

CASA BUZZ

JANUARY 2025

Tour de Abilene!

Tour de Abilene is off to a great start with 15 attendees at the tour of the Pregnancy Resource Center where we learned about the nonjudgemental support women receive when they have an unexpected pregnancy. They provide pregnancy testing, ultrasounds, professional counseling, education and other resources far beyond what one might expect. Tremendous services and an incredible CASA collaborator. If you have a youth or possibly a mother on a case, PRC of may be a resource.

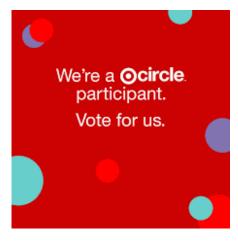
Next month we will meet at the Christian Service Center at 9:50am for a tour informing us of their programs.



Ready...Set...Superhero 5K Here We Come!

Check out our new CASA Superhero 5K logo. Our race is set for Saturday, May 3 at the ACU Campus. Last year we grossed just under \$45k and hope to do as well or better this year.

So, brush off your running shoes and Superhero capes. There are new sponsors, collaborators and activities planned for this year.



Head over to Target and support Big Country CASA!

BCC has been invited to participate in the Target Circle again this year!

This is a 90 day campaign from January 1 – March 31st. To participate you can sign up online at <u>target.com/circle</u> or in the app. You earn votes as you shop, then you can vote for CASA on the app or online at <u>www.target.com/circle</u>.

For those already shopping at Target, you may already have points. At the end of the 90 days, points are tallied based on % of votes and funds are distributed.





Info Meet Thursdays!

In Person:

January 23rd, 2-3pm @ Starbucks (BG) January 30th, 5:15-6:15pm @Mezamiz

Volunteers are Welcome to

Attend Info Meets and Bring a Friend!

Other Important Dates:

Winter New Volunteer Training

Begins January 23rd, 2025 and runs through February 13th, 2025!

Please feel free to attend any training sessions you choose to refresh. Let Jennifer know so she can have dinner for you.

Our next class will start in March!

<u>For a complete schedule, please visit our website:</u>

<u>www.bigcountrycasa.org</u>

<u>Refer a friend!</u>

Reminder:

You have 12 months to get your 12 hours of CEUs for the year! Please contact Jen at jenniferlemke@bigcountrycasa.org if you have any questions!

January CEU Opportunity:

Keep an eye out for opportunities sent through email from Jennifer Lemke!

Hope needs a helping hand



Please reach out to staff or supervisors if you are feeling overwhelmed or in need of assistance!

Quote of the month:

"Kindness is like snow. It beautifies everything it covers." - Kahlil Gibran





ACU HAS
GENEROUSLY
PROVIDED US WITH
LIMITED TICKETS
TO EACH MALE AND

FEMALE HOME GAME THIS YEAR!

PLEASE CONTACT DANA AT DANAWARD@BIGCOUNTRYCASA.ORG TO RESERVE!



Just a reminder!

The office
follows the bad
weather delays
and cancelations
of AISD!