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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

Page One "2015 marks 100 years of Kiwanians worldwide "Serving the Children of the World"

HALOS SPRING T-BALL

LEAGUE

Next week Wednesday May 18th will be our last week of our Spring season. Come out and have a lot of fun at 6:30pm - 7:30pm Town Lake-Wilson Softball Complex. **Home Run Derby, Pizza & Trophy Party.** This is a league for Special Needs kids. Contact Brian Hazelwood or Shannon Patterson



CHALLENGE AIR FLY DAY

May 14th at McKinney Airport

This is an unforgettable growing experience that allows special needs to fly in and in most cases, fly a plane. The pilots donate their planes and the fuel to take these special people up for a flight. Our club furnishes lunch for over 500 people that day. We cook hotdogs and have chips and cookies.

We need people to serve the food.

Contact: Mike Livezey or Jim Cairo



RAMP/MODULE BUILD

Next module build May 19th.

Meet at 5:45 in front of Party City, 380 & 75. Leave promptly at 6pm. All tools are furnished (but bring your own gloves). OJT, NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED.

We will bring back materials for a Ramp Build on Saturday May 21st at 804 Jefferson Street, 75069. Meet at the site at 8:00. Contact: Kirk Saxon.

A Special called convention of the Texas-Oklahoma District

Saturday, May 21st 12 - 4 pm

Come vote to nominate Randy DeLay for Kiwanis International Vice President. Holiday Inn 5110 N. George Bush Hwy, Garland Special guest speakers: Past International Presidents Paul Palazolo, Dr. John Button & International Vice President Jim Rochford.

ELECTIONS for the 2016-2017 BOARD last Thursday.

Our new slate of officers are:

President: Michelle Beatty

President Elect: Bill Rosnett

Vice President: Julie Lichter

Past President: Jim Smith

Treasurer: Margaret Harsch

Secretary: Sandra Williams

Board: Beth Hensley, Dave Hinman, Tressie Johnsen, Mary Minnis, Rob Nelson, Terry Sanner

3rd ANNUAL SHOOTING FOR THE FUTURE

Sporting Clay Event

August 26, 2016 Shotgun Start 9am Choctaw Preserve 589 Game Farm Rd. Denison, TX Benefiting Boys & Girls Clubs of Colling County - Contact: Michelle Beatty

TERRIFIC KIDS

Elementary Schools

Caldwell: Awards Program May 17th 9:20am. Program will be Suzanne Roberts of Barnes & Noble, Plano. Contact Dub Norrid

Finch: Splash/Park Palooza on

June 1-9:30-11:30 - K-2nd

11:00-11:30 - lunch

11:30-2:00 - 3rd - 5th

Contact is Bob Cole

Webb: Reading every Thursday

morning. Contact: Jim Smith

KEY CLUBS

Key Clubs are a student run service organization mirroring Kiwanis. These young people are enthusiastic and fun to be around.

Boyd: Brandon Herbison. Faculty Advisor: Harriet Bergman

McKinney High: Margaret Harsch, Ashley Sine. Faculty Advisor: Laura Smith

North: Payton Brooks & Sarah Underwood. Faculty Advisor: Whitney Williams

Lovejoy: Justin Beller

Faculty Advisor: Amanda Beller

KIDS COUNT

Kids do so much to help others. Kiwanis is home to the largest youth service programs in the world. Our local club's programs empower elementary school students, tweens and teens to make an impact through service and leadership.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Our club gave out 4 scholarships last Friday night at the MEF awards evening. Congratulations to all of our Key Club winners.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL AT ST. PETERS

We will need to meet at another location. Jim Smith and Michelle Beatty are working on it.

Stand By

MEALS ON WHEELS – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Pick-up at 10:45 a.m.

Interested in doing meals on wheels? Call Sandra Williams

-WEDNESDAY

- May 11:** Dennis Williams/Angie Swanner
- May 18:** Henry Myrick
- May 25:** Jared Cole/Ron Cole
- Jun 1:** Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson
- Jun 8:** Dennis Williams/Angie Swanner
- Jun 15:** Henry Myrick
- Jun 22:** Jared Cole/Ron Cole
- Jun 29:** Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson

THURSDAY

- May 12:** Dub Norrid/John Moore
- May 19:** Mary Minnis/Dennis Williams
- May 26:** Henry Myrick
- Jun 2:** John Moore/Jerry White
- Jun 9:** Sara Thomas/Bob Cole
- Jun 16:** Dub Norrid/John Moore
- Jun 23:** Mary Minnis/Dennis Williams
- Jun 30:** Henry Myrick

Get your own sub if needed, call: Henry Myrick 972-562-8269 or Dennis Williams 972-562-7219, John Moore for Thursdays only.

BIRTHDAYS FOR MAY

Rob Nelson	05/07
Tressie Johnsen	05/10
John Moore	05/14
Tyler Richardson	05/16
Payton Brooks	05/19
Rachel Weinmann	05/25
Glynn Wingard	05/28
Carroll Maxwell	05/29

ANNIVERSARY'S FOR MAY

Angie & Jeff Swanner	05/18
Terry & Carol Witt	05/20
Ron & Becky Cole	05/26

The Sunset & Sunrise Rotary club is building an All Abilities Playground. An online auction to help raise funds will be May 9th – 13th. Go to <http://tinyurl.com/j3k9gk6> to bid on these items and services.

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.

- May 12:** Kathy Stringer, Angie Swanner, Sara Thomas
 - May 19:** Brian H, Beth Hensley, Brandon H.
 - May 26:** Ronnie T. Kent Van, Rachel W.
 - Jun 2:** Dave Hinman, Tressie Johnsen, Bob Kincade
 - June 9:** Mike Malone, Carroll Maxwell, John Minnis
- If everyone takes their turn the burden does not go to the few. Thanks!!!!



PROGRAMS

- May 12:** Senior helping Seniors
- May 19:** Aaron Miller Attorney
- May 26:** Eddie Cawfield, Current trends in law enforcement

If you have suggestions for a program, please don't hesitate to **contact Michelle Beatty or Jim Smith.**

DATES TO REMEMBER

- May 14:** Challenge Air- McKinney Airport
- May 17:** Terrific Kids - Caldwell
- May 19:** Module Build
- May 21:** Called Convention TX/OK - Garland
- Jun 1:** Terrific Kids – Finch
- Jun 7:** Bingo – Park View Nursing Home
- Jun 13:** Board Meeting
- June 16th and 23rd** Vacation Bible School – we will Meet at another location. TBD
- Jun 23-26:** Int'l Convention Toronto
- Aug 11-14:** TX/OK District Conv.
- Aug 26:** Shooting for the Future

Kiwanis Lunch Menu

- May 12:** Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, rolls, chopped salad, coconut cake
- May 19:** Ham, scalloped potatoes, green peas, rolls cobbler
- May 26:** Catfish, hush puppies, coleslaw, snap peas, chocolate cake

Texas Oklahoma District Convention

Allen, TX August 11-14, 2016

Our club will be responsible for the Memorial Breakfast and Memorial Service. This is a great opportunity to attend a convention nearby. We will need everyone's support.

Special Spouse's Day Out to President George W Bush Presidential Library. Friday Aug 12th 10am-4pm Cost is \$50 and includes Bus, Lunch & Library admissions. Contact Jim Smith

CLUB OFFICERS:

- President:** Jim Smith
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- Pres-Elect:** Michelle Beatty
- V-Pres:** Dennis Burt
- Past President:** Jim Cairo
- Secretary:** Sandra Williams
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- Treasurer:** Margaret Harsch
- Directors:** Beth Hensley
Dave Hinman, Tressie Johnsen, Rob Nelson, Kirk Saxon, Bill Rosnett

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

KIWANIS WEB

SITES:

Check out our club on:

www.mckinneykiwanis.org, Mark Burns – Web Master.

And on **Face Book**

District:

www.txok-kiwanis.org

Division:

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

Kiwanis International:

www.kiwanis.org

AWARDS!

District 2ND best Web site
1st place best Newsletter

Distinguished Club for 2014-2015 Congratulations

Distinguished President

Jim Cairo and

Distinguished Secretary

Sandra Williams

THE FORMULA

Love It. Share It. Live It.

Our club was awarded the Silver Level Impact Circle for 2014-2015 with a net gain of 5.

