

**DENTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Tribute: In Honor of Mr. Tom Harpool**  
**Thursday, March 31, 2005**

Today, March 31, 2005 has been established to honor a special community leader - the honorable Mr. Tom Harpool.

The Denton Independent School District makes this tribute to Mr. Tom Harpool for:

- Helping to provide the best and most effective education for the students of Denton Independent School District.
- Leaving a strong legacy to the Board of Trustees, where he served as a member in 1954 and again from 1961 through 1974.
- Placing a great emphasis on strong educational programs.
- Initiating numerous programs under his leadership while he served as president from 1969 through 1973 and as vice president from 1968 and 1969.
- Transitioning through successful school integration and initiating long-range plans to help the staff and students face a growing school district.

The Denton Independent School District recognizes the long service Mr. Tom Harpool generously has given to the thousands of students attending its public schools and is grateful of the time, dedication and leadership that he has provided over the years.

This tribute is given on March 31, 2005 - Tom Harpool Day.