



KIWANIS BUILDER



A Publication of the Kiwanis Club of McKinney

Texas/Oklahoma District

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Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time.

**Our meetings are every Thursday at Noon at St. Peters Episcopal Church 400 N. College Street/P.O. Box 667
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T/O ZONE CONFERENCE

Saturday February 7, 10am-2am

Texas/Oklahoma District Governor Colleen Biggerstaff invite you to her Zone Conference. Show your support of Kiwanis by attending this Educational Conference. It will be held at Martin High School 4501 W. Pleasant Ridge, Arlington. \$13.00 each (for lunch) They are asking for pull tabs from cans and the small sized toiletries you get at Hotels. **Contact: Sandra Williams**



Jim had a double bypass on Tuesday. Doctors said everything went fine. Jim needs to be in our prayers. He is at the Baylor Heart hospital in Plano. Shannon also said the surgery ONLY took 3 hours they were expecting it to go 5 hours. Jim's heart is strong and they expect a full recovery.

Cotton Chandler is home now and in need of prayers, as well as Pat Murray.

WHEELCHAIR RAMP

Ramp Build was 01/17/15, in Princeton. We had a good turnout. Thanks to Shannon Patterson, Bob Cole, Kent VM, Jim Hudson, Tom Day, Siler Day, Jake, Dan Trahan, Devin Trahan, and Kirk.

Module build Thursday February 19th – Meet at 5:45 at the E parking lot of Wysong Medical Center at the SW corner of Virginia & Central. Leaving promptly at 6pm. All tools are furnished (but bring your own gloves). OJT, NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED. **Contact: Kirk Saxon**

PANCAKE BREAKFAST FEBRUARY 28, 2015

7am – 11am First Christian Church 1800 W. Hunt (Behind Super One)

Sell your tickets. If you don't have your tickets yet contact Jim Cairo. They will be available at the meeting. Flyers are ready so take one and put it up at your work. If you work or shop or know anyone that has a marquee outside their business-ask them to put up a notification for us. If you buy your own tickets be sure to give away all that you have so we can have a lot of people there. We are going to have two children's choir perform. **Contact: Jim Cairo**



ALLEN AMERICANS HOCKEY GAME SATURDAY FEBRUARY 28TH 2015 7:05

Tickets will be on sale at the meetings. This fun evening is a Division Social event. The evening will begin with the Allen Fire & Ice Game!! This is a match between the Allen Fire and Police Departments and is always a great game to watch and an incredible warm up to the Allen Americans game! Tickets are available at the meeting or **Contact: Rob Nelson**

TRIATHLON MARCH 29, 2015

SPONSORS!!!!

We had a great meeting last Monday. Assignments were handed out and the routes were gone over for Running and Biking. Kids Tri has more signed up as of this date than last year at this time. If 50% of our members got one sponsor for \$250 we would have \$12,500! The more sponsors we have the more money we can give more money to the community. If you know of any company or organization or individual that would like to be a sponsor get the Sponsor forms or contact **Mark Carswell or Dennis Williams** with leads and they will go with you or will meet with prospects.

MEALS ON WHEELS

Pick-up at 10:45 a.m.

Interested in doing meals on wheels? Call Sandra Williams
-WEDNESDAY

Jan 21: Jared Cole/Ron Cole

Jan 28: Henry Myrick

Feb 4: Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson

Feb 11: Dennis Williams/Michelle Beatty

-THURSDAY

Jan 22: Henry Myrick

Jan 29: John Moore/Brad Redfield

Feb 5: Sara Thomas Bob Cole

Feb 12: Dub Norrid/John Moore

Get your own sub if needed, call: Henry Myrick
972-562-8269 or Dennis Williams 972-562-7219

BIRTHDAYS FOR JANUARY

Gerald White 1/5

Shannon Paterson 1/12

Sandy Dickey 1/18

Paula Ator 1/28

Todd Hartwell 1/29

Dave Hinman 1/21

ANNIVERSARY'S FOR JANUARY

Roger and Sandy Dickey 1/21



Keep on bringing in your coin jars. Goal: \$60,000 - Raised so far: \$40,000. A big thanks to all the members that give a gift of life on their Birthday or Anniversary. Make your check out to the McKinney Kiwanis Foundation and put ELIMINATE FUND in the memo line.

January marks 100 years of Kiwanians worldwide serving the children of the world.

Along with the incredible difference we are making in our community, we can be proud that millions of children have grown up free of preventable mental disabilities because of iodine added to their salt through Kiwanis' promise to reduce Iodine Deficiency Disorders. And now, millions of women and their future children have been protected from maternal and neonatal tetanus because of The Eliminate Project. However, 134 newborns still die every day from this painful and heart-wrenching disease. It is easy to make a difference every single day. Just \$1.80 saves lives. Commit to save a baby a day for one or two years. Every day for that period of time, you will be able to look in the mirror and know that you saved the life of a woman and her future babies. Ridding the planet of this disease is our gift to the world.

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.

Jan 22: Paul White, Kent Van Meter, Rachel W

Jan 29: Jay Hammer, Brian Hazelwood, Beth Hensley

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

PROGRAMS: Please help with suggestions !!

Jan 22: Bob Hughs CC Corrections Department

Jan 29: Weird Thursday

If you have a suggestion for a program please don't hesitate to let **Michelle Beatty** or **Jim Cairo** know.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Jan 23 & 24: 100th Anniversary Celebration- Detroit

Feb 3: Bingo at Nursing Home

Feb 7: Governor's Visit-Zone Conference

Feb 12: Board Meeting at Rob Nelson's Home

Feb 28: Pancake Breakfast Fund Raiser

Feb 28: Social at Allen Americans Hockey

Mar 29: Triathlon Fund Raiser

June 25 -27: 100th Annual International Convention – Indianapolis IN

Aug 6-8: T/O Convention Texarkana, Texas

KIWANIS WEB SITES:

Club: **Face Book.com**, and www.mckinneykiwanis.org,

District: www.txok-kiwanis.org Mark Burns – Web

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

Kiwanis International: www.kiwanis.org

KEY CLUBS

Boyd Key Club contact Tom Day and Dan Trahan

McKinney Key Club contact Margaret Harsch

North Key Club- Payton Brooks

Lovejoy Key Club – Justin Beller

BINGO – Tuesday February 3rd

Our club holds Bingo every 1st Tuesday of each month.

We gather at Park Manor of McKinney 1801 Pearson Avenue, McKinney, TX 75069 7:00 pm – 8 pm.

TERRIFIC KIDS at three Elementary Schools

Caldwell: Contact: Dub Norrid

Finch: Contact Bob Cole

Webb: Reading to the kids every Thursday. Please **contact Jim Smith** to take part in this rewarding time.

This is your newsletter, please submit any articles & ideas by Monday afternoon of each week to Sandra Williams dscustomwood@gmail.com

CLUB OFFICERS:

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