

April 12, 2023

"Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world, one child and one community at a time."

Today's Program

Dana Hagan — Project Coordinator, UTM Physical Plant: Latimer-Smith Building at UTM

Future Programs

April 19: Student Reports on 4-H State Congress

During our club meeting last week, we discussed the importance of service to our club as related to our mission, our "branding," and our growth. At the mid-year regional conference in February, we learned about signature service projects. These are service projects that we are known for in the community and that are part of our club's tradition. We have many annual signature projects that we are known for in the area including the Christmas parade, the Fishing Derby, the Soybean Festival 5K and Fun Run, and Pancake Day. These are great yearly events. In addition to these, the leadership at the conference encouraged local clubs to have signature projects that were more frequent than once a year. These might be weekly, monthly, or quarterly.

At our March board meeting, we spent some time discussing new service possibilities and decided to spend a weekly meeting with service as our focus. So, we asked our members at the meeting on Wednesday to brainstorm and think out-of-the-box about community and regional service opportunities that we can initiate or in which we can participate. Because our goal is "improving the world, one child and one community at a time," we would like for our service projects to either directly serve children or serve them by including them in our service to others and teaching them to be servant leaders.

(Adapted from an email sent by Club President Ann Gathers)

Martin Kiwanis Calendar

- Apr. 13 — Friends of Scouting BBQ Dinner, \$12, FUMC (takeout)
Apr. 14 — Kiwanis Board meeting, 12:15, Martin Public Library
Apr. 15 — Brain Awareness at Discovery Park, Kiwanis sponsored, a reprise of the extremely successful event at the Martin Public Library on March 11.
Apr. 28-30— Key Leader, Camp Lakeshore, Eva TN

April Birthdays

- Vickie HazlewoodApril 11
Wayne Fields.....April 16
Laura Taylor.....April 18

April Anniversaries

- Harry HendersonApril 3
John MayrosApril 11
Jayne Parrish.....April 16
Roberta Peacock.....April 19
Vincent PolitteApril 20



Inside the Latimer-Smith Building

Active Members

Bill Austin
Mary Elizabeth Bell
Frank Black
Otha Britton
Anna Clark
Jim Clark
Danelle Fabianich
Wayne Fields
Ann Gathers
Bettye Giles
Courtney Haley
Vickie Hazlewood
Harry Henderson
Annie Jones
Steve Lemond
John Mayros
Jayne Parrish
Roberta Peacock
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