The Kiwanis Club of Abilene WANIGRAM



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Dr. Trista Bailey: Drug Safety Abilene Country Club, Noon, Wednesday, November 13th, 2013

Our speaker today is Dr. Trista Bailey who is an Assistant Professor for the Department of Pharmacy Practice with emphasis in the Geriatrics Division at the Texas Tech University Health Science Center. She also works as a consultant pharmacist for two nursing homes and an assisted living facility in the Abilene area where she has responsibility for around 200 patients.

Dr. Bailey was born and raised in Lubbock and received her BA with Honors in Biology from Texas Tech University, and received her Doctorate of Pharmacy at the University of Texas at Austin College of Pharmacy. She considers the best part about being an assistant professor at Texas Tech is mentoring the students and using clinical examples to teach the importance of different pharmacy subjects.

In her free time she enjoys running, shopping, and watching TV and movies. She also loves spending time with her friends and family, in particularly her wonderful husband, Brandon, and her sweet puppy, Britta.

Consider inviting a guest and a prospect for membership to enjoy this interesting topic from an expert in the field.











Carol Cain presented the program.

Randy Williams is our song leader for November.

Don Scargall introduced the guests.

Art Garner was a guest of Keith Garner.

KIWANIS CLUB OF ABILENE Weekly Meeting November 6th, 2013 Abilene Country Club

Led Meeting	Mark Hoover
Prayer	Gordon Dowell
Music	
Piano	Lora Lynn Christensen
Pledge	Marty Anderson
Guests	Don Scargall
Cup Money	\$34.12
Brag Money(Gary Poynor)	

In our prayers

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

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

Remember Clinton Nix and his family. Clinton's sister-in-law passed away recently

Praise that Jarrell Young's cancer is in remission and his cataract surgeries went well

Pray a Prayer of Thanksgiving for our Veterans and Servicemen and Women who served and continue to serve to protect our freedoms.

Guests

Guest	Member
Arthur Garner	
Philip Wicker	Russell Berry
Quanah Parker from Greater Abilene Club	

Program

Jamie Breed introduced Carol Cain, Administrator for the National WASP World War II Museum as the speaker on November 6th. Carol talked about the WASP accomplishments and as veterans what they did to continue serving their country. There were 1,074 women who graduated at Avenger Field in Sweetwater then they were deployed to over 120 active duty bases all across the United States. They faithfully served their country from March 1943 to December 1944 when the base was closed and the records sealed. The women loved to fly and they loved their country.

Carol provided a wonderful booklet that contained brief biographies of a few of the WASP members. These women were used as instructors and test pilots. They did everything our servicemen did except fly in combat and they never flew out of U.S. borders. These groups of women were finally recog-



Philip Wicker was a guest of Russell Berry.

nized as Veterans in 1977. Carol spoke of the happy and sad lives of many o the women and she communicated so many interesting details about them. A reunion is held annually on the Saturday before Memorial Day. Currently 178 of the members are alive and in 2013, 17 of that group came for the reunion. The museum is open Wednesday thru Saturday 10 to 5 and on Sunday from 1 to 5. But if those times are not convenient, call 325-235-0099. Someone will gladly open the doors for you. Carol provided an excellent program and closed by comparing the WASPs to space astronauts. She encouraged folks to reach their goals stating "If you want it and work at it, you can reach your goals!" Thank you Carol for bringing this wonderful program!

President Mark Hoover thanked Carol for coming and closed the meeting with the following quote from William Arthur Ward:

Each of us will one day be judged by our standard of life not by our standard of living

By our measure of giving not by our measure of wealth

And by our simple goodness not by our seeming greatness

Kiwanians go out, take your simple goodness and make a difference in Abilene and for its children.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Division 35 News

Governors Banquet – November 19th-Bill Rauhauser, Kiwanis Governor of Tx-Ok for 2013-2014 will share his vision for membership growth, Kiwanis International commitment to the Eliminate Project, the Backpack Project, Tx-Ok District Brick Project, and the First Lady Project, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

McM Elegante 6:00 pm Division 35 Council Meeting 6:30 pm Reception and Banquet

Welcome!

It's always exciting to induct new members. On November 6th Ronny Mason, sponsored by Donna King was introduced as a new member by President Hoover. Ronny, like Donna, enjoys volunteering to help others. Welcome Ronny!

Eliminate Project

President Mark Hoover reminded us the Eliminate Project is important. Donate change anytime or commit to give regularly.

Membership Minute

Russell Berry communicated the importance of bringing in new members and shared a list of former members. He encouraged each Kiwanian to make contact with former members and invite them to return.

Thank You

James Shields resigned effective November 1st stating it was time as "old age and health" were catching up with him. Although James was not present on November 6th, we still sang Happy Birthday to him. We will miss you James!

Calendar

- November 11th—Wylie Elementary 2nd Grade Veterans Day Program 2:00pm
- November 19th— Division Council Meeting at 6:00pm
- November 19th ----Governor William "Bill" Rauhauser-Elegante' Suites 6:30pm
- November 21st Board Meeting 12:00 noon –
- Bogie's Sandwich shop



Donna King introduced new member Ronny Mason.

Kiwanis Through the Years: 1952

- Bailey Choate of Sweetwater is serving as Lt. Gov of Division XII for the year 1952. He installed the officers of the Abilene Club.
- A new Club Directory listing the names, addresses and phone numbers was distributed on Jan. 2, 1952.
- Inter-Clubs were held at Snyder, Big Spring, Brownwood,
- The Wishing Well for Polio Drive was manned by Kiwanians. This activity is the responsibility of the Youth Services Committee of the Abilene Kiwanis Club.
- Emphasis is being put on the members to pay their poll tax and to get their friends and neighbors to do likewise.
- The club presented the Salvation Army with recreation room equipment which included two ping-pong tables, volley ball and badminton sets and a shuffle board.
- The Board of Directors voted on Jan. 31, 1952 to underwrite as much as \$650 in equipment and improvements at the new Boy Scout Council Headquarters being built at 3325 South 11th St.
- Strong emphasis is placed on a perfect attendance record for every member. A list of those having perfect attendance is published each month in the Kiwanigram.
- Easter Seal Mailing is a new project for the club. Stuffing 25,000 envelopes was a big job.
- Division XII, led by Lt. Gov. Bailey Choate had a very successful Division Meeting and Ladies night on April 3. Mr. & Mrs. Jim Jennings hosted a reception at their home for Kiwanians and wives from Division XII in the afternoon before the dinner and meeting.

SPIRITUAL AIMS THOUGHT TO PONDER

By Mark Hoover

Weekly Verse

"You do not have, because you do not ask God."
—1 James 4:2

Weekly Quote

"Prayer is the way and means God has appointed for the communication of the blessings of His goodness to His people." — Arthur W. Pink

Weekly Thought

God blesses us every day with things we don't necessarily ask for, things we might take for granted: a place to live, fresh air, the beauty of nature, friends and family. But for some blessings, He chooses to make us part of the process by encouraging us to ask for what we need and want. And the truth is that we experience life and blessings more fully when we look to God for all our wants and needs, either through expressing gratitude or petitioning Him for our needs.

If you're hurting for something today, ask God for it. And if you're not, thank Him for what you have. You'll find your life more richly blessed—even if only from an improved attitude. Your whole being will be permeated with an awareness of God's presence and goodness.

Lord, thank You for blessing me. Help me open my heart and needs to You today. Amen.

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