



Texas/Oklahoma District

KIWANIS BUILDER

June 28, 2012

Share the good times, invite someone to lunch



Meetings every Thursday at Noon
St. Peters Episcopal Church
608 Lamar, P.O. Box 667
McKinney, Texas 75070

Programs:

June 28: Meet at El Chico

July 12: Betty Murray, Living Well Health & Wellness Center

July 19: Cornerstone Ranch, Special Needs home Facility

If you have a suggestion for a program please contact Jennifer Irwin, Brian Hazelwood or Tommy Capps.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Jun 28-Jul 1, 2012:

Int'l Convention New Orleans

Attending: Brian Hazelwood, Rob Nelson, Dennis & Sandra Williams

July 3: Bingo at Homestead Nursing Home

July 7: Division Council Meeting

July 9: Board Meeting

August 8-12, 2012: Kiwanis District Convention – Killeen

This is your Newsletter! Please submit any articles & ideas by Wednesday afternoons of each week to Sandra Williams at dscustomwood@gmail.com

KIWANIS WEB SITES:

Club: **Face Book.com** brought to you by Shannon Patterson and www.mckinneykiwanis.org.

Mark Burns Webmaster

District: www.txok-kiwanis.org

Division: www.kiwanis37.com

Kiwanis International:

www.kiwanis.org

See the T/O District newsletter at:

<http://www.txok-kiwanis.org>

Club Officers:

President Joe Sparling,

Pres-Elect: Brian Hazelwood

V-Pres: Rob Nelson

Past President: Kent Paluga

Secretary: Sandra Williams,

Treasurer: Brian Cunningham

Directors: Payton Brooks Jim Cairo,

Bob Cole, Margaret Harsh, Shannon

Patterson, Keith Reeder.



Fourth of July Parade. Durinda is organizing this event and we will need members to help decorate the float at the Parade Staging Area at 8:00 a.m. (in the parking lot of Tennessee / Davis) then we need lots of members to be in the parade. We will have water. Bring an umbrella; wear a hat and patriotic clothes. Remember to stay cool.

Division Council Meeting

Sat. July 7th 9-10 am

Host Clubs

**McKinney- Juice & Pledge
Allen –donuts and Prayer**

The meeting will be at the Network of Community Ministries 741 Sherman, Dallas - use north entrance

Directions: From 75, exit Beltline - go east under 75, turn right onto Sherman (it is the first street on right @ "Bail Bond") go south Network is on left. **EACH MONTH BRING ITEMS FOR THEIR FOOD PANTRY. REQUESTED ITEM: PEANUT BUTTER. Please bring to meeting if you are not able to attend.**

ELIMINATE

maternal/neonatal tetanus

Maternal/neonatal tetanus is caused by bacteria that gain entry into the body during the birthing process due to contaminated and unsafe birthing facilities and practices.

Everyone bring in your jars (no matter how full). Put your name on your jar so Dennis can get them back to the right member. Thanks.

An Event to Remember!

Tuesday, July 24th 6-8

Wilshire Baptist Church

4316 Abrams Road in Dallas

Texas/Oklahoma District Governor Susan Hennem and the White Rock club are hosting an evening with Kiwanis International Executive Director Stan Soderstrom. Stan is a native Texan and a longtime member of the White Rock Club. Stan will present what's new with Kiwanis, the Eliminate Project, and how "One Can Make a Difference" He would like to show you how Kiwanis can better serve your community. Please bring a friend, family member or business associate. RSVP by July 16th to Sandra Williams

Kiwanis Int'l Convention

Four of our members are off to New Orleans and the convention. Two of them, Brian Hazelwood and Rob Nelson will be our club's representatives and will vote for the club. Dennis and Sandra Williams will also attend.

Serve McKinney Open House

Thanks for all the members that came out to the Chamber last week your support is always appreciated. Also big thanks go to the organizers Dub Norrid, Mike Livezey, Shannon Patterson and Joe Sparling.



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MEALS ON WHEELS

If you would be interested in doing meals on wheels please contact Sandra Williams...we could use you

-WEDNESDAY

Jun 27: Paula Ator/Cotton Chandler
July 11: Ron Cole/Mike Livezey
July 18: Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson
July 25: Henry Myrick/

-THURSDAY

Jun 28: Sara Thomas/Jared Cole
July 5: Tom Miller /Henry Myrick
July 12: Dub Norrid /Bob Cole
July 19: Norm / Mary Dotson
July 26: Sara Thomas / Jared Cole
Henry Myrick 972-562-8269, Cotton Chandler 972-346-3332, Norm Dotson 972-542-1502 Dennis Williams 972-562-7219, Pick-up at 10:45 a.m.

JUNE BIRTHDAYS:

Mark Carswell	6/8
Jennifer Irwin	6/8
Gary Lacara	6/9
Glenn Coleman	6/15
Dick Horn	6/22
Durinda Fisher	6/24

JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

Ronnie & Connie Thomason	6/08
Shane & Kelly Cowan	6/09
Jennifer & Dan Irwin	6/11
Mike & Nancy Malone	6/16
John & Jan Moore	6/20
Connie & Sidney Gibson	6/26
Barbara & Keith Hartline	6/26
Charlie & Dina Phillips	6/27
Kirk & Shelia Saxon	6/27
Tommy & Mary Capps	6/29

TX-OK District Convention in Killeen, Texas August 8-12, 2012

Bring in **Shoes and socks** for our District Service Project. Texas Oklahoma Conventions will be held in Rockwall in 2013 and then in Allen in 2014. Both of these clubs are in our Division. All clubs in our Division will be responsible for a part of these two Conventions.

During the American Revolution, the legal separation of the Thirteen Colonies from Great Britain occurred on July 2, 1776, when the Second Continental Congress voted to approve a resolution of independence that had been proposed in June by Richard Henry Lee of Virginia declaring the United States independent from Great Britain. After voting for independence, Congress turned its attention to the Declaration of Independence, a statement explaining this decision, which had been prepared by a Committee of Five, with Thomas Jefferson as its principal author. Congress debated and revised the Declaration, finally approving it on July 4. A day later, John Adams had written to his wife Abigail:

The second day of July, 1776, will be the most memorable epoch in the history of America. I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great anniversary festival. It ought to be commemorated as the day of deliverance, by solemn acts of devotion to God Almighty. It ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires, and illuminations, from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward forever more.

