## **Docent Doings**

The past few months have been quite busy for our Bosque Musem Docents!

In early May, the docents purchased new plastic tables and were able to donate the old, wooden tables to Pot O' Gold, supporting Clifton Lutheran Sunset Ministries.

The new, lightweight tables were enjoyed at the May Docent Meeting as the Docents gathered to install officers for the next year. Dee Sharp presided as our Master of Ceremonies with a delightfully heartfelt narrative.

Finally, the Docents were able to go on their first field trip since the pandemic. They had an enjoyable trip to the Stephenville Historical House Museum, where they enjoyed a guided tour



of two of the structures and capped off the day with lunch, shopping, and pie. Interested in becoming a docent? Contact Laynie Miller, President, at Laynie@kk5im.com for more information.

Pictured, Left to Right: Sue Megarity, Linda McDowell, Ginger Albrecht, Bryan Davis, Carla Sigler, Dee Sharp, Laynie Miller, Karen Cornett, Darlene Thomas, Joanne Freeman Blossom, Cindy Leonard

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# Summer Fun is in Session!

be geared toward

Elementary aged

students, but

anyone big or small can enjoy

School is out, so the fun has begun at Bosque Museum! Come and Go Summer Fun means that each week of summer has a different theme, and each day a new activity is added to the theme. Thursdays will have a Make & Take Art activity, on Fridays a new Loose Parts Play element will be introduced. Saturdays are for stories, so we'll put some books out for families to enjoy, and then on Sundays, there will be a family activity for all to enjoy. Each day of summer has something new for your family to explore until August 15.

Everything is included in the cost of admission (\$5/Adults; Under 13 are free), and the activities are all come and go while the museum is open this summer. Most activities will





Young museum guests make their own archeology arrow during our Paleoamericans week!

the loose parts play elements that debut each Friday.

For Chisolm Trail week, guests made foot horses, played cattle drive with models, read a book about Cowboys, and explored outside looking for animals who make trails. Check out BosqueMuseum.org for a complete listing of activities and updates with weekly activities. We'll see you at the Museum!



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Bosque Museum Becomes a Wreaths Across America Partner

Morrill Worcester, owner of Worcester Wreath Company, began Wreaths Across America in 1992. He found himself with a surplus of Christmas wreaths and remembered a childhood visit to Arlington National Cemetery. He reflected on how his good fortune could be attributed to the heroes that now rest eternally. He placed the extra wreaths on graves, and thus began the nationwide effort to remember, honor, and teach future generations what these men and women sacrificed to protect our country.

This year, Bosque Museum is proud to support Wreaths Across America, and the more than 2,000 registered cemeteries, including Clifton's cemeteries. For each wreath purchased, Bosque Museum receives a portion of the proceeds. Wreaths are \$15.00 each. To donate, go to www.wreathsacrossamerica.org/pages/167443 and click the donate button. You can also drop off a cash or check donation at the museum. Checks must be made out to Wreaths Across America.

If you have an interest in registering other cemeteries, please contact Kathy Harr, Clifton Cemetery Coordinator, at (214) 707-



2412. Volunteers will also be needed on December 18 to place wreaths. This will be a great opportunity for friends and family to gather while remembering, honoring and teaching others.

#### Thank You!

Bosque Museum held its 4th Annual Sporting Clays Tournament on May 22. The rain cooperated (for the most part), and everyone was able to have a good time enjoying a challenging course and each other's company. Seventeen teams of four participated in the ten-station set-up, and had their 'shot' at 100 total clays, generously donated by Champion Targets.



Event chair Tom Henderson was pleased with the day and especially grateful to our over 20 sponsors who helped to raise over \$30,000 for the Museum and its upcoming year of programs (see below). As participants enjoyed lunch from Rockin' K&C BBQ, awards were handed out for Top Scoring Man,

#### Upcoming Events

June 27: *Wildflowers of Texas; the Art of Gurine Nilson* closes July 1: *The Civil War in Bosque County* opens July 17: Bosque Museum on the Move at STEMFest at The Mayborn July 22 - August 1: The Museum decorated for Christmas in July July 25: Christmas in July event August 12 - 15: Last week of Come & Go Summer Fun September 25: John A. Lomax Music Celebration October 16: Bosque Museum on the Move at Clifton Main Street's FallFest Top Scoring Woman, and Top Scoring Teams. Surprise ran through the crowd as two teams tied for second place!

Mark your calendars for next year's 5th Annual Sporting Clays Tournament on May 21, 2022.

### Tribute Gifts

In Honor of Lee & Lee Ann Donner's 50th Wedding Anniversary Refel Rushing and Wendy Finley

In Memory of Jane Bordelon Shaw Formby Mimi & Barry Wright In Memory of C.E. Davis Mimi & Barry Wright In Memory of Bob Schafer Mary Ellen Boren Mimi & Barry Wright In Memory of Delma Chesshir Sidney & Buck Thomason In Memory of Nadine Matson Heid Mary Ellen Boren Mimi & Barry Wright Roby & Gary Anz In Memory of May Wood Mary Ellen Boren