

## THE PRIZE POSSE RIDES INTO TOWN!



## MAKING STARS IN EDUCATION!

For the fifth year in a row, the **Prize Posse** rode into town and made many Humble ISD educators very happy! On Friday, May 7, 2004, the Humble ISD Education Foundation concluded the year by awarding a total of **\$204,009** in grants to educators on thirty-one campuses. This total award includes \$162,467 awarded on Prize Posse Day and \$41,542 awarded in designated grants throughout the 2003-2004 school year.

Several months of events that lead up to this exciting day in May. In March, Humble ISD educators submit their ideas for creative educational projects. A committee of community members then reads all of the applications and selects the award-winning projects.

Our **Prize Posse** included directors and donors of the Education Foundation. Additionally, several local businesses and corporations showed their support for the Foundation by sending a representative from their organization to "ride the bus" on our special day. The **Prize Posse** spent the day traveling all across the school district, arriving unannounced to the award-winning teachers' classrooms, surprising them and their students with the great news!

Congratulations to all of our grant winners for their dedication in promoting excellence in education!

## 2004 Innovative Education Grant Winners

Primary Contact	Campus	Title	Amount Funded
Gina Daigle	All five middle schools	Journaling with a Twist	\$1,625.00
Michelle Nance	All five middle schools	Dynamic Explorations in Mathematics	\$8,212.65
Sandra Newton	AMS	Art Cars and Kiddos	\$600.00
Betsy Stutes	BBE	Keys to Keyboarding	\$483.78
Betsy Stutes	BBE	Math in Motion	\$945.48
Deborah Thomas	BBE	Freedom Isn't Free	\$846.00
Jose Martinez	BBE	Escuela de verano	\$1,735.00
Karol Dent	BBE	Extra! Extra! Read All About It!!	\$838.14
Kerry Cooper	BBE	Hands On Hyjinks	\$523.38
Kerry Cooper	BBE	You've Got Mail	\$1,557.00
Margaret Henken	BBE	Parents as Partners	\$1,776.00
Nancy Crabb	BBE	Science Alive	\$2,183.20
Terry Payne	BBE	Heritage Festival	\$338.30
Allison Tabor	DE	Math Stories	\$495.00
Janice Fielder	DE	Read All About It!	\$1,000.00
Pat Potok	DE	Catch Us Before We Fall - The Literacy Tightrope	\$1,100.00
Janeth Martin Walker	EGE	Animal Grant	\$1,200.00
Janine Nerad	EGE	Let's Get Physical . . .in the Science Lab, Of Course!	\$1,000.00
Jo Carolyn Crowell	EGE	Taking Analytical Thinkig Cross Grade Level	\$1,150.00
Julie Garza	EGE	D.R.U.M - Discipline, Respect, and Unity Through Music	\$1,656.72
Tonya Hinojosa-May	EGE,HE,WHE,OE,WPE,PFE,OFE	Extended Book Club Partnership	\$5,000.00
Heidi Keller Davis	FE	Reading Comprehension Strategies	\$1,236.91
Meredith Beasley	FE	Integrating Math and Science Using Manipulatives	\$412.47
Cara Rydell	GTE	Reading Through the Ages	\$450.00
Cara Rydell	GTE	Discover the Magic of Reading	\$500.00
Jan Romeis	GTE	The Stock Market Game	\$373.70
Mary Slagle	GTE	It's Tool Time!	\$1,635.05
Shannon Brabham	GTE	Run for the Money	\$269.95

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Shannon Brabham	GTE	Everyone is Equal	\$735.37
Terry Putscher	GTE	Inquiring Minds Want To Know	\$455.80
Terry Putscher	GTE	Froggy says Read It, Read It!	\$700.00
Ana Mascolo	HE	In the Still of the Night: A Nocturnal Project	\$670.85
Ana Mascolo	HE	Nature's Gift of Knowledge: Garden and Butterfly Project	\$903.61
Ana Mascolo	HE	School Yard Habitat	\$915.00
Cynthia Nix	HE	Betsy Ross: American Hero	\$675.00
Mary Sanders	HE	Read to Me - A Parent/Child Read Aloud at Home Project	\$1,060.00
Blanca Cruz	HE/WHE	SOS - Safety of Students	\$1,461.50
Kathy Rosenbalm	HHE	Stock Market	\$304.13
Karen Brown	HHS	Slash and Burn	\$1,280.00
Melanie Hunt	HHS	Nomadic Gallery: Creativity is Contagious	\$933.70
Mary Fontenot	HMS	See What I Can Do!	\$3,294.00
Debbie Hebert	ISC	Start to Finish Books for Struggling Readers	\$1,000.00
Donna Goldstein	ISC	Assistive Technology Lending Library and Resource Center	\$20,000.00
Hollie Hanks	ISC	Steps to Respect: A Bully Prevention Program	\$4,000.00
Layne Waxley	ISC	Roaming Around the Known - What's Really Known!	\$4,633.00
Wendy De Santo	ISC	Learning to Walk	\$6,630.00
Glenda Rice	K9	DNA Modeling, DNA Electrophoresis	\$2,436.18
Kevin McElroy	K9	Seeing the REAL Effects: An Alcohol - Related Lab Activity	\$1,195.00
Madeline Howard Pasha	K9	Siege the Day - Teaching with Trebuchets	\$900.00
Mary Ann Schaefer	K9	An Organizational Tool for Struggling Writers: Draft Builder Software	\$1,028.30
Susan Losavio	K9	Orchard Software for Math	\$4,060.00
John Baron	KMS	Putting It All Together	\$2,419.73
Judy Richeson	KMS	Science Labs with Probe Ware	\$585.00
Laura Powell	KMS	Festival! Force, Energy and Motion	\$1,613.05
Lee Burnett	LLE	Shakespear for All Children	\$678.00
Lee Burnett	LLE	Teaching with the Brain in Mind	\$1,590.00
Rita Kneisley	LLE	Fitness Fun	\$2,732.00
Jodi Wappelhorst	MBE	Soaring With Science	\$3,349.45

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Tracy Fruge	MBE	Tool Kit for Math and Science	\$1,635.00
Colleen Killingsworth	NBE	Read to Me! I LEE ME! Dual Language Read Aloud Stories	\$3,200.00
Donna Kennepohl	NBE	Musicians in the Making	\$5,065.00
Norma Fawcette	NBE	Build A Bridge With Nursery Rhymes	\$962.00
Patricia Sveda	NBE	Journey to Reading	\$1,588.00
Jennifer Vandebrook	OE	L.E.A.P. Into Learning with Buddy Bags!	\$2,282.11
Jennifer Vandebrook	OE	We've Got The Power!	\$1,800.00
Lori Connealy	OE	Image Making in the Writing Process	\$1,125.00
Vicki Harrison	OE	Take Home Reader Program	\$1,309.15
Carmen Cook	OFE	Community Service Learning with "The Family"	\$1,312.00
Vivian Cardoso	OFE	Nature Project: Using Nature as Teachers	\$1,500.00
Kaye Shirley	PFE	Activated Storytellers - Poetry with Pizazz!	\$1,160.00
MaryAnn Sandstrum	PFE	Live From Our School	\$3,500.00
James Nerad	QHS	History Alive	\$2,220.00
Liz Brod	RMS	Weaving A Story	\$733.95
Wendy Nolan	SFE	Box Full of Fun - Math Homework Kits	\$800.00
Donna Smalley	TE	Six Traits Book Club for Grades 2-5	\$949.60
Linda Quillin	TMS	Awesome Audios	\$3,750.00
Shannon Green	TMS	J-Lab 101	\$650.00
Dana Cox	WCE	Sensory Integration Lab	\$2,100.00
Debi Beard	WHE	Fabulous Fridays - Making Math Fun School-Wide	\$2,675.00
Heather Woelfel	WHE	S.A.L.A.D. (Science At Lunch and Dinner)	\$1,000.00
Janie Lamb	WHE	Writing: It's All In the Family!	\$1,050.00
Karen Hardy	WHE	Connecting With the Past	\$598.96
Melissa Sommer	WHE	Extreme Science	\$850.00
Pat Buttermore	WHE	Principal's Award	\$285.00
Carla Luquette	WPE	Putting Reading First With Earobics	\$1,893.14
Danna Greer	WPE	Drum Circle Magic	\$2,000.00
Kim Wilson	WPE	E-Instruction's Classroom Performance System (CPS)	\$3,090.00