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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 <u>all</u> items put away. If you are not going to be at the meeting please get your own replacement. Thanks, the management. Oct 24: John Moore, Sandy Hart, Connie Gibson Oct 31: Beth Hensley, Mack Hill, Dave Hinman Nov 7: Felix Tijmen, Ronnie Fisher, Mark Winters If everyone takes their turn the burden does not go to the few. Thanks!!!!

Module Build – Thursday Oct. 17 Thanks for going, it was a very productive night. Bob Cole, Cotton, Dub, Jim Hudson, Kirk, Mark Burns, Keith Reeder

Ramp Build for Saturday October 19th

We were blessed with another opportunity to build a ramp. This ramp is for Sharon Hall in Farmersville. Mike Baumgardner, Mac McClammy, Jim Smith, Kirk Saxton, Shane Cowen and daughter Grace, Cotton, Jim Cairo, Bob Cole, Brian Hazelwood, John Moore, Keith Reeder.

Halos special needs T-Ball

October 23rd wrap-up party. At the fields at Towne Lake 6:30. Contact Brian Hazelwood

Club Installation Banquet October 18th



Brian Hazelwood passes the Club Charter to new President Rob Nelson

Kiwanians of the Year –Congratulations Shannon Paterson & Rob Nelson



Key Club News

<u>North fund raiser</u>-concession stand for Johnson Middle School games (ending Nov 5th) 5-9 Tuesdays at MNHS. Will need two Kiwanis members per night to fill shifts, 5-7 or 7-9. Contact: Dennis Williams

<u>Fundraisers for Boyd and North</u> will be at Sonic on November 2^{nd} (North) & 9^{th} (Boyd) 10am - 5pm. Will need three Kiwanis members per shift for both of those days. Shifts 9 am - 1:30 and 1:30 - 5:00 McKinney High Contact: Mark Winters

CAF: Thanks to everyone that came out to the airport to help support this exciting event. Our club received \$2500.00.

BBQ Dinner and Silent Auction Fundraiser

Our fundraising event is fast approaching. We need to get all of our tickets sold to get the community involved. Also, we need silent auction items. Anyone interested in getting in on the logistics of our fundraiser can come and join the BBQ committee on Monday night October 28th at 5:45 at the Pub. Every member is an important part of all of our projects. We need to make money in order to give it away. Contact Jim Cairo for information or more tickets.

Terrific Kids in Three Elementary Schools

Caldwell: First party date will be Nov 1st. 9:20-11:20am. A party of juice & apple slices to the winning classes. Contact Dub Norrid

Finch: Character Ball, Oct. 25th Kids dress as characters from books & watch movie. We will pass out Popcorn. Contact Bob Cole to help.

Webb: Reading to the kids Thursday mornings for 30 minutes. Fall Festival will be Oct. 25th 5-7. Contact Jim Smith to help.

Crystal McDonald and Rob Nelson read to kids



K Family Conference Sat. Oct 26th DFW Airport Marriott in Irving

T/O K-Kids, Builders Clubs, Key Clubs, Action Clubs and CKI Clubs will come together with Kiwanians to learn and have fun. There will be forums and training sessions. 10 am -5 pm. Need to have 4 members attend. Contact Sandra Williams

Make a Difference Day Project October 26th 9 am -1 pm

We have been reassigned. We will now gather at the <u>SPCA 8411 Stacy Road</u>. Cleaning 4 large sea containers and sorting & organizing their contents. We need a few more Kiwanis members –family members are encouraged. Snacks & bottled water provided.

ELIMINATE

MMT is caused by bacteria that gain entry into the body during the birthing process due to contaminated and unsafe birthing practices. Honor a loved one by giving a Walter Zeller award. Normally the donation for this award is \$1250. This Tax Exempt gift can be given for half the price. The club will match a \$625 donation.







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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 Durinda Fisher -WEDNESDAY Oct 23: Mike Livezey/ Ron Cole Oct 30: Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson Nov 6: Henry Myrick Nov 13: Dennis Williams Nov 20: Mike Livezey/Ron Cole

-THURSDAY

Oct 24: Henry Myrick Oct 31: Dub Norrid/Cotton Chandler Nov 7: John Moore/Brad Redfield Nov 14: Sara Thomas/Jared Cole Nov 21: 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 OCTOBER

| Cindy Princen | 10/06 |
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| Crystal McDonald | 10/07 |
| Dan Trahan | 10/09 |
| Ronnie Thomason | 10/14 |
| Les Bartlett | 10/18 |
| Joe Massey | 10/15 |
| Norm Dotson | 10/20 |
| Alyssa Summey | 10/26 |
| Mike Overcast | 10/28 |
| Margaret Bush | 10/30 |

ANNIVERSARY'S FOR OCTOBER

| Kurt & Amber Kuehn | 10/05 |
|--------------------------|-------|
| Jim & Anne Cairo | 10/12 |
| Brian & Brandi Hazelwood | 10/23 |

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Meals on Wheels Secret Santa gifts. They are looking for volunteers to buy gifts for seniors. They have a list and the items are not a lot (around \$25). To give a gift for Christmas please contact them at 972-632-3133 or e-mail them at <u>clickp@mowcc.com</u>

Especially Needed Fall Carnival October 26th 5 pm – 8 pm Free Event The Ballfields at Craig Ranch

Volunteers needed to help run this fun filled day. Contact: Rob Nelson or <u>www.especiallyneeded.org</u>

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PROGRAMS:

Oct. 24: Eliminate – Shawn Wade Oct 31: TXDOT – Gary Graham Nov 7: Captain Mike Nov 14: Meals on Wheels Nov 21: Dallas Arboretum Nov 26(Tuesday): Weird Auction

DATES TO REMEMBER

Oct 25: Finch Terrific Kids Award Party Oct 25: Webb Fall Festival – evening 5-7 Oct 26: K-Family Conference – Marriott in Irving Oct 26: Make a Difference Day in McKinney Nov 1: Caldwell Terrific Kids Award Party Nov 1: BBQ Dinner & Silent Auction Fundraiser Nov 2 & 9: Key Club Sonic Fundraiser Nov 5: Bingo at Nursing Home Nov 11: Board Meeting at the Pub Nov 28 & 29: Salvation Army Bell Ringing Begins

KIWANIS WEB SITES:

Club: Face Book.com, and www.mckinneykiwanis.org Mark Burns - Web Master, District: www.txokkiwanis.org Division: http://kiwanis2.wordpress.com Kiwanis International: 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 972-562-7219

American Legacy Celebration/Sons of the Flag & Cavanaugh Flight Museum Saturday Nov. 9th at McKinney Airport. Legacy Jump Team, Morning 5K run, Kids Zone, Food Vendors, Exciting exibits, Baloon Glow at Sunset. Need volunteers in all areas and shifts i.e. gate,SOTF table/tent, water, food court. www.celebrateourvets.com www.celebrateourvets.com To volunteer contact Mary Meier at: marydentonmeier@gmail.com

Those who can, do. Those who can do more, volunteer.