

Pampa ISD

8th Annual Educational Showcase

Pampa High School Campus

Monday
October 30, 2017

Event hosted by: Pampa ISD

Type of Event: District Wide Open House

Facilitator: Pampa ISD

Note taker: Charlene Gee

Time: 5:30-7:30 PM

Attendance: 1891 + Staff

Attendees: Staff, Families, Volunteers, and community members

Sign ins located in the Pampa ISD District Title I Book at the Pampa ISD Administration Building 1233 N. Hobart, Room HR-7

Information Given or offered: Pampa ISD Showcase Schedule flyer English/Spanish, Pampa ISD Showcase color coded map, Pampa ISD Showcase Passport, and VIPS information

The showcase is an event that encompasses grades K-12 focusing on academic lessons. Progression of learning and curriculum is presented by placing the content areas together beginning with Kindergarten and concluding at 12th grade. Student led lessons, fine arts performances, PE routines and Art displays contribute to the evening showcase. This is truly a "district event" from the set-up to clean-up with most PISD departments contributing in some way to make this a memorable event for all.

Families and community members were welcomed at the commons/rotunda entrance with the PHS and PJHS bands! There was a Volkswagen Van at the entrance families could take pictures with. Families were then greeted and directed to sign in at each entrance to the showcase. Families were given maps, passports, and a schedule for the evening at the sign in tables. PHS Students, DECA, and PISD staff volunteers welcomed guests at sign in tables and helped guests with directions and served as guides.

The commons area housed the PE performances along with Social Studies, Math, Project Lead the Way, PLC, Bright Beginnings, College and Career, TechApps, PHS Nursing students, VIPS, CTE, Bilingual and Foreign Language. McNeely field house showcased Head start, Science projects and ELA presentations. Elementary Art projects lined the Library hallway as well as the Pampa ISD nurses/medical assistance, and PJH/PHS art projects filled the Rotunda area. The library held theater/speech & debate as well as the booth for PHS Gifted and Talented. The Auditorium held choir performances from all schools and the main hall way was lined with GT tables, ASTRA, Angry Birds, Information Desk/Lost & Found, and PHS yearbook. Security was present throughout the event coordinated by Stuart Smith and the Pampa Police Department. Every administrator had a radio for communication purposes as did Charlene Gee and the Information Desk/Lost & Found. A PHS student dressed up as Waldo and was seen throughout the showcase.

Families were encouraged to take pictures of him and post them with the #EXPLORE. VIPS Jana Vinson helped at the VIPS booth. The Audio/Video Production class at PHS interviewed and filmed the event. Robert Forester and Sherry Seabourn took pictures of the event to help document showcase. The Technology department furnished technical support and helped families to complete an exit survey on Pampa ISD iPads for a chance to win a Kindle. Students turned in passports for their chance to win a Kindle as well. Families had to fill their passports with at least 10 stamps to show that they visited several booths within the showcase before they were eligible to win the door prizes.

Event Advertised: Showcase pre-flyer to each elementary and PJHS X2 as well as the Showcase schedule flyer X1, Posters up at each Pampa ISD Campus including administration building, United Supermarkets and The Plaza, GO Green for each campus X4. A district wide all call went out late Sunday afternoon, and a Go Green with just the Showcase reminder. Every campus Facebook/Twitter multiples reposts as well as a promotional you tube video.

