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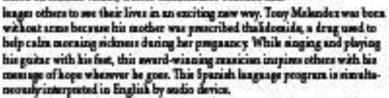
# EVENTS AND ORGANIZATIONS

## Youth in Crisis

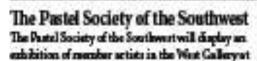
Providing guidance for youth and families in preventing family violence and erug and alcohol addiction.

Sy arish vethor and speaker, Carlos Cosultérnoc Sánchez, and bilangual munician, Tony Makender will be festured at the Youth in Crisis meeting on Saturday, February 36, at 9:00 a.m., at the loving hitle Church, 3435 Kinwert Packway, in Irving. These two world famous public figures are admired and followed by people in Letin Ameri-

can countries, and Hispanics in the United States. Through his dedication to helping others, and his special approach based on human values, Carlos Casabatimos: Stacker chal-



Tony Melender Advance tickets are \$25 (adults and children ages 10 and up) and \$30 at the door. For more information call (972) 669-5031 (English), or (972) 669-5036 (Spanish). All process da benefit literacy programs presented by the organizer, DCET/Believe in Yourself, Inc.



the Jayour Center for the Actumer through Feb. 22.



In the East Gallery is a one-man show of the collective works of local artist Ros Stephens. After retiring from a 33 year career in advertising, Ross began peintragin water: olor in May of 2006 after reading many books and taking a weakly watercolor course from Tom Wellman at the Irving Seritage Center.

He has won Let place at the leving Act Association. Res Stephere (LAA) Wildlife Show 2007 and a let and a "Peoples Choice" assure at the Emerging Artist's Show 2007 at

the Trinky Arts Cold.

Ross is editor of the SWS SCENE newsletter and is Memberthip Show Publicity Chairman of IAA and Painting of the Month chairman for the ATA.

#### Upcoming Brents

- Feb. 6-4 Assoc. of Creative Artists: Contact Areta Johnson
- Feb. 7/15/28 Busic Calligraphy 7 p.m. Contact: Angia Wangs-
- . Feb. 9 TAO Contact Patricia Southard\*
- , Feb. 16-17 Tazus Lettering Artic Contact Angie Vangalis \*

#### 2007 Southwestern Pastel Society Winners











### SCOUTING FOR FOOD

The Scorting for Food Drive begins on Saturday, February 9, when living Scort troops and packs will place empty grecery bags on remident's doors in Irving. Citisms are asked to put

non-periabable food starts in the bags, and then set there out for pick up on the morning of Seturday, Feb. 14.

Scouring for Food supports various food pantries in living Food pantries selv heavily on this food drive to repplement the inventories in their pantries. Irving Cares currently server an average of 344 families per month. Since such food order usually provides feet days of food, this is an equipmlent of 1,720 days of food distributed each raceth (30 days) to climate by Irving Carea.

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peurat batter, jelly, mayonnaise or saled drawing and cooking oil (in plattic jury if yomble). Because these are seldons donated, many food gustries have to perchase these stems at retail cost. We also appreciate your donation of any other non-periabable food products. For more information about Irving Cares and a raggered "shopping list", please wisk our website at www.avengcares.org.

If your troop or pack plans to donate to Irving Cares on Seturday, Feb. 16, please call Leigh Eitson, Coordinator of Volunteors, at (972) 721-9381 X 309 or aread. hitson Sievingenser, org so the appropriate arrangements can be made. The Scouting for Food Drive is one of the larger food drives that food pantries benefit from, and the support of the leving Scouts and the Irving Community is greatly appreciated.

