



Web-Based Project File Submission Form

Share your successful project ideas with other TASC member schools. Complete the form below and email the submission to TASC (tiffany@tassp.org). Projects will be categorized and cross referenced and posted on the TASC website. While the description should be relatively brief, please include enough details so that other schools can organize a similar activity using your information. Schools submitting a project idea electronically can receive 10 points on the Outstanding Student Council report form. Please note: only 10 points in total will be awarded (not 10 points per submission).

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TASC District: District 3

PROJECT or ACTIVITY CATEGORY – please mark ALL that apply

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> School Pride | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Leadership | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Service |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Educational Project | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fundraising | <input type="checkbox"/> Social / Recreational |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health / Safety | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Relations | <input type="checkbox"/> Energy / Environment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drugs / Alcohol | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> School Service | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

TITLE OF PROJECT or ACTIVITY: Blood Drive

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PROJECT or ACTIVITY:

Please include the project objective, target group, resources used and a step-by-step description. If possible, please attach samples or pictures of your project.

Objective: To increase school pride and awareness for Jayden's Journey fundraisers and to make an impact on the community.

Target Group: Students over the age of 17 and adults

Resources Used: Flyers and banners provided by the American Red Cross, article in school newsmagazine

Description: About 3 weeks before the blood drive, McKinney Boyd D.A.S.H. committee hung and distributed the flyers and banners from the American Red Cross. Spur, the school's newsmagazine, had an article about the blood drive and its potential impact on the school and local community. The week before the blood drive, students signed up for a time to give blood. The weekly school email to parents also contained information about how to give blood, and the date of the blood drive was put on the marquee in front of the school. On the day of the blood drive, the American Red Cross arrived to take the blood. Announcements were made about the blood drive in case students wanted to give at the last minute. Some D.A.S.H. committee members helped to sign in students and adults who were giving blood. After the blood drive was complete, over 250 units of blood were donated, affecting 881 lives. The blood drive showed how the school pulled together to help our Jayden Wales, the daughter of assistant principal Tom Wales. It also showed how giving blood has such a large impact on the community. An

article about Jayden's Journey and the blood drive appeared in the Dallas Morning News. The blood drive gave Boyd students the chance to lead by example. They made an impact on the community and the school.

The Newspaper articles are attached as a separate document.

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