



Texas Czech Heritage & Cultural Center

2014 SLAVNOST

PRESS RELEASE

The Texas Czech Heritage and Cultural Center (TCHCC) in La Grange will be having the annual 'Slavnost' May Fest and Tribute to the Immigrants to Texas. It will be held on Sunday May 18, 2014 at the TCHCC Museum Complex located adjacent to the Fayette County Fairgrounds on US Hwy 77 North of La Grange.

The day will begin with music in the Koliba Foyer at 9 am along with kolache, cookies, and coffee. The *Tribute to the Immigrants to Texas Ceremony* will begin at 10 am in the Museum Exhibit Hall. The unveiling of the newly restored Wallachian Bell and display cabinet will take place at the beginning of the ceremony followed by the recognition of the families whose ancestors immigrated to Texas from 1906-1910 or earlier.

A delicious chicken fried chicken breast dinner with all the trimmings will be served in the Hanslik Hall beginning at 11:30 am. Plenty of Czech style desserts will also be available along with refreshing beverages of all kinds. Music on the deck of the TCHCC from 12-4 pm will be by the Kovanda Czech Band. There will also be a Classic Car Show, the Czech Village and Museums will be open for touring, hay ride, silent auction, raffle, homemade ice cream, and much more. Help with genealogy research will be available in the Melnar Library and the TCHCC Kopecky Gift Shop has a new stock of items great for gifts for any occasion for everyone.

For more information, contact TCHCC at 1-888-785-4500, email info@czechtexas.org, or visit the website czechtexas.org. The TCHCC address is 250 W Fairgrounds Road, PO Box 6, La Grange, TX 78945. The TCHCC is a non-profit organization. All donations are welcomed and will be acknowledged.