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## **Wise Notes for Consumers**

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### **Extension Education Clubs and Greenwood Fall Festival**

Wise County Extension Education Clubs were represented at the annual (Texas Extension Education Association) State Convention in San Marcos, September 10-11 by Marilyn Collins, Gerry Galloway and Janice Millican of the Greenwood Extension Education Club. ‘Honoring the Past, Treasuring the Present, and Shaping the Future’ was the theme of the two day conference.

The cultural arts contest saw a winner from Wise County. Marilyn Collins placed in three categories: 2<sup>nd</sup> place- Machine Quilted quilted smaller than 50X70 with “Children at Play”; 2<sup>nd</sup> place- Fabric Creations with a “Morning Glory” table runner; and 3<sup>rd</sup> place -Machine Quilted quilted larger than 50X70 with this year’s Fall Festival raffle quilt “Dawn”. Congratulations!

TEEA members also attended workshops, education programs, and AgriLife programs that will be shared with TEEA Clubs and counties. The group's mission is to work with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service to strengthen and enrich families through educational programs, leadership development and community service.

The new year for Extension Education clubs begins soon and new members are welcome. Clubs currently formed are in the community of Greenwood. As an EE member you make new

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friends, participate in fun, fellowship and educational programs.

The first activity for the new TEEA year is the Greenwood Fall Festival which is scheduled for Saturday, October 12 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Everyone is invited to enjoy a parade beginning at 10:00 am and immediately following the parade, handcrafted arts and craft booths will be open. Featured activities will be children's train rides, food and game booths and door prizes. Booth space is available for \$10 by contacting Gerry Galloway at 940/466-7997 or Linda Hood at 940/627-7597.

For those unsure of finding Greenwood, it is a short, scenic drive out of Decatur on Highway 51 North for 10 miles to FM 1204, turn left and travel approximately five miles into the community of Greenwood.

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