



A Publication of the Kiwanis Club of McKinney

Texas/Oklahoma District

Meetings every Thursday at Noon St. Peters Episcopal Church 608 Lamar / P.O .Box 667 February 28, 2013

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KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL PROJECT ELIMINATE

maternal/neonatal tetanus

Maternal/neonatal tetanus is caused by bacteria that gain entry into the body during the birthing process due to contaminated and unsafe birthing facilities and practices.

Everyone bring in your jars (no matter how full). Put your name on your jar so Dennis Williams can get them back to the right member. Thank you

Kiwanis International has created a way for you to honor a loved one by giving \$1,250 for a Walter Zeller award. Now this Tax Exempt gift can be given for half the price. Our club will match a donation of \$625 as long as our funds last. Please consider this great honor for someone you would like to recognize and save over 600 children and their mothers. Please contribute.

To see a great story on Shannon Patterson being awarded the Walter Zeller cut and past this link:

http://townsquarebuzz.com/ams/48527/mckinneyrealtor-shannon-patterson-recognized-kiwanis-

philantropy/19495/ams/48527



Member Concerns

Mark Winters was admitted to Medical City Dallas on Monday Feb 25 to start receiving stem cell transplant for his cancer treatment. Mark will be in the hospital for the next 2 weeks and could use our support

Glenn Coleman unfortunately had foot surgery again, and has to keep elevated to minimize swelling. He is doing great though.

Pat's Murray's last surgery went well but was extensive, he is home but is in lots of pain

Cards, emails, phone calls or even a visit if you are able. Of course, thoughts and prayers are also more than welcome!

PANCAKE FUNDRAISER THIS SATURDAY MARCH 2ND

6:30 - 11:30 AM

First Christian church 1800 W. Hunt St McKinney Get out and sell those tickets, we need to get a lot of people there to eat and enjoy the fellowship. The more you sell the more we have to donate to the community. Get more tickets from Rob Nelson

SELL! SELL !! SELL !!!

Check out our pancake article in Townsquare

Terrific Kids at 3 Elementary Schools

Caldwell: Dub Norrid-

Webb: Jim Smith and Joe Massey – Reading-Every **Thursdays 10:45-11:15-** You will read in 2 assigned classes for 15-minutes each; Books will be waiting for you in the Webb office, please plan to check-in at 10:30

*Finch: Bob Cole – March 8nd Popsicle Palooza -**Date change**. Between 8:15 – 10:30 am

You MUST have MISD background clearance for all school activities. To get clearance:

http://www.mckinneyisd.net/

Quick Links drop down menu on right Click on Volunteer at the bottom of the list At the bottom of this page click on Volunteer Application. Follow the prompts.

MARCH 2ND DIVISION COUNCIL MEETING

We will have the election for Lt. Governor and Lt. Governor Elect. Mike Livezey will be our Lt. Governor next year, 2013-2014 and we will vote in Shawn Wade from the Allen club for 2014-2015

All crayons and coloring books for Children's Hospital and canned food donation for the food pantry should be brought that day.

TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALL GAME

Frisco Rough Riders Division Social Sunday, April 14th at 4 pm \$17.00 per person includes ticket, free cap and all the hotdogs, hamburgers, nachos & Dr. Pepper products you want before and 90 minutes into the game. Please RSVP and pay before March 14th to Sandra Williams

LOTS OF DISTRICT NEWS

Take a look at the latest issue of the District Newsletter Ki-Notes (" K e y - N o t e s") at http://www.txok-kiwanis.org click Newsletter. Thanks to Dub Norrid, we have an article in there.



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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

Feb 27: Dennis Williams

Mar 6: Mike Livezey/Ron Cole

Mar 13: Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson

Mar 20: Henry Myrick Mar 27: Dennis Williams

-THURSDAY

Feb 28: Henry Myrick/Jose Hernandez

Mar 7: Sara Thomas/Jared Cole

Mar 14: Henry Myrick/Cotton Chandler

Mar 21: Dub Norrid/Bob Cole

Mar 28: Henry Myrick/Jose Hernandez

Get your own sub if needed, call: Henry Myrick 972-562-8269, Cotton Chandler 972-346-3332, and

Dennis Williams 972-562-7219

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS:

2/1 Chris Hill

2/3 Mark Burns

2/9 Connie Gibson

2/11 Dick Thompson

2/17 Jim Harmon

2/17 Mike Malone

2/18 Justin Beller

2/20 Bill Bradshaw

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

2/5 Les/Lorraine Bartlett

2/11 Ronnie/Carla Fisher

2/24 Durinda/Dan Fisher

Clean up Our Meeting Room

Please clean your own table!

The following members will be responsible 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.

Feb 28: Mike Livezey, Jennifer Irwin, Shane Cowan **Mar 7:** Keith Reeder, Don Renshaw, Dick Horn **Mar 14:** Shannon, Mike Overcast, Jim Hinman

Allen Kiwanis Club Fundraiser Carson & Barnes Circus. March 22024 at Allen Millennium Park 505 Century Parkway. Check their web site for all the information: www.allenkiwanis.org

PROGRAMS:

Feb 28: John Pollock-Secrets about your Taxes

Mar 7: Randy Reiners- Best Education for your Child

Mar 14: David Rosen-Protecting your Data

Mar 21: Mayor-TBD

Mar 28: Carey Patrick-Your Eyes-Window to Health

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mar 2: Pancake Breakfast Fund Raiser

Mar 2: Division Council Meeting

Mar 5: Bingo - Homestead Nursing Home

Mar 11: Board Meeting

Mar 14: Module Build for Wheel Chair Ramps

Apr 4-7: Key Club Convention – Sheraton Dallas

Apr 6: Kiwanis One Day-International Service Day

Apr 6: Division Council Meeting

Apr 14: Frisco Rough Riders Division Social

Jun 26-30: International Convention-Vancouver

Jul 3-7: Key Club Convention-Washington DC

Aug 4: Triathlon Fund Raiser for our Club

Aug 8-12: T/O Convention in Rockwall (we will be helping)

This is your Newsletter! Please submit any articles & ideas by Wednesday afternoons of each week to Sandra Williams at dscustomwood@gmail.com

KIWANIS WEB SITES:

Club: Face Book.com, and $\underline{www.mckinneykiwanis.org}$ Mark

Burns - Web Master, District: www.txok-kiwanis.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 Brian Hazelwood

Pres-Elect: Rob Nelson

V-Pres: Jim Cairo

Past President: Joe Sparling

Secretary: Sandra Williams, Treasurer: Brian Cunningham Directors: Payton Brooks, Bob Cole, Tijmen Felix, Margaret Harsh, Shannon Patterson, Keith Reeder.

A big thanks to those of you that have returned your background check. Still need more! Some of you may notice that your background check cards are out of date. Please fill out another background check ASAP. I will have them at the club and I have e-mailed them out to everyone that is due for renewal. You will be charged \$7.30 on your monthly statement.