



# Katy-West Houston Aggie Moms Club



March 2023 Edition

No. 7

## PRESIDENTS PASSBACK

February was so fun! We had Valentine's Bingo and some other socials. Thanks for joining us!

Our theme for March is "Meaningful". It is our hope that KWH Aggie Moms Club will give you many opportunities to live out the purpose of Aggie Moms by being Encouraging, Volunteering, Giving and Connecting. Links are provided in this newsletter.

Encourage an Aggie student by sending them a Care Package. Our Spring Care Packages are currently sold out, but you can still encourage a student by attending the Singing Cadets concert or even hosting them or by getting your yard "Gigged" or buying them a ring crest!

Volunteer with us both this year and next by "Sharing Your Sparkle". Your "Sparkle" is those gifts, talents and skills that are unique to YOU that you can share with our club leadership as a board member or committee chair! March will also give you opportunities to volunteer with Singing Cadets and at the Round Top Gallery Collection.

Give & Participate a specific item or one-time monetary donation toward a play therapy room at STCH Ministries, our partner in this year's TAMU Big Event. This is our chance to make a meaningful contribution in our Katy community!

Connect with other Aggie Moms. Establish meaningful and lasting friendships by attending our meetings and various social activities. At the March meeting, we will play a fun game and you could win prizes!

April is going to be so Awesome and packed with so many activities and opportunities that you'll want to be sure to save all the dates on our calendar below! Starting with a NO FOOLIN' April 1st Grill & Chill – bring the whole family for live music, food, and so much fun – Then, Bluebonnet Bingo at our general meeting, Aggie Mom Spring Boutique at TAMU Family weekend, plus our 2nd Glass & Glitz and ROH Pin Dunk of the year at LaCenterra!

Even with all this activity, our primary objective is to make sure that you feel welcome, included, and appreciated! Please reach out to any of our board members for any questions or concerns you may have at any time.

SEE YOU ON MARCH 7TH!!!

Thanks & Gig 'Em,  
Lisa Selden  
KWHAM President  
2022/2023





## **Spring Semester 2023 (Jan – May) Calendar**

### **Meaningful March**

March 7	General Meeting – Big Event Night with STTCH
March 11	Second Saturday Fish Link Social 8:30 -10 am @ Kona Coffee
March 13-17	TAMU Spring Break
March 22	Katy Corps Mom Social – 6 pm @ Union Kitchen
March 24	<a href="#">Singing Cadets Concert</a> – 7 pm @ Second Baptist Woodway
March 25	Shop & Give – 10 am–7 pm @ The Round Top Collection Gallery
March 28	Board Meeting – 6:30 pm @ Harris County Smokehouse
March 28	Board and Committee Nominations Due – <a href="#">Form</a>

### **Awesome April**

April 1	Scholarship applications close at 11:59 pm - <a href="#">Form</a>
April 1	Second Saturday Fish Link Social 8:30 -10 am @ Kona Coffee (moved for Easter)
April 1	KWHAMC Families Social 4 pm @ Thirsty Parrot
April 7	CoZzy Sheets Order Deadline
April 11	Meeting & BINGO– 2023/2024 Board Elections & New ROH member installation
April 14-16	Boutique & Family Weekend @ College Station
April 20	Glass & Glitz – ROH Pin Dunk 5-9 pm @ Kendra Scott & Postino's – La Centerra
April 25	Budget Committee Meeting – 5 pm @ Harris County Smokehouse
	Board/Committee Change Over – 6:30 pm @ Harris County Smokehouse
April 27	Spring Care Package Delivery @ TAMU MSC

### **Mom's May**

May 16	General Meeting, Graduates Recognized, Scholarships Awarded & New Board Installation
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All General Meetings are held at Church of the Holy Apostles (COTHA) 6:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted

**\*\*New Board Start June 1, 2023\*\***

***Save the Date – July 30<sup>th</sup> 3-5 pm HOWDY SOCIAL***



JUST FYI....

## TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

### **Traditions & Symbols**

**Aggie Ring:** The most visible sign of the Aggie Network, the Aggie Ring is a unique representation of achievement, as it can only be ordered when an Aggie completes at least 90 academic hours. The Ring is worn with the class year facing the students to signify that their time at A&M is not yet complete. During commencement, The Association of Former Students leads a ceremony in which Aggie turn their Rings around to face the world proudly, just as the Aggie graduate is now ready to face the world.

**The Century Tree:** Located near the Academic Building, the tree is well over 100 years old and was one of the first trees planted on Texas A&M's massive 5,200 acre campus. Tradition says that if a couple walk together underneath the Century Tree, they will eventually marry – and if a marriage proposal takes place under the tree, the marriage will last forever.



**Pennies on Sully:** Lawrence Sullivan “Sul” Ross, president of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas from 1891-1998, was known for his legendary efforts to keep the college open; he is often credited as the embodiment of Aggie Spirit and tradition. Students leave pennies (as well as assorted bills, trinkets, etc.) at the base of the statue to the former Texas governor for good luck before taking their exams. The items left are collected each semester and donated to a local charity.



# Fundraisers



Spring means graduations are approaching!  
Get Giggled & Ring Crests are a great way to CELEBRATE!

[CLICK HERE TO ORDER YOUR GET GIGGED YARD SIGNS!](#)

KISD high school senior  
attending TAMU next fall?

## WHOOOP!

It's time to **GET GIGGED** to celebrate  
that special day or grad party with these  
AGGIE BOUND yard signs



TO ORDER

copy and paste this link in your browser:

<https://katy-westhoustonaggjemoms.square.site/product/GetGigd/72>

Or  
Scan here:



All proceeds benefit  
KWHAMC SCHOLARSHIPS

# AGGIES



## PARTICIPATE IN THE BIG EVENT

From now through the end of March, KWHAMC members will have the opportunity to donate in two ways; either by purchasing specific items on an Amazon wish list or by making one-time monetary donation of any amount of your choice to be donated directly towards stocking a play therapy room for children in need right here in Katy at STCH Ministries.

## LET'S MAKE MARCH MEANINGFUL, KATY AGGIE MOMS!



## GIVE



Purchase a specific item and have it delivered directly to STCH  
@ <https://a.co/0X79kBL>

## AND/OR

Make a one-time, tax deductible, monetary contribution of your choice  
@ <https://www.stchm.org/houston-counseling-pay-portal/>

All gifts and/or donations through the links above are tax deductible and will be distributed/shipped directly to the play therapy room at the Katy STCH facility.  
Thank you in advance for your generosity to our community!

**Spruce up your Spring with new sheets!**



**Katy/West Houston Aggie Moms**

**CoZzzy Comfy Bed Linen Fundraiser**

**1800 Thread Count**

**\$50 ANY SIZE**

XL Twin, Twin, Full, Queen, King,  
California King

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**[www.CoZzzyComfy.com/online-store](http://www.CoZzzyComfy.com/online-store)**

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**Aggie Moms KWH 1 - 2023**

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**ALL PROCEEDS FROM THESE SALES WILL GO TO OUR SCHOLARSHIP FUND. THANK YOU!**

**WHOOPI!**





# *& Announcements*

## KWHAMC Directory



Our Membership Directory has been updated and will continue to be updated each month. Here is a link to that Directory and we ask that you observe the Aggie code of honor and please do not share this information with anyone outside of our membership. Thank you!

Click this link to access the directory: [KWHAMC Membership Directory](#)

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## Ring Crest

While each KWHAMC member who has an Aggie student graduate receives their Ring Crest Paperweight for FREE, perhaps you know of someone else who would like one as well as a gift? We even have a few past years available.



[CLICK HERE TO PURCHASE A RING CREST PAPERWEIGHT](#)

### Ring of Honor

Guess what, Aggie Mom? If your Aggie is graduating in May, you are graduating too!

Join the other moms with Aggie grads by receiving a FREE Ring of Honor Pin during a recognition ceremony at our General Meeting on April 11th and then, attend a fun "Pin Dunk" at the Glass & Glitz event @ Postino's on April 20th.

Another bonus is that you can receive a FREE Pin and your Aggie grad can receive a FREE Ring Crest paperweight.



[CLICK HERE TO LET US KNOW ABOUT YOUR AGGIE WHO IS ABOUT TO GRADUATE AND TO RECEIVE YOUR FREE PIN AND RING CREST](#)

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Volunteer & Share your SPARKLE with us!



Short Term Committees like Spring Boutique (April 13-15), Nominating (now thru March) and Scholarships (now thru April):

[CLICK HERE TO VOLUNTEER ON A SHORT-TERM COMMITTEE](#)

Nominate yourself or someone else for a 2023-2024 KWHAMC Board or Committee leadership position:

[CLICK HERE TO FIND OUT ABOUT BEING ON OUR BOARD OR A COMMITTEE NEXT YEAR!](#)



If your Aggie is eligible and would like to apply for a scholarship, ask them to click the link below. The deadline to receive completed applications is 11:59 p.m. on April 1st, no exceptions. The application and more information can be found at the following link:

<https://forms.gle/EoGaaRXURsUrkCr78>



### KWHAMC Meeting Minutes

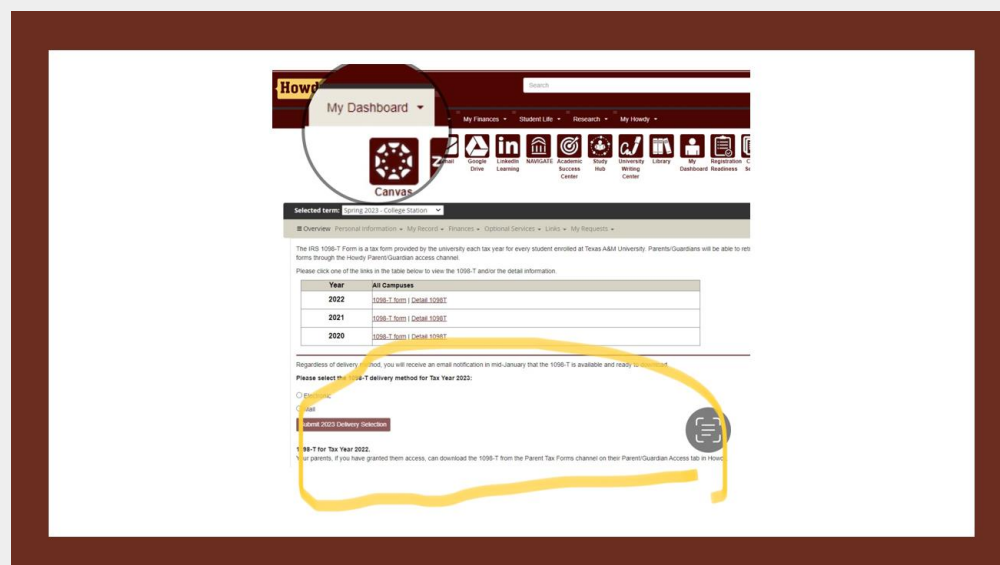
At the March meeting our membership will vote to approve the Minutes from our February meeting. Those minutes can be accessed through the link below for your review.

[KWHAMC FEBRUARY GENERAL MEETING MINUTES](#)

### Helpful Tax Information

Tax season is upon us!

The easiest way to access your student's 1098T form is to have them log into their Howdy Portal and type 1098T in the search bar. If your student has given you Parent Access, you can download the form your Parent/Guardian Access tab.



**\*URGENT NEED: HOSPITALITY FOR MARCH MEETING**

If you'd like to bring food or drink for the hospitality table at any of our general meetings, sign up

@ <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4eafa62ba1f58-aggie#/>

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**SAVE THE DATE! For A "NO FOOLIN', APRIL FOOLS DAY" ALL CLUB SOCIAL!**



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**Host the Signing Cadets!**

Second Baptist Church (Woodway campus) will be hosting the Singing Cadets in concert on Friday, March 24, 2023.

If you are interested in hosting a few of these cadets in your home, please contact:

Rae Lynn Heaton - Cell-713-248-7434



**[CLICK HERE TO PURCHASE SINGING CADETS CONCERT TICKETS](#)**



## Guest Greeter @ The Round Top Gallery Collection Store

Make your March Meaningful by helping us raise money for scholarships!

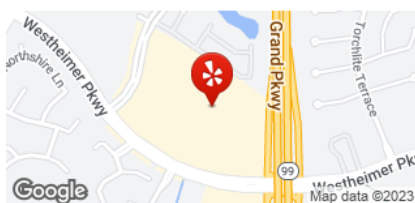
Can you please give us 2 hours of your time on Saturday, March 25th @ The Round Top Gallery Collection store located at 23702 Westheimer Pkwy Ste A, Katy, TX 77494 (next to Target) to greet shoppers as they enter the store, give them a small paper and ask them to mention Katy Aggie Moms at checkout as a portion of their purchase will go to our scholarship fund?

Please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up. Thank you!

[CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP TO GREET GUESTS AT THE ROUND TOP GALLERY COLLECTION](#)

Or stop by the store to shop for some specially made Aggie items and more and a percentage of your purchase will help our scholarship fund! THANK YOU!

### Location & Hours



23702 Westheimer  
Pkwy  
Katy, TX 77494

[Get directions](#)

Mon	10:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Tue	10:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Wed	10:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Thu	10:00 AM - 7:00 PM <a href="#">Open now</a>
Fri	10:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Sat	10:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Sun	Closed

[Edit business info](#)



# Join the Fun

Send a text to

**81010**

Text this message

**@kwhagmom**



Don't want to miss a thing, stay in the know

Are you a member for KWHAMC and have a student in the TAMU Corps of Cadets? Get connected with other moms like you through social gatherings just for you and by text through their GroupMe text group @



**Katy Corps Moms**

Members of Katy/West Houston Aggie Moms Club who have students in the TAMU Corps of Cadets





## KWHAMC 2022-2023

Gallery

Settings



132 Posts

Print Photos

Join our Cluster account to view, upload and enjoy all your favorite KWHAMC pictures.

<https://cluster.co/i/UYLTDX4Q>

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ONLY (CLASS OF 2026)



Texas A&M Fish



### **The 2022-2023 KWHAMC Board**

President  
President Elect  
1<sup>st</sup> VP Programs  
2<sup>nd</sup> VP Membership  
Secretary  
Treasurer  
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### **2022-2023 KWHAMC Committees**

Care Packages  
Get Giggled  
Hospitality  
Ring Crest  
Ways & Means  
Scholarships  
Socials  
Publicity  
Fish Link

Tina Costley  
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**\*\*If you are interested in serving on the board or want more information, please contact Lisa Selden @ 713-907-7742**



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