

# Weekly Update

A Weekly Review of Achievements & Activities in Cleburne ISD  
April 18-25, 2016

## Early Voting Underway for CISD Bond Election at City Hall, Conference Center and Cleburne HS; Voting Hours 8 AM-5 PM--Including Saturday

Early Voting for the Cleburne ISD bond referendum is now underway at three locations: Cleburne City Hall, Cleburne Conference Center and the Cleburne High School Library. Polls will be open from 8 AM-5 PM through Saturday, April 30. Please note that the Conference Center will not be available for Saturday voting.



The Early Voting schedule will resume Monday and Tuesday, May 2-3, with the extended hours of 7 AM-7 PM at all three locations. Election Day is Saturday, May 7, from 7 AM-7 PM, and voters should report to their designated precincts. Voter information, along with information on Bond 2016, is posted on the CISD website: [www.c-isd.com](http://www.c-isd.com).

## Talents of CHS Art and Drama Students Featured at Saturday's 2nd Annual Fine Arts Gala



The talents of Cleburne HS art and theater students will be showcased Saturday evening at the 2nd Annual Fine Arts Gala in the Don Smith Performing Arts Center. A Visual Arts Show and Reception, featuring an exhibit of student art will begin at 5 PM, followed by a community performance of the Theater Department's UIL One Act Play entry, *The Importance of Being Earnest* at 6 PM. Admission



is \$6 and will include a Silent Auction featuring gift baskets and student and faculty art.

## Marti Students Experience Super Science Day, Sponsored by Cleburne Bible Church



Friday was Super Science Day at Marti Elementary as students spent the morning involved in 170 hands-on experiments, followed by "The Amazing Chemistry Show" that afternoon. The extreme science experience was provided by Cleburne Bible Church, which serves as a campus Adopter.



## Parade of Nations Kicks off Olympic Field Day at Gerard Elementary



Gerard Elementary students display the colors and flags of the countries they represented in Friday's Olympic Field Day. Morning competitions involved students in grades K-2, with the afternoon devoted to the upper grades. Field day events are scheduled at several CISD elementary campuses, with the end of school less than a month away.

## Swarm of Yellow Jackets Heading to Friday-Saturday Regional Track and Field Meet



Twelve Cleburne Yellow Jackets are headed for the third round of UIL track and field competition as Regional qualifiers including right, Cassidy Martyniuk, who was the Area silver medalist in the 100 hurdles and Chase Lordi, left, who placed third in the discus. Also traveling to Lubbock for the Regional Meet in individual events are Reagan Mead, bronze medal 3200 and 1600; Skaila White, gold medalist long jump, silver medalist triple jump; Trevon Bradley, bronze medal in the 100 and



4th in the 200; Amia Gilbert, 4th place in the 200.

Qualifying relay teams include Melanie Potter, Amia Gilbert, Eboni Simpson, Skaila White, alternate Kwantavia Williams, who placed 4th at Area in the 4 X 100 and 2nd in the 4 X 200 and Jordan Gann, Trevon Bradley, Isaias Jones and Chris Arthurs, who placed 4th at Area in the 4 X 100. Those finishing in the top two places at Regionals will advance to the UIL State Meet.

## Coleman Elementary to Host Technology Showcase on Thursday



Nancy Holland visits with a Coleman Elementary student about his classroom work using the iPad during a recent visit to the campus by members of the Leadership Cleburne program. Coleman will host a Technology Showcase Thursday from 6-7:30 PM. Presentations will be made by students at all grade levels, utilizing classroom instructional technology.

## Smith, Wheat and CHS Awarded Top Scores in UIL Concert and Sightreading



Top performances by Smith, Wheat and CHS musicians in UIL Concert and Sightreading competition led to top marks from the judges. The Symphonic Bands from Smith and Wheat received the Sweepstakes Award for straight 1st division ratings. The 1st division



rating earned by the Golden Pride in last fall's UIL Region 7 marching contest, coupled with the Superior ratings awarded at last week's competition led to Sweepstakes Awards for both the CHS Symphonic Band and the Wind Ensemble.

## CHS Choir Receives Outstanding Performance Award at San Antonio Bluebonnet Classic



Senior Choir members Iain Nix and Hope Haynes accept top honors on behalf of Cleburne High School at the 2016 Bluebonnet Classic Music Festival in San Antonio. The CHS Choir was presented with the Outstanding Performance Award and also received Superior ratings from judges as contest competitors. The choir is under the direction of Weslee Vance.

## Luis Suaste to Continue in Cross Country and Track at Missouri Southern State University

Signing ceremonies were held April 18 for CHS senior Luis Suaste, seated center, who will continue to compete in cross country and track as a member of the men's running programs at Missouri Southern State University. Suaste has been a leader in Jacket XC since the ninth grade, competing with the team at the Regional level the past four years. He was the 8-4A District Champion as a sophomore. He is pictured with his parents, Rafael and Argelia Suaste, brother Ivan, Track Coach Jason Payne, standing left, and Cross Country Coach Pete King, right.

