Thursday, March 28

12–6 p.m. Registration 12–2 p.m. Board Meeting

1:30–5:30 p.m. **Private, Guided Tour of the Alamo** 6–7:30 p.m. **President's Pre-Hootenanny Reception** 

7:30–? **HOOTenanny** 

Friday, March 29

7:30 a.m. Friday Morning Mingle, Sponsored by Tarleton State University Department of English & Languages

8:30–10:15 a.m. **Welcome** 

Session 1, Sponsored by Trinity University Press and Dr. Norma E. Cantú

Chair: Blaine Williams (Dripping Springs), with introductions by Dr. Robert "Bob" Flynn (San Antonio)

\*Fiesta\* Folclórica

TEXAS FOLKLORE SOCIETY

105TH ANNUAL MEETING Mar 28-30 San Antonio

"Lost Legacy of Letters," Jean G. Schnitz (Boerne)
"More Finish Lines to Cross," Cary Clack (San Antonio)

"Poems are Little Pockets of the Folklore of Our Lives," Naomi Shihab Nye (San Antonio)

10:30–11:45 a.m. Session 2

Chair: Mary Margaret Campbell (George West)

"Telling the Story of La Bahia Through Myths and Legends," Scott McMahon (Goliad)

"The Interplay and Influence of Folklore and Popular Culture on Historical Costumed Interpretation

and Living History," Andrew Gray (Georgetown)

"Alamo Plan: Update on The Vision for One of Our State's Most Revered Sites," Kate Rogers,

Executive Director, Alamo Trust (San Antonio)

11:45 a.m.—1:15 p.m. Celebration Luncheon, sponsored by the TFS Past Presidents Club: Installation of the Fellows of the

Texas Folklore and Remembering of TFS Members Who Have Left Us. Presentation of "Growing up at

Brown's House," by David Orton, read by Mary Fogel (Austin)

1:30–2:45 p.m. <u>Session 3</u>

Chair: Chris Morrow (Stephenville)

"Arte Es Vida: Esperanza's cultural grounding work in San Antonio's Westside," Graciela Sanchez,

Director, Esperanza Center for Peace and Justice (San Antonio)

"Folk Art and Folk Architecture of the Big Bend," Jim Harris and Mary Harris (Hobbs, NM)

"Lone Star Wars: Examining the Interplay in Texas Cowboy Folklore and the Star Wars Universe," Jill

Davis (Stephenville)

2:45–3 p.m. Friday Afternoon Break & Refresh, Sponsored by East Texas Historical Association

3–4:15 p.m. <u>Session 4</u>

Chair: Blanca Jenkins (Marshall)

New Voices in Folklore Student Panel, featuring Gabby Walker and Kelly Olson (Texas A&M

International University) and Tali Russell (Texas Tech)

5–6 p.m. Happy Hour Cash Bar

6–7:30 p.m. Dinner Banquet, Special Entertainment by Tish Hinojosa (Austin)

7:30–? **HOOTenanny** 

Saturday, March 30

8:30–9 a.m. Saturday Morning Mingle, Sponsored by Dobie Dichos, Inc.

9–10:15 a.m. **Session 5** 

Chair: Vanessa Rogers (San Antonio)

"Recognizing the Life and Works of John Lomax," Kim Lehman (Smithville)

"Jane Long: Mother of Texas," Darci Tucker (Williamsburg, VA)

"Un Collar de Perlas and a Most Memorable Mentor," Tish Hinojosa (Austin)

10:15–10:45 a.m. Break

10:45–11:45 a.m. Business Meeting

Alternates: "Stradivarius Folklore," Jeri Martin (Dublin)

"Heroes or Villains: The Mythos of the Texas Rangers," Jim Matthews (San Antonio)