Special Thanks to Our Sponsors…

~Transair Inc.~
~United Central Bank~
~Chinese Institute of Engineers USA/DFW~
~Golden Information System Inc.~
~Taiwanese Chamber of Commerce of DFW~
~Metro Bank, N.A.~
~Crafton Company~

Youth Organization Officers…

President..................................................Steven Tsai
Vice President............................................Jennifer Chen
Secretary..................................................Erica Wu
Co-Secretary.............................................Ken Pan
Treasurer..................................................Susan Trieu
Public Relations........................................Dallas Tsou
Student Advisors........................................Alice Tsai
                                      William Chi
Banquet Committee............................Jennifer Chen
                                      Susan Trieu
                                      Erica Wu
Speech Tournament coordinators...............Daniel Liu
                                      Jeffrey Rohde
                                      Cynthia Liu
                                      Grace Liu
                                      Jesse Kao
                                      Winfred Ko
                                      Anthony Chung
                                      Alvin Chung
                                      Shinetin Tzeng
                                      Mike Chi

2003 6th Annual Sun Ray Youth Organization Banquet

April 19, 2003

Renaissance Hotel
4099 Valley View Lane
Dallas, TX 75244
~Welcome~

About Us...

Sun Ray Youth Organization began in 1995 to act as a Student Council for the Carrollton Sun Ray Chinese School, creating unity for the students at the school. Since then, Sun Ray Youth Organization has provided community services for activities such as the North Texas English Speech Tournament and the Chinese Youth Retreat Camp for Leadership Excellence (CYRCLE). Additionally, Sun Ray Youth Organization gives insight to the Chinese culture through culture art presentations. By focusing on leadership excellence and community building, members are able to learn responsibility and develop leadership skills.

A Word from the chairman…

After being away from Chinese School for about four years, I decided to join again this semester because of my interest in improving my Chinese. When younger, I did not realize how important being Chinese and knowing how to speak Chinese would be in my future. I now have come to the understanding that speaking Chinese is an important part of being American-born Chinese living here in the United States. Being bilingual gives one a higher opportunity in the work force. Knowing Chinese can even help in gaining extra college credits and obtaining scholarships, which is like free money. With all this in mind, I decided to join Sun Ray Youth Organization in order to promote awareness of the Chinese Culture to others through community service. As I come here tonight being the Head Chairman, I have learned what it means to be a leader and take on responsibility. In closing, I would like to thank Mrs. Fan for giving me this opportunity and all members in Sun Ray Youth Organization for assisting and supporting me.

~Erica Wu

~Schedule~

6:30 P.M.  Reception
7:00 P.M.  Dinner begins
8:00 P.M.  President welcome
           Keynote Speech -- Judge Fox
           Speech Contest awards
           Senior Graduate Award -- Principal Lee
8:45 P.M.  Talent Show
           Dance -- I-YAH <HOT>
           ~Steven Tsai, Thomas Kwon, Sam Lee, Billy Cho
           Guitar and solo
           ~Li-Jung Ko
           Song
           ~Mike Hong, Steven Tsai
           Kung Fu fight scene
           ~Rachel Huang, Dylan Brown
           Tai Chi Comedy Scene
           ~Billy Cho, Steven Tsai
           Dance -- Wedding <Shinhwa>
           ~Steven Tsai, Thomas Kwon, Billy Cho
9:15 P.M.  Raffle
            Dance Auction
9:45 P.M.  Dance

Tonight's dinner features a buffet including Texas mixed field greens with balsamic vinaigrette, Rotelle Pasta Salad with roasted peppers and spinach, tossed with carving station, Herb crusted roast baron of beef, Au Jus, Pan Seared Chicken Breast with Wild Mushroom Cognac Sauce, Wild Rice, Vegetable Sauté, warm rolls with butter, assorted dessert, coffee, decaffeinated coffee and iced tea.