

Personal Energy Transportation Texas



PET

PET San Antonio

September 2012

"The Gift of Mobility"

Probationers - Making a Difference

In July and August, PET San Antonio was helped out by several visits from a volunteer group of young men from the Bexar County Juvenile Probation Department. These probationers are enrolled in counseling and other classes to assist them with preparing for their future. And while learning vocational skills, they provide service to non-profit organizations in the community on such projects as cleaning up graffiti, assisting with landscape maintenance, doing yard work for senior citizens, helping at church food banks, and providing original arts and crafts work as prizes in nursing homes for Bingo games, etc.

Coordinating this group of volunteers to help out at PET is Pete Gonzales, Community Service Restitution Program Supervisor for the Bexar County Juvenile Probation Department. Pictured below and providing onsite supervision at the PET workshop are Joe Medellin, Community Service Restitution Lead Specialist (from left to right), Fred Guzman, Volunteer in Juvenile Probation, and Steve Lerma, Community Service Restitution Specialist.



Also pictured here is one youth painting boards that will go into making a PET, while two others assemble one of the specialty wheelchairs under the guidance of PET volunteer Steve Austin. Thanks, guys! We appreciate your help and enthusiasm for reaching out to make a positive difference in someone else's life.

