



KIWANIS BUILDER



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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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“Serving the Children of the World” Since November 17, 1949

CLUB SOCIAL Tuesday March 27th 5:00-6:30 at the Pub

Everyone is invited to come and go at the Pub, downtown McKinney. Bring your spouses and potential members. Food & beverages on your own. Contact: Rob Nelson or Julie Lichter

MODULE/RAMP BUILD

Module Build: We had a great turn out for the module build. Thanks to Dub, Jim Cairo, Rob, Mike, Varsh, Joe Lichter, and Kirk. Also, thanks to Bob Cole for meeting us in McKinney with the drills.

Ramp Build: Another ramp in the books thanks to all that volunteered this past Saturday. Dub, John Moore, Shannon, Bob Cole, Jim Cairo, Jim Smith, Julie and Joe, Ray (Glynn Wingard's farther-in-law), and Shelia and Kirk. Also, to Shannon for the time-laps video of us building the ramp, look on her Facebook page, it's pretty cool

Next Module build Thursday April 19th. Meet at 5:45 in front of Party City, 380 & 75. Leave right at 6:00 pm to head down to the warehouse. All tools are furnished (but bring your own gloves). OJT, NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED. Contact: Kirk Saxon

DIVISION NEWS

Voting for trustee: Tentative date is **March 24** at 1:00pm at District office

Voting for Lt. Governor: **April 7** at Division Council Meeting

SPRING HALOS T-BALL LEAGUE

Spring T-ball season Wednesday, **March 27th**. This will be a 10-week season ending on May 23rd. Games start at 6:30 at Wilson Creek Complex at Towne Lake. Snacks by Jim Cairo. Contact: Brian Hazelwood

Allen Americans Hockey Kiwanis Night: - Friday March 30, Allen Event Center. Tickets are \$20 with \$5 of the purchase price going to the Eliminate project. Free Parking, Video Board Recognition for each club, Post-Game photo on Ice. Want to go to the Hockey game? Bring your family and friends. A great way to have fun and promote Kiwanis! For Tickets contact Nick Minor at 972-912-1029 or allenamericans.com/kiwanis

FAMILY COMPASS Sat. April 7th 8am-2pm

Volunteers needed for registration, watching kids while parents learn how to install their new car seats. Parking Lot at Isaacs Early Childhood School 3400 E Parker Rd, Plano. Contact Sara Meyers at scooper@family-compass.org

HISTORIC MCKINNEY KIWANIS TRIATHLON 2018

Kids and Adults April 22nd

This is our clubs biggest fund raiser. We need everyone to help with getting sponsors and to be at the event that day. Many of our members have taken leadership rolls in this event, so if you get a call to help them please say yes! If you know of someone who you think would be a sponsor and you are shy, tell Dennis and he will contact them. Dennis has sponsorship packets that you can take that will help you with a sponsor. Help with this event so our club can give back to the community.

#KidsneedKiwanis

Kids are curious, lovable and hilarious. Kiwanis is looking out for kids in every corner of the globe.



TERRIFIC KIDS

Caldwell: Next Attendance parade **April 4th** at 2:30pm

Contact: Dub Norrid

Finch – Contact: Bob Cole

Webb – **Every Thursday** – Need two volunteers each week, different grades. Contact Jim Smith



4 KEY CLUBS

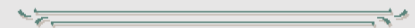
Boyd: Meetings are Tuesdays at 2:30 Rm F107. Ashley Sine Faculty Advisor: Shannon Kessler

McKinney High: Meets every Tuesday after school (2:30) in the upstairs Flex area. Margaret Harsch Faculty Advisor: Laura Smith

North High School

Eight students will be attending the Texas/Oklahoma Key Club Convention April 13 -15. Whitney and Dennis will be their chaperones. Meet on Wednesdays, at 2:30 in room 318. Jennifer Mott, Sarah Jackson Faculty Advisor: Whitney Williams

Lovejoy: Justin Beller, Faculty Advisor: Amanda Beller



**MEALS ON WHEELS –VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED**

Pick-up at 10:45 a.m. Interested in doing meals on wheels? Call Mary Minnis

-WEDNESDAY

Mar 21: Henry/Dub/Rob

Mar 28: Mike Malone

April 4: Jared Cole/Ron Cole

April 11: Angie Swanner/Dennis Williams

April 18: Henry Myrick/Dub /Rob Nelson

April 25: Mike Malone

- THURSDAY

Mar 22: Sara Thomas/Bob Cole

Mar 29: Mary Minnis/Jovany Cossio

April 5: Dub Norrid/John Moore

April 12: Henry Myrick/Dub /Rob Nelson

April 19: John Lopez/John Moore

April 26: Sara Thomas/Bob Cole

Get your own sub if needed, call: **Brian Johnson, Rob Nelson, Mike Malone or Dennis Williams. John Moore for Thursdays only.**

BIRTHDAYS FOR MARCH

Martin Ruehl	3/14
Bob Kincaid	3/14
Terry Witt	3/20
Jim Smith	3/21
Julie Lichter	3/26
Jayne Pedigo	3/28
Sara Thomas	3/28

ANNIVERSARY'S FOR MARCH

Sara & Tim Thomas	3/2
Bill & Donna Bradshaw	3/4
Joe & Cindy Sparling	3/13
Payton & Jennifer Brooks	3/30

Buy thing from Amazon?



3 x's the Amazon donation from Mar 12-31 Here's a link you can use: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/27-3890253>

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.

Mar 22: Jay H, Theresa H, Margaret H

Mar 29: Sandy H, Brian H, Brandon H

Apr 5: Rob N, Dub N, Don R

Apr 12: Sarah J, Bob Kincade, Julie L

Apr 19: Glenn Coleman, Mike Malone, John Lopez

Apr 26: John M, John M, Mary Minnis

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mar 24: Voting for Trustee-District office

Mar 27: Club Social at the Pub

Mar 21: Halos T ball game-Towne Lake

Mar 30: Kiwanis night at Allen Americans

Apr 3: Bingo at Park Manor Nursing Home

Apr 10: Board meeting at Rob Nelson's

Apr 4: Caldwell Terrific Kids Parade

Apr 7: Division Council-elect new Lt. Gov.

Apr 7: Car Seat Inspection/Education Event

Apr 12-15: Key Club Convention Dallas

Apr 22: Annual Triathlon

Apr 28: Cigar Social at the Nelson's

Jun 28-Jul 1: KI Convention in Las Vegas

Jul 4-8: Key Club & Circle K International Convention in Chicago

Aug 2-4 District Convention-Abilene TX

PROGRAMS

3/22: Family Health Center-Allen Patterson

3/29: Weird Thursday

4/5: Independent Bank-Peggy Smolen

4/12: Triathlon – Dennis & Stacy Brody

4/19: Vision Source-Carey Patrick

4/26: Caldwell Elementary-Heather Woods & Kelly Flowers

If you have any program suggestions, please contact Kathy Stringer

KIWANIS EDUCATION SPOT

Club delegates approved in principle the establishment of Kiwanis districts at the Providence, Rhode Island, convention in 1918. The purpose of Kiwanis districts is to promote communication and interchange between clubs and to assist in the administrative responsibilities of Kiwanis International. Most of the original 29 districts were organized by the end of that year. In 2018 there are 49 districts with 8,072 adult clubs 8,427 youth clubs worldwide.

CLUB OFFICERS:

President: Bill Rosnett
Pres-Elect: Julie Lichter
V-Pres: Margaret Harsch
Past President: Michelle Beatty
Secretary: Sandra Williams,
Treasurer: Martin Ruehl
Directors: Jim Cairo, Mary Minnis, Rob Nelson, Terry Sanner, Ashley Sine, Kathy Stringer

KIWANIS WEB SITES:

Check out our club o our:

Awarded 1st place in the District

www.mckinneykiwanis.org

Mark Burns – Web Master.

Face Book

District: www.txok-kiwanis.org

Kiwanis International: www.kiwanis.org

BOARD MEETING

Welcome new member Jennifer Alguire sponsored by Shannon Patterson.



CITY EVENTS:

Arts in Bloom April 13-15 Benefiting McKinney Main Street

Especially Needed Easter Egg Hunt will be held

Saturday, March 2th 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM at the McKinney National Airport

Tour de Coop Saturday

April 28 - Tour de Coop – Chestnut Square Historic Village

Empty Bowls May 3rd

Thursday May 3rd Food Pantry at Community Lifeline Center