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What if...?
Chisholm Trail Communities Foundation e-Newsletter
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Q: What if...everyone knew how to make a difference? A: Know how! With your community foundation!

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Greetings...

In marking our tenth anniversary we will be spotlighting different aspects of our community. Through June, 2009, we'll have a monthly topical theme. This month: children and youth organizations. Next month: education. We hope it prompts your thoughts about how you can make a difference!

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1. New Grants and Scholarships Awarded by the Chisholm Trail Communities Foundation

We're proud to highlight recent grants and scholarships that we've just made. Your community foundation continues to support a range of worthy organization through discretionary as well as donor-advised grantmaking. By making these grants to organizations, we help our nonprofits do better for our community.

Discretionary grantmaking

*Capital Idea, to assist Williamson County women that are participating in their programs;

*Leander Educational Excellence Foundation (LEEF), for their early literacy programs;

*Ride On Center for Kids (R.O.C.K.), for their equine therapy programs with children.

Donor-advised grantmaking

The Boys and Girls Club of Georgetown, a challenge grant from the Sport Clips Philanthropic Fund;

The Boys and Girls Club of Georgetown, two grants from two family funds to help meet the challenge;

The Humane Society of Williamson County, from the Crouse-McCurdy Endowment Fund.
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