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

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BELL COUNTY MUSEUM

Bell County Museum Director Stephanie Turnham was our guest speaker at the March 10th meeting. The discussed the significance of the archaeological find known at the Gault Site. The site is located south of Killeen on what used to be an old farm. The farmer allowed people to come in and remove artifacts for numerous years, but more are still being found today. The site was purchased by a researcher and donated as an historical site for preservation and study.

The Black Prairie was a grassland for at least the last 15,000 years and still would be today if the grazing, fire control, agriculture, and concrete had not all but spelled its doom. Dense grasslands provided Clovis peoples with a ready source of building materials—thatched huts

Nodules of flint from near the Gault site. The flint at Gault is shiny and gray with distinctive wispy gray inclusions. In many of the pictures, the Clovis artifacts look yellow or orange—they are iron-stained by prolonged contact with iron-rich groundwater.



can be constructed in a matter of hours.

Gault sits near the head of a small creek in a small wooded valley just at the point where three spring-fed brooks come together to form a clear, cool vigorous stream.

For over 13,000 years people have been picking up flint at the Gault site. And yet, modern flint-knappers have hauled away pickup

JIM & BERNICE LINDLEY

Over 150 people came out to help the members of the Exchange Club of Killeen honor Jim and Bernice Lindley for their Golden Deeds.

Many thanks to the Golden Deeds subcommittee that was made up of Paul Brice, Jerry Dugger, Jim Garvin, Linda Garvin, Kathy Clark Jones, Richard Jouett, Paul Liu, John Odom, Gerald Skidmore, Andrea Womack.

Also, we appreciate President Ray See DEEDS Pg

General Membership Meeting

Americanism: We will be working on replacing parts of the Nolan Middle School Freedom Shrine. We are working on a new Freedom Shrine for Montague Village Middle School. David will notify us when we will be having the dedication. It will be before the end of the school year.

VP/Programs: Linda reported on the programs for the month of March.

The nominating committee is comprised of Maureen Jouett, Paul Hansen and Andrea



Dates To Remember.....

March 24th—Youth of the Quarter

March 24th—Celebrate Exchange's birthday, March 27, 1911.

MARCH 31ST ELECTION OF 2008-2009 CLUB OFFICERS/DIRECTORS

APRIL 15th—Exchange Club of Killeen's Birthday 4-15-1955

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

National Community Service Month

◆ Calendar of Events

March 2008 (CELEBRATE EXCHANGE'S NATIONAL BIRTHDAY)

1ST ANNUAL GOLDEN DEEDS AWARD BANQUET

3RD MEMBER NETWORKING

10TH BELL COUNTY MUSEUM—STEPHANIE TURNHAM

17TH USO—ROBIN CROUSE

24TH YOUTH OF THE QUARTER (BOARD MEETING -1 PM)

31ST ELECTION OF 2008-2009 CLUB OFFICERS, BUSINESS MEETING



Jerry Dugger—March 3
 Dan Carter—March 9
 Robin Crouse—March 9
 Richard Jouett—March 19
 John Fisher—March 23

March Club Anniversaries
 Jim Garvin—March 1



loads of it. Still, you cannot walk 10 feet along the edge of the valley without stepping on flint.

The spring-fed creek that winds through the Gault site has never gone dry in historic times. In fact, the water table is often so high that the lower Clovis deposits cannot be reached without continuous pumping.

The deep, well-watered soils of the stream valley provide habitat for huge hardwood trees—burr oaks, walnuts, pecans, ash, elm, bois d' arc, and a dozen more species including willow and cottonwood. In a word, it is lush.

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 SvcKathy Jones
 Fellowship/Inter-Club/Public
 Relations/Bulletin.....Kathy Jones
 Membership.....John Odom
 Scrapbook.....Veronica Garvin
 Photographer.....Paul Liu
 Youth.....Jason Pfaltzgraff

Member Meeting Cont.

Womack. Members were solicited to volunteer for club leadership positions.

Dick and Teresa Young have graciously volunteered to take over the Child Abuse Prevention Committee.

Youth of the Quarter/Year is going well. Committee is set for next quarter and youth of the year banquet.

President Elect Maureen Jouett brought up a budget change to the membership at the request of club member Dick Young. He requested that we take up to \$1000 from his budget to purchase life saving refrigerators for the city of Killeen's ambulances. It has been proven that by refrigerating the IV fluid, that lives of heart attach and stroke victims will be saved.

John Odom moved to amend the budget with the motion being seconded by Jim Garvin. The motion carried.

All members were asked to continue to think of people to invite to become new club members. Remember our goal is 24 new members overall. We have added 15 new members this year, but have lost 7 so we are still down 16 for our overall goal. Each member should invite a friend. Maureen advised that she asked her husband to join because he can eat lunch out with her once a week. Each of us has a friend or two that we would like to spend time with, why not invite them to experience Exchange?

DEEDS

Davis for giving the welcome, making the special presentation and for his on-going support. Special thanks to the following for purchasing reserve tables: Central Texas College (2), Greater Killeen Chamber of Commerce (1), Metroplex Hospital (1), Union State Bank (1) and the Lindley's family and friends (2).

Biblical Exchange



"I, even I, am he who blots out your transgressions, for my own sake, and remembers your sins no more. Isaiah 43:25