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Paris ISD Employees Receive GROWL Award

Paris ISD principals named employees for the September GROWL Award "Getting Results from Outstanding Wildcat Leaders" Customer Service Award - "C - Courteous." Winners are Brenda Hardy at Head Start, Anthony Lopez at Givens, Michelle Gaither at Justiss, Karen Raney at Aikin, Aria Petty at Crockett, Linda Hill at Paris Junior High, Demetric Glover at Paris High School, and Amy Strickland at Travis High School of Choice.

A drawing for grand prizes sponsored by AHI Facility Services was conducted by Executive Director of Curriculum, Instruction & Accountability Althea Dixon and Superintendent Paul Jones. Gift certificates were presented to Brenda Hardy and Linda Hill. Remaining winners received \$15 gift certificates from Applebee's.



<u>Lamar County Head Start</u>
Paul Jones, Director Eva Williams, Brenda Hardy, and Althea Dixon



<u>Paris Junior High School</u> Althea Dixon, Linda Hill, Principal Stephen Long, and Paul Jones



Paris High School
Demetric Glover and
Principal Chris Vaughn



<u>Crockett Intermediate School</u> Principal Brock Blassingame and Aria Petty



Aikin Elementary
Assistant Principal Jennifer Ray
and Karen Raney



Justiss Elementary
Principal Renee Elmore and
Michelle Gaither



Givens Early Childhood Center Anthony Lopez and Principal Sheila Ensey



<u>Travis High School of Choice</u> Amy Strickland and Principal Joan Moore