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TASC TOP PROJECTS COMPETITION

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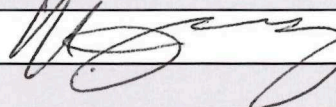
PLEASE INDICATE:

THIS IS AN INDIVIDUAL COUNCIL PROJECT.

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THIS IS A COLLABORATIVE COUNCIL PROJECT.

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School Name submitting the application	School Address:
North Forney High School	6170 Falcon Way, Forney, TX, 75126
School City/State/Zip:	Size of Community(ies):
Forney, Texas, 75126	26000
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School UIL Classification:	
6A	
Project Name:	Project Dates:
Senior Citizen Prom	April 30, 2022
Total Number of Students in Council(s):	Number of Members Involved in Project:
120	30
Total Number of Students Enrolled in School(s):	Number of Other Students Involved in Project:
2500	25
Total Number of Faculty employed in School(s):	Number of Faculty Involved in Project:
200	3
Number of Community Groups Involved in Project	Number of Community Members Involved in Project
1	100

THIS INFORMATION MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE. THE TASC WEBSITE DOES NOT ACCEPT GOOGLE DOCS.

This application must be submitted online via the TASC website.

Upload photos, newspaper articles, etc. **Scan all pages into one document and upload for judging.**

Please upload one good jpeg of the project separately.

Please consider submitting a proposal for a table talk (HS) on your project at the high school conference or for a breakout at the Middle Level Conference for extra points. You must apply to do that.

Senior Citizen Prom

Purpose/Objective: The purpose of the Senior Citizen Prom was to provide residents at the Ridgecrest Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center a fun and memorable event while strengthening relationships in our community. Establishing unity between our Student Council and the Forney community helps our program grow while allowing our Student Council members to gain experience in public relations and communications.

Brief Description: One of our student ambassadors reached out to Ridgecrest to express interest in hosting a Senior Citizen Prom. This would be formatted similarly to a high school prom, with a theme, decor, food, and dancing! With approval from their staff, the Senior Citizen Prom featured the theme of “Disco Decades.” We ordered supplies and decorations early to make sure everything arrived in time. Decorations and props included balloons, streamers, a photo backdrop, photograph frame, and tabletoppers. We partnered with the National Honor Society to help decorate, set up, and recruit volunteers. A SignUpGenius was made for student participants to sign up to bring food, drinks, or utensils along with volunteering hours to work the event. Decorations were put up 2 hours prior to the dance. The dance was from 3:00pm to 5:00pm on April 30th, 2022. Food and drinks were served for those at Ridgecrest while we played music and facilitated a fun environment. We danced, took pictures, played games, served food, and built connections with the residents.. Once the dance concluded, we cleaned up our designated area and made sure it was cleaner than when we initially arrived. The event was shared on our Instagram, Twitter, and Facebook.

Description of Involvement: Senior Citizen Prom involved both North Forney High School Student Council, North Forney National Honor Society, and our community. Our Student Council was in charge of planning and executing the event. NHS assisted Student Council with setup and cleanup, and our community (the citizens at Ridgecrest and their family members) was provided with the event.

Student Council (Stuco) Members: Approximately 30 Stuco members were involved in the planning, setting up, executing, and evaluating the project. Stuco members contacted Ridgecrest, created decorations, delivered decorations to the event, set up decorations, served food and drinks, and cleaned up our area.

Students: Some decorations were handmade by students. In our General Council meetings, we created decorations and props such as a photo frame and picture backdrop.

Other School Organizations: We were assisted by North Forney's National Honors Society. Members from NHS signed up to assist Stuco in the event by bringing food, drinks, and utensils, helping set up, and helping clean up.

Faculty: Communication was initiated between advisors of Student Council and NHS, which are staff of North Forney High School, to ensure accountability. They empowered their student leaders to delegate tasks through the SignUpGenius to both bring items, like food, drinks, and utensils, and volunteer time to help set up, work, and clean up the Senior Citizen Prom.

Community: An ambassador from Student Council got in contact with the staff of the Ridgecrest Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center to ensure this event could happen. The staff we communicated with at Ridgecrest made sure we followed safety protocols and helped us facilitate the event. The residents at Ridgecrest were given a fun event accompanied with food, drinks, and music. We engaged the public outside of the walls of North Forney.

NORTH FORNEY HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear TASC State Representatives,

North Forney Student Council is committed to impacting our community through direct service and hospitality. The Senior Citizen Prom at the Ridgecrest Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center is an exemplar of this dedication to service. The Covid-19 Pandemic was a challenge to our campus and community, but our Student Council has been a steady calm throughout the storm. Student Council completed this event with outstanding execution, making sure to follow all of the safety procedures set by the faculty at Ridgecrest. They surpassed the expectations of the faculty at Ridgecrest with how they coordinated this student-led event. As a teacher and #ForneyFamily member myself, my heart was warmed after looking at photos and videos taken at the event knowing that community members at Ridgecrest felt appreciated and had a great time. NFHS Student Council was able to make a difference and build deeper connections with our community. North Forney Student Council is highly respected for being the heart of the school, and this project makes it apparent that North Forney Student Council exemplifies all aspects of an excelling, empowering, and educating organization.

I am very impressed with how our Student Council sets the bar higher and higher every day and becomes a stronger organization each year. I highly recommend the North Forney Student Council to receive a Top 10 Project recognition for their work on their Senior Citizen Prom as it highlights their commitment to community service, public relations, and our True North pillars of excellence, empower, and educate. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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