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## **AroundTownKids Provides List of 35 Dallas Day Trips**

FRISCO, TX – June 2010 – DFW’s favorite “go-to” resource, AroundTownKids.com, posts an impressive list of 35 Dallas Day Trips. AroundTownKids.com, well known for its comprehensive event calendar, keeps the heat on this summer by providing area parents with a list of 35 day trip destinations.

The list is designed to give parents options for a quick trip during the summer break (or any time of year.) Stay-at-home moms can easily fire up their navigation system to lead the way to their next exciting adventure during the day. Or families can travel on week-ends when working parents are available to join in on the fun.

The list is easy to reference as it is organized by area – north, south, east and west of Dallas/Fort Worth. Hungry day-trippers will be pleased that the list begins with local factory tours – everything from the Dr. Pepper Museum in Waco to the Blue Bell ice creamery in Brenham.

“Many of our readers have expressed an interest in activities beyond the metroplex, particularly day trips. With the increasing popularity in day-cations and stay-cations, we wanted to provide a handy reference list that parents could use any time of year,” explains Ms. Cates, owner of AroundTownKids.com.

“My family was big on travelling,” says Ms. Cates. “When I moved to Texas many years ago, before the internet was born, I had to be resourceful to find out what was around to explore. My love of travel combined with an innate resourcefulness was a skill I would put to use many years later in my own business.”

“Parents will probably be surprised when they find out what is available in our backyard. Growing up, my family took every opportunity to educate us even when we were having fun. My parents instilled a love of history in us all,” adds Ms. Cates. For those parents who are giving the same gift to their children this summer, AroundTownKids.com is pleased to be a resource for them.

While planning a summer day-cation trip, there is something for everyone on the list. Ideas range from resort communities such as Lake Texoma to historical areas like Eisenhower’s birthplace, The Sweet Shop tours for chocolate lovers, train rides for locomotive enthusiasts, The Salt Palace for trivial pursuers, Dinosaur Valley for dinosaur fans and much more.

Conceived six years ago in Frisco TX, AroundTownKids.com was the brainchild of owner and editor, Catherine Cates. Born out of necessity from her own experience, Ms. Cates saw the need to give local parents timely information in one centralized location – a website. “There was nothing like this on the internet at the time so I turned my idea into a business,” says Ms. Cates.

“My goal was and is to help other parents quickly find the information they need without having to search the entire internet. It makes me feel good to know that six years later AroundTownKids.com continues to serve that purpose for our community.”

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