

62nd Pancake Day: Another Success



CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Wed., May 4, 2011

Noon @ Abilene Country Club

We will celebrate our annual Vocational/Technical day this Wednesday, honoring outstanding students chosen by their teachers, award scholarships and hearing Dr. Virginia L. Mosier.

Dr. Mosier, a fellow Kiwanian, is the retiring Executive Director for Career and Technical Education in the Abilene Independent School District.

She grew up in Abilene where her parents were on the faculty of Abilene Christian. She is an Abilene High graduate and holds degrees from ACU and the University of North Texas.

After 18 years teaching in the Dallas area and 8 years as an associate professor with Texas A&M—Corpus Christi, she returned home in 2000 to teach in the Department of Education at Abilene Christian University and in 2003 was promoted to director of student teachers.

In 2004, she joined the administration of the Abilene Independent School District to head their Career and Technology Education department.

Dr. Mosier has served on the boards of Junior Achievement, West Central Texas Tech Prep, Chamber of Commerce L.E.A.D. Committee (Leadership, Education, and Development), Abilene Industrial Foundation Board of Directors, and Abilene Police Department Citizen's Advisory Committee.

Among her honors are the State Outstanding Teacher for Trade and Industrial Education, State Outstanding Teacher Educator, National Outstanding Service award from Trade and Industrial Division of American Vocational Association and the Morlan Award for Contribution to Education—Outstanding Alumnus Award from Abilene Christian University Department of Education.



PRESIDENTIAL PAUSE

by Lora Lynn Christensen

What a pleasure to hear from Dr. Phil Schubert, President of Abilene Christian University, about one of the fine education institutions in Abilene. It is always encouraging to hear about the successes of young adults.

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KIWANIS CLUB OF ABILENE

Weekly Meeting April 27, 2011

Abilene Country Club

Led Meeting.....	Lora Lynn Christensen
Prayer.....	Faye Dodson
Music.....	Ken Poynor
Piano.....	Tim Adcock
Pledge.....	Zach Briley
Guests.....	Price Brock
Brag Basket Collected.....	\$16.00
Cup Money.....	\$34.02
Kiwanian of the Week introducer.....	Russell Berry
Kiwanian of the Week.....	Rob Allen

Guests

Guests.....	Guest of Member
Joan Batson.....	David Batson
Allen Wilson.....	Russell Berry
George Woodfin.....	Greater Abilene Club
Roma Howard.....	Greater Abilene Club
Bobbie Bieberly.....	Greater Abilene Club
Gary Jay.....	Greater Abilene Club

In our prayers

- Dorothy Dowell, wife of Gordon Dowell
- Van Boozer who is undergoing medical testing
- Praise that Keith Garner is doing well after back surgery on 4/21/11
- Remember Jarrell Young who is recovering from Hip Replacement surgery
- Pray for Jim Miller who has been in the hospital with pneumonia
- Remember Bill and Ginger Zavatson and health issues for them
- Remember Leonard Brock who is at the Oaks at Radford Hills, room 40
- Remember Clarence Presswood who would sure like to see visitors

Last week's program

Dr. Phil Schubert, President of Abilene Christian University, was introduced by Gordon Dowell.

Dr. Schubert shared with us some interesting facts about the university and answered a variety of our questions.



Dr. Phil Schubert

Pancake \$\$\$ @ work



David Jones presented Basketball Shootout proceeds in the amount of \$6,255.32 to Melinda Blay (center) and Megan Clifton. Melinda accepted the funds for the Children's Miracle Network, expressing appreciation to the club for support. She said the grand opening of the new children's wing of Hendrick Medical Center is tentatively scheduled for January 2012.

Our Layperson of the Year



Congratulations to Jamie Breed who was selected as Layperson of the Year for the Kiwanis Club of Abilene. The award was presented to Jamie by George Knight.

Our newest members

Member.....	Sponsor
Roy Cloud.....	Russell Berry
T-Roy Dodson.....	Faye Dodson
Christine Curtis-Carr.....	Faye Dodson
Tim Adcock.....	Lora Lynn Christensen

Pancake Day 2011

from the camera of Charles Kirkpatrick

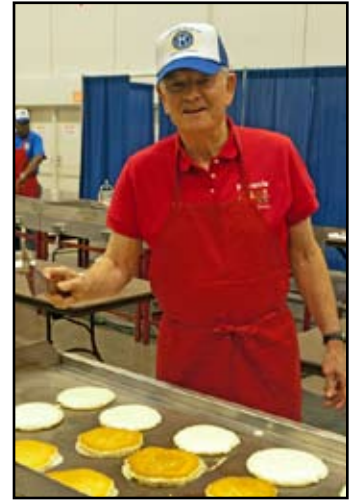
“Success” may be an understatement in describing our 62nd Annual Pancake Day.

We served thousands of Abilenians who all left with smiles on their faces and stuffed tummies.

We served dozens of local organizations and groups who in the next year will be getting our Pancake Dollars.

We served Kiwanis well by showing our entire community what we can do.

Thanks to every member who worked Pancake Day, or the day before or after; every member who sold tickets and/or brought silent auction items; thanks to the news media for helping us get the word out; thanks to everyone who bought tickets or bid on auction items; and our biggest thanks to our friends at IHOP.



Clockwise from top left, Kenny Smith making pancake batter

Syrup Man entertaining the crowd

Guy Lucas serving pancakes

Margaret Hoogstra cleaning tables

Russell Berry flipping pancakes

Only a few weeks ago, we lost Bud Coke who always enjoyed flipping those pancakes. To honor his memory, we left his griddle vacant.

(photo by Doug Williamson)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Skip-A-Meal Program

WHO: Kiwanis International has challenged every Kiwanis family member around the globe to participate in the Skip-A-Meal program to help the Kiwanis International Foundation.

WHAT: Give up one meal to help others who go without. Members are challenged to go without one meal and donate the amount they didn't spend on that meal.

\$5 = 7 meals for children (one member); \$50 = 10 children's books (10 members) ; \$100 = 5 pairs of shoes (you do the math); \$175 = 1 after-school program for a child in need.

Members may invite family members, friends and neighbors to participate, also.

WHEN: The month of May.

HOW: Make your donation to the Kiwanis Club of Abilene and one check will be sent to the Kiwanis International Foundation with our club's name.

June 8th, we'll be @ the ranch

NOTICE: Our June 8th Wednesday club meeting will be at the Ben Richey Boys Ranch. We will be guests of the ranch, under the pavilion, celebrating Pancake Wrap-up Day.

Perfect attendance

Kiwanis Members: please inform Faye Dodson of the number of your years of perfect attendance. Attendance tags will be handed out in May.

Our Prayer Breakfast is fast approaching

Our Kiwanis Annual Prayer Breakfast will be Thursday, June 2nd from 6:45 to 7:50 a.m. at Bobbie Wolfe's Barn at 24 Avenida de Silva. One highlight of the breakfast is the naming of the Division 35 Layperson of the Year.

Calendar

May 10	Division Council Meeting Cotton Patch, 6:30 p.m. <i>(new members and committee chairs, make plans now to attend)</i>
June 2	Division 35 Prayer Breakfast Bobbie Wolfe's Barn, 24 Avenida de Silva 6:45-7:50 a.m.
June 8	Club will meet at Ben Richey Boys Ranch not the Abilene Country Club
July 7-10.....	96th Annual Kiwanis International Convention Geneva Switzerland
August 25-29.....	Tx-Ok Convention at Sea

NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM

*May 11
Col. David Been
Dyess AFB*

Presidential Pause continued

Thank you Gordon Dowell for securing the program and introducing Dr. Schubert.

Do you know where your Kiwanis Directory is? If you cannot find it, check with Faye Dodson. It will be viable for another five months. This president gets requests for information that is in the directory.

Guests coming in May

During the month of May we will be honoring several young people and inviting them and their parents to lunch. Please consider paying for a guest or two to help the "Admin" account to stay in the black.

Elections coming up

Elections for officers for 2011-2012 will be held at the next few meetings. Your attendance and your vote is important.

Celebrating our 90 years: 1980

- Dr. H. Bedford Furr was the first new member in 1979-80.
- Oct. 17 was the Ed Wishcamper Roast where he was thoroughly roasted by his friends in Kiwanis and elsewhere. Jim Griggs was Chairman of the day and John Stevens, Raymond McDaniel, Jim Tittle, Fred Lee Hughes, and Clive Pierce proceeded to make stinging remarks about the "dishonored victim."

- Pancake Day was April 15, A big ticket sales campaign was conducted under the leadership of Van Boozer, Bedford Furr, Bob Hitt and J. B. Jordan. Tickets were \$2.00. Clive Pierce from his hospital bed sold 219 tickets. Gross sales were \$14,932.00.

- The "Round Tuit" campaign kicked off to recruit new members. Each member was given a "Round Tuit" wooden medallion to carry in his pocket to remind himself to get a new member.

- On April 16 eleven new members were inducted which brought our membership to 237, the largest club in Tex-Ok District. The team that recruited the most members got to eat steak and the other team got to eat pinto beans on June 4, 1980.

Pancake Day Update

Here's what was reported at our club meeting last Wednesday. We'll have final totals for Pancake Day on June 8th during our celebration, to be held at the Ben Richey Boys Ranch.

Last week's Ticket sales

Total sales for this week were \$5,839.00. Total sales for Pancake Day so far have been \$24,400.21.

1st place team: Annie Oakley. 2nd was Jesse James, and Wild Bill came in 3rd.

Here's the team-by-team breakdown:

Wild Bill:

1st - Jack Rentz\$1,000.00
2nd - Marty Anderson .\$.210.00
3rd - Carl Lockett.....\$185.00
Raymond McDaniel also sold more than \$100

Annie Oakley:

1st - Jerry Harris.....\$690.00
2nd - Russell Berry\$473.00
3rd - Lynda Fogerson ..\$245.00
Others with \$100+ were Kimberley Cole, Dub Pritchett & Duane Shackelford

Jesse James:

1st - Bill Hoogstra.....\$810.00
2nd - Zach Briley\$320.00
3rd - Faye Dodson.....\$200.00

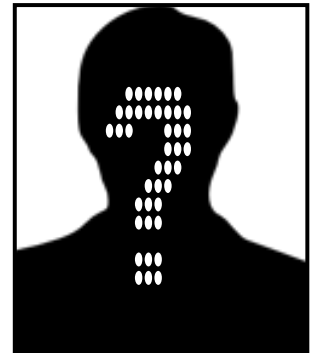
If there was a way you could help the children of Abilene and the surrounding area, you would want to be a part of it, wouldn't you?

The purpose of Pancake Day is to raise money to help the children.

Every dollar we raise during this campaign will be used to help children.

KIWANIAN OF THE WEEK

1. I was born in Abilene, Texas
2. I grew up in Abilene, Texas
3. I have lived in Abilene for 80 years.
4. Schools I attended include Abilene High School, Southwestern University, McMurry, and Southern Methodist University School of Banking.
5. I have been a member of Kiwanis for 40 years, all in the Kiwanis Club of Abilene.
6. My Kiwanis offices include Treasurer of the Kiwanis Club of Abilene; Treasurer of the Texas-Oklahoma District.
7. My hobbies include hunting, fishing, and golf



Last week's Kiwanian of the Week was Rob Allen



We like you, so now, please "Like" the Kiwanis Club of Abilene on Facebook.

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