



## Dallas County Texas A&M University Mothers' Club NEWSLETTER

### COMING UP...

Apr. 11 4:00 (Thu)  
**Family Weekend Boutique**  
Set-up

Apr. 12 10:00-5:00 (Fri)  
**Family Weekend Boutique**  
DCAM table - MSC 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Bethancourt Ballroom

Apr. 13 9:00-5:00 (Sat)  
**Family Weekend Boutique**  
DCAM table - MSC 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Bethancourt Ballroom

Apr. 13 5:00 (Sat)  
**Family Weekend Boutique**  
breakdown/pack-up  
DCAM table - MSC 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
Bethancourt Ballroom

Apr. 24 7:00 (Wed)  
**Book Club**  
Whole Foods - Preston Center

Apr. 25 6:30 (Thu)  
**General Meeting**  
@UPUMC

Apr. 30 7:00 (Tue)  
**Howdy Party Kickoff**  
Panera: 7839 Park Ln

May 16, 7:00 (Thu)  
**Annual Banquet and  
Installation of Officers**  
details tbd

### PRESIDENT'S PASSBACK

**Sharon Broun Keeler '82**

*Aggie Moms on the Move*



Howdy, Moms!

I'm proud to say that our **Big Event** Service Project was a great success! Together we created 64 Easter baskets and 42 birthday boxes! The ladies at Hope Supply were very grateful. They wanted to be sure we knew that Easter baskets and birthday boxes are extras that they LOVE to have available for their partner agencies. But they only have as many as volunteer groups like ours provide. So, thank you to everyone who supported the effort!

We'll be hitting the road very soon for **Family Weekend Boutique!** Our table will be in the MSC Bethancourt Ballroom. We'll be there on Friday 10:00-5:00 and Saturday, 9:00-5:00. Stop by and say hi, if you can! If you've never seen a ballroom full of Aggie Mom tables, prepare to be amazed!

We have a lot planned for our **April meeting**, so we hope you'll be able to join us on April 25! **Jeff Wilson '84, Associate Director-Department of Residence Life** will share important information about dorm living! Be sure to invite the families of any high school seniors (soon-to-be-Aggies) you know! We'll also be stuffing **goody bags!** And we'll have our Second Annual **Spring-Cleaning Silent Auction!** We've discovered this is a great way to generate some funds for our operating budget. If you'd like to participate, bring a very gently used or new item *that you already own*, and/or join in the bidding! Finally, we'll be holding our **2019-2020 OFFICER ELECTIONS!** All active members are eligible to vote! As a reminder, the April Meeting is on the FOURTH Thursday this month, not the third, due to conflicts with Easter Weekend.

Thanks and Gig 'em!  
Sharon

#### **Important links and deadlines!**

Thu. 4/25: General Meeting. Sign up to bring something for the taco bar [here](#).  
Tue. 4/30: Contact Patti Baty if you will have a May graduate!  
Thu. 5/16: Deadline for Student Org Ballots for Disbursements!



#### **Will your Aggie graduate in May?**

We would love to recognize our May graduates at our May 16 meeting and present them with a small gift! Please contact Patti Baty at [dcamcorresec@gmail.com](mailto:dcamcorresec@gmail.com) or 972-900-7243.

# April General Meeting

Thursday, April 25, 2019

7:00 (dinner begins at 6:30)

University Park United Methodist Church

4024 Caruth Blvd., Dallas, TX 75220

**Speaker: Jeff Wilson '84**

**Associate Director – Residence Life**



High school seniors and their parents are invited to join us and hear some great info about dorm living!

## **Goody Bags**

If you ordered a goody bag, please bring 25-30 small treats or toys for the assembly line! If you have any questions, contact Patti Baty at [dcamcorresec@gmail.com](mailto:dcamcorresec@gmail.com) or 972-900-7243

## **Spring Cleaning Silent Auction**

Please bring any new or lightly used item (that you already own) to offer in an auction for the other moms who are at the meeting! (Think: vase, photo frame, a never-worn scarf, planter, etc.) This activity will benefit our operating fund as a supplement to our membership dues.

## **2019-2020 Officer Elections**

## **Dinner Buffet**

We'll get a jump on Cinco de Mayo with a Taco Bar! Please sign up [here](#) if you can bring taco fixings or a dessert!

## **Howdy Party Planning Kickoff!**

**Help us prepare to welcome  
the Class of 2023!**

**Tuesday, Apr. 30, 2019**

**Panera Bread**

**7839 Park Ln.**

**(across from Northpark)**

## **Save the date!**

**Annual Banquet and  
Installation of Officers  
Thursday, May 16, 2019  
Location: TBD**

## NOTICE OF ELECTION: 2019-2020 Board

The Nominating Committee is proud to announce the slate of officers that will be presented for a vote by our members at our April General Meeting!

President – Carol Barke

President Elect – Leanne Svec

Treasurer – Dana Hall

VP Communications – Francy Collins

VP Fundraising – Liz Potter

VP Membership – Taressa Anderson

Recording Secretary – Cynthia Thomas

Corresponding Secretary – shared between

Isabel Campbell and Lynn Schleinat

Historian – Michelle Vaughan

## Thank You!

Thanks to all who contributed to the fabulous salad spread in March:

Cynthia Thomas  
Brenda Patton  
Robin McMahan  
Leanne Svec  
Taressa Anderson  
Liz Potter  
Mavis Sauer  
Francy Collins  
Nancy Warncke  
Judy Darby  
Sharon Keeler  
Terry Carpenter  
Carol Barke  
Linda Brady  
Denise Perez

## BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, April 24, 7pm

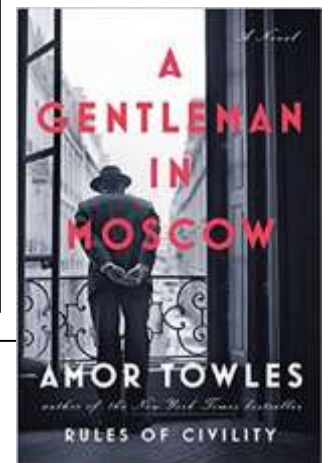
Whole Foods at  
Preston & Forest – upstairs

*A Gentleman in Moscow* by Amor Towles

## Upcoming Book Club Reads

May: *Still Life* by Louise Penny

June: *Becoming Mrs. Lewis* by Patti Callahan



## Give the Gift of a Century Tree Seedling!

Need gift ideas for graduation, weddings, Mother's or Father's Day? Andie Duffy with the [Century Tree Project](#) sells seedlings grown from Century Tree acorns. He uses the proceeds to fund scholarships for Aggies! If you purchase one of his trees, tell him **DCAM sent you** and he'll send us a \$20 check for our own DCAM scholarships!



## **Aggie Moms' Boutique at Family Weekend Friday-Saturday, April 12-13 Upstairs in the MSC**

Thank you to all of the moms who have volunteered to staff our tables! We could still use a few more moms to break down at 5:00 on Saturday. If you can help, please contact Robin at [dcamvpatlarge@gmail.com](mailto:dcamvpatlarge@gmail.com) or 972-343-8596.

Come see us in the Bethancourt Ballroom! And check out all of the other Aggie Mom tables, too!

- Friday, 10:00-5:00
- Saturday, 9:00-5:00

## **More Family Weekend Info**

- Maroon & White game has been rescheduled to Friday night due to the possibility of inclement weather on Saturday. More info here: [12thman.com](http://12thman.com)
- Good News! The Spring Sober Tailgate *will* be held this weekend! It's at 5:30, Friday, April 12, on the Rec Center balcony. See the Aggie Recovery Community's facebook post [here](#).



**Angie Rogers '84 spoke about the Aggie Recovery Community**



**Robin McMahan met two of our scholarship recipients**



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**Big Event service project at Hope Supply. Don't we look legit in the vests?!**



**Mia's!**



**Dallas County Aggie Moms**  
**2018-2019 Student Organization Selection Form**  
**Voting Deadline: May 16, 2019**

Please indicate which organization(s) you would like to receive your share of the 2018-2019 fundraising proceeds! You may allocate your share to just one organization or divide it among up to 5 separate groups.

New this year, in lieu of a student organization you may allocate some or all of your share of the funds to our Century Endowment Scholarship Fund (just by writing it in.)

The Account Number and Mothers' Club Code may be found on the list of eligible organizations. We do NOT need these codes if you choose the Century Endowment Fund or one of the several eligible off campus organizations.

	<i>Organization Name(s)</i>	<i># of Votes per Organization</i>	<i>Account Number</i>	<i>Mothers' Club Code</i>
1.	_____	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____	_____	_____
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>		

Each organization that receives a vote will receive a donation. The amount depends on how many votes it receives from all of our members.

The list of eligible organizations may be found at [www.aggie moms.org/documents](http://www.aggie moms.org/documents).  
 It is linked to: TAMU Authorized Student Organization List – Alphabetical & Numerical – Excel Spreadsheet

**Member Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Member Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Member Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Member Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please scan and email your ballot to [dallascountyaggie moms@gmail.com](mailto:dallascountyaggie moms@gmail.com), or you can mail it to Sharon Keeler at 12463 Montego Plaza, Dallas, TX 75230. If you have any questions, please call Sharon Keeler at 214-236-0339.

**Deadline for voting will be May 16, 2019.**