event. Details for the 2010 event are enclosed with this letter.

All contributors to DEF will be eligible to serve on the DEF board. The Board of Directors of DEF will be responsible for determining actual scholarship awards each year. The board will consist of at least 9 and no more than 19 members. Permanent seats on the board are reserved for the Superintendent of DISD, one representative from the DISD Board of Trustees, one DISD teacher representative, and one parent representative.

Donations go directly to the D'Hanis Education Foundation Fund. For bookkeeping purposes, all donations of \$20 or more must be accompanied by a donor form. Donations may also be made to the foundation in honor or in memory of someone. A donor/sponsor form is enclosed, and additional donor forms are available at all DISD administrative offices.

For more information, please contact: **Pam Seipp**, DISD Superintendent
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*Please join us in ensuring our D'Hanis Cowboys and Cowgirls
have the opportunity to ride as far as their dreams can take them.*

SPONSOR FORM

1st Annual

College for Cowboys Chuck Wagon Roundup and Prairie Gathering

February 27, 2010



The College for Cowboys Chuck Wagon Roundup and Prairie Gathering is a full day of activities for the whole family. The event is the primary fund raising effort of the D'Hanis Education Foundation, a non-profit corporation providing scholarship opportunities for graduates of the D'Hanis Independent School District.

To get this first event and DEF off to a strong start, we are offering some unique sponsor packages that will never again be offered, no matter how large the event grows in future years. These one-time-only packages are identified below. Please consider helping us build a better future for our kids, our community, our nation and our world by joining us as a founder of DEF and/or sponsor of this event.

DEF Founder **\$1,000**

One time offering, only 24 slots available
Name on Founder Plaque displayed prominently at D'Hanis Independent School District offices
Name on poster displayed annually at Roundup
Two complimentary meal tickets

Roundup Partner **\$10,000**

Only one slot available
Included as a DEF Founder at no extra cost
Company name/logo included prominently in all promotion
Ten complimentary meal tickets

Dance Sponsor **\$2,000**

One slot available
Sponsor name on dance tickets, flyers and banner on stage
Four complimentary meal tickets
*discounted \$250 when combined with DEF Founder donation

Chuck Wagon Sponsor **\$1,000**

Up to ten slots available
Name on banner at chuck wagon
Name/logo on all printed ad materials
Four complimentary meal tickets
*discounted \$250 when combined with DEF Founder donation

Chuck Wagon Co-Sponsor **\$500**

Up to 20 shared slots available
Name on banner (with another sponsor) at chuck wagon
Name/logo on all printed ad materials
Two complimentary meal tickets
*discounted \$250 when combined with DEF Founder donation

Meat Sponsor **\$1,000**

One slot available
Name on large banner at event
Name/logo on all printed ad materials
Four complimentary meal tickets
*discounted \$250 when combined with DEF Founder donation

Water Bottle Sponsor **\$1,000**

One slot available
Name/logo on water bottles
Four complimentary meal tickets
*discounted \$250 when combined with DEF Founder donation

Entertainment Sponsor **\$250**

Multiple slots available
Name on signs at the event

Food Donation Sponsor **\$100**

Multiple slots available
Name on signs at the event

Donations in Kind:

_____ worth \$ _____

Friend of DEF Donation: \$ _____

Sponsorship/Donation Total \$ _____

Your Name: _____ Company: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Please mail form and check to: D'Hanis Education Foundation, P.O. Box 307, D'Hanis TX 78850

The D'Hanis Education Foundation is a 501 (c) (3) organization.

Your sponsorship donation is tax deductible, and a receipt will be mailed to you for your records.

Please submit by January 15, 2010

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