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57 Members A/O Mar. 5, 2020, 39 Members A/O Mar. 24th. Lost 18!

Guest Speaker Last Week:

Angelina Mojica, Director of **Buckner Family Hope**, presented our program. She was joined by **Natalie**, Community Coordinator and **Kara**, Intern. They opened in Lubbock in March 2019 at 1510 S. Loop 289, 799-0990.

Buckner Family Hope is a faith based non-profit organization. Core values are faith, integrity, respect, service, and teamwork. Programs are all designed to keep families together and kids out of foster care. Goals are to help aid in family transformation through the process of engagement, equipping and elevating families. Referrals from agencies such as legal aid and CPS. Families also come to them directly for housing and food needs. Families are signed up with food stamps and the food bank. Their passion is helping people learn the processes necessary to provide for their families when they are experiencing poverty, family issues and a lack of services. They have 20 apartments close to their building and those are currently at 50% occupancy. To equip families, they have formed partnerships. **Angelina** mentioned they have partnered with First Convenience Bank and TTU to teach financial literacy. They partner with Literacy Lubbock to help adults pursue ESL and GED. They have other partnerships and family-based activities. They help job seekers with resumes, interview skills, and interview clothes. To equip kids, they work as mentors in LISD. Referrals are provided by school principals and counselors. They use the **WhyTry** curriculum at Dunbar where they meet with students for 45 minutes. They use the **Nurturing Parents** curriculum when meeting with students at Adkins, Bayles, Hodges, Centennial, & Bean. At those campuses they meet with students for 20 minutes in lunch groups and discuss friendships, choices, and behavior. **Buckner Family Hope** is funded through private donations. (Thank you, Tim Upp, for your notes!)

March 24, 2022

We regret to announce that David Reid has resigned from our club due to personal and business reasons. AND...Richard Lee has resigned also! He and Judy will be moving to Buda at the end of this month. We will REALLY miss them!

Ange Scott announced these TX Girls & Boys Ranch fund-raisers
May 23 – Golf Tournament
Aug. 18 – Sparkles & Spurs
Mark your calendars!

Klatter Editor Wayne Kohout missed last week's meeting because he was on a week-long mission trip with 9 other members of First Christian Church. The ten Disciples of Christ members drove 678 miles to the Southwest Good Samaritan Mission in Bay View, north of Los Fresnos, TX, where Rev. Filiberto Pereira, who fled Communist Cuba in late 60's, is minister of the Ebenezer FC Church where dormitories and apartments were built to house migrant families until they are ready to be U.S. Citizens. Rev. Pereira is the founder of the Mission. 72 cases of dehydrated meals FCC purchased from Breedlove's in Lubbock, and 30 cases of 1-lb bags of beans, split peas, & lentils, courtesy of **Paul Campbell**, now Mgr. of the United Supermarket on Parkway Dr., together provided over 26,000 meals for immigrants coming over the border, legally, at Brownsville. Boxes of clothing and toiletries were also brought to Rev. Pereira in two trailers, hauling nearly 2,700 lbs. of necessities. We met two Cuban doctors and their families, who were able to get out of Cuba with Rev. Pereira's assistance.

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Bits & Pieces

I WONDER IF:

YOU TAKE AN ORIENTAL PERSON AND SPIN HIM AROUND SEVERAL TIMES, DOES HE BECOME 'DISORIENTED'?

PEOPLE FROM POLAND ARE CALLED POLES, WHY AREN'T PEOPLE FROM HOLLAND CALLED HOLES?

IF LAWYERS ARE DISBARRED, AND CLERGYMEN DEFROCKED, THEN CAN ELECTRICIANS BE DELIGHTED, COWBOYS DERANGED, & DRY CLEANERS DEPRESSED?

Yesterday is history, tomorrow is a mystery; today is a gift! That's why it's called 'present'!

"Happy Birthday" To:

Tim Upp – 3/7
Carmen Vige – 3/23

OFFICERS 2021-2022:

Tim Upp, President
Jimmy Moore, President-Elect
Deborah Conn, Vice President
Cindy Ham, Treasurer
Paul Rostad, Secretary
John Paul Batrice, Past Pres.

Board Members:

2020-2022: David Cook, Mary Wallace, Charles Zeek
2021-2023: Tom Andrews, James Dugger, Reed Hitch, **David Mallard**

Flag Days for your 2022 Calendar:

Memorial Day..... Monday, 5/30
Flag Day..... Tuesday, 6/14
Independence Day. Monday, 7/4
Labor Day..... Monday, 9/5
Veterans' Day..... Friday, 11/11

TODAY

Thur. Mar. 24: Melissa Crook & Riley Taguwa, Partnerships/Engagement Coords., Volunteer Cntr. of Lubbock

ALSO...COMING SOON:

Thur. Mar. 31: Ms. Holly Patton will be our 'Mystery Guest' speaker!

Fri. April 1: Board Meeting, Red Zone Café on Slide Rd., Board Members mark your calendars & be there!

