



**EXCHANGE**  
THE EXCHANGE CLUB OF KILLEEN, TX

Service to Our Community  
Since 1955

# XC-Dispatch

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## OFFICERS 2013/2014

- President:** Larry Holly  
**President-Elect:** Charlie Guidry  
**VP/Bingo:** Don Sutton  
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**Secretary:** Ursula Rushing  
**Treasurer:** Maureen Jouett

## Board of Directors

- Kathy Clark-Jones  
 Kenneth Murray  
 Peggy Murphey  
 Geraldine Lorio  
 Barbara West  
 Mark Hyde



## **DEC Birthdays**

- Don Sutton..... 10 Dec  
 Jo-Ell Guzman..... 17 Dec



## **DEC Anniversaries**

- Estella Macias..... 9 Dec  
 John Odom..... 17 Dec

## ***Meeting!***

General membership meet every **Monday (Except Holidays)** at Noon and **BOD** meet every 3rd Monday of each month, 1pm at the Yank Sing Restaurant, CTE, Killeen, TX



## Calendar Events

- ♦**Jan 6:** Exchangites will honor Harker Heights Police Officer and Fire & Rescue Officer of the year. Ms Kathy Clark-Jones, Chairman, Community Relations will coordinate the event.
- ♦**Jan 13:** Guest Speaker Ms Tammy Mosley, Killeen Police Department will discuss Citizen Police Academy and KCOP.
- ♦**Jan 20:** MLK Day. No General Membership meeting is scheduled, however members are encourage to have lunch and socialize. **BOD** will conduct their regular monthly meeting at 11:30 am.
- ♦**Jan 24-26:** Region 5 Mid-Winter Conference, Bossier City, LA. Delegates attending are encouraged to register by Jan 6, 2014 to take advantage of "Early Bird" rates.

## Exchangites on the move!

### ***Excel Clubs:***

**Harker Heights Club** participated in wreath making at Killeen's Event Center on November 23, 2014. Wreaths were placed at each grave site in the Veterans Cemetery for the Holiday season. Also, club members planted trees in newly constructed city park and operated two entertainment booths during a very successful "Christmas on the Farm" event.

**Shoemaker Excel Club** served Thanksgiving Dinner for Senior Citizen, operated entertainment booths during "Christmas on the Farm" event, and participated in the City's Annual Christmas Parade.

**Killeen Excel Club** operated two entertainment booths during the successful "Christmas on the Farm" event and participated the City's Annual Christmas parade.

**Meals on Wheels Painting.** Club President and Secretary assisted with painting the interior of Meals on Wheels building during the month of November. *Continue page 2..*

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Ursula Rushing, Club's Secretary, presents Jim Strauser, Business Member, All American Chevrolet with fundraising door prize.

**Fundraising:** During our "Santa's Visit" program, Jim Strauser (Picture above) is the winner of #1 raffle drawing.

**Santa Visit Program:** Exchangites honored six non-profit organizations during our Dec 16th meeting with monetary gifts for their contributions to our community within the past year.

**Meals on Wheels** primary focus is dedicated to serving homebound senior citizens with a hot lunch five days a week. Approximately 1900 meals per month are delivered by volunteers. President Holly presented Ms Sandra Mendoza, Program Director, with a check for \$500.00.

**Child Abuse (Aware)** is a non-profit organization that focuses on the prevention of child abuse and family domestic violence.

District website:

[www.texasdistrictexchange.org](http://www.texasdistrictexchange.org)

National website:

[www.nationalexchangeclub.org](http://www.nationalexchangeclub.org)

## "Free 90-Day Trial Membership"



**Exchangites:** I encourage you to "Just Get One" new member to join during the "Stand Up America" campaign January 1-March 31, 2014. As a trial membership they will receive privileges of membership when they agree to adhere to all club rules and policies. Contact any BOD or me for applications.

President Holly

designed to provide prevention services to the communities of Central Texas. President Holly presented Ms Sue Ellen Jackson, Program Director, with a check for \$2,000.00. **Greater Killeen Fee Clinic** provides free medical care for uninsured, low-income adults and children. Celebrating its 20th year in 2014, clinic will be expanding services to chronic care, focusing on diabetes and hypertension. President-Elect, Charlie Guidry, presented Ms Marlene DiLillo with a check for \$400.00. **Military Support Program (aka) Bring every one in the Zone**, focuses on supporting active service members, veterans and their families. The program covers three areas: preparing, caring, and sharing. President Holly presented Mr Mustapher, staff member, with a check for \$1,000.00. **Harker Heights Elementary School** one of our adopted schools,

President Holly presented, Ms Dugger, School Principal, a check for \$1,000.00 to assist with school programs. **West Ward Elementary School**, also an adopted school, BOD member Geraldine Lorio, presented Ms Maureen Adams, School Principal, with a check for \$1,000.00 to assist with school programs.

## Golden Deeds Recipient

Year 2014

"Mary Teresa Young"

## Just One More 2013-2014 Campaign



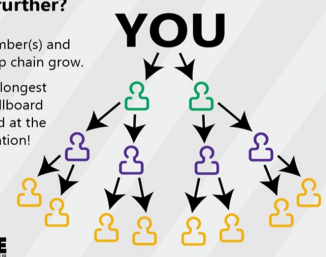
**Each One, Reach One!**

Exchange is asking you for one new member  
Recruit a new member and receive a Just One More pin.

**Can you reach further?**

Don't stop at just one  
Mentor your new member(s) and watch the membership chain grow.

End the year with the longest chain and receive a billboard in your hometown and at the 2014 National Convention!



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