

# Tyler Aggie Moms

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**Please Join Us!**  
**Tuesday, May 2 6:30 pm**  
**Bruno's Pizza on Old Jacksonville Hwy**  
**Tyler, TX**

Our last Aggie Moms Meeting of 2016-17  
 Installation of New Board Members  
 Sealed Bid Auction of final Benjamin Knox prints

One Last Howdy from Norma . . . Wow ~ What an eventful year it has been! I have thoroughly enjoyed my time as President of this fantastic club. We have accomplished great things together! We had wonderful guests such as Traditions Council, Scott Jarvis, Ross Durr & John Childs; successful fundraising with Butter Braids, Silent Auction, Garage sale, Raffles and Boutique; we brought the Bylaws up to date with a sparkly refurbish; and, of course, there was always some fun with trips delivering Goodie Bags and work nights for Boutique. Everything we do is for the support of Aggie students and their families and I trust all have benefitted in some way.

This year has had its challenges for me personally but Aggie Moms meetings were always a bright spot on my calendar. Thank you for the tremendous support you gave me. Your kindness will never be forgotten. The March meeting - ya'll blew me away! BTHO Cancer! I am very grateful to the '16-17 Executive Board for your vote of confidence and the time and effort you have given to this club! Working alongside such a hardworking group of Aggie Moms has been a pleasure and I look forward to serving with our new president, Rebecca Mohr, and the '17-18 Board! Thanks and GIG 'EM!



## Next Meeting!

**Date:** Tuesday, May 2 6:30 pm  
 Bruno's Pizza located at 15770 FM 2493 (Old Jacksonville Hwy) Tyler, TX  
 We will have dinner, an

opportunity for you to bid on a few items including two Benjamin Knox prints, and the installation of our 2017-18 Board Members. See you there!



## Finals Are HERE!

Delivery date is May 1st. We would love to have you join us in College Station to distribute our Finals Goodie Bags. It is always a fun day.

Contact Cindi Kuchera or Michelle Schmitt for more information.



## Save the Date!

**Sunday, July 30** is our Howdy Dinner. Details coming soon but this is a Howdy you haven't experienced in a LONG

time! You won't want to miss this event! And, plan to bring a new Aggie Mom!

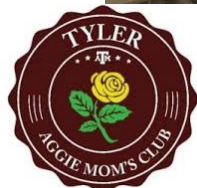


## Know a New Aggie?

We will be collecting names of high school seniors who are headed to Aggieland this fall during our May 2 meeting. Please bring as

much contact information as you can about this student!

**Thanks and Gig 'em!**



**Aggie Moms' Clubs** has been a tradition at Texas A&M since 1922. The purpose of this club is to support our students, learn more about TAMU and its traditions, build friendships with other moms and raise money for student scholarships. Aggie Dads are welcome as well. Thanks and Gig 'em!



### The History of Aggie Muster

Aggies gathered together on June 26, 1883 to live over again their college days, the victories and defeats won and lost upon the drill field and classroom. Eventually the annual gathering evolved into a celebration of Texas Independence on San Jacinto Day – April 21st. Over time the tradition has changed, but its very essence has remained: “If there is an A&M man in one hundred miles of you, you are expected to get together, eat a little, and live over the days you spent at the A&M College of Texas.” Muster is celebrated in more than three hundred places worldwide, with the largest ceremony on the Texas A&M campus in College Station. Aggie

Muster as we know it today is credited to E. E. McQuillen '20, who served as the Executive Secretary of The Association of Former Students. It is fitting that he was honored to serve as the first Campus Muster speaker....Muster is a time to look to the past, present, and future...not only to grieve but to reflect and to celebrate the lives that connect us to one another. A gesture so simple in nature yet so lasting in spirit, Muster is the lasting impression every Aggie leaves with us; it reminds us of the greatness that lies within these walls, of the loyalty we possess, of the connection that binds us, and of the idea that every Aggie has a place of importance – whether they are present in flesh or spirit....



### Corps Corner



Final Review is Saturday, May 6 at 9:00 am on Simpson Drill Field. The cadets will pass by the reviewing stand (and hundreds of parents and friends) for the last time as their current class. Then they return to the Quad and their dorms and change into their new uniforms! It is a very exciting time especially for the “Butts” . . . aka Juniors! They don their long awaited boots for the first time! Then they pass before the reviewing stand once again in their new regalia. This time, the “dead zips” or the current seniors who are about to leave the Corps, are a part of the audience. It is a very special day for all!!



