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Greater Denton Sports Commission

Fall 2009

NEWSLETTER



RECENT EVENTS



Speaker Forum Luncheon

September 10th
12Noon
Holiday Inn - Denton

Guest Speaker
1310 The Ticket's
George Dunham

The Speaker Forum Luncheon turned out to be a huge success as speaker 1310 The Ticket's, George Dunham spoke at the luncheon on September the 10th. Dunham who began his 20th season on the Mean Green Radio Network for the UNT Athletics, enlightened the guest as he spoke about the past, present, and future of Mean Green Football program. Around 65 people were in attendance as Dunham discussed the upcoming football season and an update on the new Mean Green football stadium. "The time has finally come" says Dunham, as the developing process will begin early November, bringing high anticipation to Mean Green supporters and fans all over Denton.

RECENT EVENTS

GDSC, Denton and Corinth wins TAAF Bids



In mid September the GDSC teamed up with the City of Corinth and the City of Denton to bid on a number of tournaments to be held in the area through the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation. After successfully submitting three bids, Denton won the bid for the 18 and Under Girls Softball to be held July 16th - 18th and the 4 on 4 Adult Flag Football Tournament to be held March 5th - 7th. The City of Corinth won the bid for the Youth Flag Football State Championships to be held in November of 2010. Texas Amate are all the tournaments that we will be hosting through TAAF as we start planning for these events for next year.

The Texas Amateur Athletic Federation is a nonprofit organization established in 1925 to promote, organize and conduct amateur athletics in the state of Texas.

The mission is to create and maintain in the State of Texas a permanent organization representative of amateur athletics and/or organizations, devoted thereto; to establish and maintain the highest ideals of amateur sports in the State of Texas; promote the development of physical education and to encourage the standardization of rules of all amateur athletics, games and competitions.

The Federation consists of organizations of a permanent status that are active and interested in the promotion of amateur athletics and representative of one or more sports in their respective communities.

The objectives of Texas Amateur Athletic Federation, Incorporated are both charitable and educational. Currently the membership consists of over 140 organizations with over 210,000 individual participants.

RECENT EVENTS

Sam Bass Challenge Bicycle Weekend September 26th & 27th



The Greater Denton Sports Commission teamed up with the Texas Bicycle Racing Association to host one of the top five races in the state the last weekend in September. Two different criteriums were held, one on Saturday and the next on Sunday. Saturday's races were held in the downtown Denton area. Sunday's races were held at the C.H Collins Athletic Complex. The races were a Premier Cup Race for Texas Bicycle Racing Association which featured some of the best racers from across the state in criterium style racing.

We would like to thank the Texas Bicycle Racing Association and the sponsors for helping host this event.



RECENT EVENTS

GDSC Hosts Hospitality Room at ASA Conference



The GDSC and District 13 attended the State Conference of the Amateur Softball Association in Austin, TX. The two organizations combined to host a hospitality room on Saturday night of the weekend conference to support the bid for a tournament to be awarded to the area. On Sunday morning, District 13 was awarded the 14 and under B Softball Tournament to be held June 25-27, 2010 in Denton and Corinth.



RECENT EVENTS

GDSC Attends TEAMS 2009



The GDSC teamed up with Team Texas and attended the Travel, Events and Management in Sports Conference which was held in early October 13th-16th in New Orleans. This conference is one of the largest conferences held annually by SportsTravel Magazine to promote and exchange ideas on hosting sporting events all over the world. Different CVB's and Sports Commissions were in attendance all over the United States as conference attendees got an opportunity to exchange ideas and learn different ways on being successful in hosting major and minor sporting events.



RECENT EVENTS



LIVE TO PLAY 250 Fence Tournament presented by



The Greater Denton Sports Commission teamed up with USSSA to host a fundraiser Softball Tournament on November 14th at North Lakes Park. Proceeds from the tournament benefited the GDSC Scholarship Fund.



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