

# K *The Kiwanis Club of Abilene* KIWANIGRAM



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## PANCAKE TICKET UPDATE : WEEK FOUR – OFF TO THE RACES!

Calling all Kiwanians! Our annual Big Event is here the end of this week. This is our last week to sell advance tickets. Our goal is **\$30,000** in ticket sales. To date, we have sold **\$13,670**. That is 45.5%. We need a big push these last 6 days to achieve the goal.

### Week 4 Results

<b>#1 Armadillos</b>	<b>\$1,888</b>	<b>Top Sellers: Bobbie Wolfe \$1,000; Price Brock \$320; Randy Williams, Donald McDonald, Kimberley Cole, Russell Berry</b>
<b>#2 Pigs</b>	<b>\$1,185</b>	<b>Top Sellers: Mark Hoover, \$340; David Jones \$290; Tim Adcock, James Shields, James Hallmark</b>
<b>#3 Hamsters</b>	<b>\$ 770</b>	<b>Top Sellers: Jamie Breed, \$245; Mark Young, \$160; Lora Lynn Christensen, Keith Garner</b>
<b>#4 Camels</b>	<b>\$ 300</b>	<b>Top Sellers: Jack Rentz, \$300</b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$4,143</b>	

### Team Competition to Date

First	Armadillos	\$4,238
Second	Hamsters	3,855
Third	Pigs	3,710
Fourth	Camels	1,867
	<b>Total</b>	<b>13,670</b>

Who will be our Top Team?

### Team Participation

#### **Hamsters 18 out of 29 members 62%**

Glyn Hammons, Jamie Breed, Will Smith, Ronald Carroll, Lora Lynn Christensen, Ricki Brown, Raymond McDaniel, Ken Poyner, Dick Kincaid, Carl Lockett, Roy Dent, Keith Garner, Gordon Dowell, Don Henderson, Melvin Martin, Mark Young, Barbara Fahrlander, and John Snapp

#### **Pigs 16 out of 28 members 57%**

David Jones, Don Scargall, James Shields, Ti Adcock, Zach Briley, Charles Kirkpatrick, Jack Harkins, Mark Hoover, John Ruiz, Curtis Blackburn, James Hallmark, Guy Lucas, Margaret Hoogstra, Dub Pritchett, Earl Williams, and Gary Poyner

#### **Armadillos 14 out of 28 members 50%**

Russell Berry, Bobbie Wolfe, Donald McDonald, Randy Williams, Price Brock, Faye Dodson, Royce Manning, Clinton Nix, Jeff Goodin, Don Paige, Kimberley Cole, Jerry Carter, Bill Hoogstra, and Marty Anderson



## **Camels 5 out of 12 members 42%**

Jack Rentz, Edith Smith, Christine Curtis-Carr, Kirk Hancock, and Laurin Parrack

A Big Thank You to all the members who have participated so far. For those who haven't turned in ticket money yet or sold tickets, there is still time to get your name on this recognition list.

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### **SILENT AUCTION**

A big Shout Out to Marty Anderson for her efforts. She has received donations or items from at least 31 people. She herself has gathered many, many items. Estimated value so far – more than \$8,000!

Remember to bring your silent auction items or money to Marty this week. She needs to begin preparing bid sheets and display material. Also turn in the white contact cards.

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### **WORK CREWS – TEAM CAPTAINS**

Melvin Martin	Pancake Cooks
Kenny Smith	Batter
David Batson	Drinks and Tableware
Christine Curtis-Carr	Drinks and Tableware
Roy Dent	Syrup
Guy Lucas	Syrup
Marty Anderson	Silent Auction
Tim Adcock	Door Ticket Sales
Dick Kincaid	Ticket Takers
Doug Williamson	Serving Lines
Pam McGrew	Serving Lines
Curtis Blackburn	Refills
Glyn Hammons	Coffee & Tea Prep
Mark & Twyla Young	Volunteers
Bill Hoogstra	Operations
Dennis Laster	Operations
Margaret Hoogstra	Busing
Cynthia Laster	Busing



Everyone should have been contacted by one of these team captains about their work assignment and hours to work. If you have not heard from one of them, please contact Bill Hoogstra (660-9901) or Mark Hoover (370-6087) right away.

**LOOKING FORWARD TO WORKING WITH EACH OF YOU AND ADDING TO OUR PANCAKE DAY MEMORIES ON APRIL 27th!!!**



## Dr. Curt Niccum: The Dead Sea Scrolls Project

Abilene Country Club, Noon, Wednesday, April 24th, 2013



Dr. Curt Niccum, Professor of New Testament at Abilene Christian University, will be discussing his work with the Dead Sea Scrolls Project in Israel during the late 1990's. Dr. Niccum has a B.A. in Biblical Languages from Lubbock Christian University, a M.Div. degree with Greek New Testament emphasis from Abilene Christian University and a Ph.D. in Christianity and Judaism in Antiquity from the University of Notre Dame.

Dr. Niccum teaches Greek and New Testament text courses at ACU, and is an adjunct teacher for the Institute for Theology and Christian Ministry in St. Pe-

tersburg, Russia, and the South Pacific Bible School in Tauranga, New Zealand. Dr. Niccum's area of specialization is textual research. He has done work for a number of international collaborations including the Dead Sea Scrolls Project (for which he edited one of the scrolls of Daniel) and the International Project on the Text of Acts. He is also a consultant for the International Greek New Testament Project and the Novum Testamentum Editio Critica Maior. He currently serves as Co-Chair of the History of the Ethiopic Old Testament Project and was appointed Distinguished Scholar of Ethiopic Texts by the Green Scholars Initiative.

Since 1984, Curt has worked in several different ministry capacities including Campus Minister, Associate Minister, and Director of Adult Education. He is currently preaching for the 11th and Willis Church of Christ in Abilene, Texas.

Curt and his wife, Deborah, have a special heart for children, having served as foster parents for twenty-one newborns. They also have a keen interest in missions, especially in Europe. (Deborah grew up on the mission field near Vienna, Austria.) Both Curt and Deborah have assisted with two domestic church plantings in Oklahoma and two mission teams to German speaking Europe. Deborah has also contributed to missionary development and care for teams in Europe, Africa, and Asia. She is currently developing curriculum for multicultural conflict and resolution for ACU's Halbert Institute for Missions and is the Executive Assistant to the Dean of the College of Biblical Studies.



**Chris Carnohan led the invocation.**

**Marty Anderson displays a Silent Auction item donated by local artist Kay Walton.**

# KIWANIS CLUB OF ABILENE

## Weekly Meeting

April 17th, 2013

## Abilene Country Club

Led Meeting.....Randy Williams  
Prayer.....Chris Carnohan  
Music.....Don Scargall  
Piano..... Tim Adcock  
Pledge.....Donald McDonald  
Guests..... Don Paige  
Cup Money.....\$38.28  
Bag Money (Tim Adock).....\$6.00

### In our prayers

Norman Weaver, known by many Kiwanians has been diagnosed with liver cancer. Norman and his wife Garnet just celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary.

Remember the family of Amber Thomas. Amber died in an automobile accident recently and her husband was seriously injured. They have two small children. This family has many needs at this time..

Remember in prayer Melvin Martin's mother in law who has been diagnosed with cancer

Jimmie and Lake Monhollon

Linda, wife of Jud Powell, and Joan, wife of George Knight

Continue to remember: Henry McGinty, Van Boozer, A.C. Johnson and Bill Zavatson

Kelly Jones who has a torn rotator cuff

Jarrell Young reports: "I am now home from the hospital. Must now heal from the intestinal resection and a quite large abdominal wound.....This process will be slow...Providing I heal, I should begin a six month session of Chemo treatments about May 6th.....Getting around slow now, but can feel strength slowly returning. Thank you for the tremendous number of prayers lifted up on my behalf."

### Guests

Guests.....Guest of Member  
George Woodfin.....Greater Abilene  
Roma Howard.....Greater Abilene  
James Harvey.....Greater Abilene  
Jane Harvey.....Greater Abilene

### Program

Lora Lynn Christensen introduced Dr. Mark Wilcox, Associate Professor of High Brass and Fine Arts Division Chair at McMurry University along with 3 jazz ensemble members. The group presented a



**Dr. Mark Wilcox and the McMurry Jazz Ensemble presented our program.**

fabulous program and featured Lora Lynn on the piano as she played along with the song "All of Me"! The program on April 17th was outstanding and it was clear those present had a terrific time.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PANCAKE DAY

Saturday April 27th! Bring your unsold tickets to the meeting Wednesday – we will use them on Pancake Day.

### Layperson of the Year

Layperson of the Year, nominations are due by April 24th. Contact Gordon Dowell or Randy Williams for additional information.

Former Layperson's of the Year from 2008 thru 2012 for the Kiwanis Club of Abilene are:

- 2012 Jerry Carter (also Division 35 Lay Person of the Year)
- 2011 Jamie Breed
- 2010 Dennis Laster
- 2009 Jarrell Young (also Division 35 Lay Person of the Year)
- 2008 Charles Kirkpatrick
- 2007 Russell Berry (also Division 35 Lay Person of the Year)
- 2006 Doug Williamson

### Calendar

- April 27th - PANCAKE DAY – SELL TICKETS  
Bring in AUCTION ITEMS
- May 7th, - Club Satellite Meeting, 6:00pm  
Mezamiz Coffee Shop
- May 14th,- Division Council Meeting, Al's Mesquite Grill, 6:30pm
- May 16th - Board Meeting, Thursday Bogies  
Sandwich Shop 12:00 noon
- June 6th – Division 35 Prayer Breakfast

# SPIRITUAL AIMS THOUGHT TO PONDER

*By Gordon Dowell*

On a tour of the Texas Rangers Ballpark last year, a friend of the Global Samaritan Executive Director saw (and took a picture of) the following note written by Josh Hamilton on a whiteboard in the Texas Rangers locker room:

*"The world is blessed most by men who do things, and not by those who merely talk about them. "But be ye doers of the word and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves." James 1:22*

## "DO SOMETHING"

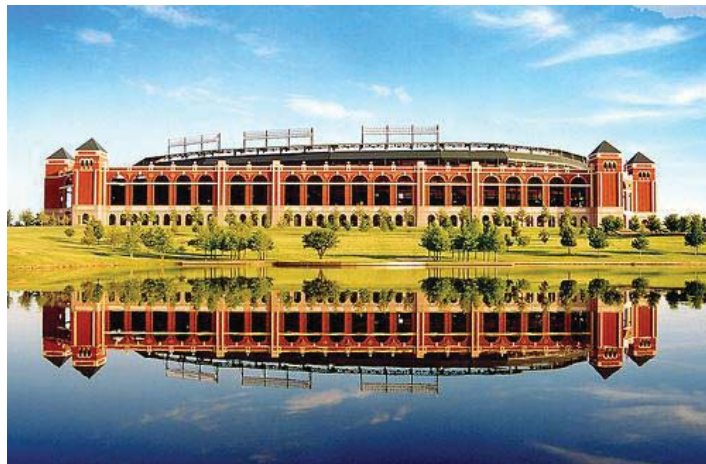
Pretty good advice to all of us isn't it? (Seems like I remember a recent President of the Kiwanis Club of Abilene boldly exclaiming, with some frequency, "Do Something!")

John 9:3-4 states, "Neither this man nor his parents sinned," said Jesus, "but this happened so that the work of God might be displayed in his life. As

long as it is day, we must do the work of him who sent me."

I would ask, "Is the work of God displayed in our lives?" While our context is different, it seems that we too must do the work of the Father and the Son.

We can as we serve children, adults and our community!



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## 2012-2013 OFFICERS

Randy Williams - President  
Charles Kirkpatrick - Immediate Past President  
Mark Hoover - President-Elect  
David Bacon - Vice President  
Jamie Breed - Vice President  
Will Smith - Vice President  
Ricki Brown - Treasurer  
Faye Dodson - Secretary  
Henry McGinty - Assistant Secretary  
Kimberley Cole - Foundation Advisor

## 2012-2013 DIRECTORS

Two Year:	One Year:
Tim Adcock	Marty Anderson
Christine Curtis-Carr	David Batson
Pam McGrew	Dennis Laster
John Ruiz	Clinton Nix
Brice West	Don Scargall