



TEXAS, OUR TEXAS Abilene Country Club Noon, Wednesday, April 18, 2012

Reagan Elementary School is proud to present a brief program entitled, Texas, Our Texas, under the direction of Mrs. Kelly Orr. 10 first graders and 10 second graders were chosen to be in this special group based on their participation in music class and their overall behavior and citizenship. They are honored to represent Reagan Elementary School and are excited to perform for the Kiwanis Club of Abilene.

Pancake Day Ticket Sales Results Week Three

Habanero.....	\$1,060.00
Serrano.....	\$1,860.00
Jalapeno.....	\$1,170.00
Total from the teams	\$4,090.00
Week 1.....	\$1,775.00
Week 2.....	\$5,385.00
Week 3.....	\$4,090.00
Total To Date.....	\$11,250.00



David Jones with the Jalapeno team sold \$320.00 for 3rd place

Jack Rentz with the Habanero team was in 2nd place this week with \$600.00 sold

And Jerry Carter came in 1st for the Serrano team with 710.00 sold

Ricki Brown, team captain for the Habanero team was awarded the Tabasco Lollipop for 3rd place position

Week Three Summary: Thirty-five Kiwanians

have turned in ticket sale money thus far. Are you in that number? We need your help to be successful. Sell Tickets! We have 2 weeks remaining to PAN-CAKE DAY.

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and one community at a time**

Walk the Talk!

KIWANIS CLUB OF ABILENE

Weekly Meeting April 11, 2012

Abilene Country Club

Led Meeting.....	Charles Kirkpatrick
Prayer.....	Doug Williamson
Music	Jamie Breed
Piano	Lora Lynn Christensen
Pledge	David Jones
Guests	Nancy Miller
Photography.....	David Jones
Brag Basket (Mac Sipe).....	\$1.00
Cup Money	\$24.29

Guest

Guests.....	Guest of Member
Nancy Brock	Price Brock
Becky Rentz	Jack Rentz
Linda Powell	Jud Powell
David Sims.....	Pam McGrew
Michael Talerico	Melvin Martin

In our prayers

Remember the following spouses:

- Janice, wife of Guinn Smith whose surgery went very well Janice will remain at MD Anderson for several weeks.
 - Linda, wife of Jud Powell and
 - Joan, wife of George Knight
- Remember Henry McGinty, Jarrell Young, Van Boozer, Leonard Brock, LuGene Lewis Kirby Leeson

The program

Program: Melvin Martin introduced our own Dr. Jud Powell as the MYSTERY Speaker for the April 11th meeting. Jud, who holds the honor of 1st Edward E. Jones Financial Advisor in Abilene and an honorary doctorate from Hardin Simmons University, spoke to us about the stock market. If anyone could make the topic of the Stock Market interesting, it would be Jud Powell. He communicated 4 points as follows:

1. The market always goes down when uncertain events occur, for example the debt crisis in Greece. Keep in mind, certainty clears up and the market recovers-eventually.

2. Bad market does not



Jud Powell presented the program.

last forever

3. There is wisdom in buying good stuff and leaving it alone

4. It Does Not matter who is in the White House. What matters is Free Enterprise which remains alive and well in America.

Jud closed with the following quote from Mark Twain

I have been through some terrible things in my life, some of which actually happened.

Great Job Jud!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Honor a fellow member

Lay Person of the Year applications are available. Please contact Randy Williams or any member of the Spiritual Aims committee for additional information.

Let's boost the bottom line

Silent auction items are needed.

Bring items or money to weekly meeting. Contact Marty Anderson or Christine Curtis-Carr for additional information. We currently have at least 170 items, but as we know, more is needed. Marty and Christine need your help to make this a success.

Pancake Day Flyers available

Flyers are available again this week on page 4, and they have been emailed as a single page document for your convenience. Get the word out and sell tickets.

Membership Campaign

New members are important to us. Keep in mind the membership campaign. Invite guests and share your Kiwanis story.

Ramp Project

The next ramp will be built on April 19th. Contact Bill Hoogstra, Kelly Jones or Dennis Laster to help.

Calendar

- Apr. 19: Board Meeting - Noon, Bogie's Sandwich Shop, downtown
- Apr. 25: Kari Leong of AISD will speak at our meeting at noon at the Abilene Country Club
- Apr. 28: PANCAKE DAY - Mark your calendar - We have a job for you
- May 2: "Spitfire Grill" from the Abilene Community Theatre will be our program at noon at the Abilene Country Club

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Earl Williams celebrates the anniversary of his birth.



Roy Dent gave the Pancake Day sales report.



Nancy Miller introduced our guests.



Melvin Martin introduced the program.



Michael Talerico was the guest of Melvin Martin. Michael is the manager of the Red Bud Y.



Ricki Brown had the dubious honor of receiving the Tabasco Sucker award this week.



Lt. Governor Carl Lockett encouraged club members to go out and bring in new members.



David Sims was the guest of Pam McGrew. David will be inducted as a new member next week.



President Charles Kirkpatrick encouraged Kiwanians to display Pancake Day flyers. Hey, this is an easy way to help get the word out and make Pancake Day even more successful.

To Do List:

- Sell Pancake Day tickets**
- Work the morning or afternoon shift, or both at Pancake Day on April 28th**
- Know that you have helped to change the children and our community**

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ALL YOU CAN EAT
PANCAKE DAY

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APRIL 28, 2012
ABILENE CIVIC CENTER
8 AM - 2 PM
4 PM - 7 PM

\$5 IN ADVANCE
\$6 AT THE DOOR

CHILDREN UNDER 5, ACCOMPANIED BY
A PAYING ADULT, EAT FREE

Proceeds benefit children in the Big Country

SPIRITUAL AIMS MESSAGE

By Randy Williams

After Jesus was raised from the dead, he began to appear to various followers.

Ever notice how they didn't recognize him until he spoke or did something familiar to them?

Why?

There are several scriptures in the Bible that indicate that Jesus body still bore witness to the brutality he had suffered. No doubt his beard had been torn out and scar tissue had formed over his wounds.

In Revelations, John goes forward in time several thousand years and in Chapter 5, vrs. 6 he says:

“And I beheld, and, lo, in the midst of the throne and of the four beasts, and in the midst of the elders, stood a Lamb as it had been slain, having seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven Spirits of God sent forth into all the earth.”

We find the Lamb as it had been slain, apparently still bearing the scars of the cross. When Jesus returns, He proclaims, “And they shall look upon me whom they have pierced.”

The marks of His humiliation are also the marks of His glory. But the significance of the cross will take us an eternity to even begin to understand what it cost Him that we might be with Him.

I have heard it put like this: “He was born of a woman so that we could be born of God. He humbled Himself so that we could be lifted up. He became a servant so that we could be made co-heirs. He suffered rejections so that we could become His friends. How precious our Redeemer is! Have you really thanked Him lately?”

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- May 9: Our own Dr. Rosanna Herndon will be the program at our meeting at noon at the **FAIRWAY OAKS**
- May 30: Dr. Sunil Patel will speak on macular degeneration at our meeting at noon at the Abilene Country Club
- May 31: Annual Division 35 Prayer Breakfast @ Bobbie Wolfe's barn
- Jun. 27-July 1: KI Convention – New Orleans, Louisiana
- Aug. 8-12: Kiwanis District Convention – Killeen

Birthdays

- Apr. 18: Kirby Leeson
- Apr. 20: Don Paige
- Apr. 25: David Jones
- Apr. 28: Tara Castille
- Apr. 29: Kirk Hancock
- May 4: Mark Young
- May 12: Sheila Watts
- May 16: Robert Pritz
- May 23: Doris Armstrong

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