

Greater Opportunities of the Permian Basin, Inc.

Head Start/Early Head Start School Readiness Academy

Is Proud to Once Again Present

FATHER POWER

**IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE
PARENT POWER PROGRAM**



From its beginning in 1998, the Father Power Program has been promoting responsible fatherhood and holistic parenting. Our focus is on empowering fathers to assume emotional, moral, spiritual, psychological and financial responsibility for their children. Through our program, we accentuate the psycho-social development of both father and child, helping meet the psychological and physiological challenges of parenting.

Sessions are on Tuesday evenings in Odessa, and on Thursday evenings in Big Spring. They begin at 5:30 p.m. by feeding the parents and children until 6:00 p.m.. Afterwards, free childcare is provided by our professional child care staff while parents attend our awesome parenting classes. Fathers meet with other men, while mothers attend their classes. Two research-based curricula entitled "Foundations of Fatherhood" (for the men) and "Making Parenting a Pleasure" (for the Moms) are presented to the parents. This program is open to the entire community, not just Head Start parents. Men who can serve as a positive male role model for kids are encouraged and invited to attend. The total cost for this fantastic program is – TIME AND EFFORT! That's right! It's absolutely free! Free supper, free childcare, materials, and most of all, free classes! So, we will see you there!

In Odessa, call 432-337-4414 for more information.

In Big Spring, call 432-267-7452 for more information.

