

**Denton Independent School District
Board of Trustees
Certificates of Recognition
Tuesday, Feb. 10, 2009**

HAWKEYE READING CONTEST WINNERS

The late Mildred McCauley Hawk was an extremely well-known Denton resident and literacy advocate, whose mission was to help others - especially young people. In fact, her mission statement was "We're here to help others." One of her great joys was helping elementary students with their reading skills.

During the 1999-2000 school year, she established the Hawkeye Reading Contest for third-grade students. It greatly helped the Denton ISD literacy programs.

Prior to her death in 2004, Mrs. Hawk donated \$50,000 to the Denton Public School Foundation to provide adequate funds to make this important literacy program an annual event.

The third-grade students with the most **Accelerated Reader** or **Reading Counts** points during the established dates placed in the contest. Each winning student is given the following monetary award:

- ❑ 1st place award of \$25 and a 1st place ribbon
- ❑ 2nd place award of \$15 and a 2nd place ribbon
- ❑ 3rd place award of \$10 and a 3rd place ribbon

The winners of the contest are:

Borman	1 st	Taylor Schaab
	2 nd	Gabriel Aponte
	3 rd	Keausha Harrison
Evers	1 st	Caitlan Belshaw
	2 nd	Hannah Guerrero
	3 rd	Haylee Bradshaw
Ginnings	1 st	Gabriella Mantecon
	2 nd	Edith Rojas
	3 rd	Reed Wilhoit
Hawk	1 st	Andrew Winn
	2 nd	Mekenzie Erickson
	3 rd	Madison Owen
Hodge	1 st	Macie Smith
	2 nd	Angela Harding
	3 rd	Luke Owens
Houston	1 st	Nika Guzman
	2 nd	Alexis Stokes
	3 rd	Madeleine Hall
Lee	1 st	Jazmyn Robles
	2 nd	Giselle Hernandez
	3 rd	Cassidy Hobon

McNair	1 st	Liet Bourbon
	2 nd	Serena Khatri-Chhetri
	3 rd	Eniola Akinniyi
L. A. Nelson	1 st	Ciara Carlson-Hargis
	2 nd	Ashley Stolle
	3 rd	Jacob Gomez
E. P. Rayzor	1 st	Nathan Gates
	2 nd	Benjamin Leonard
	3 rd	Erica Wilson
Newton Rayzor	1 st	Joan Arias
	2 nd	Genaro Vasquez
	3 rd	Rafael Alvarez
Paloma Creek	1 st	Emilee Wolfe
	2 nd	Justin Weed
	3 rd	Naisola Kantai
Pecan Creek	1 st	Dylan Bourey
	2 nd	Austin Deng
	3 rd	Matthew Patterson
Providence	1 st	Alec Lawrence
	2 nd	Aiden Dalrymple
	3 rd	Keelan Wager
Rivera	1 st	Juan Fernandez
	2 nd	Billy Jackson
	3 rd	Jesus Santos
Savannah	1 st	Caroline Jackson
	2 nd	Triston Ramos
	3 rd	Brant Bennett
Stephens	1 st	Sydney Lovick
	2 nd	Cecelia Poulter
	3 rd	Lindsay Rye
W. S. Ryan	1 st	Abhishek Shah
	2 nd	Alex Roussos
	3 rd	Collin Renfro
Wilson	1 st	Emily Terry
	2 nd	Joseph Frisby
	3 rd	Aysha Terra-Turgeon

These school winners participated in the district-wide contest. The Hawkeye Reader winners for the Denton Independent School District will be announced at the meeting. The district winners will receive:

First place: Ciara Carlson-Hargis – L.A. Nelson Elementary School - \$125

Second place: Edith Rojas – Ginnings Elementary School - \$75
Third place: Jazmyn Robles – Lee - \$50

Tanya McGlothlin, coordinator of elementary language arts for third through fifth grade, and other members of the curriculum staff will make the presentations.