

Faces of Austin



multimedia program

Reflecting Austin's reputation as a high-tech leader and as a city rich in cultural vitality, *Faces of Austin* is a cutting-edge cultural and civic project through which Austin-area filmmakers are showcased and their works on Austin art, music, film, heritage, and culture come alive via electronic format at Austin City Hall.

Selections are available to watch on-demand on the widescreen video displays in the City Hall Atrium. The films can also be seen on Channel 6 and on the web.

For more information about *Faces of Austin*, visit our website:

www.ci.austin.tx.us/redevelopment/austinfaces.htm

Faces of Austin is a program of the City of Austin Cultural Arts Division and Channel 6.



Faces of Austin multimedia program 2011 Collection



Ballet Austin's Butler Dance Education Center
Ballet Austin

The Butler Dance Education Center is Ballet Austin's downtown home, housing the Professional Company, Ballet Austin Academy, Butler Community School, and more. (1:34)

Great Grandmama for Obama
Micah Barber

Bertha Means, an 88 year-old civil rights pioneer from Austin, reflects on the historic 2008 election through her life experiences. (10:00)

Love Bug
Kat Candler

Two little bug lovers find love. (7:00)

Eagle Eye
Tony Costello

A portrait of legendary, Austin-grown musician Eagle Eye Williamson, an epitome of a DIY artist. (4:36)

Five Generations
Chelsea Hernandez

In 1860, Joe Sing became one of the first Asian immigrants to reside in Austin. Five generations later, his family recounts his history and celebrates their American, Mexican, and Chinese culture. (7:46)

Eulogy Maker
Leslie Langée

Practice makes perfect as a young country boy prepares for life's inevitable losses. (5:50)

Take Me With You
Jose Lozano

This stop-motion music video takes viewers on a visual journey to over 100 Austin landmarks to the music of singer/songwriter Victoria Noll. (3:05)

Kibbles of Love and Bits of Hope
Audrey McGuire

Meet a few of the dogs and cats placed with foster families through the nonprofit Austin Pets Alive! (9:42)

Latinitas
Lucia Ornelas

A documentary about the importance of Latinitas' work within the Latino/Hispanic community in Austin. (7:02)

Junk King
Brittany Reeber

Delve into the world of Vince Hannemann, creator of Austin's yard art landmark, the Cathedral of Junk. (5:00)

The Carolyn Jackson Story
Nina Vizcarrondo

Meet Carolyn Jackson: homemaker turned media maven, who in 1968, charmed her way onto the TV sets and into the hearts of Central Texans as the host of her own daily talk show. (10:36)

The Dispatchers
Elizabeth Walker

Jackie Milham and Lewis Mendez of Big A Towing recount their experiences working behind the window of a towing company and what it has taught them about patience, judgment, and other people. (7:34)