

weekly LIFT

Week of Feb. 6-12, 2017

LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE for TEXARKANA

Good news and good ideas for everyone! Brought to you by Leadership Texarkana

Want to stay on top of **What's to Love** in our community?

The WeeklyLIFT isn't your average events calendar. It's a carefully crafted list of the people, places and events that make Texarkana a great place to be. We'll deliver it right to your inbox every Monday! **Sign up for the WeeklyLIFT e-newsletter at leadershiptexarkana.com today**—then forward it to your friends and neighbors to spread the good news.... because the more we all know, the more we all care!

Texarkana USA:

A thriving center for business, education and culture that attracts—and serves—us all.

*Citizens committed to Working Smart for Excellence,
Educational and Cultural Riches, Community Pride,
Economic, Social and Personal Well-Being*

**Speaking of Second to None...
DID YOU KNOW...?**



The State Meeting of the Arkansas Dixie Youth Baseball program is scheduled for Saturday February 11th at the Ed Worrel Park Texarkana.

THEY'RE IN!



Three cheers for Kid's Spot Dentistry!

**For your OWN declaration of commitment to making
Texarkana Twice as Beautiful (to say YOU'RE IN) -
go to leadershiptexarkana.com**

**Making Texarkana TWICE as Beautiful!
CLEAN NEAT GREEN PRETTY**

*Email YOUR suggestions for places in the greater Texarkana
USA area that deserve KUDOS for modeling the way and whose
commitment to beauty are sources of community pride.*



*Thanks to Robbins Toyota and BancorpSouth for signing on to become the
first two of only 4 exclusive WeeklyLIFT partnerships available!*

STEPPING UP TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE



Wes Kirkham

*Executive Director of Instructional Services, Texarkana ISD
LT Class of 2014*

“... I believe that servant leadership is the most effective type of leadership. Leadership is about influencing and inspiring others to action. Leaders communicate a clear vision while demonstrating character and integrity. Leaders treat people the way they would want to be treated and do the right thing for people and organizations.

“My participation in Leadership Texarkana reinforced the importance of taking advantage of leadership opportunities and the importance of involvement in organizations that are doing great things to better our community. Since participating in Leadership Texarkana, in addition to my professional affiliations and church involvement, I serve as the club secretary for the Oaklawn Rotary Club, serve on the board for Junior Achievement, and have facilitated Today's Youth Tomorrow's Leaders.*”

**TYTL is a program of Leadership Texarkana in partnership with LEISD, PGISD, TASD and TISD; applications are now being accepted (through Feb 14) from sophomores and juniors for the 2017 TYTL program, June 19-22.*

A T-TOWN TOP TEN Things to do in Texarkana February 6-12, 2017



Heart of Love



Heart Ball

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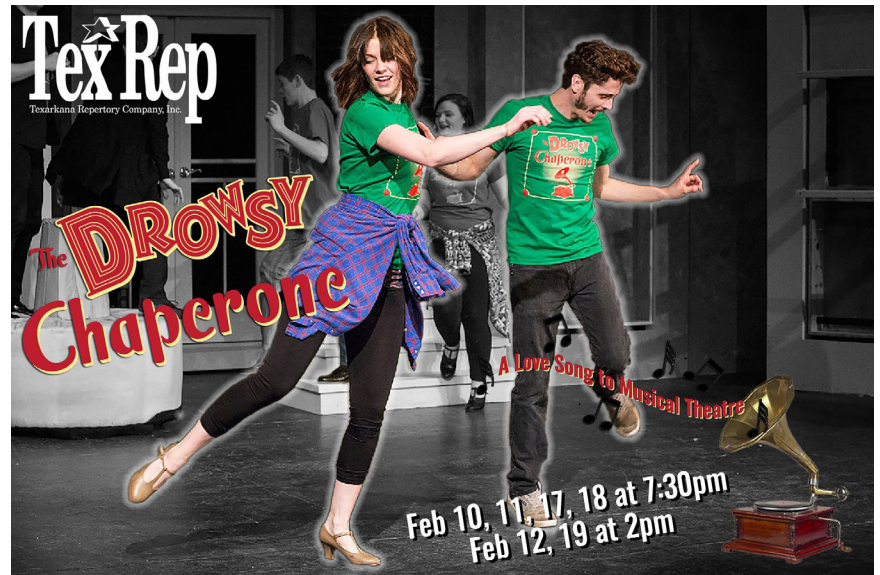
Texarkana Heart Ball. A Celebration of creating and sharing benefiting the American Heart Association, in conjunction with Wadley Regional Medical Center. An evening of fun and passion featuring LA Legacy Jazz Band, survivor and volunteer celebration, silent auction. Texarkana TX Convention Center. Sat, Feb 11.

2

The 2nd Annual XOXO Unplugged. A classy and jazzy Valentine's Day celebration. Featuring Rudy and Dero of the band The C.I.T.Y. and Le Bryant Crew of American Idol and NaQuita Elmore & Friends. Sat, Feb 11, Arkansas Convention Center.



3



“The Drowsy Chaperone” from TexRep. “A madcap delight & lovesong to musical theater.” High energy. Fun. Funny. 2006 Winner of 5 Tony Awards and 8 Drama Desk Awards! Stilwell Theatre at TC Campus. Performances FEB 10-19; Fridays and Saturdays at 7:30PM Sundays at 2PM. Reservations 903-831-7827.



4

PLACE Presents Juan Williams. Fox News political analyst and noted author. Thurs, Feb 9 at 7:00PM, TAMUT University Center, Eagle Hall Juan Williams.



5

Couples Painting. The couple that paints together, has fun together! Paint with True Love at Painting with a Twist. Fri, Feb 10. 7:00-9:00.

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ScaleSpace Tour. Sign up for a sneak peak into Texarkana's first co-working space on this informal 30 minute walk through with Caleb Pittman. Thu, Feb 9 at 10AM. Learn more.



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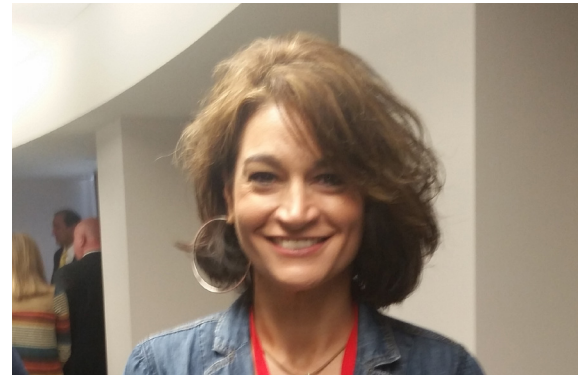
Lights! Camera! Action! Saturday fun for kids: Come learn the basics of Stop Motion Animation workshop at Discovery Place. Sat, Feb 11 at 12 PM - 2 PM. Create your own short film! Call 903-793-4831 or email DiscoveryPlace@TexarkanaMuseums.org for more information! Learn more.

8

Trails on Two Wheels. Saturday fun for seniors: SAGE – Arkansas. Feb 10, 11AM - 5PM. If the last time you were on a bicycle was when you were a teenager, you enjoy the outdoors, you have a sense of adventure and you'd love to get ready for bicycle touring, then this is the class for you! Learn more.

This Week's Totally T-Town Fave Foods

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Kim Miller
Transition Coordinator
Texarkana AR ISD

recommends...
TaMolly's Grilled Chicken Salad

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Matt Fry
Director of Communications
Liberty-Eylau ISD

loves
Joe's Chicken from Joe's Pizza & Pasta

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ME UP**

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