

Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

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MEDIA ALERT

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*****PHOTO/MEDIA OPPORTUNITY*****

WHO: Students from Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi

WHAT: EDGE Leadership's "Big Event"

WHEN: Saturday, Feb. 28, from 10 a.m. to noon
(Best media opportunity is 11 a.m.)

WHERE: 3601 Victory Drive (near Old Robstown Road) – trees trimmed, house painted, yard cleaned and mowed
5925 Rio Vista Ave. (near S. Alameda) – yard work
1126 O'Connell (Flour Bluff area) – house painted

Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi Students Do Chores for Area Residents during EDGE Leadership's 'Big Event'

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas – Students from Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi will paint houses, trim trees and mow yards during EDGE Leadership's "Big Event" Saturday, Feb. 28, from 10 a.m. to noon in various locations throughout the city.

Earlier this month, Corpus Christi residents requested the free services of their homes and businesses. Project assistance was reserved for the elderly, those who are unable to do the work themselves and people in need of financial support.

Excellence through Development Growth and Experience (EDGE) Leadership's first "Big Event" is one way more than 20 campus organizations are giving back to the community.

EDGE Leadership, a student-run organization, develops students' leadership skills to help them become better leaders on campus, in the community and in the workforce.

