

## CP GODDARD SCHOOL JOINS 'KEEN ON CLEAN'

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Wednesday, March 9, 2011

The Goddard School® located in Cedar Park is proud to announce it has joined World Wildlife Fund's 2011 Earth Hour for the third year in a row. To mark this global call to action on climate change, on Saturday, March 26, at 8:30 p.m. hundreds of millions of people around the world will turn off their lights for one hour. On the 26th from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Goddard School will host the Cedar Park "Keen on Clean" Program. This "Earth Hour" environmental festival will have hands-on eco-educational activities, a Pedernales Electric eco-friendly bucket truck and other eco-vehicles, along with pony rides and other fun activities to help families learn about the environment.

The Goddard School located in Cedar Park will join more than 370 Goddard Schools nationwide to help spread the message that by working together, each one of them can make a positive impact toward a sustainable future. The Goddard School of Cedar Park will launch an entire week of activities and lesson plans beginning March 21, leading up to a big celebration for the *Stepping Up for the Environment* event on March 25 at 10 a.m., a day before the global event.

"This is an exciting opportunity for our teachers and children to get creative in 'stepping up' awareness about saving energy and the environment," said Butch Aggen, owner of The Goddard School in Cedar Park. "Joining Earth Hour enables our students to learn an important lesson and get the message out to their families and in their communities."

Throughout the week, children and teachers will participate in a variety of fun activities, games and lessons designed to increase their awareness of how energy use and daily activities can affect the future of the planet and how they can conserve energy in their daily lives.

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