

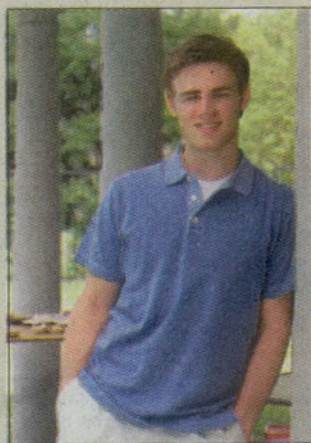
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TALK OF THE TOWNS

SNAPSHOT



Daniel Hugh Branch Jr.

School and grade: St. Mark's School of Texas, 12th grade

School/community activities: student council president, student life yearbook editor, Teenage Republicans Club, president for St. Mark's chapter, Boy Scouts and member of Preston Road Church of Christ

Birth date and place: Feb. 18, 1987, in Dallas

Family: father, Dan; mother, Stacey; brothers, Spencer, 15, and Charles, 12; and sisters, Catherine, 14, and Sarah, 10

My hobbies are: playing baseball, watching sports, politics and photography

My favorite school subject is: AP European history

The best book I ever read was: *The Lords of Discipline*

by Pat Conroy

When I finish school, I plan to: get into politics

If I could change one thing about school, I would: add a nap period

I'm most proud of: my Eagle Scout award

EDUCATIO

Mad for Plaid asks p

Participation rate equals last year's, but target is \$500 a student

By **KRISTEN HOLLAND**
Staff Writer

The dough's rolling in, just not as quickly as Mad for Plaid organizers had hoped.

As of Friday, 793 of 3,515 families with children in Highland Park schools had donated money to the annual fund-raising campaign sponsored by the PTAs and the Highland Park ISD Education Foundation. That 22.6 percent

DETAILS

Call the Highland Park ISD Education Foundation office at 214-780-3063 for information about Mad for Plaid. The foundation is at 4201 Grassmere Lane in University Park, one block south of the district administration building.

participation mark is about where the drive has been six weeks into the drive in previous years.

Organizers didn't disclose how much they've collected, but they

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Marking her 90th birthday, woman on her life but isn't ready to sl

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Strengthened by her family and religious faith, Dorothy Huffhines said that she's lived a good life and is ready for more.

