



## "The Dinosaurs are coming" and We Need Your Help

The Woodall Foundation is seeking donations to help underwrite the cost of tickets for our medically challenged kids. This month an extraordinary, new show, Walking With Dinosaurs—The Live Experience, is coming to the American Airlines Center. Based on the award winning, BBC television series, this event features life-sized, robotic creatures measuring over 40 feet tall. Having sold out for ten straight weeks in Australia, this show comes to North America for a two year arena tour. **Please contact Adam Carriker at (214) 902-7888 for more information regarding child sponsorship of this event.**



Walking With Dinosaurs—The Live Experience coming in October to the American Airlines Center

## Woodall Foundation and Donors Provide Circus Tickets



This year's performance of The Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus

From August 1st-12th, the American Airlines Center in Dallas, Texas played host to The Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus. Each year the Woodall Foundation and its donors make it possible for several families to attend the "Greatest Show on Earth". Because of the high costs associated with some of these families' medical conditions, many of them would not otherwise be able to afford circus tickets. Thanks to Woodall Foundation donors, Steve Nabors of Nabors Roofing, Preston Clarke of the Factor Media Group, Randy Warren, and Jennifer Lites, over 200 tickets were distributed to some very deserving families.

## Super Sports Day at Gilda's Club

On Thursday, July 12th, the Woodall Foundation gladly participated in the July installment of "Camp Noogie" for the youth members at Gilda's Club. Volunteers were on hand to distribute Woodall Foundation basketballs to all the kids in attendance.

The afternoon was spent playing games, watching movies and working on arts and crafts. This event allowed many of the parents some much needed time to run errands or attend a doctor's appointment without worrying about their child's supervision.



One of the many games played during the Gilda's Club Super Sports Day

# Woodall Foundation and Dallas Mavericks Foundation Team Up



Dallas Mavericks' point guard, Devin Harris, and Adam Carriker of the Woodall Foundation at the basketball court dedication ceremony on June 7th

What was once just a concrete floor with a bent-rim setup is now a new gymnasium at the Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program in west Dallas County. Thanks to the Dallas Mavericks Foundation, the old recreation area is now a thing of the past. The facility services over 350 teens who have been expelled from other area schools. These students are being given a second chance at getting their education. The Woodall Foundation got on board with this project and contributed 25 basketballs to go along with the renovated court.

Devin Harris spent some time in a similar alternative learning program as a teen and was on hand to address the student body and school faculty. He also dedicated the new gymnasium by sinking the first ceremonial free throw. Devin's message to the troubled teens was simple. "It's not about making bad decisions. It's about learning from your mistakes and working to be a better person."

## Woodall Foundation Goes to Camp I-Thonka-Chi

On Wednesday, June 6th the Woodall Foundation accompanied members of the Dallas Mavericks Foundation and the Parkland Foundation on a visit to the Parkland Burn Camp. Every year, children and teens, who have been hospitalized with burn injuries, spend a week at the Meridian, TX site and enjoy such activities as: fishing, canoeing, hiking, swimming, games and much more. It also gives these kids an opportunity to share time with others who face similar challenges. The best part is that it's all free of charge. This year the Dallas Mavericks Foundation was a major contributor to this project. The Woodall Foundation was also happy to provide the camp with fifty basketballs for use at the camp's sports complex. During the visit, the campers presented the foundation members with a plaque and thanked them during a cookout in their honor. After a tour of the campgrounds, everyone participated in the "Water Olympics". For more information about Camp I-Thonka-Chi or to get involved, visit [www.parklandburncamp.org](http://www.parklandburncamp.org).

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