



MAY 2009

KEDT Education Department South Texas Public Broadcasting Education Newsletter

TUNE TO 90.3 FM on MAY 21st @ 4 pm.

A team of medical and nutrition experts headed by Dr Stephen Ponder will participate in a live call in show to talk about how to prevent, control and manage diabetes. Visit the KEDT website

for more details.

WWW.KEDT.ORG

Funding for KEDT SUPERFIT KIDS is made possible by a grant from the Coastal Bend Diabetes Initiative.



WE HAVE A WINNER!

The **KING MUSTANGS** beat the Rockport Fulton Pirates to take home the Challenge Champion Cup!

Visit: WWW.CALLER.COM/CHALLENGE to watch

streaming video of the entire 2009 season! Thanks for a great season.



Keep in touch over the summer by signing up for our E-Newsletter!

Visit
www.kedtkids.org

Congratulations to all of our contestants in the 15th annual Young Writers and Illustrators contest! Winners from the 370 entries came from 6 CCISD schools (**Wilson, Moore, Barnes, Mireles, Windsor Park and Chula Vista**) two from **Seashore Learning Center** and one was **homeschooled**. At the Awards ceremony on April 6th, Max Pierce, Katelyn Griffiths, Colton Thrasher from **Ray HS** gave dramatic readings of the winning stories.

KINDERGARTEN

3rd place-JJ Castillo

2nd place-Austin Abrego

1st place-Nikolai Ortiz

2ND GRADE

3rd place- Reagan Peterson

2nd place- Tatiana Ortiz

1st place- Elisa Ann Pena

1ST GRADE

3rd place-Isabella Gonzalez

2nd place-Avery Guess

1st place-Darien Villarreal

3RD GRADE

3rd place-Jessica Martinez

2nd place-Darrin Ruiz

1st place-Omar Mickelson

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Thank you to International Bank Commerce for sponsoring the 15th annual Reading Rainbow Awards Celebration!

MAY PROGRAMMING HIGHLIGHTS!

PROJECT SMART BROADCAST SCHEDULE

JUNE 9-JULY 16, 2009

Broadcast time	Grade Level	Instructional Focus
12:30 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Early Childhood K-1 T, W, Th	Integrating Math and Language
1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.	Lower Elementary Grades 2-3 T, W, Th	Integrating Math and Language
1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Upper Elementary Grades 4-5 T, W, Th	Integrating Math and Language
2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.	Middle School Grades 6, 7, 8 T, W, Th	Math

MASTERPIECE Mystery! 2009 Kicks-Off with "WALLANDER" (May 10, 17, 31st @ 8 pm)

Kenneth Branagh stars as "the Norse Morse," Inspector Kurt Wallander, the scruffy Swedish sleuth created by best-selling author Henning Mankell. In three whodunits, Mankell pits his hero against the creeping malaise affecting contemporary Sweden, where permissiveness and the collapse of the welfare state are slowly undermining the spirit of law and order. A maelstrom of bizarre crimes, involving axe murders, scalplings, random assassinations and cyber-terrorism, taxes Wallander's wits.

WWII BEHIND CLOSED DOORS: STALIN, THE NAZIS AND THE WEST (May 13 & 20 @ 8 pm)

In confidential meetings held throughout the duration of World War II, Joseph Stalin, Franklin Delano Roosevelt and Winston Churchill sparred and negotiated for the political and economic interests of their nations — making deals that sometimes had less to do with right or wrong than the expediency of their individual wartime goals. Rare wartime documents made briefly available only after the fall of the Soviet Union help reveal the real story. Historian and filmmaker Laurence Rees (AUSCHWITZ: INSIDE THE NAZI STATE) tells the unknown story of Stalin's backroom dealings — first with the Nazis and then with Roosevelt and Churchill. Juxtaposing conventional documentary elements with dramatic re-creations, the series breaks through the myths of the Allied powers, illuminating the hidden motivations of "The Big Three" and creating a dynamic reappraisal of one of the seminal events in world history.

NATIONAL MEMORIAL DAY CONCERT (May 24 @ 7pm)

During Memorial Day weekend, PBS will unite the nation with an evening that has become an American tradition. The multi-award winning concert honors the service and sacrifices of our men and women in uniform, their families at home, and all of those who have given their lives for our country. The concert features uplifting musical performances, documentary footage, and dramatic readings that honor all Americans who have served or made the ultimate sacrifice for our country.