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OBJECTIVES OF KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL

TO GIVE primacy to the human and spiritual, rather than to the material values of

TO ENCOURAGE the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.



TO PROMOTE the adoption of higher social, business, and professional standards.

TO DEVELOP



through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.

TO COOPERATE

in creating and maintaining that sound public option and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and good will.

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GRAK CONNECTION

The Greater Randolph Area Kiwanis Weekly Newsletter Kiwanis - "Serving the Children of the World"



GREETERS

November 20 - Trini Cantu November 27 - Round Table December 4 - Brianna Cook December 11 - Howie Egbert December 18 - Anita Freeman

HAPPY BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY

November 25 - Howie Egbert November 29 - Mendell Morgan December 18 - Anita Freeman

PROGRAMS/EVENTS

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PRAYER

Heavenly Father, As we gather together, we praise You for this day and Your purpose for it. We ask that You bless all our endeavors, especially todays meeting. Enlighten our minds in every decision that we make and give us Your grace that we may effectively do our parts as Kiwanians. Bless our plans, programs and projects, so that we may achieve our objectives, for Your greater glory. We ask these things in your name, Amen.

SONG

My Country 'Tis of Thee (Verse 4) Our fathers' God, to thee, Author of liberty, To thee we sing: Long may our land be bright With freedom's holy light. Protect us by thy might,

Great God, our King!

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MEETINGS

7am

Every Wednesday

Jim's Restaurant

7000 N. Loop 1604 E.

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by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.



ABOUT

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time. Our members at the **Greater Randolph** Area Kiwanis (GRAK) help feed the hungry, mentor youth, and help care for the disabled and disadvantaged. We develop youth as leaders, raise funds for scholarships and more. Working together, members achieve what one person cannot accomplish alone. When you give a child a chance to learn, experience, dream and succeed, great things happen!

UPCOMING DATES

November 20 : ARC Interclub November 27 : Deadline for Wreaths Across America November 28: Thanksgiving Day March 16 - 20 : Builders Club Week December 14 : Christmas Toy Shopping December 21 : Christmas Food Basket Shopping

DIVISION 5 SCHEDULE

Lt. Governor - Dave Browne | dbrowne@satx.rr.com Lt. Governor Elect - Boyd Sauter

Alamo San Antonio: Luby's on N. Main | Thursdays at 12 Noon Army Residence Community Golden K: ARC Crestway | Wednesdays at 12 Noon Bandera County: Pap's Italian Grill | 1st and 3rd Thursday at 12 Noon San Antonio Bexar: Fiesta Room, Luby's Cafeteria on N. Main | Fridays at 12 Noon Greater Randolph Area: Jim's Restaurant 1604 N | Wednesdays at 7AM Kerrville: Kerrville Kroc Center | Thursdays at 12 Noon New Braunfels: Gruene Door | Thursdays at 12:10 PM Northeast San Antonio: Longhorn Cafe Rittiman | 1st and 3rd Tuesdays 11:30 AM Uvalde: Town House Restaurant (E. Main St.) | Tuesdays at 12 Noon Samuel Clemens Key Club: Room 202 | Tuesdays at 4:00 PM JECA Key Club: JECA Commons | 2nd Tuesday at 4:00 PM

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



HOWIE EGBERT

Joined: 7/14/2011 **Favorite Service Project:** Happy Hearts which supports at risk elementary school children with food and clothing throughout the school year. Life Motto: "Do the right thing-you'll be happier 90 percent of the time."

LAST WEEK

Greeter - Lauri Bliss Breakfast Winner - Trini Cantu Split the Pot - Larry Milton

Guests - None Speaker - None

• A spirited Happy Birthday was sung to Terry!



- Larry attended the Clemens and Mendell the JECA Key Club meeting. In this season of Thanksgiving, Mendell thanked JECA for their special help with the various duties at the pancake breakfast: marching in the parade, greeting, cooking, plating, serving, clearing up at the event. Mrs. Deramchi was also thanked for her active participation. The list of officers, Key club rules and upcoming events was mentioned.

and a 9 a.m. Book Distribution at Royal Ridge happened later that day 11/13

• Mendell urged members to bring stamps being saved for Charlet next week

- JECA plans to have a potluck at their December 10th meeting which will cost \$150. Mendell proposed raising the gift approved last week for each club from \$100 to \$150. This was made in the form of a motion which passed.
- Money and bills are still coming in so we do not have final numbers on the pancake breakfast.
- Dave bought new coffee pot extension cords and Larry has placed new flag brackets at the Bookrack (Dave has a supply).
- Committee reports included SLPs, Happy Hearts, flags and YCPO activity in addition to the Pancake Breakfast fundraiser.
- The General Meeting adjourned and the Board meeting shortly after.
- Minutes were approved, Monthly and Treasurer's Reports old business was reviewed. In new business the Secretary was asked to send a thank you note to Daisy's Houston friends who helped deliver pancake breakfasts. A committee was formed to develop guidelines for the \$500 scholarships for both Clemens and JECA (it was clarified that each will receive two).
- A draft budget was approved as a working copy.
- The revised flag routes were distributed. The flag contract will be revised to reflect a new \$40 annual fee and additional contracts will be solicited. Board adjourned at 8:05 a.m.

