

Class Project Summary

Class I (97/98) The Frisco Senior Center (original location)

• In collaboration with the City of Frisco's Parks and Recreation department, organized the efforts to develop the building for the Senior Center.

Class II (98/99) Friendship Park Play Structure

Designed the structure, marshaled volunteers & sponsors

Built the children's wooden play structure at Friendship Park

Rebuilt the structure following an arson attack

Became part of Frisco Commons Park

Class III (99/00) Clean It & Green It

Tree planting program, planting 2000 trees around Frisco

Nexus for the Chunk Your Junk events coordinated by the City

www.friscotexas.gov

Class IV (00/01) Special Olympics

Organized Frisco Chapter of the Special Olympics- The Frisco Flyers

Class V (01/02) Frisco Family Services Center

Organized community builder/contractors and monetary donations

Remodeled a "new" building for offices & food pantry

Class VI (02/03) WaterWise

Developed a Water education program for the 2nd graders in FISD

Created a robot mascot for teaching water conservation to kids

Developed sprinkler information tags sent to homeowners

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Class VII (03/04) Youth Leadership Frisco

• Established a Youth Leadership program in Frisco High Schools

• Semester-long program to learn about Frisco, 10th graders

Not currently operating

Class VIII (04/05) Frisco Cares Children's Clinic

• Mobile low-cost medical acute care clinic

Children & youth through age 18 in Frisco and FISD

 Originally open 1 evening per week, all volunteer; now a permanent clinic in downtown Frisco

Class IX (05/06) Teen Court

• Developed concept, procedures, volunteers for Teen Court

- Teen minor offenses are "tried" by a jury of their peers
- Prosecutors, public defenders & jury are teens
- Held mock trial to showcase its benefits

Class X (06/07) Boys and Girls Club

- Assisted with fundraising for new computers and equipment
- Assisted with building location & painting of computer lab
- Raised over \$50,000 for new mini-bus for Frisco Branch

Class XI (07/08) Mindbender Academy

- Worked with the FISD to create a camp for 7th-8th grade students to engage them in Science and Math
- Secured Raytheon, Cisco and Janimation to lead the course content
- Hands-on demonstration to see how cool Science and Math can be in hopes to encourage them in studies related to Science and Math
- Secured \$22,500 in monetary donations

Class XII (08/09) lamFrisco

- Demonstrating the multiplier effect of group volunteerism
- IamFrisco initiative will match Frisco volunteers with needs in the area
- Raised \$36,000 for Frisco Family Services and \$8,000 for other area non-profits

Class XIII (09/10) Watch D.O.G.S.

- Partnered with FISD and Council of PTAs to raise awareness about national father volunteer program
- Met with parents and administrators at 32 FISD campuses
- Presented and organized campus "Pizza Nights" to recruit dads

Class XIV (10/11) Leadership14 Disc Course

- Partnered with Frisco Parks and Recreation to develop Disc Course
- Collaborated with corporate sponsors & civic groups and organizations to generate sponsorships for all 18 holes
- Raised over \$6,800 and managed over 2,000 volunteer hours

Class XV (11/12) Think Global, Act Local

- Partnered with Frisco Chamber to energize growth for local and international business
- Transform the Frisco Chamber of Commerce by creating a new look, a new feel, and a modernized multifunctional facility where business owners continue to establish relationships via networking, exchange, game-changing ideas, and grow their businesses
- www.leadershipfriscoxv.com

Class XVI (12/13) Frisco Charities

- Established a 501(c) 3 Non-Profit Organization
- Establish Partnerships with Community Organizations to help generate funding to assist charitable organizations in Frisco

Class XVII (13/14) Boys & Girls Club in Frisco

 Partnered Boys & Girls Club of Collin County to repair and replace multiple equipment and furnishings in the Frisco Boys & Girls Club

- Partnered with multiple corporations and small business to raise funds for the Boys & Girls Club of Colin County
- Raised over \$60K.

Class XVIII (14/15)

Frisco 5 Star Challenge

- Partnered with the Frisco Chamber to create a competitive team building competition within the business community
- Raised money for local Charity- presented \$10,000 to Frisco FastPacs
- www.friscochamber.com/corporate-challenge

Class XIX (15/16)

Ready to Read Railroad

- Partnered with the Frisco Library to create the Ready to Read Railroad in the children's area at the Frisco Public Library.
- Designed to help children ages 5 and under develop early literacy skills and other early learning skills for success in kindergarten.
- Raised over \$180,000 through sponsorships with local businesses, foundations, individuals, and held a sports raffle to fund design, build, and installation.
- www.friscolibrary.com/librarytrain

Class XX (16/17)

Frisco Fastpacs' Truck

- Partnered with Frisco Fastpacs to answer their need for a box truck to pick up bulk food orders and donations in one run, creating efficiency and allowing them to provide more meals to more children in FISD who are at risk of going hungry over the weekend and school breaks.
- Raised over \$60,000 through sponsorships with local businesses, foundations, individuals, and held a Crawfish Boil to purchase the truck and one year of insurance.

Class XXI (17/18)

Frisco Family Services Community Garden

- Partnered with Frisco Family Services and the City of Frisco to raise money for the expanded and updated community garden
- Community Garden helps provide fresh produce for Frisco Family Services Food Pantry, which serves those suffering from hunger and homelessness in the community
- Raised over \$30,000 for the project through work with individuals, businesses, and local non-profits.

Class XXII (18/19)

Little Free Libraries

- Installed throughout Frisco to inspire the love of reading for the youngest members of our community. The libraries encourage human connection, inperson discussion, and lifelong friendships for all ages.
- Partnered with FISD high school agriculture students to build the little libraries that foster book exchanges and facilitate digital detoxing.
- www.littlefreelibrary.org/map

Class XXIII (19/20)

Benefitting Boys and Girls Clubs of Collin County

- Coordinated cash donations of \$1,550, two TVs for the Teen Game Room, and \$2,000 donation for membership scholarships
- Facilitated relationship with PGA to secure silent auction items

- Secured donations for post-pandemic "getting back open" supplies of sanitizers, cleaning supplies and masks during COVID19
- Collected 115 backpacks and school supplies for the kids through an annual Partnership Backpack Drive

Class XXIV (20/21) Frisc

Frisco Veterans Memorial Revitalization

- Raised over \$152,000 in cash donations, in-kind goods and services, and CDC Match Funds for new physical and digital elements at the Veterans Memorial and on-going maintenance costs
- Replaced the damaged roof of the pavilion at the entrance of the Memorial, added plaques throughout the Memorial's Inner Circle, a New Battlefield Cross Statue and New Welcome signs with QR codes to digital content
- Created new digital content including: a new website, videos from Frisco Veterans, and an Interactive map of the Memorial- http://friscoveterans.org/memorial.shtml

Class XXV (21/22)

1525 Leadership Lane at Frisco Fire Safety Town

- Created address 1525 Leadership Lane = 15th anniversary of Frisco Fire Safety Town and Class 25.
- Worked with City of Frisco, Frisco Fire, Core Construction, IKEA Frisco and individual donors to fund \$100,000 in renovations and improvements to the Safety House at Frisco Fire Safety Town
- The Safety House bedroom was made accessible for all students by removing a set of stairs to the bedroom and completely lowering the bedroom and all components
- The Safety House kitchen was modernized with new cabinetry, appliances, paint, and flooring

Class XXVI (22/23)

Fore Frisco – A Leadership Frisco Fundraising Event

- The class hosted a successful fundraiser at TopGolf, in The Colony.
- The well-attended fundraiser brought in over \$81,000 through a silent auction, cash donations, bay sponsorships and major corporate sponsorships.
- The two beneficiaries were Frisco Flyers (a Special Olympics program) and Lone Star Abilities Network (a Frisco-based special needs resource group).
- The project concept is sustainable and repeatable, as a potential annual event.

Class XXVII (23/24) Frisco Chamber Foundation

• The class hosted a successful fundraiser (Pickleball Palooza) at Lifetime Fitness Frisco raising over \$37,000 to seed the newly founded the Frisco Chamber Foundation.