

# CASA Volunteers are the Difference!

- Are assigned one case only
- Conduct a thorough investigation of the child's needs.
- Identify possible relative placements; child belongs with family and not in foster care
- Collaborate with CPS workers, attorneys, and mental health providers
- Identify services and resources for the child
- Present fact-based court reports to the presiding judge
- Notify all parties of child's wishes
- Appear at all court hearings and testify on child's behalf
- Monitor parent's compliance with court ordered services
- Monitor compliance related to court ordered services and recommendations



## Can I help? YES!

- In 2008, there were 675 children living in foster care in Webb County.
- On average, CPS workers manage 35-40 cases each day.
- CASA empowers everyday people to serve as officers of the court and work on behalf of a foster child.

### How do I get Started?

You can help, if you are:

- Willing to commit at least one year of your time
- Able to effectively communicate orally and in writing
- Willing to go through an in-depth training program
- Able to pass an extensive criminal and CPS history background check
- Over the age of 21

## **Voz de Niños**

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## **3rd Annual Pulling For Kids**

**Sporting Clay Shooting Tournament**  
National Sporting Clays Association Registered Shoot

**Saturday, August 29, 2009**  
**South Texas Shooting Complex**



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Join us Saturday, August 29, 2009 at the South Texas Shooting Complex for our 3rd Annual Pulling for Kids Sporting Clay Shooting Tournament. "Pulling for Kids 2009" is a National Sporting Clays Association Registered Shoot.

Event proceeds will allow Voz de Niños to continue its mission and recruit community volunteers to serve as Court Appointed Special Advocates for the abused and neglected children of Webb County. Volunteer Advocates represent the child's best interest. They serve one case at a time. As such, Volunteer Advocates have the time and commitment to make a difference in the life of a young child.

The tournament will kick off with a breakfast and registration at 7:00 AM. A barbecue lunch and awards ceremony will close the event. Breakfast, lunch, beverages are included in your registration fee.

We look forward to seeing you at the South Texas Shooting Complex where together we will 'pull for the kids' of Webb County.

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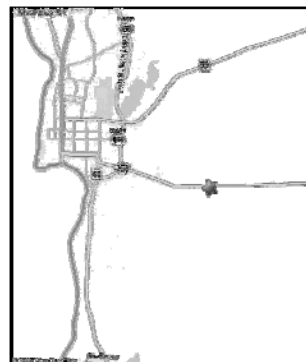
President of Texas Sporting Clays Association, will be the

**TARGET SETTER.**

**Schedule of Events**

- 7:00 AM Registration
- 7:30 AM Breakfast
- 8:30 AM First Flight
- 11:00 AM Second Flight
- 1130 AM Barbecue Lunch
- 3:30 PM Awards

**South Texas Shooting Complex**



THE COMPLEX IS LOCATED ON HWY 359, 9 MILES EAST FROM INTERSECTION OF LOOP 20 & HWY 359 (LAREDO) TOWARDS HEBBRONVILLE. THE COMPLEX IS JUST OFF HIGHWAY ON THE SOUTH SIDE (6 Palm Trees at Entrance).

**Sponsorship Opportunities**  
**Top Shooter \$5,000**

- 4'x4' Banner at Pavilion Courtyard
- Inclusion in event newspaper, advertisements, and press releases
- 5 Shooters for Tournament

**High Flyer \$2,500**

- 2'X4' Banner at Pavilion Courtyard
- Inclusion in event newspaper, advertisements, and press releases
- 4 Shooters for Tournament

**Clay Master \$1,000**

- Banner at Sporting Clay Station (1 of 10)
- Inclusion in event newspaper, advertisements, and press releases
- 2 Shooters for Tournament

**The Incomer \$500**

- Listing on sponsorship banner at event
- 1 Shooter for Tournament

Thank you for your supporting the abused and neglected children of Webb County. Because of you, more children will have a CASA Volunteer and have a voice in court.

**Registration Form**

Payment Information

- \$150 Individual Shooter
- I can't participate, but here is my donation for \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Check Enclosed
- Credit Card

Credit Card Information (If Applicable)

Visa     MasterCard     AmEx  
 Cardholder: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
 Exp Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Individual Shooter

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fax: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

For more information, contact Edgar Ricalde at 956-727-8691. Checks should be made payable to Voz de Niños and sent to 902 East Calton Road Laredo, Texas 78041.