



Photos of Amy Martin at Parkhill Prairie and the Cover of *Wild DFW: Explore the Amazing Nature Around Dallas-Fort Worth.* Courtesy of the speaker.

A journalist and writer for over 40 years, Amy Martin is the author of *Wild DFW: Explore the Amazing Nature Around Dallas-Fort Worth* (Wild-DFW.com), *Itchy Business: How to Treat the Poison Ivy and Poison Oak Rash, Prevent Exposure and Eradicate the Plant* (Itchy.biz). She is currently senior features writer for Green Source DFW (GreenSourceDFW.org). Her current project is *Ned Fritz Legacy* (NedFritz.com), a biographical website of Ned Fritz, Texas' most famous environmentalist. Amy sits on the Dallas County Open Space's Trails and Preserves Program board (DallasCounty.org/parks) and serves as state social media director for Native Prairies Association of Texas (TexasPrairie.org). For 12 years, she managed wildlife habitat rehabilitation on a private nature preserve in northeast Texas and converted 15 acres of pasture into tallgrass prairie. Find her writings at Moonlady.com.

In her presentation "Discover North Texas Prairies," Amy will draw from material and photos in her book, *Wild DFW: Explore the Amazing Nature Around Dallas-Fort Worth*, and take you on an intimate tour of Parkhill Prairie in northeast Collin County and Sid Richardson Prairie in southwest Tarrant County, both adventure chapters in the book, plus two Hunt County prairies, The Nature Conservancy's Clymer Meadow and Native Prairies Association of Texas's Mathews Prairie.