



# EXCHANGE FILES



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Official Newsletter of the Exchange Club of Killeen JUNE 2008

Club Meets Every Monday at Noon at the Yank Sing Restaurant, CTE, Killeen

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## GIVE A KID A FLAG TO WAVE

Members of the Exchange Club of Killeen passed out flags during the Juneteenth Parade in downtown Killeen. This was the first year that the club had participated in this event. A motion was made by John Odom to include this additional event in our program of service. The motion carried and the club supplied the flags needed for the parade. The portable Freedom Shrine was also in the parade on club member Richard Jouett's red truck. Many thanks to those who participated including Larry Holly and the Jouett family.



Pictured above is Club Vice President/Programs Chair Linda Garvin and Harker Heights Mayor the Honorable Ed Mullen. Mayor Mullen gave an update on the economic development that is currently taking place in Harker Heights. He also advised that the city is moving to make sure that future development is quality and fits with the basic esthetics required by their city council. They estimate that the total finish out population of Harker Heights will be about 47,000 as they are land locked and can not grow any larger. They estimate a current population of 25,000

## Service to Seniors Donation Recognized by City of Killeen Senior Center

Pictured below is club member Brett Williams (left), Director of Parks and Recreation with the City of Killeen and his boss, Glenn Morrison Director of Community Services. In between the gentlemen is a plaque recognizing the Exchange Club of Killeen as a Community Partner with the new Senior Center. Club members voted to donate \$5000 this year to help support community seniors.



## PROUDY WE HAIL

Judge Jim Endicott indicated that our flag was made to represent a new constellation with stars on a field of blue. In 1791 they added a new stripe and then eventually removed it favoring added a new star. Each new state is added on the 4th of July. There have been 27 flags in



## Dates To Remember.....

JUNE 20-22—Texas-Louisiana District Convention, Radisson Inn, Dallas

JUNE 23—LAST DAY TO TURN IN BUDGET REQUESTS

JUNE 30—VOTE ON 2008-2009 BUDGET

JUNE 30—INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS/DIRECTORS 2008-2009

JULY 9-12—National Exchange Club Conference—St. Louis, Missouri

# Unity for Service

## ◆ Calendar of Events

### JUNE 2008

June 23 - Carol Allred—Heart Health  
June 30 - Installation of Officers

 **JUNE Birthdays**

None



**June Club Anniversaries**  
Veronica Garvin 6-11

### Bell County Tax Appraiser

Bell county tax appraiser, Marvin Hahn was our guest speaker at the June 16th club meeting. Mr. Hahn went over the make up of the Appraisal District and recognized club members Jim Garvin and John Blankenship for their past service on the advisory board.

Mr. Hahn indicated that appraisals are based on market value with the state exercising oversight on the process. If the appraisal district does not evaluate properties at the going rate, the state can come in and directly control the process.

A question was asked regarding past due taxes. Mr. Hahn indicated that they do their best to work with the property owners to get the bills paid.

After several months the property is referred to a local law office for collection. A specific property was identified that was many years past due. Mr. Hahn indicated that he would check the particulars. Subsequent to the meeting he advised that the property owner had passed away and that the

## Who's In Charge?



### OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

- President.....Ray Davis
- President-Elect.....Maureen Jouett
- Secretary.....Linda Ellis
- Treasurer.....Becky Holcomb
- VP/Programs.....Linda Garvin
- Scrapbook.....Veronica Garvin
- Photographer.....Paul Liu
- Web Master.....Abdul Subhani
- Past President.....Jason Pfaltzgraff
- Americanism.....David Garvin
- Child Abuse Prevention.....
- .....Dick and Teresa Young
- Community Svc .....Kathy Jones
- Fellowship/Inter-Club/Public Relations/Bulletin.....Kathy Jones
- Membership.....John Odom
- Youth.....Maureen Jouett

property was in foreclosure but that the heirs were on a payment plan trying to get the property out. Club members expressed their thanks for the informative presentation.



Enna Goodsby, GM from Shilo Inns receives PWH recognition plaque

### Biblical Exchange



Whatever you do to the least of my brothers, that you do unto me. Matthew Chapter 25

## Member News

New members Sherry Hoffpaur and Michael Pressler were recently pinned in May by their sponsor club President Elect Maureen Jouett.



PROUDLY WE HAIL CONTINUED the history of our country. Nine flags have only lasted one year due to the addition of newer states. Texas was added in 1836 as number twenty-eight. Flag Day is celebrated on June 14th of each year and the federal law regarding the flag code was adopted in 1923. This outlines the correct way to display, salute, respect etc the flag, but has no enforcement penalties. There have been several attempts to create a federal law to protect the flag Killeen honored Shilo Inns as our business recipient of Proudly We Hail and Glennys and Cleo Bay as our individual recipients. These honorees were selected because they fly the flag on a daily basis, show great respect for the flag and are deserving of recognition. Mr. Bay stated that he had given his wife Glennys the flag pole as a birthday present. He said that at their age they do not really need or want anything and the flag pole was always something that his wife wanted. The only challenge they faces was placing the flag pole in a location where they could see it from the house and it would be visible from the street to passers by.

Glennys and Cleo Bay receive their Proudly We Hail recognition plaque.

