



KIWANIS BUILDER



A Publication of the Kiwanis Club of McKinney

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Our meetings are every Thursday at Noon at St. Peters Episcopal Church 608 Lamar/P.O. Box 667

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CLEAN UP OUR MEETING ROOM!!!

Please clean your own table!



The following members will be responsible for making sure the room is clean and all items put away. **If you are not going to be at the meeting please get your own replacement.** Thanks, the management.

Dec 5: Carroll Maxwell, Dub Norrid, Jim Smith

Dec 12: NO NOON MEETING!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

If everyone takes their turn the burden does not go to the few. Thanks!!!!

Bingo: On Tuesday our club held Bingo at the nursing home. Thanks to Paula Ator for setting this up and Margaret Bush for cute Christmas theme head bands. The residents really liked them. A big thanks to our caller Terry Sanner who joined Paula, his Sandra, Sandra Williams, Neil Ator in singing "We Wish you a Merry Christmas" (That won't happen again-But, Fun!)

Salvation Army Bell Ringing at Sam's

Our club is in charge of ringing at Sam's now until Dec. 24th. Dennis Williams has set up groups to ring everyday. Our job is to fill in whenever called upon. Committee members with Dennis are: Bill Rosnett, Michelle Beatty, John Moore and Beth Hensley.



Bob Cole, Beth Hensley, Brad Redfield

What every Kiwanian wants under the Christmas Tree - Get a new shirt with McKinney Kiwanis and emblem on it. Stop by EmbroidMe at 400 N Central Expressway (behind McDonalds) and place your order directly or ask Jim Smith for details. You can order from a wide range of garments or bring in your own!



Are you searching for unique gifts for those on your holiday shopping list? Instead of giving another unneeded tie or sweater, give the most important gift of all: **A gift that saves lives.**

As of now we have collected \$20,000 of \$60,000 goal. Let's finish the race. Please consider making a donation to the Eliminate Fund as the year comes to a close. Make your check out to the McKinney Kiwanis Foundation and put ELIMINATE FUND in the memo line. Thanks, your Eliminate Team.

Christmas Party- Friday December 13th

Happy Hour at 5:30 with the meal being served at 6:30 and White Elephant Gifts after dinner. Party to take place at The Golf Club of McKinney, 3191 Medical Center Dr. Bldg G. Sign-up will be at this weeks meeting that will include everyone that has already signed-up. Need to know the name, number of guest and what food item(s) they plan to bring. RSVP to Dub Norrid at: dub.liz@sbcglobal.net or my phone number is [972-529-5797](tel:972-529-5797)

Key Club News - Parade of Lights

Dec. 14th. Plan on joining the Key Clubs when they have a float in this parade. Decorating at 4 on the 14th at Tom Day's office. Everyone need to bring lights to wear. We can help decorate, walk or ride in the parade.

Module build Thursday, December 19th

Bring gloves; meet at east parking lot of Wysong Hospital (SW corner of 75 & Virginia Parkway). LEAVE AT 6:00 PM SHARP

Webb PTO invites Kiwanis on Dec. 19th from 5:30p to 7:30p to watch the 1st graders holiday performance and then enjoy pictures with Santa while we eat cookies and drink cocoa. Additional snacks would be appreciated.

Christmas Food Baskets

Collection box at Super 1. Food will be picked up from the store and sorting will be at an empty storefront **at 901 N. McDonald Suite 705** at 4:00 pm on December 20th. On Saturday December 21st we will gather at the same location at 8 am and deliver the food boxes to 100 families. Keith Reeder will supply the maps for us. Please sign up for sorting and delivering. Contact Jim Cairo Thanks to Justin Jordan for getting us a the store.

Terrific Kids in Three Elementary Schools

Finch: Contact Bob Cole: Zoo Palooza on Friday Dec. 20. There will be 2 programs starting at 8:30 and 9: 30 AM. The people from the Dallas Zoo and Children's Aquarium at Fair Park are bringing several animals to show the children. Should be lots of fun and everyone is welcome to be there.

Webb: Reading to the kids Thursday mornings for 30 minutes. Contact Jim Smith to help.

Caldwell: Contact Dub Norrid - Next party in January





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MEALS ON WHEELS

Pick-up at 10:45 a.m.

If you would be interested in doing meals on wheels please contact Sandra Williams

-WEDNESDAY

- Dec 11: Jared Cole / Ron Cole
- Dec 18: Dub Norrid & Bob Cole
- Jan 8: Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson
- Jan 15: Dennis Williams
- Jan 22: Jared Cole / Ron Cole
- Jan 29: Henry Myrick
- Feb 5: Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson

-THURSDAY

- Dec 12: John Moore/Brad Redfield
- Dec 19: Sara Thomas/ Bob Cole
- Dec 26: Henry Myrick
- Jan 2: Dub Norrid/Cotton Chandler
- Jan 9: John Moore/Brad Redfield
- Jan 16: Sara Thomas/ Bob Cole
- Jan 23: Henry Myrick
- Jan 30: Dub Norrid / Cotton Chandler

Get your own sub if needed, call: Henry Myrick 972-562-8269, Cotton Chandler 972-346-3332, and Dennis Williams 972-562-7219

BIRTHDAYS FOR DECEMBER

Don Renshaw	12/04
Barbara Hartline	12/08
Jim Cairo	12/10
Roger Dickey	12/11
Mac McClammy	12/12
Ron Cole	12/05
Pat Murray	12/18
Tom Day	12/25
Suzanne Davis	12/28

ANNIVERSARY'S FOR DECEMBER

Dick & Sue Horn	12/10
Justin & Amanda Beller	12/27
Keith & Debbie Reeder	12/27
Jim & Nancy Harmon	12/28
Brian & Kathy Cunningham	12/29

DIRTY CAR? Get your car washed and support the Key Clubs in Division 2 raise money for Eliminate. 10% of every car wash goes towards the eliminate project. Blue Wave Car Wash 400 E Stacy Rd in Allen, Sunday Dec 15th 7am - 7pm

PROGRAMS:

- Dec 12: No meeting
- Dec 19: Dennis Luellen Intro to Boys & Girls Clubs of Collin County
- Dec 26: No meeting
- Jan 2: John Pollock "The Tax Benefits of Obamacare: How to Use the New Law to Your Advantage"
- Jan 9: Adela Plasek: Introduction to Hope's Door
- Jan 16: Protecting our Youth

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Dec 12: No noon Meeting
- Dec. 13: Club Christmas Party
- Dec. 14: Christmas Parade of Lights-Downtown
- Dec 20: Sort Food for Delivery
- Dec 20: Terrific Kids at Finch
- Dec 21: Deliver Food Boxes for Christmas
- Dec 26: No Noon Meeting

KIWANIS WEB SITES:

Club: **Face Book.com**, and www.mckinneykiwanis.org
 Mark Burns – Web Master, District: www.txok-kiwanis.org
 Division: <http://kiwanis2.wordpress.com>
 Kiwanis International: www.kiwanis.org
 See the T/O District newsletter at:
<http://www.txok-kiwanis.org> click on Newsletter.

Club Officers:

President: Rob Nelson
Pres-Elect: Jim Cairo
V-Pres: Margaret Harsh
Past President: Brian Hazelwood
Secretary: Sandra Williams
Treasurer: Brian Cunningham
Directors: Payton Brooks, Bob Cole, Tijmen Felix, Shannon Patterson, Kirk Saxton, Jim Smith
 This is your Newsletter! Please submit any articles & ideas by Wednesday afternoons of each week to Sandra Williams at dscustomwood@gmail.com

Club History

Glen Coleman will be gathering information on the history of our club. Be thinking about what you can add. Anything you may have from the past.



Our Treasurer is stepping down next October. Anyone interested please contact Rob Nelson or Brian Cunningham. Training will be offered by Brian