



Friends of
North Rosenberg
ROSENBERG, TEXAS

VOLUME 15

A Letter to Our Neighbors

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*We are so thankful to every
volunteer and donor for their
willingness to serve others.
We are #RosenbergStrong*



Fall is here! The leaves are changing and we are preparing for cooler days! There is lots going on at Friends of North Rosenberg! You can join us at one of our upcoming events, including National Night Out at TSTC (October 2) or at Breaking Bread (November 17), or maybe you're looking to take the next step in empowering your future. Come by our office or give us a call to learn more about our upcoming events, as well as our adult education and after school program, You Can Academy. We are a resource in the community, for the community! You can check us out on Facebook, to see what we've been up to. Recently we planted our fall garden, and we hope to have veggies ready for your Thanksgiving dinner. Stop by with your bible study for somewhere quiet to meet, or just enjoy the weather with a cup of coffee. We welcome you into our garden.



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You Can Academy | New Beginnings

Important Dates:

October 4th
Wash Day

October 16th
National *Boss's Day*

October 27th
Saturday Workday



Mark Your Calendar!

November 17th
Breaking Bread in the
Community

You Can Academy

On Monday, September 17th, You Can Academy excitedly began a new year at Jackson Elementary. You Can Academy is an after school program where academic help is provided. Students complete homework, read and journal daily, practice math and reading drills and have computer time. Additionally, students begin each day with a creed and have Bible lessons. We are blessed to be able to serve a daily snack to the boys and girls.

We also have enrichment activities where community members and businesses come out and present fun lessons to our You Can Academy students. For our fall activity, our students will be making scare crows for our commUNITY Garden.

Adult Education

Our adult education program empowers individuals to take the next steps in their life. We are currently offering 2 GED classes, Monday and Wednesday evenings, 6 to 8 PM as well as Saturday's 9AM to 12 PM. We are partnering with STCH Ministries to offer our Faith & Finance and Faith & Work courses. Our Faith & Finance has already begun, but if your looking for something to spice up your Thursday evenings, we are currently enrolling for our new Faith & Work course. For more information on these, or on any of our adult education courses please contact Jennifer at jennifer@attackpoverty.org

Volunteer Classifieds

YOU CAN ACADEMY

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday (2:30 – 5pm)

We host our You Can Academy that tutors and mentors 1st through 5th grade students. They receive a snack, hear a bible lesson, work on their homework and then have some free time to play! Relationships form from volunteers showing up consistently week after week and encouraging the students to graduate school to do amazing things with their life! More volunteers mean we can accept more students. Volunteer 1 day, 2 days or all 3! Contact Faith Guerrero @ faith@attackpoverty.org, 832-471-6090 or fill out an application online: <https://attackpoverty.org/get-involved/volunteer/> and choose "Friends of North Rosenberg" for the location.

*Email Faith Guerrero
for more details on
Volunteering with
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ADULT EDUCATION

Our adult education program empowers individuals to take the next steps in their life. We know a hand up through education is vital to ongoing growth and transformation as adults seek to achieve their long-term and short-term goals. Volunteers are needed to mentor adults in ESL and GED Prep classes as well as Basic Computer skills. Contact Faith Guerrero @ faith@attackpoverty.org, 832-471-6090 or fill out an application online: <https://attackpoverty.org/get-involved/volunteer/> and choose "Friends of North Rosenberg" for the location

WASH DAY

Every 1st Thursday of each month (1 - 4pm)

We use Wash Day as a day to shower love and kindness onto the homeless and less fortunate population of North Rosenberg. We invite volunteers to come and prepare a home cooked meal, pray with, sit with and assist in washing linens, blankets and clothes for these individuals. All at no cost to them. We also provide clothes, personal hygiene items, toiletries, towels, and feminine items as we have them available. This is a great way to empower our homeless community and show them that they are loved! Sign up at this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0d44aaa922aaff2-thursday>.

Sign up for FNRO Remind 101 to
receive volunteer opportunities

Enter this number : 81010 Text this message : @fnrov

Or

Click this link:

<https://www.remind.com/join/fnrov>



Volunteer Highlight



Pictured here: Tim and Sara Rodriguez. Friends of North Rosenberg congratulates Sara on completing all sections of testing and receiving her GED!

Tim Gonzales was born and raised in Rosenberg, Tx near Holy Rosary Church. Tim attended Texas Tech University for a bachelor's degree in Public Health which focuses on improving lives and health populations, communities and individuals. Tim says he likes volunteering because he enjoys helping people and bettering people's lives. Tim especially enjoys the GED program at FNRO due to the vast opportunities available for his students once the hard work is given. Some of Tim's hobbies include attending church, bookkeeping, learning foreign languages and reading horror novels. Thank you Tim, for your handwork and dedication to our students! It's volunteers like Tim, that help build a better tomorrow!

Upcoming Event

Friends of North Rosenberg will host Breaking Bread in the CommUNITY at Jackson Elementary School on November 17, 2018 from 6-8pm. This local event is sponsored in part by the local churches and is facilitated with community assistance. It is designed to be for our community to come together and fellowship and enjoy a meal together. If you would like to participate in or volunteer for breaking bread, please email northrosenberg@attackpoverty.org

Need Prayer?

Stop by our Community Garden where we have a prayer wall that you can write your prayers on, or simply place them in the box for our Spiritual Growth Team of local ministers to pray over. If you have the gift of compassion and prayer and would like to join the Spiritual Growth Team contact Betty Ragsdale or email northrosenberg@attackpoverty.org for more details.



Thank you!

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