

## SPRING 1951 PHOTO OF TSD HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TAKEN SIXTY-FOUR (64) YEARS AGO



**First row, left to right:** Vivian Davis, Ray Dean, Elma Alaniz, Mary Alanza, Olga Berrera, Bonnie Shoemaker, Shirley Stegall, Eva Montgomery, Audrey Ellis. **Second row:** Hortencia Gonzlaes, Nadine Ferrell, Nira Bess, Frank Duran, Kathryn Wade, Melba Zabosky, Betty Lou Ledbetter. **Third row:** Florence Vice, Jose Cavazos, Carl Smith, Reynaldo Carrillo, George Gordon, Kenneth Gunn, Bufford Mathis. **Fourth row:** Bobbie Crosby, Doris Rush, Glynn Gavens, David Guerro, Emilio Salinas. **Fifth row:** Joe Cavillo, George Warner, William Rozell, Rex Fenlaw, Jimmy Jackson. **Sixth row:** Robert Leal, Jerry Morris, Eugene McNabb, Billy Board, Lynn Hurst, Bobby Griggs. **Seventh row:** Wayne Little, Ignacio Rodriguez, Royce Burdette, David Brewer. (Courtesy of TSDAA Archives)





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Vicki Anderson  
Bobby Creed

### SENIOR CITIZENS MEETING

First Wednesday of the month at  
1:00 p.m.

South Austin Senior Activity Center  
3911 Manchaca Road  
Austin, Texas 78704

March 4, 2015

April 1, 2015

**April 23, 2015**

**Field Trip to Shiner, Texas**

**May 6, 2015**

No Meeting

**The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual TADSC Picnic**

**BBQ Lunch**

June 3, 2015

July 1, 2015

August 5, 2015

September 2, 2015

October 7, 2015

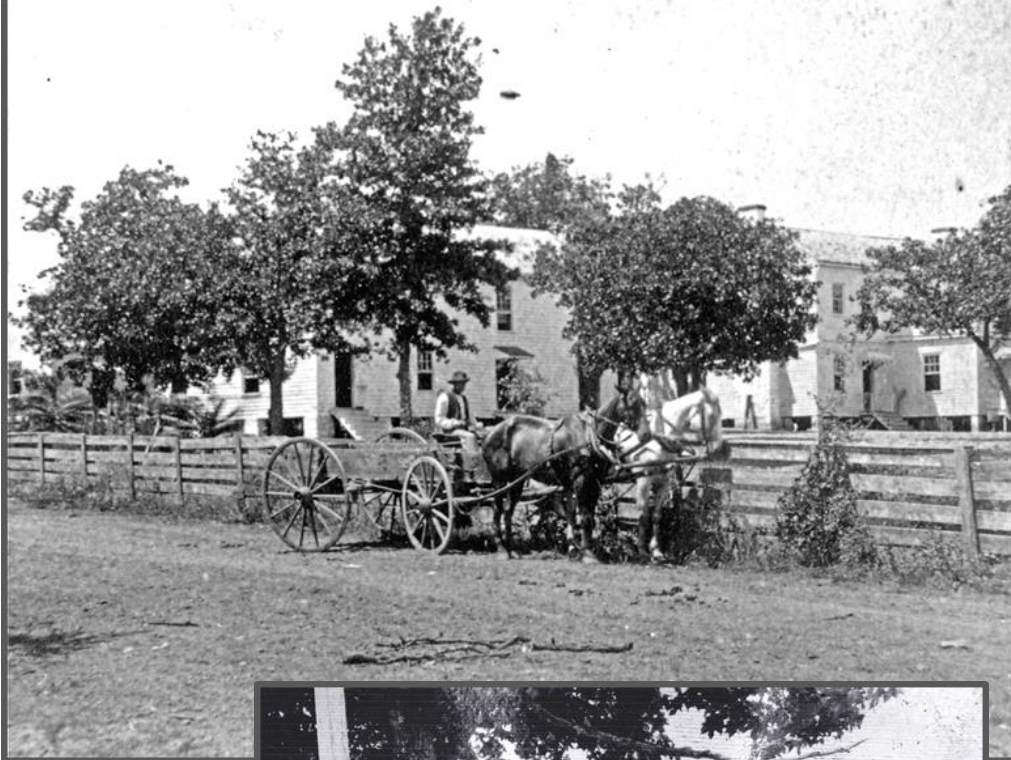
November 4, 2015

December 2, 2015

**Happy  
St. Patrick's  
Day!**

### Texas School for the Deaf

**First School Fence:** Although these buildings were erected in 1872, it was not until late 1876 that the wooden fence was set up around the residence playground and garden. (Courtesy of TSDAA Archives)



*I love that photo  
of the school  
doctor...he looks  
like a cowboy!!!*  
School Night  
Watchman and  
Physician in 1880

(Courtesy of TSDAA  
Archives)



### March Birthdays

2	Larry Porter	20	P.H. Goldberg
2	Melba Beshears	22	Morris Porter
5	Betty Bounds-Evan	24	Juanita Byrd
8	Beth Hill	29	Sharlene Carter
9	Sallie Curtis	31	Marolyn Carter
9	Amanda Ross		
17	Patti Swoboda		
18	Diana Whitener		
18	Linda Ainsworth		







## CENTRAL TEXAS NEWS



Editor Glenn Brunson would like for some TAD-SC and LVDSSM members to get together to welcome a tour group from the North Texas Deaf Senior Citizens (NTDSC) at the TSD Heritage Center on Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup>.

Let him know if you are interested in greeting them.

Susie Sien, *DSCASM Website* manager, wants everyone to spread the news about our new website, [www.TADSC.com](http://www.TADSC.com) or [www.DSCASM.com](http://www.DSCASM.com). She worked hard to establish this website with Glenn Brunson and Earl Day assisting her. Glenn will continue to mail the 2015 TAD-SC Newsletters each month. You may read old ones on the website.

### FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS



Maria Garza

Glenda McNabb

Patti Fry



Beth Hill, Brenda Mills, and Brenda Oates helped Vicki Anderson with Valentine refreshments at our TAD-SC meeting on February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2015.



Beth Hill explained to Vicki Anderson, the 2015-2017 new Social Co-chairperson, how to manage the refreshments, door prizes, annual picnic, etc.

*Let's wish Vicki Anderson and Bobby Creed good luck!*



At the regular meeting on Wednesday, February 4, 2015 at the South Austin Activity Center, Susan Sien gave a special presentation about the new TAD-SC Website. It will also be shared with the La Vista Deaf Seniors of San Marcos. It was very well designed and well organized. Susan elaborated on the kind of information that would be posted on the website. For example, the information will include, but not be limited to, categories such as meetings, events, officers, etc.

### Valentine Door Prizes Winners



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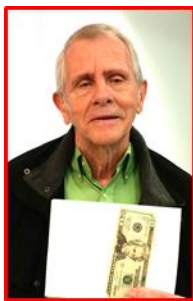


Joanne Brininstool





Billy McNabb



George Hess



Arline Hess



## Announcement



Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Alfred Crager of Beaumont, Texas are proud great-grandparents of a baby girl. Their great-granddaughter Jordan Crager was born on December 27<sup>th</sup>, 2014 in Jasper, Texas. They have three sons and one daughter; ten grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. *(Submitted by Alfred Crager)*

## ANNOUNCEMENT



Bastrop ASL Chat asked for you to join us at Texas Grill Restaurant, 101 HWY 71 West, Bastrop, Texas 78602 on March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 11 a.m. for lunch. Come and join us. *(Submitted by Mary Lou Whitsit)*

## The 9th ANNUAL TAD-SC PICNIC

At Austin Deaf Club's **Outside Back yard**

8818 Cullen Lane  
Austin, Texas 78748

Wednesday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015  
At 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**\$10.00 per person**



**DOOR PRIZES**



### BBQ LUNCH

BBQ Barbequed Beef Brisket, Sausages, Pinto Beans, Potato Salad, Cole Slaw, Bread, Pickle, Onion, BBQ sauce, and Ice Tea.

**Bring your favorite desserts**

**Food provided by TAD-SC**

See Vicki Anderson or Bobby Creed Social Co-Chairpersons

**COME AND JOIN THE FUN!**

## Field Trip to Shiner, Texas



### The Spoetzl Brewery

The Spoetzl Brewery, found in 1909, is Texas' oldest independent brewery. They still practice the art of brewing, hand-crafting each brew one at a time, and then aging each Shiner Beer naturally for a less than thirty days to guarantee its exceptionally smooth taste.

**Thursday, April 23, 2015**

Depart at 8:00 a.m. from Austin Association of the Deaf  
Pick up at La Vista in San Marcos at 8:30 a.m.

**\$10.00 per member and \$15.00 per non-member**

*Sign your name and pay*

*James Ed White to TAD-SC or Barbie Vicencio to LVDSSM*





Left to right: First row; 1. Vicki Anderson, 2. Amanda Ross, 3. Mary Giuntoli, 4. Richard Giuntoli, 5. Linda Perez, 6. Mary Whitsit, 7. Arlen Whitsit, 8. Susan Pochop, 9. Michael Swoboda, 10. Ralph Singleton, 11. Bob Ross, 12. Kyle Shimpock, 13. Herman Shimpock, 14. Carolyn Shimpock, 15. Glenda Barale, 16. Billy Casper. 17. Mike Ewing, 18. Joe Perez. 19. Jerry Williams, 20. Kay Williams, 21. Gary Lamb, 22. Annette Lamb, 23. Debra Robinson, 24. Ben Williams, 25. William Schwall, 26. Sandra Schwall, 27. Judy Singleton, 28. Beatrice Laque, 29. Douglas Kitten, 30. No name, 31. No name, 32. No name, 33. No name, 34. No name. On Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2015 forty-one (41) Bastrop ASL Chat participants met at Pocket Grill in Smithville, Texas for lunch. They had a wonderful time. (Submitted by Mary Lou Whitsit)



## SAN MARCOS NEWS

La Vista Deaf Seniors of San Marcos are having a meeting on March 12, 2015 Thursday at 1:30 p.m. at La Vista Retirement Community Center.

**CONVO**

**Mark your Calendar!**

### Celebration of Life – Frank Clark



Vivian Hesser, Betty Thrasher, Joan Stovall, Barbie Vicencio



Ed White, Bill Kendall, Callie Frazier



Marian Seale, Vicky Hudson, Patti Wilson, Nancy Pinto



On Thursday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2015 after the LVDSSM meeting, they was a Celebration of Life in memory of Frank Clark at La Vista Community Center. There were approximately 61 guests and friends. The Refreshment committees provide deli sandwiches, cake and iced tea. They had been plans to give a "Good Bye" party for Frank Clark before he moved to Heritage Square Assisted Living center in Ft. Worth, but he suddenly passed away on February 9<sup>th</sup>.



On Sunday, February 15, 2015 Patti Wilson's friends gave a surprise 64<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration for her at James Maxwell's home in La Vista Retirement Apartments. They served cupcakes and ice cream etc. She was so surprised and enjoyed the party with her Crazy Club friends. After the party, they played Mexican Train.

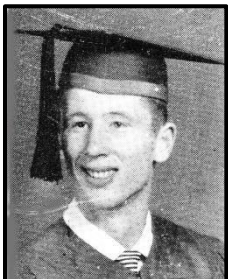
**Date to be announced**  
**LVDSSM FIELD TRIP TO BANDERA AND MEDINA**



**J.T. Newman, Jr.**  
**April 18, 1935-February 1, 2015**



J.T. Newman, Jr., 79, of Waco, formerly of Austin, passed away Sunday, February 1, 2015. J.T. was born April 18, 1935 in Brownwood, Texas to J.T. and Fannie (Allman) Newman. He graduated from the Texas School for the Deaf in 1955. He married Rosetta Stultz on December 23, 1964. J.T. worked as a printer for the Texas Rail Road Commission for 29 years, He loved football especially the Texas Longhorns. J.T. was an avid outdoorsman, often barbecuing, camping and fishing. J.T. was preceded in death by his wife of 47



years, Rosetta; his parents; and brother, Michael Davis Ashabranner. He is survived by his daughter, Jackie L. Hilmers; granddaughter Desirae R. Hilmers; and great-grandson Matthias J. Bettinger. (Lake Shore Funeral Home, 5201 Steinbeck Bend; Waco, Tx 76708).

### **Robert Melloy Montfort**

October 21, 1932-February 9, 2015



Robert Melloy Montfort, 82, passed away on February 9, 2015. He was born in Danville, Illinois October 21, 1932 to Dr. Roy Montfort and Mrs. Harriet Smith Montfort. He attended and graduated from Illinois School for the Deaf. In 1957, he participated in the Deaf Olympics as a swimming diver and won the silver medal in Milan, Italy. That's where he met Joan Turner of England and married her. They produced a daughter, Ann Harriet. Robert and Joan moved to Austin, Texas in 2002 to be close with their daughter and her family. He is survived by his wife of 55 years; his daughter and son-in-law, Ann and Andrew Horn and his precious grandchildren, Tullos Melloy and Tandra Mildred. There will be no funeral service at this moment; however, there will be a memorial service sometime in March. (Cook-Walden/Forest Oaks Funeral Home and Memorial Park, 6300 West William Cannon Drive, Austin, Texas 78749).

### **Frank Clark**

March 31, 1921-February 9, 2015

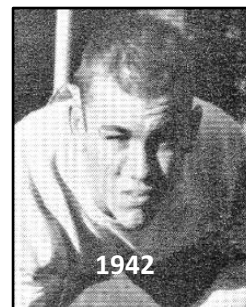


Sericia Jackerson

Frank Clark

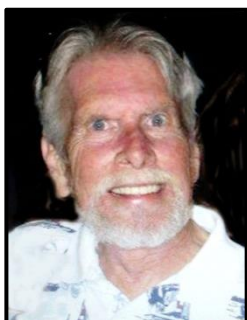
Patricia Clark

Frank Clark, 93, passed away February 9, 2015 in San Marcos, Texas. He was born March 31, 1921 in Houston, Texas. He lived at the La Vista Residential Apartments in San Marcos, Texas for a long time. He attended the Texas School for the Deaf in Austin, Texas. He played TSD football as "BACK". He is survived by his daughter Patricia Clark and granddaughter Sericia Jackerson. (No details

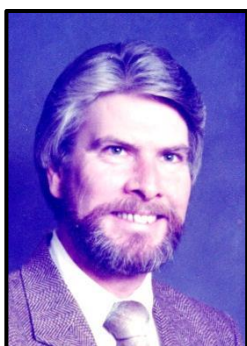


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**Larry Don Proffitt**  
**July 11, 1946-February 17, 2015**



Larry Don Proffitt, 68, of Austin, Texas passed away on February 17, 2015. He was born to O.R. and Annie Proffitt on July 11, 1946 in McKinney, Texas. He graduated from Texas School for the Deaf in 1966. Preceded in death by his parents, his sister June Hawkins Demmer and his



Cavazos nephews Billy and Tony, he is survived by his two sisters, Elizabeth Hill and Pam Sugden and a number of nieces and nephews. Graveside services will be held on March 28, 2015 at 11 AM at Cook Walden/Forest Oaks funeral home and Memorial Park, 6300 West William Cannon Drive, Austin, Texas 78749. A

Celebration of his life will follow at Austin Association of the Deaf, 8818 Cullen Lane, Austin, Texas 78748 till 4:00 p.m. (For additional info. contact Earl W. Day at 512-213-2621 VP)

**Peggy Lorraine Capell**

**October 1, 1949-February 20, 2015**

Peggy Lorraine Capell, 65, of Temple passed away on Friday, February 20, 2015 in Temple. Graveside services for Mrs. Capell will be held on Tuesday, February 24, 2015 at 2:00 PM at Greathouse Cemetery in Temple with Pastor H.K. Ballard officiating. Burial will follow at Greathouse Cemetery. Peggy was born on October 1, 1949 in Crawford, Tx. to Dexter and Eva Reece Allen. She attended school in Austin at the Texas School for the Deaf. She married Jerry Capell on Valentine Day, 1971 in Waco, Texas. She was a homemaker and enjoyed making and sharing her crafts, especially her paintings. She was a Baptist. Peggy was preceded in death by her parents and a sister, Ellen. She is survived by her husband, Jerry, sons Joe and Michael Capell, daughters Wendy Capell and Mindy Pina, brothers Wade and Billy McCarthy, as well as six grandchildren. A visitation will be held on Tuesday morning from 10:00 to 12:00 PM at the funeral home. (Crawford-Bowers Funeral Home in Temple is in charge of the arrangements).

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Please send any news announcement, notes, or favorite recipes by March 18, 2015, to TAD-SC, Editor Glenn Brunson, 7101 Hanging Oak Circle, Austin, TX 78749 or gbrunson.1959.gb@gmail.com

**Zesty Sloppy Joes**

By Brenda Oates



4 pounds ground beef  
 1 cup chopped onion  
 1 cup finely chopped green pepper  
 2 cans (10-3/4 ounces each) condensed tomato soup, undiluted  
 1 can (15 ounces) thick and zesty tomato sauce  
 1 can (8 ounces) tomato sauce  
 3/4 cup packed brown sugar  
 1/4 cup ketchup  
 3 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce  
 1 tablespoon prepared mustard  
 1 tablespoon ground mustard  
 1 teaspoon chili powder  
 1 teaspoon garlic salt  
 20 to 25 hamburger buns



In a large saucepan or Dutch oven, oven, cook beef and onion over medium heat until meat is no longer pink. Add green pepper. Cook and stir for 5 minutes; drain. Add the next 10 ingredients; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer for 1 hour, stirring occasionally. Serve on buns. Yield: 10-25 servings.

**RENEWAL MEMBERS AND NEW MEMBERS:**

Betty Ailstock, Byron Bridges, Margie Bridges, Jerri Cerventa, Margie Coggins-Peckham, Patsy & Tom Compton, Earl Day, James Degnan, Larry & Betty Evans, Patti Fry, P.H. & Sandi Goldberg, Arline Hess, Judy Hill, Walter Holder, Eileen Hurne, Chester Jatzlau, Bubba & Judy Lorenz, James Moore, Jr., Janis Morales, Brenda Oates, Douglas Phillips, Susan Pochop, Martha Quinn, Tom Rose, Bobbie Scoggins, Weldon Seely, Virginia Sellers, Connie Stockton, Dale Tice and Barbie Vicencio.

**DONATIONS TO TAD-SC:** Margie Bridges & Bobbie Scoggins donated in memory of **Gertrude Galloway**, Thank you. Glenn & Barbara Brunson, Pearl Ake donated in memory of **Larry Don Proffitt**, Thank you.

**NEXT TAD-SC MEETING**

Wednesday,  
 March 4, 2015  
 1:00-4:00 pm

South Austin Senior Activity Center  
 3911 Manchaca Road  
 Austin, Texas 78704



**See you there!**

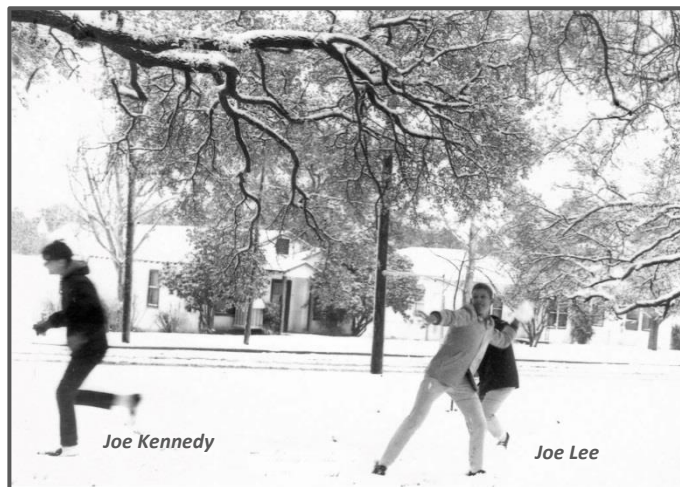
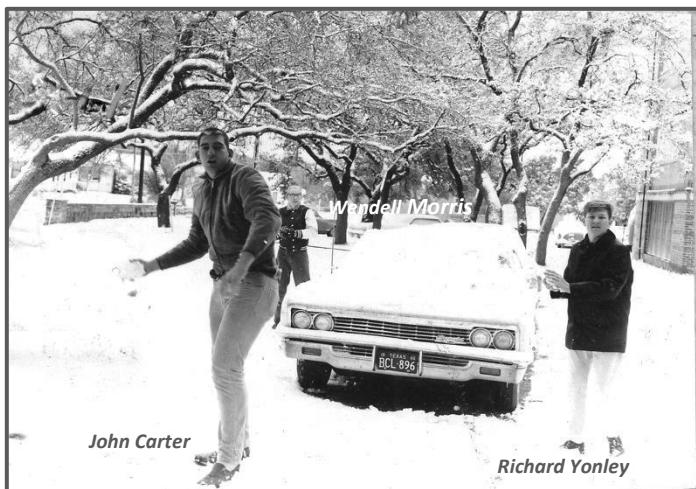
**Presentation about Blue Paw Energy  
 Power around the World**

By Jason Shaw

LT Robert Kimmons, Public  
 Education/Community  
 Outreach  
 Austin Fire Department







**Austin Snowfall 2.0 inches on TSD campus February 6, 1967**

*(Courtesy of TSDAA Archives)*

### The Stanley Siblings, c.1903



*From left: Bernice Stanley, Herman B. Stanley, Edward Stanley, and Harley Stanley.*

All of them were TSD students late in the 1890's and early in the 1900's. *(Donated by Herman's granddaughter Sara Harris, also a 1965 TSD graduate. Five generations of this Stanley family at TSD since 1890)*

*(Courtesy of TSDAA Archives)*



**Austin Snowfall 2.0 – February 6, 1967**

**Congress Avenue**



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### SOUTHWEST DEAF BOWLING ASSOCIATION, INC.

**8<sup>TH</sup> MIXED MEN AND WOMEN TOURNAMENT 2015**

**HOSTED BY  
WACO DEAF BOWLERS ASSOCIATION  
THURSDAY – SATURDAY,  
APRIL 30<sup>TH</sup> – MAY 1 AND 2, 2015**



## DeafNation Expo

**MARCH 28, 2015  
AUSTIN, TX**

Austin Convention Center – Exhibit Hall 3  
500 E Cesar Chavez St  
Austin, TX 78701  
**HOURS: 9:00AM-5:00PM**



## LAYAWAY PLAN FOR 2017 PROJECT – EARLY BIRD COMBO

[One person per each sheet]

<b>NAME:</b>	
<b>ADDRESS:</b>	
<b>CITY, STATE, ZIP</b>	
<b>PHONE (VP; TTY; VOICE)</b>	
<b>EMAIL:</b>	

DATE	REG#	CASH, CHECK, MO	PAYMENT	BALANCE
				\$250.00

<p><b>EARLY BIRD COMBO for 2017 HOUSTON PROJECT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>\$250.00 PER PERSON DUE BY AUGUST 1, 2015</b></li> <li>● <b>The payment of any amount is accepted – FULL or PARTIAL</b></li> <li>● <b>For example: 12-Month payment – 1st month \$30.00 and 11 next months \$20.00;</b></li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>10-Month payment \$25.00 per month or Flexible.</b></p>
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Please send the check or money order payable to **HDSCLE** and notate **“2017 Project”** on the check/MO memo to:

**Houston Deaf Senior Citizens Love Fund**  
**Attn: 2017 Project**  
**1475 W. Gray Street, Mailbox #4**  
**Houston, TX 77019-4926**



## St. Patrick's Day

Find and circle all of the words that are hidden in the grid.  
The remaining 34 letters spell a secret message.

S A S S E N N I U G E V E N T S P  
I Y A D I L O H N T Y Y P A E P O  
C T H I S T O R Y R A R P K G O T  
I L S O D A B R E A D A A I R H A  
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BEER	DANCING	HOLY DAY	POTATOES
BELFAST	DUBLIN	IRELAND	SEVENTEENTH
BISHOP	EVENTS	IRISH	SHAMROCK
CABBAGE	FEAST DAY	LEPRECHAUN	SNAKES
CELEBRATION	FESTIVAL	LIMERICK	SODA BREAD
CELTIC CROSS	GREEN	MARCH	TRADITION
CHRISTIAN	GUINNESS	MISSIONARY	YEARLY
CLOVER	HERITAGE	MUSIC	
CORK	HISTORY	PARADE	
CORNED BEEF	HOLIDAY	PATRON SAINT	



### Membership/Subscription Application Travis Association of the Deaf-Senior Citizens

P.O. Box 41134

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Austin, Texas 78704

Renewal Subscribers: \$10.00

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_

*Birthday(date/day/year)*

- Donation \_\_\_\_\_ to TAD-SC (Travis Association of the Deaf-Senior Citizens).
- Gift Member/ Subscription from: \_\_\_\_\_ (\$10.00 per person (1 year)).
- Donation to TAD-SC \$ \_\_\_\_\_ in memory of \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail the above form with a check or money order payable to: Travis Association of the Deaf-Senior Citizens (TAD-SC); **Attn. Les Hill**, Membership Chairperson; P.O. Box 41134, Austin, Texas 78704.

*Thank you for your support.*