

List of Potential Club Meeting Speakers – Spring 2018

Speaker's Bureau

<https://www.aggienetwork.com/speakersbureau/>

This is a searchable site to find speakers. You must have or create an account to use the site.

Ron Schaefer

City of College Station Parks & Recreation Department

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<http://fieldofhonor.cstx.gov/>

The City of College Station municipal cemetery. A special section of this project has been designated as the "Aggie Field of Honor".

The AFOH, within view of Kyle Field, will have special gates, and monuments. It will be unique place for former students, friends of

Aggies and Aggie fans. It truly is location that embodies the sprits and traditions of Aggies. Spaces are available in the AFOH.

Student Body President

Student Body President, Texas A&M University

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Dr. Jennifer Bohac 87

Director of Travel Program, The Association of Former Students

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Hear about all the phenomenal trips available through The Association of Former Students Travel Program.

Mr. Harold Byler, Jr. '50

Author

(325) 597-8933

janbyler@hotmail.com

Author of book "Life at Aggieland in the 40's" and presentation on the same. He will travel up to 75 miles from Brady, TX.

Mr. Greg Winfree

Director, Texas Transportation Institute

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Transportation issues, transportation research

Dr. Douglas Palmer

Dean, College of Education and Human Development

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Over 7,000 Aggie educators working in Texas public schools! Please limit engagements to Houston area, Dallas/Ft. Worth area, Austin area, San Antonio area, and Brownsville area.

Dr. Jonathan Coopersmith

Professor - Department of History

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What do faculty/professors actually do?

What is tenure and why is it so important to the modern university?

Research in the history of technology

Big Event Committee

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Mrs. Linda Edwards

Director, International Programs

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Outreach programs of the International Center: World Room Fellows Program, visiting Classrooms for Signature Programs, and more!

Dr. Debra Fowler

Associate Director of the Center for Teaching Excellence

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The presentation will highlight the mission and goals of the Center for Teaching Excellence (CTE) on the Texas A&M Campus in College Station. The programs currently offered by the CTE such as faculty one-on-one consultations, best practice workshops, a college teaching conference, and a faculty and a graduate student teaching academy will also be described. A special program regarding department-level curriculum to meet the changing needs of our graduates and employers will also be highlighted.

12th Man Foundation

(979) 846-8892

Factual update on the Championship Vision Capital Campaign and how it has transformed athletic facilities at Texas A&M, as well as present campaign priorities and progress to date and future plans.

Ann Goodman

Director Student Activities

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Issues concerning risk management and hazing prevention on campus.

Joshua Abramson

Airport Manager, Easterwood Airport

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History of Easterwood Airport

Barry Hendler 71

Owner, American Lumber

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Focus comments on the Corps of Cadets (activities, update, recruiting, and general good bull stories) and / or the School of Agriculture in general and the Forestry Science Department in particular.

Mr. Scott Jarvis '00

Director of Major Gifts, Texas A&M Foundation

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13 years and 1/2 million miles visiting Aggies - my time as "the clubs guy" for the Association of Former Students First Time Aggie Mom Camp, Aggie Ring, Bonfire Tragedy and Memorial-My Story, Giving to Texas A&M University

Dr. Karen Kubena

Professor - Human Nutrition, Dean of Agriculture- College of Agriculture and Life Sciences
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Nutrition in all parts of life, Nutritional treatment of disease, higher education, opportunities for study in other countries through Texas A&M programs

Mr. Darrell Kuhn '77

Texas A&M Transportation Institute/Roadside safety and Physical Security
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Col. Michael E. Fossum '80 USAFR (Ret.)

Chief Operating Officer, Texas A&M University at Galveston
Vice President, Texas A&M University
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Kathey Walker Executive Assistant

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Hear all about the exciting things going on at A&M's branch campus in Galveston. Col. Fossum will also share experiences as an Astronaut on the International Space Station.

Mr. Travis Dabney

President

CEO, 12th Man Foundation

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Athletics Master Plan, 12th Man Foundation goals to help build top programs in athletics, building champions in the classroom and on the playing fields, and new facilities

Dr. Joel McGee

Director of Academic Success Center

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Programs and goals of the Academic Success Center (including academic assistance programs such as tutoring, Supplemental Instruction, and courses; and general information about helping students succeed in college

The Association of Former Students

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Mr. James Olson

Professor, Bush School

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CIA, Terrorism, Bush School programs, Leadership, Patriotism, Ethics

Andy Duffie '78

Aggie Century Tree Project

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Mr. Paul Pausky '78

Associate Director-Career Center
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Job Searching and career assistance using the Aggie Network in a changing economy

Dr. Henry "Sonny" Presnal

Director

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College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences
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College of Veterinary Medicine

Texas A&M University

About the Center, which takes in animals and cares for them permanently after their owner passes away.

Tammie Preston-Cunningham

Assistant Lecturer

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Any topic concerning student leadership opportunities with minorities on campus. She served as the primary advisor for the Inter-fraternity Council and National Pan-Hellenic Council and has worked extensively with Hispanic, Asian, and Southeast Asian students.

Dr. Carol Fierke

Provost & Executive VP for Academics Affairs

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Current news from campus - new developments, directions, and challenges

Ms. Linda Ravey

Program Manager

Office of Technology Commercialization

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New efforts, research and commercialization opportunities at Texas A&M

Cindy Munson

Senior Director Major Gifts-Texas A&M Foundation

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Amy Hale '10

Coordinator of Former Students Programs

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Brian Bishop

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Simon Sheather

Professor,, Department of Statistics
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Creating the Statistical Services Consulting Center at Texas A&M, Avid wine collector who is also starting a vineyard

Dr. Kathleen Speed, PHD

Assistant Director-Academic Success Center
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Center for Academic Success Center enhancement services - transition from high school to college, motivation, learning theories.

Dr. Ben Welch '90

Director, Center for Executive Development in the Halliburton Programs
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Motivational speech entitled "The Spirit of Aggieland"
Clinical Professor, Department of Management

Mr. David Wilkinson '87

Assistant Vice President for Major Gifts: Texas A&M Foundation
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Texas A&M Foundation

Mr. Wilkinson is responsible for the development, implementation, leadership, and support of a strategic major-gifts plan for the

Texas A&M Foundation. He is responsible for the development operations in the Eastern States region and has been with the Foundation since April 1, 1999.

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Martha Dannenbaum

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Dennis Corrington

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Chareny Rydl

Residence Life-Director

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Anne Reber

Dean Student Life

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Greg Bailey

University Archivist & Clements Curator

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Directs activities related to the storage of Aggie Mom Federation and local club archives. Can also speak about the Cushing Library in general and Texas A&M's History.

Adelle Hedleston

Manager of Development

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Can update clubs on Library and Mother's Club Endowments and give University Libraries update (Hedleston & Bailey can come as a team to speak.)

Texas A&M University Police Department

Learn about the Texas A&M University Police Department, Campus Safety and what Texas A&M University is doing to enhance the safety and security of the campus community. The presentation is presented by a police officer from the TAMU Police Department.

Master Officer Kristi Hosea '87

Crime Prevention Unit

Texas A&M University Police

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Texas Aggie Yell Leaders

<http://yell.tamu.edu>

To promote and to perpetuate all Aggie traditions and Aggie athletics and to serve as an ambassador for Texas A&M University in everything they do.

TAMUG Aggie Yell Leaders

Galveston Yell Leaders are loud and proud and are available for Aggie Mom functions.

www.tamug.edu/yell