



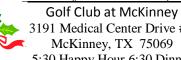
A Publication of the Kiwanis Club of McKinney

Texas/Oklahoma District

December 11, 2014

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OUR McKINNEY CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY THIS SATURDAY!! Saturday December 13, 2014



3191 Medical Center Drive #G McKinney, TX 75069 5:30 Happy Hour 6:30 Dinner

Bring a white elephant gift and a covered dish to share. Christmas Casual

Sign up at the meeting or by e-mailing Dub Norrid or Shannon Patterson

RAMP AND MODULE BUILDS

Module build Thursday December 18 - 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

FOOD COLLECTION WITH SUPER 1

Super 1 has our large box in the front of their store with the Kiwanis name on it. They have bags to purchase and put into the box. Our Food Box delivery committee will pick up the food and store it at Tom Day's Garage. We will have a sorting event on Friday 4-6. The food we have collected will be divided into boxes and then members of our club and their families will head out on Saturday December 20th 8:30 a.m. to deliver the Food Boxes to families, names provided by the Salvation Army. Go by the store and buy a bag.

KEY CLUBS

Bovd Kev Club contact Tom Day and Dan Trahan McKinney Key Club contact Margaret Harsch North Key Club- Payton Brooks

Lovejoy Key Club – Justin Beller

All the local Key Clubs (Division 2) will be having a canned food drive on Saturday December 13th 1-5 PM Allen High School's small parking lot to collect food donations for the Allen Community Outreach Food Pantry. And then.....

PARADE OF LIGHTS **DOWNTOWN** McKINNEY Key Club members will be putting together a float and taking part in the parade. Thanks to Tom Day and Dan Trahan for helping the kids with this fun evening.

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.

Dec 11: Tom Day, Durinda Fisher, Connie Gibson Dec 18: Sara Thomas, Ronnie T, Dan Trahan

If everyone takes their turn the burden does not go to

the few. Thanks!!!!

SALVATION ARMY BELL RINGING

Our club is responsible for filling every day (except Sundays) at Sam's on 380 from the day after Thanksgiving until Christmas Eve. Dennis Williams gets ringers from organizations and businesses to fill in the times. Be ready to come out and ring when Dennis needs extra ringers. The shifts are only one hour each. Bring your family, props, and a smile.



Terrific Kids at three Elementary Schools

Caldwell: Next awards parties will be January 9th starting at 9 am. Contact: Dub Norrid

Finch: Bob Cole

Webb: Hot Cocoa & Candy Canes and reading their

own stories that they wrote 1:00 - 1st grade 1 class-Soto

1:30 - Kinder-All

2:00- 2nd- All Contact: Jim Smith

DIVISION 2 CHRISTMAS PARTY

Shawn Wade's home

Date: Sunday, December 21st

Time: 5:00 - 8:30

Address: 1801 Round Rock Drive Allen, TX 75002 RSVP to Kiwanis@ShawnWade.com by December

This is an event for anyone in the division who would like to attend.

There will be food and adult beverages to enjoy. I will send out a list of what will be available and you are welcome to bring anything else you would like to accompany food or drink as well.

*** Best Christmas Pageant Ever ***

Shawn is in this Christmas production. It is being performed at Allen's Community Theatre located at the corner of Allen Heights and Main Street (which is McDermott at 75 and at Greenville turns into Main Street) If you would like to go that day at 2pm let him know when you RSVP for discount tickets.



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MEALS ON WHEELS

Pick-up at 10:45 a.m.

Interested in doing meals on wheels? Call Sandra Williams

-WEDNESDAY

Dec 10: Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson **Dec 17:** Dennis Williams/Michelle Beatty

Dec 24: No Meals Delivery Dec 31: Henry Myrick

Jan 7: Durinda Fisher/Connie Gibson

-THURSDAY

Dec 11: John Moore/Brad Redfield Dec 18: Dub Norrid/John Moore Jan 8: Sara Thomas/Bob Cole

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

BIRTHDAYS FOR DECEMBER

Chris Nickel	12/1
Don Renshaw	12/4
Ron Cole	12/5
Barbara Hartline	12/8
Jim Cairo	12/10
Roger Dickey	12/11
Mary Minnis	12/17
Pat Murray	12/18
Tom Day	12/25
Suzanne Davis	12/28

ANNIVERSARY'S FOR DECEMBER

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Dick & Sue Horn	12/10
Justin & Amanda Beller	12/27
Keith & Debbie Reeder	12/27
Jim & Nancy Harman	12/28
Brian & Kathy Cunningham	12/29

BINGO

Last Tuesday Night. Thanks to Paula for setting it up, Steve Daily for bring gift bags for the residents and thanks to all the volunteers



PROGRAMS: Please help with suggestions!!

Dec 18: True North Concert Choir

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

DATES TO REMEMBER

Dec 13: Saturday-Christmas Party

Dec 18: Module Build **Dec 19:** Food Sorting

Dec 20: Delivery of Food BoxesDec 25: No Meeting/ Christmas DayJan 1: No meeting / New Year's Day

Jan 23 and 24: Detroit 100th Anniversary Celebration

Feb 28: Pancake Breakfast

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

CLUB OFFICERS:

President: Jim Cairo imcairo@ebby.com

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Directors: Payton Brooks, Dennis Burt, Dave Hinman,

Tressie Johnsen, Kirk Saxon, Bill Rosnett

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



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.

MNT is a preventable disease—and it only costs US\$1.80 to protect a woman and her future babies. That's less than most people spend on a cup of coffee every day. What if you woke up each morning knowing you had saved lives? You can—with a commitment that saves or protects lives every day.

TRIATHLON MARCH 29, 2015 SPONSORS!!!!

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 contact Mark Carswell or Dennis Williams