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## **Texas Brass Band to Perform In San Antonio**

**San Antonio, Texas (May 28, 2009)** – The sweet sounds of The Salvation Army's Texas Divisional Youth Band will be heard at different locations throughout San Antonio this weekend.

The brass band will play a variety of selections for seniors at The Salvation Army Citadel, during the grand opening of The Salvation Army's Boys & Girls Club Teen Center and at the Arneson Theatre.

In addition to showcasing their harmonious talents, the members of the band will also be performing community service by painting and cleaning up The Salvation Army's Boys & Girls Club on Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 am.

**WHO: Texas Brass Band**

**WHAT: Concerts Open to the Public**

### **WHEN & WHERE:**

#### **Friday, May 29**

**10:00 AM The Salvation Army Citadel  
2810 West Ashby**

**Concert for Seniors**

**7:00 PM The Salvation Army Boys & Girls Club  
615 Peacock**

**Grand Opening  
of Teen Center Block**

**Party**

#### **Saturday, May 30**

**3:00 PM Arneson Theatre  
@ La Villita**

**Concert Open to  
the Public**

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About The Salvation Army

The Salvation Army, an evangelical part of the universal Christian church, has been supporting those in need in His name without discrimination since 1865. Nearly 33 million Americans receive assistance from The Salvation Army each year through the broadest array of social services that range from providing food for the hungry, relief for disaster victims, assistance for the disabled, outreach to the elderly and ill, clothing and shelter to the homeless and opportunities for underprivileged children. About 83 cents of every dollar raised is used to support those services in nearly 9,000 communities nationwide. For more information, go to <http://www.salvationarmyusa.org>.

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The Texas Divisional Youth Band was founded in 1964 by Bandmaster Jack Morrison and was later named Texas Brass by Bandmaster James Anderson in 1992. The band consists of close to 40 musicians between the ages of 13-30. All are committed members of their local Salvation Army church. Texas Brass has been privileged to have the opportunity to minister to many places, sharing the Gospel Message through concerts, parades, and music camps both locally, nationally, and internationally. They have conducted tours of the United Kingdom, Russia, Brazil, Canada, Mexico, Chile, Trinidad & Tobago, and Fiji. Local exploits include trips to New Jersey, New York City, Atlanta, GA, and San Diego, CA. Texas Brass is led by Deputy Divisional Music Director Matthew Broome.

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