



# Meals-on-Wheels

OF JOHNSON AND ELLIS COUNTIES

*Serving the Children of Yesterday*

## Volunteer Newsletter

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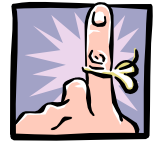
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### Reminder

Please remember that if a client is not home, do not leave the meal at the home. Please mark "not home" by the client's name, and if you deliver in Alvarado, Grandview, Godley, Lillian or Rio Vista please try and call the office and let us know so that we may contact the client and make sure they are ok.

*Thank you!!*



### New Route Needed in Burleson!

Due to the continuing increase in need for meals, we are in need of an 8th route in Burleson. We are still in need of volunteers who can deliver this new route on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. Without volunteers, this is not possible! Please keep this in mind when talking with family, friends and co-workers about Meals-on-Wheels. As active and dedicated volunteers, you are our best recruiters.

*Thank you for your help!*



The Munster Mansion in Waxahachie has graciously chosen Meals-on-Wheels to be the recipient of all proceeds from this year's ticket sales!

The Munster Mansion will be open October 30th and 31st from 7:00 pm until 12:00 m. Ticket prices are \$20.00 for adults and \$12.00 for children age 12 and under. For more about The Munster Mansion please visit [www.munstermansion.com](http://www.munstermansion.com)

Meals-on-Wheels needs volunteers to help with this event! Volunteers will need to wear costumes and can work in shifts. If you or anyone you know might be interested in helping with this please contact Sarah at (817) 558-2840 for more information.

[www.servingthechildrenofyesterday.org](http://www.servingthechildrenofyesterday.org)



Please join us in welcoming our newest volunteers!

**Cleburne**

- Bonnie Burgess
- Joyce Emmert
- Kristin Betts-Johnson
- Martha Tellez

**Burleson**

- Pam Shartz

Please tell your friends and family about the need in your community! Also, we would be happy to come speak at your business, church, or any gathering.

Thank YOU for your ongoing service as a Meals-on-Wheels volunteer!

**United Way Day of Caring  
October 3, 2009**



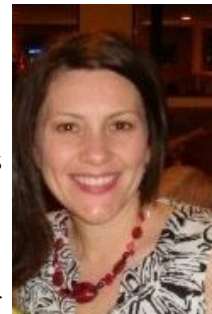
In partnership with United Way of Johnson County, dog and cat food was delivered to our Johnson County clients for this year's "Day of Caring" on Saturday October 3rd.

**Thank you** to all of the volunteers who helped make this happen!

If you are interested in volunteering with our Ani-Meals pet food program, please contact Whitney! [whitney@mowjec.org](mailto:whitney@mowjec.org)

**New at Meals-on-Wheels**

Please join us in welcoming our newest member to the Meals-on-Wheels team! Sarah Drew-Watson has joined us as the new Ellis County Volunteer Coordinator. Sarah is a past Meals-on-Wheels volunteer in Red Oak, and is excited about joining our team. She is working in the Waxahachie office.



**Golf Benefit 2009 -  
A Great Success!**

The 22nd Annual Meals-on-Wheels Golf Benefit was held Thursday

September 17th at Hidden Creek Golf course in Burleson. It was certainly a success, raising over \$70,000! Along with our sponsors, golfers, and about 50 wonderful volunteers, the event raised much needed monies to feed the homebound elderly and disabled persons in our community.

Even in off-and-on rain, golfers enjoyed a fun-filled day! \$5,000 in prizes were given away to the winning teams, and over \$8,000 in raffle tickets were drawn at the event!

**Thank you so much for your support!!**

**Volunteer Opportunities**



**Cleburne**  
Monday, Thursday

**Burleson**  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

**Grandview**  
Tuesday

**Joshua**  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

**Keene**                      **Lillian**  
Wednesday                  Monday, Thursday

*Fill-ins needed in all communities!*