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Lancaster ISD Police Department Host Anti Bullying Campaign *Take a Stand, Lend a Hand, Stop Bullying*

Lancaster, TX--September 30, 2011 The Lancaster ISD Police Department announced today that they will kick off their second annual district-wide anti-bullying campaign in October. The police department is expecting the anti-bullying campaign to impact more than 6,300 students from Pre K to 12th grade.

The theme this year is 'Take a Stand, Lend a Hand, Stop Bullying.' "*We are excited about this initiative and are looking forward to getting into every school throughout the month to share this message with LISD students,*" Chief Keith Wilkerson said. The anti-bullying campaign will consist of school-wide assemblies, presentations by Lancaster ISD police officers and several guest speakers. The students will have an opportunity to interact and enjoy Mc Gruff the Crime Dog and the Lancaster High School Tiger Mascots.

"The Lancaster ISD Police Department understands that bullying is a wide-spread school problem and looks forward to promoting such a powerful interactive program," Chief Wilkerson said.

For more information on how you can get involved or a list of scheduled activities, visit www.LancasterISD.org.

The Lancaster Public Schools serves more than 6,000 pre-kindergarten through grade 12 students in 10 schools. The mission of Lancaster Independent School District, a leader in providing innovative, quality programs, is to educate every student with the knowledge; skills; and principles to succeed and contribute in a competitive and technologically advancing world by providing rigorous and engaging learning opportunities that promote diversity; create an environment of integrity and respect; and establish a commitment to continued improvement in partnership with families and community.

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