

**Kiwanis Club of
Harker Heights**
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Harker Heights Kiwanis Club Meeting 02-04-20

Speaker Roster 2020

- Feb 4 – J Portmann**
- Feb 11 – R Stone**
- Feb 18 – D Thompson**
- Feb 25 – B Whitson**
- Mar 3 – L Youngblood**

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

2019-20 Officers

- President:** Darrel Charlton
- President Elect:** Paul Loughran
- Vice President:** Ron Dalton
- Treasurer:** Randy Stone
- Secretary:** Vivian Marschik
- Outgoing President:** Jody Nicholas

Board of Directors

- Jeanette McNiesh
- Edita Villafana de Frias
- James Hoyle
- Lisa Youngblood

Raffle

- Winner: Resumes Next Week**
- Amount: \$**
- Jackpot: \$ 185.00 (not won)**
- Next Jackpot: \$ 185.00**



Quilt by Laura Winkel for auction at the Pancake Supper

Speaker: Dr John Craft, KISD Superintendent of Schools with Tania Maya, Marketing Officer
Topic: KISD overall accountability rating improved in 2019 by 10 points from a C to a B! The student population is now over 45,000 with 35% African American, 30.5% Hispanic, 21.8 % white with the remainder being Asian, Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, American Indian/Alaskan Native and students of 2 or more races. There are 6698 employees. Safety of the students is a major concern and that is why fencing is going up around all the schools. This way it controls access to the school grounds especially when the students are outside. Shade structures are being built at the elementary schools for the students. The oldest schools will be repurposed and 3 replacement schools are being built. East/West Ward; Pershing Park/ Sugar Loaf; Clifton Park/Bellaire and the Old Nolanville School. HS # 6 is being built on Chaparral Road. It is being designed for 3000 or more students with a stadium that can seat 4500. The plan is to open in 2022. The elementary schools being built now will open in 2021. The new Fowler will be for 1400 students. The new Nolan MS on Warrior Path in Harker Heights is coming along well. KISD growth in the next 10 years is expected to be around 5000. Only about 35% is federally connected now. Growth is happening all over Central Texas. The next election on May 2nd will have 2 bond issues. Proposition A: \$209,000,000 for new schools, replacements schools and renovations. Proposition B: \$56,000,000 will be for renovating and expanding existing school stadiums. The KISD tax rate was lowered 10 cents to \$1.1611. The impact to the average homeowner would be under \$10 a month increase.



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: Paul Loughran

Pledges: Charles Sweeney

Song: Dick Dinwiddie

Children's Miracle Network:

Jar passed

Pancake Supper: Plenty of tickets available if you need more

Prayers: All in need

Guests: David Mitchell, Garry McNiesh & Bob Massey



Brags: None

Birthdays: Mariko Cross 2-9

Lunch: Ma's Place Shepherds pie, salad, rolls, peach cobbler & tea

FYI: Window's XP Education

Submitted by: Jos Portmann

WINDOWS XP

Most club members have and use computer. Statistics show that most computers ran Windows XP. Here are "Five Tricks for Quick Answers": 1. Pause for thought (and help). Rest your mouse pointer over the button for a few seconds ... often a helpful box will pop up. 2. Help shortcut: Press F1, a help window appears. 3. See all open windows at once: Click the taskbar clock with the right mouse pointer and a menu appears. 4. Tidy up folder contents: To keep your icons organized in neat rows across a folder, right click on the folder background. 5. Take the Tour: Choose All Programs from the Start button and choose Tour Windows XP from the Accessories menu.

SOURCE: Windows XP for Dummies, 2nd Ed., by Andy Rathbone, Wiley Publishing, Inc. Hoboken, NJ 07030.

