

Guest Speaker for Oct. 31st

**Lynn Brinkmeyer**, Certified Mastery Coach, Brinkmeyer Enterprises, Life Improvement. Dr. Lynn M. Brinkmeyer recently retired as Professor of Music, Associate Dean of the College of Fine Arts and Communication and Director of Choral Music Education at Texas State University.

**Lynn** has conducted 'all state' choirs and 'honor' choirs, lectured, presented master classes and performed in forty-nine states in the United States and 20+ countries, including China, Brazil, South Africa, Cuba, Peru and Australia. In addition to serving music teachers and students across the globe **Dr. Brinkmeyer** mentors teachers and other professionals as a Life Mastery Certified Coach/Consultant.

Lynn introduced us to 10 principles of Love, Relationships, Health, Well Being, and several other topics. Since her retirement from education, and 'armed' with her professional experiences, skills, and authorship, she coaches those who need assistance in their emotional and relationship issues as they age and retire from their former occupations.

To get in touch with **Lynn**, you can email her at [lynnbrinkmeyer@gmail.com](mailto:lynnbrinkmeyer@gmail.com) or [lbrinkmeyer@txstate.edu](mailto:lbrinkmeyer@txstate.edu). You can get more information about her program *Love Teaching Even More* by reaching out to her.

Sometimes we need a 'jump start'!

November 7, 2024

### Our November Birthdays

**None! Ninguno!! Keiner!!! Aucun!!!!**  
**...and I always thought February was the 'passion' month...reckon not!**

#### DON'T FORGET:

**High-Point Village Gala:** Tonight, at the Overton Conference Center  
5:30pm – Marketplace Shopping & Cocktails; 7:00 pm – Dinner/Program  
**Boys & Girls Club Hall of Fame Induction Banquet**, Tomorrow, Nov. 8th, at the Lubbock Country Club, Lunch:  
11:30-1:00

#### **TTU Agriculture & Natural Resources Pig Roast:**

Next Thur., Nov. 14, 5:30-reception, 6:30- dinner at Memorial Civic Center  
**See Joe for table spaces: all events**

#### **VETERANS DAY Mon. Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>!**

**Route 1:** CPT: Cindy Ham-Trk., 2. Tim Upp; 3. Mary Wallace; Alternate: \_\_\_\_\_?

**Route 2:** CPT: Tom Andrews, 2. Steve Jones-Trk. 3. David Cook, 4. Paul Rostad-Trk. Altr.: Cheryl Jones.

**Route 3:** CPT: Wayne Kohout, 2. Roger Mahan-Trk.; 3. Lequice Kohout; Altr.: Paige Kohout

**Route 4:** CPT: James Dugger, 2. David Medrano; 3. John Gast, Altr. \_\_\_\_\_?

**Route 5:** Kiwanis Trk, CPT: Debbie Conn, 2. Ashley Torrez; Alter. 2 Volunteers

**Route 6:** CPT: Luke Mason-Trk., 2. **Mike Bennett**, 3. Mary Hernandez, Altr.: \_\_\_\_\_?

#### **Please let your Cpt. know ASAP if you can't help!**

**Flag Route Captains** are **dedicated** Club members that ensure PVC pipes are installed correctly & identified, free of debris/grass cover.

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Bits & Pieces

### History of Veterans Day:

WW I – known as “The Great War” – officially ended when the Treaty of Versailles was signed on **June 28, 1919**, in the Palace of Versailles, France. Fighting had ceased 7 months earlier when an armistice, or temporary cessation of hostilities, between Allied nations & Germany went into effect on the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month. For that reason, **Nov. 11, 1918**, is regarded as the end of “the war to end all wars.”

In **1926**, Pres. Coolidge issued a proclamation calling upon officials to display the flag of the U.S. on Govt. buildings on Nov. 11, inviting citizens to observe the day in schools, churches, or other suitable places, with appropriate ceremonies of friendly relations with all other peoples.

In **1938**, Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> was made a legal holiday - a day to be dedicated to the cause of world peace and to be thereafter celebrated and known as '**Armistice Day**', a day set aside to honor Veterans of World War I.

In **1954**, after WW II & the Korean War (6/50-7/53), the word **Armistice** was replaced with '**Veterans**' & Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> was renamed. In 1968, the Uniform Holiday Bill was signed, celebrating 4 national holidays on Mondays to create 3-day weekends. In **1975**, Pres. Ford returned the observance of **Veterans Day** to Nov. 11th, beginning in **1978!** This action supported the desires of nearly all state legislatures, all veterans service organizations & the American people.

### TODAY

**Thur. Nov. 7<sup>th</sup>** – Chuck Colbert, Owner, Colbert's General Store at the Metro Tower, His store, story, & Tower!

### ALSO... COMING SOON!

**Thur. Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>** – Megan Moore, Founder/President, Fight Another Day, Mental Health - **Board Meeting After**

**Thur. Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>** – Chad Wheeler, CEO of Open Door