

April 26, 2017

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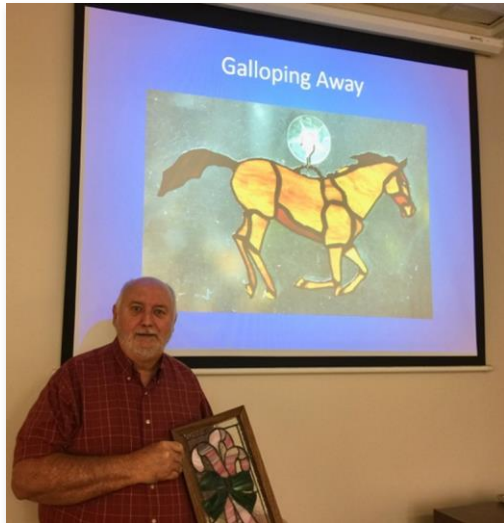
Membership Induction of Laura Taylor

Otha Britton, Project Eliminate.

Future Programs

TBA

Club News



Former member John Overby poses with two of his favorite stained glass creations at last week’s meeting.

John Overby stated that he has always enjoyed working with his hands. Some of his hobbies have included embroidery and woodworking. On retiring he considered taking up ceramics, but instead settled on stained glass. From that starting point, John took us on a journey tracing the history of stained glass and why people are so interested in it. He noted that it was an art form, excited the senses, tells stories and is especially intriguing. With a history beginning in Roman times and continuing during the building of the great cathedrals of Europe, John noted that stained glass can be seen in many countries, but is noticeably less in the Slavic countries. He also noted that in Islamic countries stained glass featured geometric patterns rather than the pictorial details of Biblical scenes. During the Renaissance, use of stained glass in cathedrals began to slow as artists could paint in much

Martin Kiwanis Calendar

- Apr. 26 — Key Club, Westview High School, 11:15
- May 1 — (Monday) Board Meeting, C.E. Weldon Library, noon.
- May 5-7—Key Leader, Lakeshore Camp, Eva, TN.
- Jun 1 — (Thursday) Fifth Wednesday Special Meeting
- Jun. 10 — Fishing Derby, Martin Recreation Complex
- Jun. 23-5 –District Convention, Natchez, MS.
- May 19 — (2018) 50th Anniversary Gala, Discovery Park

April Birthdays

Vickie Hazlewood.....Apr. 11

April Anniversaries

- David Spencer.....Apr. 1
- Harry HendersonApr. 3
- Keith Pettit.....Apr. 13
- Christy DaneApr. 15
- Jayne Parrish.....Apr. 16
- Roberta Peacock.....Apr. 19

greater detail than could be done using glass. The Protestant Reformation brought a number of religious wars and political revolutions during which a number of stained glass windows were destroyed. During the baroque period the church interiors were ornate and clear glass was used to allow more light in order to better view the interior.

In starting his hobby, John purchased Stained Glass for Dummies and did lots of research on the web. He especially recommends anythinginstainedglass.com as a resource. The hobby is labor intensive. The time to create some pieces with lots of curved edges tends to make prices of items high even at minimum wage standards.

Clearly we learned a lot from John’s entertaining, informative, and lively talk.

The Kiwanis family was well represented at the CE Weldon Library Fund Drive Kickoff and Children’s Book Fair last Friday and Saturday. Roberta, Sue Lasky, Sara, Lana and Anna were joined by K-Kids members (here pictured at the “Fancy Nancy” reading and craft station.



Captain’s Challenge, Apr 24– 28. Double the first \$300 (or less) of your gift to UTM during the third annual Captain’s Challenge. You can designate any area (e.g. the Airee Kiwanis Endowment.) Go to <https://challenge.utm.edu>

Active Members

- SK Airee
- Bill Austin
- Anita Bell
- Mary Elizabeth Bell
- Frank Black
- Evelyn Blythe
- Otha Britton
- David Brodrick
- Frances Bynum
- DeAnna Chappell
- Anna Clark
- Jim Clark
- Orrin Cowley
- Christy Dane
- Danelle Fabianich
- Ann Gathers
- Bettye Giles
- Vickie Hazlewood
- Harry Henderson
- Annie Jones
- Steve Lemond
- Jayne Parrish
- Roberta Peacock
- Keith Pettit
- Linda Ramsey
- Christie Ricketts
- Maddy Rosenbaum
- Sara Sieber
- Clinton Smith
- David Spencer
- David Sudberry
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