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**TISD TIGER ATHLETICS TO OFFER SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS
FOR AREA YOUTH**

Texarkana, TX – The Texarkana Independent School District Tiger Athletic Department will host ten upcoming sports camps for area youth.

Softball Summer Camp will be held on Tuesday through Thursday, May 29 - 31 for incoming 1st through 9th grade students.

Camp will be held at the THS Softball Field from 9:00 a.m. – Noon. Cost is \$50 per participant and includes a complimentary camp t-shirt.

Camp highlights include emphasis on fundamentals, individual instruction and a positive learning experience.

For more information, contact Robbie Hatfield at 903.293.1590.

Summer Baseball Camp will be offered on Thursday and Friday, May 31 – June 1 at the THS Multi-Purpose Facility. Cost is \$50.

For children, ages 6-10, the camp will be from 10:00 a.m. – Noon daily. For youth, ages 11-14, the camp will be held from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. daily. Attendees will receive hands-on instruction in throwing, defense and hitting as well as on-field and batting cage drills. Participants are asked to bring glove, helmet and bat.

For more information, contact Scott Mennie at 903.793.7731 or 903.748.5926 or scottm@txkisd.net.

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Tennis Summer Camp, for incoming Kindergarten through 9th grade students, will be Monday through Wednesday, June 4-6 at the Texas High School Tennis Courts. Camp registration is required by June 1. Cost is \$45.

Camp for incoming Kindergarten – 4th Grades will be from 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. while camp for incoming 5th – 9th Grade students will be from 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.

The camp is perfect for both players who have never played and those that have played. For non-players, basics will be taught. For all others, there will be a brush up on groundstrokes, volleys and serves as well as matchplay. Participants are asked to bring a racquet, wear tennis shoes and shorts.

For more information, contact: Ann Tarwater at 903.277.1702 or ann.tarwater@txkisd.net or Cassidy Price at 903.793.7731 ext. 57001 or cassidy.price@txkisd.net.

Summer Strength & Conditioning Program will be June 4 - August 26 from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. for incoming student-athletes (boys and girls) in grades 6-8 and from 7:30 – 9:30 a.m. for student-athletes incoming 9th – 12th grades. The program will be closed from July 2-5.

The program is FREE to all student-athletes and is designed to help students gain the necessary skills to better their strength, speed, agility and endurance. Camp will be held at the Texas High School Multi-Purpose Facility.

For more information, contact: Gerry Stanford at 903.793.7731 ext. 57001 or gerry.stanford@txkisd.net.

Boys Summer Basketball Camp, for incoming 1st - 9th grade students, will be Monday and Tuesday, June 18-19. Camp for boys entering Grades 1-5 will be from 9:00 a.m. – Noon with camp for boys entering grades 6-9 being held from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Camp will be held in the Texas High School Tiger Center, 4001 Summerhill Road. Features include individual and group instruction under simulated game conditions and individual and team competitions.

Cost is \$50 prior to day of camp or \$60 day of. All participants will receive a complimentary Camp T-Shirt. Participants are asked to wear basketball shoes, socks, t-shirts and shorts.

For more information, contact: Cassidy Price at 903.793.7731 or cassidy.price@txkisd.net or Keith Jones at 903.794.3891 ext. 2245 or keith.jones@txkisd.net.

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Girls Summer Basketball Camp will be held Wednesday & Thursday, June 20-21 from 9:00 a.m. – Noon for girls entering the 3rd through 9th Grade. Camp will be in the Texas High School Tiger Center, 4001 Summerhill Road.

Camp features individual and group instruction under simulated game conditions; individual and team competitions including free-throw, ball-handling, hot shot and three-point contest.

Cost is \$50 prior to day of camp or \$60 day of. All participants will receive a complimentary Camp T-Shirt. Participants are asked to wear basketball shoes, socks, t-shirts and shorts.

For more information, contact: Shonda Wilson at 903.793.7731 ext. 2236 or shonda.wilson@txkisd.net.

Summer Soccer Camp will be July 9-10 for incoming Kindergarten - 4th Grade students (boys and girls) and July 11-12 for incoming 5th – 8th grade students (boys and girls). Both camps will be from 4:30 – 7:00 p.m. at the THS Multi-Purpose Facility.

Cost is \$50 for Pre-Registration and \$60 on day of. Participants are asked to bring soccer shoes (athletic shoes, no toe studs), shin guards and long socks.

The camp will focus on making participants a better individual player along with tactics to make the participant an even better team player.

For more information, contact: Jesus Diaz DeLeon at 903.793.7731 ext. 57080 or 214.727.5212 or Jesus.DiazDeLeon@txkisd.net.

Summer Volleyball Camp will be held on Monday and Tuesday, July 23 - 24 for incoming 8th and 9th grade students and Wednesday and Thursday, July 25 - 26 for those students who will be entering the 5th through 7th grades.

Camps will be held at Texas High School - Tiger Center, 4001 Summerhill Road, from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Cost is \$30 per participant with registration deadline set for June 22. All participants will receive a pizza lunch and camp t-shirt.

For more information, contact Melissa Trotter-Hardy at 903.278.7363 or Robin Holland at 281.796.0419.

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Summer Youth Football Camp, for incoming Kindergarten through 9th grade students, will be Monday through Wednesday, July 30 – August 1.

Camp registration will be on-site on first day of camp in the Texas High School Multi-Purpose Facility. The camp for incoming Kindergarten through 5th grade boys will be from 8:00 – 9:30 a.m. while the camp for incoming 6th – 9th grade boys will be from 10:00 a.m. – Noon.

Cost is FREE and participants will enjoy learning skills and drills and will receive a complimentary camp t-shirt. Participants are asked to wear t-shirt and shorts.

For more information, contact: Gerry Stanford at 903.793.7731 ext. 57001 or gerry.stanford@txkisd.net.

Summer Speed & Endurance Camp will be July 30 – August 2 from 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. for incoming student-athletes in grades 6-12.

The program is FREE to all student-athletes (boys and girls) and combines sound, proven speed, agility and overall endurance with the latest methodologies to give participants their best athletic performance. Camp will be held at the Texas High School Multi-Purpose Facility.

For more information, contact: Gerry Stanford at 903.793.7731 ext. 57001 or gerry.stanford@txkisd.net.

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