



# KIWANIS BUILDER



A Publication of the Kiwanis Club of McKinney

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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.

**Jan 16:** Dennis Burt, Margaret Bush, Joe Massey

**Jan 23:** Jim Cairo, Mark Carswell, Crystal McDonald

**Jan 30:** Cotton Chandler, John Moore, Henry Myrick

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

## **ELIMINATE** maternal/neonatal tetanus

**During January** fill up your coin jars & bring them in. Anyone who has at least \$50 will be eligible for a \$50 gift certificate drawing for the LocalYocal. So far we have three eligible members **Justin Beller, Jim Smith, Sara Thomas & Dennis Williams.** If we have at least 15 eligible members, we will add a \$50 drawing for a car benefiting the Boys & Girls Club from Bob Tomes Ford. Don't forget to give a gift of life on your Birthday or Anniversary. Make your check out to the McKinney Kiwanis Foundation and put ELIMINATE FUND in the memo line. Thanks, your Eliminate Team.

## **RAMP BUILD SATURDAY JANUARY 11TH**

We had a 48' ramp in Prosper. Photos of the BEAST that kicked our butts below. We didn't finish till 2:30. Thanks to: Cotton, Dub, Mac, Jim Hudson, Jim Cairo, John Moore, Kent Van Meter, Kirk, Brian Hazelwood, and Keith Reeder.



We have several ramps coming up that we need to build, so get ready. Module build tonight



**3rd Annual Empty Bowls** will be at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Thursday Feb 6, from 5:30 – 7:30. The proceeds benefit hunger initiatives at Community Lifeline Center. During our meeting that day we will be taking an offering for Empty Bowls to show our support. Members are encouraged to also buy tickets for the event. There is a ticket selling competition between team Rob Nelson/Brian Hazelwood and team Jim Cairo/Margaret Harsch.

## **Terrific Kids at 3 Elementary Schools**

**Webb** kicked off their 5,000 page reading campaign to save 5,000 lives through Eliminate MNT. See our article and video on Town Square Buzz. We begin reading Jan 16th. Contact: Jim Smith



**Caldwell program** was Jan 10th. The program was Dr. Kevin Thomson from the Eldorado Animal Hospital. Contact Dub Norrid



**Finch:** March 7th they will be having two Magic Shows 8:30 & 9:30am. Contact: Bob Cole

## **March 23rd - Adult and Kids Triathlon**

This is our biggest fund raiser. Our funds are used for our scholarships, donations to our community and support of our International project Eliminate. There are forms available at the meetings and can be e-mailed to you. We count on our sponsors to help fund this event, each member is asked to take a request form & ask a business to be a sponsor. If you need help approaching a business please ask Dennis Williams, Mark Carswell or Brian Hazelwood for help.

**Triathlon:** 1st meeting Jan 20th at Ebby Halliday, 6:30pm. This is important for us to iron out the changes we will have with doing both races on the same day. Let me know if you will be there. Pizza will be provided.

**SouperBowl of Caring-Market Street** Tuesday January 14th. Members had a lot of fun & filled 280 bags of food in 44 minutes, then enjoyed fellowship with pizza and drinks. Manager, Mike Foster was very grateful & promised his support with our pancake breakfast. Thanks to: Rob Nelson, Brian Hazelwood, Duane Landa, Mark Burns, Shannon Patterson, Rachel Weinmann, Beth Hensley, Sara Thomas, Jim Smith, Cotton Chandler, John Moore, Henry Myrick, Keith Reeder, Mike Malone, Glenn Coleman, Dick Thompson, Brad Redfield, Bill Rosnett, Justin Jordan and Connie Manal.



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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

Jan 15: Dennis Williams - Michele Beatty

Jan 22: Jared Cole / Ron Cole

Jan 29: Henry Myrick

Feb 5: Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson

#### -THURSDAY

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 JANUARY

Shannon Patterson	01/12
Sandy Dickey	01/18
Ronnie Fisher	01/19
Dave Hinman	01/21
Paula Ator	01/28
Todd Hartwell	01/29

#### ANNIVERSARY'S FOR JANUARY

Mike & Linda Overcast	01/01
Roger & Sandy Dickey	01/21

### IMPORTANT CLUB INFORMATION

**Key Club Advisor:** We are in need of a Key Club advisor for North High School. You would be a liaison between our club and the Key Club. Let them know what we are doing and let our club know what they are doing. Please contact Rob Nelson for more details

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

**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

**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!

### PROGRAMS:

Jan 16: Protecting our Youth - Rex Howard

Jan 23:

Jan 30: Weird Thursday

Feb 6: Empty Bowls

Feb 13: Steve Carter, How to Know How much your Business is Actually

Feb 20: Alex Vispoli Frisco Roughriders

If you have a suggestion for a program please don't hesitate to contact Tijmen Felix.

### DATES TO REMEMBER

Jan 16: Module Build

Jan 20: Triathlon Planning meeting

Feb 6: Empty Bowls

Feb 8: Mid Winter Conference

Mar 19: Halos T Ball begins

Mar 23: Adult and Kids Triathlon

May 9: Division Social at Rough Riders Ball Game

July 17-20 Inter'l Convention Tokyo Chiba Japan

Aug 7-10: T/O Convention Midwest City, OK

### KIWANIS WEB SITES:

Club: **Face Book.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)

### Key Clubs

Key Leader weekend, Cedar Hill Camp Jan 15-17.

Jan. 24th - Allen Bank 6pm. Clubs need to bring 4 delegates to vote on the next Division Lt. Governor-we have a student from North running for Lt. Governor.

Feb 1st: Last PCM of the year. Bring members who have the potential to be Officers position for next year.

**Run for Cover** - Craig Ranch April 12, 2014 an annual 1,4,10K walk/run proceeds go to The Samaritan Inn and Shiloh Place. Hosted by 3eMcKinney