

Guest Speaker Last Meeting

. **Sherry Sancibrian**, Assoc. Chair, Dept. of **Speech, Language & Hearing**, provided us with updates from programs. **Sherry** surprised us when she said the **Lubbock Kiwanis Clubs** have worked with the TTU Speech Clinic since **1932!** In **1956**, **Kiwanis** purchased equipment for the Clinic's **Child Hearing Tests**, to enable clinicians to determine the level of deafness.

Cochlear Implants now have an implant part that is surgically placed underneath the skin & attached to the electrode array that is inserted in the cochlea. This device is used to enable the 'serious to profoundly' deaf person to hear.

Sherry said the **Speech Clinic** has always helped people with speech impediments, or who have had mouth/tongue injuries that impaired their speech. Medical treatment is available thru **UMC**, when necessary, and is covered by most insurance policies, Medicare and Medicaid.

Tests for **Respiratory Volume** are also available. A **Stroke Phased Recovery Program**, from brain damage, is free, and available Tuesday mornings.

Summer Camps for Kids with hearing/speech impairment, as well as for adults, now, is conducted for 3 hours every day. Also have the **Wee Read Club** for 18 mos. to 3 yrs. Parents have access to **books Kiwanis members** provide for this program. **Tech Tykes** takes place at the Science Spectrum, and **Chatty Champions** for 5-9 yr olds with speech issues.

April 24, 2025

Our April Birthdays!

Mary Wallace – 4/11
Walter Rinehart – 4/22
Gene Maxwell – 4/24

Flag Workday Sat. May 10th

Our **Annual Work Day** is 10-Noon at the **Caprock Home Health Clinic** at 8806 University Ave. We will have both flag trailers available and we'll replace worn-out flags, re-attach flags, replace red tape on poles (this marks flags as **Kiwanis** ones). We need at least 8 volunteers to get everything done in 2 hours. There will be a pizza/soda lunch provided – free! **Bring your drills/bits.**

BOARD MEETING 'MENTIONINGS'

Our Board voted to have our club participate in the **Healthwise Expo** on **Saturday May 31st**. For \$500, a 10'x10' booth, with a skirted table & a Kiwanis sign, will be provided. 3-4,000 attendees will provide 'new member' opportunities! **Carmen Vige** and **Mary Hernandez** volunteered to coordinate activities. Volunteers are needed to help with booth set up on **May 30** and to represent the club & hand out information during the **Expo**.

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John Paul Batrice's



Bits & Pieces

Signs that Wayne saw hanging on walls at the **Cast Iron Grill**, I-27 & 19th, where he and a dozen other men from 1st Christian Church meet for breakfast Tuesday mornings at 7:00. 'Youse guys' are welcome to join us! Coffee, food, & fellowship!

"All I need today is a little bit of coffee...and a whole lot of Jesus!"

"To the world you may be just one person, but to one person, **YOU** may be their world!"

"To Do List: Watch a sunrise; Snuggle on the couch; Read a good book; Take a long nap; Watch the sunset!"

"I'd rather be lost at the lake, than found at home!"

"You can never have 'too much' **HAPPY!**"

"Life is a journey - enjoy it!"

"The hardest thing in life is to know which bridge to cross - and which bridge to burn!"

"Let us be silent that we may hear the 'whisper of **God**'!"

"Life is like a camera! Focus on what is important! Capture the good times! Develop from the negatives. And...if things don't turn out, **TAKE ANOTHER SHOT!**"

"Yesterday's 'home runs' ...don't win 'today's games!'"

"You only live once! But if you 'do it right'...once is enough!" Mae West

"The difference between the 'Impossible!'...and the 'Possible!'...is in a person's '**DETERMINATION!**'"

"First **God** created Man...then **He** had a better idea!"

TODAY

Thur. Apr. 24th – Lt. Johnny Bures & Sgt. Adrian Briseno, DPS Spokesmen, Updates from DPS

ALSO... COMING SOON!

Thur. May 1st – Ron Roberts, Chief Meteorologist for KAMC28 Weather Lab, Weather & Life Experiences

Thur. May 8th – Cosmo Ojeda II, Lubbock Regional Dir., BBB/NMTX. Popular and Common Scams