



## Performers

Outside Voices  
Dance By Carly  
DeJa Flute Ensemble  
First Baptist Church

Dance Unlimited Buda  
Take a Bow Productions  
Go2Danz  
Camp Cookie Productions



## History of Historic Stagecoach Park

An excerpt taken from an article written about Historic Buda reads, "Before there was Buda, there was mail."<sup>1</sup> Mail service was extremely slow and unsure during the mid-1800s.

The Tarbox and Brown Stage Line made regular trips between Austin and San Antonio in those days. This firm was probably the most prominent of the early staggers. From Austin, the stagecoach would cross the low water crossings. The stops that were established for this purpose also soon acted as post offices. In 1875, George Waters, the newly appointed Postmaster for the Onion Creek post office, moved the stop to the property on what is now North Loop 4/Main Street. A one-room building of native stone became the official stage stop when it was completed in 1876, and served as a post office until Buda, was founded in 1881.

Hidden behind a house that was recorded being built in 1885, the small post office building still stands on a 1.895-acre tract that adjoins the acreage known as Stagecoach Park. The stagecoach crossing can still be seen in the tributary that runs north into Onion Creek. All of this land was part of the Steven Eggleston grant that was issued by the state of Coahuila, Mexico in 1835.

Stagecoach Park has been built with the efforts of the City of Buda and in partnership with Hays County and Night Hawk Frozen Foods.

<sup>1</sup> Barbara Younts, The Onion Creek Post Office, (The Free Press, July 25, 1996)



## Special Thanks

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### SANTA'S VILLAGE

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**December 14 - 22, 2012**  
**6:00 - 10:00 PM**

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## **Participating Businesses/Organizations**

A&E Signs	EZ Money Loan Services
A.I.M. AC & Heating Services	Falcon Bank
A-Line	First Baptist Church
AMM Collision Center	Girl Scouts of Buda/Kyle
B&B Quilting	The Glickler Family
Boy Scouts Troop 128	Journey United Methodist Church
Broadway Bank	J.S. Electric
Buda Area Chamber of Commerce	Just Church Faith Center
Buda Drug Store & Soda Fountain	Lewis Concrete Restoration
Buda Gearheads	Little America Miniature Horses
Buda Grocery & Grill	Long Orthodontics
Buda Lions Club	Main Street Dental
Buda Lodge of Freemasons	Manchaca United Methodist Church
Buda United Methodist Church	Marks Overlook Lodge
Buda Vision Source	Moms Club of Buda/Mtn City
Cabela's	Murphy USA
Camper Clinic II	N&S Domestics
City of Buda Parks and Recreation	Onion Creek Kennels
Concentra Urgent Care	Randolph Brooks Federal Credit Union
Connection Church	Relay for Life-American Cancer Society
Cornerstone Animal Hospital	Seton Medical Center
Creekside Villa Seniors Village	Stansberry Engineering
Cub Scout Pack 812 - Kyle	Super Smiles
Dance Unlimited Buda	Texas Farm Bureau Insurance
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