



# Texas History Alive! Playing The Past

**Saturday, April 18, 2015**  
**Noon – 5:00 pm (Rain or Shine)**

**DESCRIPTION:** The 2015 Texas History Alive! is presented by Texana Living History Association and the A.W. Perry Homestead Museum. This is a great opportunity for learning about Texas history in a fun environment with lots of hands-on experiences. Texas history will truly come alive right before your eyes. You will see an 1870's chuckwagon and visit with Smokey (the cook) or the fur-trapper with his pelts. See costumed volunteers demonstrating life skills such as lace making, spinning and weaving. You may help with chores such as the laundry (wash board and lye soap), butter churning and corn grinding or play with the pioneer toys. There will be presentations by historical figures like Sam Houston, Molly Goodnight, DeLiens Rose or Susanna Dickenson. Docents will be available for tours of A. W. Perry Homestead, a beautifully restored turn of the 20<sup>th</sup> century farmhouse. Make-and-take crafts will be available. This is a family event. All levels of Girl Scouts are invited to complete activities toward badges and Journeys and more than enough points to earn STEM patch. A badge-link sheet will be provided at the event. All girls registered by March 18th will receive an event patch. Volunteer opportunities are available.

**WHO:** Everyone. Lots of hands-on and make-and-take for children of all ages. This is a great family event. (Special opportunities for Girl Scouts to complete badge work.)

**TIME:** noon – 5:00 pm. This is a come-and-go event however, not all activities will be available all day. You will need the full time to participate in all of the activities.

**WHERE:** A W Perry Homestead Museum  
1509 N. Perry Rd.  
Carrollton TX 75006  
972-466-6380

**COST:** \$10 per child (Adults free)

**CAPACITY:** Min.: 100            Max: 300

**REGISTRATION:** Begins Jan 1, 2015

*Payment & form must be postmarked no later than March 18th to receive a free event patch. You will receive email confirmation upon receipt. Girl Scouts may register as an individual (with your family) or as a Troop.*

For a Registration Form and a few pointers to make your day more enjoyable email Kathy Ogle.



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Volunteers who work a 3-hour shift (may include set up and clean up) attend the Texas History Alive! and receive patch for free. Contact Kathy for more info prior to Feb. 18, 2015.



*"Raising the Curtain  
On Texas History"*

## **Texana Living History Association**

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