

# **DES News**

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# The Quick List

Important Dates for the term

February

- 5-Last day to declare pass/fail/no credit or first year repeated course grading options
- 12-Staff
  Recognition
  Ceremony10:30a-McFarlin
  Auditorium
- 24-Early Intervention grades due for first year undergraduates

#### March

- 6-DES Meeting
- 9-17-Spring Break
- 26-Mid Term grades due for first year and sophomore students
- 29-Good Friday-Offices closed

#### **April**

- 2- 60% point for federal aid
- 8-Enrollment appointments begin for Summer/Fall 2013
- 10-Last day to drop a course

As reflected in the pictures below DES was well represented at the Jan.  $23^{rd}$  Unity Walk. President Turner remarked, "As we do our march we can celebrate how much has gone forward in these 150 years and look forward to all it's to be." VP of Student Affairs, Lori White told us, "I march today because I want to remember those who made sacrifices and made it possible to be where we are today. I march today because I know we still have work to do." It was noted by President Turner that this was the best participation of student/staff/faculty he had witnessed in his tenure as our President. The Executive Directors thank you for your support of this event.

### It's Good to Know...

There will be May Term course offerings on the main campus this year. Previously, May Term course offerings were almost exclusively at Taos.

## Unity Walk 2013















Intelligence plus character is the true meaning of education. ~ Martin Luther King, Jr.

- April 15 Honors
  Day (5:30p)
- 26-Last day to withdraw from University

### Staff Leaving:

Myriah Garcia

# **DES Spotlight**

Mom of two current SMU students had overpaid both accounts so needed help getting it resolved. Once charges had been corrected this was her comment: Thank you. Daniel Herrera was very helpful.

### A Great Reason to Celebrate

#### **March Birthdays**

8-Nancy Skochdopole 9-Elizabeth "Stevie" Stevenson

9-Joe Lopez

If we missed your birthday or work anniversary please email iherrera@smu.edu.

#### **March Work Anniversaries**

8-Bill Chandler – 10 years

12-Elizabeth Neel- 2 years

14-Anna Lee- 2 years

17-Fernando Del Rio- 8 years

18-Deveron Ellison- 11 years

19-Paley Wu- 6 years

20- Gordon Brannon- 7 years

31- Joann Martinez- 5 years

# Mark your calendar for the 12<sup>th</sup> annual Staff Recognition Ceremony

Ceremony will be held on Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>. The reception begins at 10am with the ceremony beginning at 10:30am. Both will be held in McFarlin Auditorium.

SMU Women's Basketball is 16-4 overall and 7-0 in Conference USA. The team has received votes in the AP top 25 poll. Help the Mustangs push their winning streak to nine games!