

**Kiwanis Club of
Harker Heights**
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Harker Heights Kiwanis Club Meeting 08-22-17

Speaker Roster

Aug 22 – K Frazier
Aug 29 – G Honaker
Sept 5 – A Krebs
Sept 12 – J Hoyle
Sept 19 – P Loughran
Sept 26 -

Please notify David McClure prior to your program as to your speaker and topic or if you need assistance obtaining a speaker.

2016-17 Officers

President: David McClure
Vice President: Jody Nicholas
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Secretary: Vivian Marschik
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Board of Directors

Patty Brunson
Steve Carpenter
Darrel Charlton
Mariko Cross
Richard Dinwiddie
Norm Dunbar
Jos Portmann
Esabell Zellmar

Raffle

Winner: Darrel Charlton
Amount: \$ 18.00
Jackpot: \$ 80.00 (not won)
Next Jackpot: \$ 85.00



Speaker: Misty Biddick, Exec Director

Topic: Aware Central Texas – **Mission** of AWARE is to prevent child abuse and domestic violence through education, training, and mentoring of high risk populations. AWARE is dedicated to working with community agencies. **Mission** of AWARE is to prevent child abuse and domestic violence through education, training, and mentoring of high risk populations. **AWARE** is dedicated to working with community agencies. **Philosophy-** Education is key to PREVENTION. PREVENTION is the key to diminishing child abuse and domestic violence in our community. **Goals** - Aware Central Texas focuses on three levels of prevention: 1. **Primary Prevention** – where abuse has not been identified. 2. **Secondary Prevention** – focuses on underserved and at-risk families. 3. **Tertiary Prevention** – where abused has been identified. To reduce child abuse and domestic violence in Central Texas using the following strategies:

Create awareness in the communities of Central Texas and beyond. Educate the community about child abuse and domestic violence.

Provide volunteer family coaches to at-risk families

Provide parenting, anger management, and mood/stress management classes

Provide anti-victimization (anti-bullying) training in schools and the community

It serves 4 central Texas counties. In 1986 it was started as an outreach program to assist at risk families. In 2003 government funding for outreach programs ended so 2006 it began the current 3 part program of education for juvenile anger management, adult anger management and parenting classes. The family unit has served over 5000 with court advocacy, health & housing resources and assistance in getting back into the work force. A “safe” apartment has been set up in Belton for a family in crisis if no other space is available at the other safe facilities.

Referrals are done through police department, CPS, self referrals through a Hotline. For volunteering call 254-702-0772 or email

njholder@awarecentraltexas.org. For more information or to donate contact them through their website www.awarecentraltexas.org

Or visit at 902 N Main St, Belton TX 76513



Kiwanis Motto

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world one child and one community at a time

Club Business:

Prayer: Darrel Charlton

Pledges: Norm Dunbar

Song: Dick Dinwiddie

Prayers: Allie Krebs

Community Back to School

Rally Wed. Aug 21, 2017 from 6:30-8:00 pm at HHHS.

Dedication of the Vietnam Memorial at the Central Texas Veterans Cemetery on Aug 28th at 10:00 am

Citizen of the Year: we should choose a student from each HH school to honor Gen. Shoemaker
Volunteers are needed at the Parrie Haynes Ranch for the supervised hunts.

Brags: Vivian Marschik went to her 50th high school reunion and a family reunion in PA

Lunch: Chicken fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll & tea

Joke: James Hoyle – a man saw a 3 legged chicken running down the road. It was running at 30 mph, the man sped up to 45 mph and the chicken could still out run his car, then to 60 mph. It then ran down the road to the farm it belonged to. The man followed to ask the farmer about the chicken and saw a lot of other 3 legged.

Ask James for the rest of the story :o)



Birthdays: None

Guests: Harriet Brodie, next Lt Gov for Dist 23



FYI: Recognition Education

Submitted by: Jos Portmann

POW/MIA Day – POW/MIA Day was established by an Act of Congress by passage of Section 1082 of the 1998 Defense Authorization Act. It is one of six days that the POW/MIA Flag can be flown. The flag was first recognized by Public Law 101-355 in 1990. The flag should fly below, and not larger than the United States flag. It is generally flown immediately below or adjacent to the United States flag as second in order of precedence. National former prisoner of war recognition day is recognized in April yearly in the form of a presidential proclamation (7 April 2017).

POW/MIA in 2017 will be on 15 September. Traditionally, there is a ceremony at Fort Hood conducted by local Veteran's organizations.

SOURCE: Wikipedia.

Flag barn will be open at 7:30 am and 5:00 pm



2017 FLAG DELIVERY SCHEDULE



Monday, 4 Sep 2017- Labor Day

Monday, 11 Sep 2017- Patriots Day (makeup day)

Monday, 9 Oct 2017 - Columbus Day

Saturday, 11 Nov 2017 - Veteran's