

CASTLEWOOD Connection



March

Introducing Melissa Box Castlewood Dragons Head Coach



Howdy!

My name is Melissa Box and I am the head coach for the Castlewood Dragons. I grew up in Flower Mound and started swimming on the Wellington Sharks Swim Team at a young age. In high school I swam for FMHS and also played water polo.

I began my coaching career as a junior coach at age 11 and worked my way up, coaching many age groups and taking over as Assistant Head Coach while with the Wellington Sharks. In 2014 I made the switch to Castlewood to help establish the team & was so happy that I did! Some of you already know me from the first 3 summers, and for those of you who I don't know, I can't wait to meet you!!

My husband and I have spent the last 3 years out of state and are so happy to finally be back home in Texas! I currently teach Kindergarten here in LISD. It's a blast getting to work in the same district where I grew up!

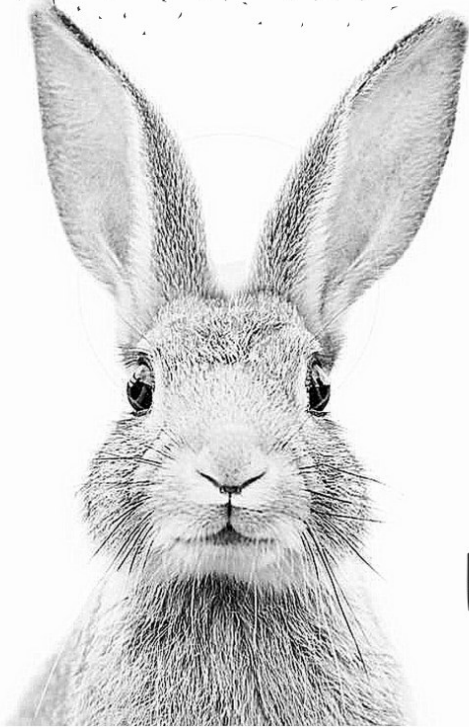
While I am not working, I love to spend time with my family, new puppy and friends. I also enjoy exercising, coffee, spending time on my family's property, cooking, reading & Texas A&M football!

I am thrilled to be back at Castlewood for another fun summer.

The swim community, friendships and values that the sport instills in it's swimmers are life-long and I hope each child feels a part of that! I can't wait to get to know your children and help them become better swimmers!

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Castlewood Easter Eggstravaganza



Join us for our
annual neighborhood
EASTER EGG HUNT!

DATE: Friday, April 2nd
TIME: 2:00pm
PLACE: Outside the Clubhouse

See website for more details: CASTLEWOODHOO.com



learn more about the

CASTLEWOOD DRAGONS SWIM TEAM

Informational Zoom Meeting
March 9, 2021 at 7:00pm

check castlewoodswim.com for more info & a link!

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January BOD Meeting
March 17, 2021

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Check Out the New and Improved Community Website!

www.castlewoodhoa.com has been updated with a fresh new look and several new features! Take a moment to check out some of the new ways the website will make accessing the many things Castlewood HOA has to offer a whole lot easier!

Reservations- Need to make a reservation at the clubhouse, reserve the soccer field, or host a gathering at the pavilion? Visit the "Amenity Reservations" tab and you can complete a quick and easy form to do just that. Rental agreements are available to be filled out and submitted to confirm your reservation. You can also check the calendar for availability through January 1, 2022!

Pool Cards- New to Castlewood or cannot find your pool card? Complete the pool card request form and the community manager will follow up with you ASAP.

Events- For all the latest community news, you can view the latest edition of *The Castlewood Connection*, click on the calendar for details on upcoming events, or check out the newest post to see what is happening in the neighborhood.

Helpful Information- Trash was not picked up, your furry friend got out of the back gate, or you just hit a new pothole? Check out the "Important Numbers" section for all the contact information you need for Castlewood and Highland Village.

From violations to modification requests we have you covered. All the information you need is just a click away.

Try it out on your desktop, tablet, or phone!

March Community Inspections

In this months community inspections violations will be issued for:

- **Visible Trash and Recycle Bins**
- **General Lawn Maintenance**
- **General Maintenance Issues**

Fun Outdoor Activities for Spring

Heard Natural Science Museum and Wildlife Sanctuary

For those looking for the ultimate urban escape, this scenic wildlife sanctuary and natural science museum will definitely hit the mark. Set on 289-acres in McKinney Texas (around 30 miles north of downtown Dallas), the Heard boasts 6.5 miles of nature trails, a two-acre native plant garden and live animal exhibits as well as a replica 1800s prairie settlement, complete with eight playhouse scale buildings. There's also an indoor education center filled with interactive exhibits featuring everything from venomous snakes to a children's fossil dig. Oh, and keep an eye pointed toward the sky too, this place is an Audubon Society designated birding area.

Klyde Warren Park

Perched atop a sunken freeway in the Dallas Arts District, this 5.2-acre linear park is considered one of Dallas' premier community gathering spots, boasting everything from a butterfly garden to special areas allocated for kids, for dogs and for playing games. It is also flush with year-round programs, including fitness sessions, dance lessons, yoga, children's entertainment, musical performances and even film screenings. In case you work up an appetite while you're there, you can tempt your taste buds from an array of food trucks.

Fossil Rim Wildlife Center

Fossil Rim Wildlife Center is an endangered species research and conservation center near Glen Rose, Texas. The facility has over 1,000 animals from 50 species. Guided and self-guided tours of the center are the main attractions. Be sure to visit the website before you go, tickets must be purchased in advance.

Fort Worth Botanic Gardens

The Fort Worth Botanic Garden is a botanical garden located at 3220 Botanic Garden Boulevard, Fort Worth, Texas. The garden was established in 1934 and is the oldest major botanic garden in Texas, it is located in the heart of the cultural district.

Mineral Wells Fossil Park

Mineral Wells Fossil Park provides the fossil enthusiast, paleontologist, and student an excellent opportunity to see and collect well preserved "Pennsylvanian Period" fossils with ease and abundance. These fossils have been dated to be just over 300 million years old. Yes, you read correctly, you may collect and take fossils out of the park - for personal use only. The park as it exists today is a result of 20 years of erosion of the old City of Mineral Wells landfill's borrow pit, which was closed in the early 1990s. The erosion of the borrow pit has revealed fossils documenting ancient sea species of crinoids (sea lilies), echinoids (urchins), brachiopods, pelecypods (clams and oysters), bryozoans, corals, trilobites (arthropods), plants and even primitive sharks.

Annual Meeting of the Membership:

Friday, December 10, 2021

Board Information

Tony Leone, President

Mike Murphy, Vice President

Jeff Bailey, Secretary

Amber Coddington, Treasurer

James Richter, Director

Modifications Committee

Bert Williams, Kathy Parker,

Heyder Alsaffar, Steve Dodson , and

Peggy Williams

Application for Home Improvement

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“Community Forms.”

Annual Assessments of \$650 are due

January 1, 2022



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