

**Kiwanis Club of
Harker Heights**
P O Box 2309
Harker Heights, TX 76548



Speaker Roster 2019

Jan 29 – B Whitson
Feb 5 – L Youngblood
Feb 12 – E Zellmar
Feb 19 – A Barrett
Feb 26 – P Brunson
Mar 5 – S Carpenter
Mar 12 – Builders/Key Club
Mar 17 – D Charlton

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

2018-19 Officers

President: Jody Nicholas
President Elect: Darrel Charlton
Vice President: Alberta Barrett
Treasurer: Randy Stone
Secretary: Vivian Marschik
Outgoing President: David McClure

Board of Directors

Mariko Cross
Norm Dunbar
James Hoyle
Anthony Triola
Lisa Youngbloods

Raffle

Winner: Jos Portmann
Amount: \$17.00
Jackpot: \$ 65.00 (not won)
Next Jackpot: \$ 70.00



Harker Heights Kiwanis Club Meeting 01-22-19

Speaker: Shay Luedeke

Topic: Bell Co. Tax Assessor/Collector – is an elected position. Up until 1932 the sheriff collected the taxes. An amendment to the TX constitution changed the way property was appraised and taxes collected. Other changes have taken place over the years. The growth in property and the population of the county made it necessary to separate the different entities. His office deals with vehicle registration, titles, license plates, sales tax on vehicles, TABC taxes collected in Bell Co. There are over 300,000 vehicles registered. Over \$80 million in funds have been collected. \$1.50 of the fees collected is for child safety such as crossing guards, sidewalks, health, drug & alcohol prevention. He has 4 offices and 37 employees. Customer service is a priority and he is always striving for better more efficient ways for the customer experience when dealing with their department. For more information Vehicle.Registration@bellcounty.texas.gov or Belton Courthouse Annex, 550 E 2nd Ave, Belton, TX 76513 254-933-5318



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: Bob Dunlap

Pledges: Jim McKinnon

Song: Dick Dinwiddie

Children's Miracle Network: Jar passed

Pancake Supper – Feb 9, Norm & Darrel will check on the amount of supplies at the flag barn, 5 \$10 gift cards were received from HEB to purchase supplies, Sam's Club will no longer donate to organizations that are not Sam's members. Vera Bank has donated \$250 for the scholarship fund and First Texas Bank has donated \$200.

**Raffle painting from Joe
Friddle: 2 chances for \$5.00**



Lt Gov Div Council meeting
on Jan 26, 9 am at Brody's
Steakhouse

Gov Visit: Feb 9th in Round
Rock

Lunch: Big Hoss BBQ chicken
fried chicken, green beans,
mashed potatoes, gravy & tea

Birthdays: None

Guests: Anna May Walker,
Adonias Frias Rodriguez &
Edita de Frias



Prayers: For all those in need
Braggs: 2 very nice Thank You
letters were received from flag
customers that love our
program and appreciate the
service.

FYI: Celebration Education
Submitted by: Jos Portmann

Valentine's Day, also called **Saint Valentine's Day**

or the **Feast of Saint Valentine**, is celebrated annually on February 14. Originating as a [Western Christian feast day](#) honoring one or two early [saints](#) named [Valentinus](#), Valentine's Day is recognized as a significant cultural, religious, and commercial celebration of [romance](#) and romantic love in many regions around the world, although it is not a public holiday in any country.

[Martyrdom](#) stories associated with various Valentines connected to February 14 are presented in [martyrologies](#), including a [written](#) account of [Saint Valentine of Rome](#) imprisonment for performing weddings for soldiers, who were forbidden to marry and for ministering to Christians [persecuted under the Roman Empire](#) According to [legend](#), during his imprisonment Saint Valentine restored sight to the blind daughter of his judge, and before his execution he wrote her a letter signed "Your Valentine" as a farewell.

Source : Wikipedia.

VALENTINE'S DAY



BECAUSE LOVE ISN'T QUITE
COMPLICATED ENOUGH AS IT IS.