

**EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH**  
**OFA “MARY” FAIVA-SIALE – JANUARY 2011**  
Special Projects Coordinator - Parks & Community Services

**Education, Training & Licenses:**

Ofa graduated from Trinity High School and attended Tarrant County College, where she earned an Associate’s Degree in Business. She completed training on RecTrac10.2k, PastPerfect, and various child safety courses at her church.

**Employment Background & Experience:**

Ofa held various full and part-time jobs during and after high school. She was a full-time volunteer at Loaves & Fishes in Fort Worth tending to various needs of the homeless for over three years. She lived in Papua New Guinea for over six months building homes for less fortunate people. She was employed with Teleservices Resources and Ashton Hotels & Resorts. Between 1998 and 2002, she was a Part-Time Building Attendant at the Midway Recreation Center. She was promoted to Full-Time Clerk I in 2002, moving into the position of Special Projects Coordinator in 2007.

**Awards, Recognition, Associations, & Personal Data:**

Ofa works closely with the Euless Historical Preservation Committee including maintenance of the historical website; she handles facility rentals and the staff that assists with the rentals. She’s been Treasurer for her church for four years, Secretary of the Tongan World Prayer Day of Texas for seven years, National Secretary for the Tongan Catholic Youth of America for seven years, and Regional Secretary of Tongan Catholics of America for six years. In 2010, she helped set up the Tongan Youth Association of Texas working closely with Trinity High School for programs to help youth go to college, and she is a member of the HEB-ISD Leadership Academy for better communication with the community. Ofa met her husband over 25 years ago and has been happily married for 16 years. Over the last 18 years Ofa has helped raise eight children, including her niece and her nephew who currently reside with her and her husband.

