



# KIWANIS BUILDER



A Publication of the Kiwanis Club of McKinney

Texas/Oklahoma District

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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!!!!

**POSTPONED – THE LOCAL YOCAL due to impending bad weather until early next year. Refunds will be available.**

## **Salvation Army Bell Ringing at Sam's**

Our club is in charge of ringing at Sam's now until Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>. 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.



**Pictured: Rob Nelson, Landon and Presley Hazelwood, Tijmen Felix, Brandi & Brian Hazelwood**

## **-T/O Governor's Visit Banquet-**

Tuesday our club joined other Division 2 clubs for a Division Council meeting and Governor's Banquet. Our club and Garland Club hosted the meeting. Also attending were: Jim Cairo, Bob Cole, Norm & Mary Dotson, Rob & Cynthia Nelson, Kirk and Sheila Saxon, Sandra Williams and our Lt. Gov. Mike Livezey and Kathi. We heard about First Lady Carol Rauhauser's project St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and a good message from Governor Dr. Bill Rauhauser.



## **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](mailto:dub.liz@sbcglobal.net) or my phone number is [972-529-5797](tel:972-529-5797)

## **Key Club News - Parade of Lights**

**Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>.** 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 19<sup>th</sup>**

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

## **Christmas Food Baskets**

Collection box at Super 1. Food will be picked up and stored in a warehouse offered by Justin Jordan. Then on December 20<sup>th</sup> we will sort the food and deliver the boxes on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup>. Keith Reeder will supply the maps for us. Please sign up for sorting and delivering. Contact Jim Cairo

## **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

**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

**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!



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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 4: Dennis Williams

Dec 11: Jared Cole / Ron Cole

Dec 18: Dub Norrid & Bob Cole

#### -THURSDAY

Dec 5: Dub Norrid/Cotton Chandler

Dec 12: John Moore/Brad Redfield

Dec 19: Sara Thomas/ Bob Cole

Dec 26: Henry Myrick

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

### ELIMINATE

maternal/neonatal tetanus

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.

#### 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.

#### PROGRAMS:

Dec 5: Rich Allen: In "Boosting Your Bottom Line: What a Bicycle Can Teach You About Growing Your Business,"

Dec 12: No meeting

Dec19: 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 7: Steak lessons at Local Yocal

Dec 9: Board Meeting - Rob Nelson's Home

Dec 10: Bingo

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](http://www.facebook.com), and [www.mckinneykiwanis.org](http://www.mckinneykiwanis.org)  
Mark Burns – Web Master, District: [www.txok-kiwanis.org](http://www.txok-kiwanis.org)

Division: <http://kiwanis2.wordpress.com>

Kiwanis International: [www.kiwanis.org](http://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](mailto:dscustomwood@gmail.com)

#### COMMUNITY EVENTS

McKinney's Historic District and Tucker Hill are readying their homes for the 40th Annual Holiday Tour of Homes the weekend of Dec. 7-8.

[www.chestnutsquare.org](http://www.chestnutsquare.org)

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