

# February 15, 2017

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

## Program

Dr. Rachna Tewari & Dr. Joey E. Mehlhorn,  
“UTM and Hirosaki University Interact: Recent Visit to Japan”

## Future Programs

Feb. 22 — Dr. Jennifer Greenwood, “Human Impact on Freshwater Ecosystems”

## Club News

**S. K. Airee has endowed a Martin Kiwanis Award for Leadership and Service** at the University of Tennessee at Martin. The endowment is to honor students whose leadership and volunteer activities reflect the Kiwanis directive of “improving the world, one child and once community at a time.”

The UTM Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs office will administer the annual award, with input from the Martin Kiwanis Club and the advisor of UTM Circle K club or a faculty member who belongs to the local Kiwanis Club.

Minimum amount of the award will be one thousand dollars plus a recognition plaque. If the income from the endowment is greater than this amount, the extra amount will be added to the endowment account, or may be used for the traditional Martin Kiwanis Club Scholarship for an entering freshman student or be used to help the UTM Circle K Club fund child development activities – such as merit badge clinics for Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, Special Olympics, seminars and camps.

The general criteria for the award include:

- Must be a least a sophomore in standing.
- Must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 or higher
- Must have completed a significant project in service to children or youth or have strong evidence of leadership in service to children or youth.
- Must have been an Eagle Scout, Gold Girl Scout, or a member of a Key Club in high school or in Circle K. or college club.

It is hoped that the first award will be given in the local club’s 50th anniversary year. Formal announcement of the endowment is imminent, a photo with Chancellor Keith Carver is to be taken on Wednesday, Feb, 15, Donations to the endowment can be made through the UT Martin Development Office.

# Martin Kiwanis Calendar

- Feb. 16— K-Kids, MES, 2:35 p.m.
- Feb. 22 —Key Club, Westview HS, 11:14 a.m.
- Feb.25 — Pancake Day, Martin Elementary School
- Feb. 25 —Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet, 7:00 p.m. Martin Church of Christ
- Mar. 4 — Regional Conference, Germantown, TN
- Mar. 6 — (Monday) Board Meeting, C.E. Weldon Library, noon
- Mar. 11— Pinewood Derby, Martin Church of Christ, Registration 9 a.m., racing 10 am.
- May 5 – 7 Key Leader, Lakeshore Camp, Eva, TN.
- Jun. 23-5 –District Convention, Natchez, MS.

## February Birthdays

- Frank Black.....Feb. 03
- Jayne Parrish.....Feb. 05
- Harry Henderson.....Feb. 08
- Anna Clark.....Feb. 27

**Recent Board Actions:** approved sponsorship of the Martin Housing Authority after school and summer program and continuing cooperating with Martin Parks and Recreation on the decorated egg contest, fishing derby, soybean festival 5k and Santa’s Village.



Above Jayne and Anna learn about Key Leader. To right, John Overcash prepares to light up a pickle neon style as part of Steve Elliott and his presentation on the STEM program’s outreach to teachers and schools.



## 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
- Jamie Summers
- Lana Westbrook
- Earl Wright

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