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Quick Glance



Senior Meals Drivers

Meal Delivery Location
Mennonite Church - Hwy 105
Delivery Days
Tues, Wed, Thurs

Jan 17 - RF Smith
Jan 18 - Mike McGrath
Jan 19 - Steve Hall



Thanks to Jim Murphy

Scribes

Jan 21 - Pete Peterson



Thanks to
Dennis Beasley



Texas History Circa 1830 to 1871

Doug McCormick

Future Program Announcements

January 28, 2017

Ecotourism in Nepal with Air Force Cadets

Upcoming Programs

January 28

- Ecotourism in Nepal with Air Force Cadets
 - Mary Kelly
 - February 4, 2017
- Monument Hill Foundation
 - Ted Bauman
 - February 11
- Tax Law Changes
- Bob Johnson, CPA
- February 25, 2017
 - CASA Update
 - Joe Foreman
 - March 4
- Colorado Law & Your Life
 - Pit Martin
 - March 11
 - Member BIOS
 - March 18
- Oswald Boelcke, Germany's First Fighter Ace & Father of Air Combat
 - Brig Gen R. G. Head

Mary Kelly

February 4, 2017

- Monument Hill Foundation
 - Ted Bauman

Member Concerns

Rich Munsell updated member concerns:

- Dave Humbert has been in Minnesota. His mother died and her funeral was on Saturday. He and his family are in our thoughts and prayers.
- Bill Fryer had double bypass heart surgery. Glenn Scott said Bill is looking good.
- Ted Bookman is out the hospital and recovering.
- Max Williams updated us on Steve Plank. Steve is still doing weekly chemotherapy. He has good and bad days, but is doing fine.
- Rich along with others spoke to Wayne Claybaugh this week. Wayne has chemotherapy twice monthly. He has a great attitude, thinks of us a lot, and sends his best to all.
- Rich Rima told us Bob Pietch has resigned from the club. Bob is now in assisted living, and Rich asked that we keep him in his prayers. He has not attended for many years due to his health.
- Rich offered a prayer for blessings on our club and it's members. We support one another. Our hearts go out to our members that are ill, that are recovering, that are mourning. We pray for our nation and blessings on the changing national leadership.

Larry Stephens led the Pledge of Allegiance.

- March 25
- Griffith Center for Children Updates
 - Jamie Sachtjen
- April 1, 2017 TBD
 -
- April 8
- Apollo Space Program
 - Lisette Clemons



Thanks Larry Young

Board of Directors

2015-2016



Board of Directors

2016-2017



President RF Smith

Called the meeting to order at 8:00 am.

RF's thought of the day from Yogi Berra: "If you don't know where you are going, you might wind up someplace else."

Visitors & Guests

President - RF Smith

President Elect - Barb Broshous

Immediate Past

President - Rich Strom

Secretary - Mike Luginbuhl

Treasurer/ CFO- Jack Fry

Sergeant-at-Arms - Paul Short

VP - Programs - Larry Young

VP - Memberships - Bob Hayes

VP- Fundraising - Barrie Town

VP - Public Relations - Steve Stephenson

VP - Service Leadership Program - Max Williams



Rich Rima introduced his friend and our guest speaker, Doug McCormick. Doug retired from the USAF with 21 years service, then worked as defense contractor for another 14 years. He now has his own business, American History Tours. Great to have Doug with us!

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Doni Gorley was welcomed as a new MHKC member. Her sponsor is her husband, Paul. They have 2 grown children and 2 grandchildren. Doni is a retired USAF civilian with 22

VP - Community Service - Cheryl
Wangerman

Dir - Bingo & Raffles
Mark Zeiger

Dir - Granting and External Relations
-
Jim Taylor

Dir - Member Recognition -
Ron Mangiarelli

Dir - Plans, Analysis, & Resources -
Russ Broshous

Dir - Special Needs - Rich Munsell

Dir - Interclub & Social - Marian
Taylor

Special Thanks To

years service. Doni said she was happy to join us and is looking forward to working with us and the community. Welcome to the club!

RF Smith said there is a board meeting immediately following today's meeting. We received thank you notes from the folks that provide senior transportation at Palmer Lake, and another from Silver Alliance. Silver Alliance included a picture of our grant presentation in its newsletter.

RF said Mark Zeiger is still recovering from foot surgery and spends a lot of time sitting on his "lounger." Mark wanted to let us know that Bingo money donated to the Foundation from the last quarter was \$23,000.



Marian Taylor attended the Interclub luncheon meeting hosted by the Pikes Peak Kiwanis Club on Thursday at South Side Johnny's in Colorado Springs. 25 people from different clubs attended, including Joe Foreman and Mike Luginbuhl from our club. The Pikes Peak Club is doing a project titled Children Against Hunger - 1,000 food packets were sent overseas. We might be able to use some packets in our area. As Interclub and Social Director she is going to be planning a mixer for the March timeframe.



Bonnie Nasser for photographs



Tom "Media Master" VanWormer for
Media Services



Rich Hicks
K-News Editor

Pete Peterson needs a backup for the 4th of July parade. Act as backup for 2 years, then take over as parade director for a couple years. He asked for volunteers. RF added that this is a big project with lots of moving parts, but a big contribution to the community. The parade depends on us.

Harry Brandon said the Kiwanis Division 4 meetings are well attended with enthusiastic leadership. The Rocky Mountain District conference is in Ft. Collins, from the 3rd to the 5th of March. Jane Erickson, the President of Kiwanis International is the keynote speaker. Rich Strom is coordinating her visit. Registration info is available at <http://www.rmdkiwanis.com/>.



Mike Luginbuhl and his squirrel cage filled in for Dave Humbert, providing an update on the Superbowl boards, on display at the meeting. He encouraged us to sign up for the open squares. Only 2 weeks left. If completely filled, the 5 boards generate \$1,000 each, with \$250 to the winner and \$750 to the foundation. One board was filled, so Mike used his squirrel cage to generate the numbers. Due to comments from last year, Mike researched the origin of the term "squirrel cage." He found a motor, furnace blower, folk art, tavern, jail, an aerobatic maneuver, and a cage for squirrels. His favorite, the aerobatic maneuver (pictured below), consists of 4 maneuvers linked together: a Loop followed by a half Cuban 8 followed

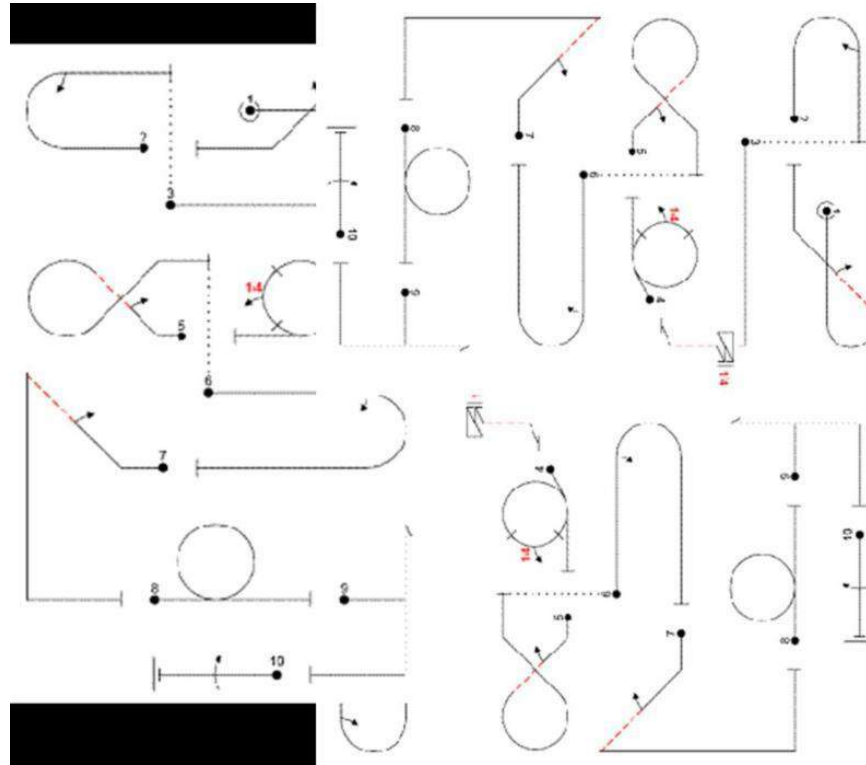
MHKC Service Recognition

Kiwanian of the Year

2016 Larry Young

- 2015 Mark Zeiger
- 2014 RF Smith
- 2013 Tom Nelson
- 2012 Ron Heard
- 2011 Bonnie Biggs
- 2010 Dennis Daugherty
- 2009 Ed Kinney
- 2008 Don Johnson
- 2007 Ted Bauman
- 2006 Glenn Scott
- 2005 Dick Durham
- 2004 Benny Nasser
- 2003 Sharon Williams
- 2002 Bill Cook
- 2001 Jim Taylor
- 2000 Rich Rima
- 1999 Rich Lybolt
- 1998 Jack Johnson
- 1997 Larry Cheatham
- 1996 Ed DeValois
- 1995 Paul Bacalis
- 1994 Jerry Losey
- 1993 Denny Myers
- 1992 Bill Tope
- 1991 Max Williams
- 1990 Dick London

by an Immelmann and a Split S. Mike has flown these since he was 22, but discovered during his research why the maneuver is called a squirrel cage - "any situation that seems to be endless, without goal or achievement." I think he gave a head-nod to fighter pilot RF Smith.



WINNERS FOOTBALL POOL

1989 Len Dodson
1988 Dave Turner
1987 Charlie Emmons
1986 Bill Dudman
1985 George Goddu
1984 Jim Carroll
1983 Rev John Snyder

*Additional Sertoman of the Year or
Kiwanian of the Year designates
include: Dexter Peak, JoAnn Peak,
Steve Hall - Sunset Sertoma Club,
Darlene Loudermilk & Joe Ashby

25 Year Legion of Honor
Jo Carroll, Ed DeValois, Chuck
Dunham, Steve Hall, Joe Howard,
Jerry Losey, Max Williams

30 Year Legion of Honor
Ben Bellis , Mark O'Regan, Fred
Roeming, John Snyder, Cliff
Sparrow, Bud Sterling

35 Year Legion of Honor
Joe Ashby, Watt Hill, John Swofford

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Glenn Scott reported that last week for the Division Playoffs, 15 people correctly picked 2 winners, 9 picked 3, and 3 picked 4. The tie breaker score was 59. Rich Rima won the tie breaker missing the total score by just 8 points. Sally Gettelman received the Sacagawea. Max Williams provided his own estimate of the tie breaker: $x/y =$ the winning score; where x is the speed of light in miles per hour and y is the speed of sound, cubed, or 1.48623754. Max was approximately 57 points away from the tie breaker. Glenn said this year the Winners Pool will donate \$472 to the foundation. Thanks for playing!

HAPPY BUCKS

for the Monument Hill Kiwanis Club
4th of July Parade

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Pete Peterson mentioned that his wife and grand-daughter might be causing mayhem at the Women's Walk in Denver. He was hoping there was still some money left on her Nordstrom's card for bail.



Here are a few pics from our speakers last week, the USAF Parachute Team



Larry Stevens was happy to be driving an all-wheel drive Highlander after an accident on black-ice during Thanksgiving.

Brian Brandon encouraged us to vote during the upcoming Woodmoor Improvement Association elections.

Paul Short had a Snickers bar for Toni Trifiletti; from an E-5 to a General with a sense of humor.

BIRTHDAYS



Frank Wynne had member birthdays for the upcoming week and some timely humor.

Kathy Brown

Anita Hall

Steve Hall



Progressive Drawing

Jan 14, 2017

Winner this week is:

Dennis Daugherty

Kiwanis Progressive Drawing Stats:

Date of drawing: 1/7/17

Chips this drawing: 9

Carry over from last week: \$63

Today's 1/2 ticket sales: \$28

Total for today's drawing: \$91

Who won this week: Dennis Daugherty

Amount won & donated back: \$5

Amount won and kept by winner: \$0

Available for next week's drawing: \$91

Chips remaining for next week's drawing: 7

Kiwanis Program - Jan 21, 2017



Texas History

Doug McCormick

Scribe: Pete Peterson

This was Doug's fifth presentation to MHKC having given earlier talks on George and Martha Washington, Andrew Jackson, Thomas Jefferson's Tombstone, and Red Cloud's War. Retired from the Air Force, Doug runs History Tours America escorting tours

around the US emphasizing historical events. He can be contacted at doug@historytoursamerica.com or visit his web site, www.historytoursamerica.com.

Saturday's presentation was some Texas history - specifically the period around the vicious reign of the Comanche in the Western Plains.

The Comanche pushed south into the Southern Plains and drove the Apaches west into New Mexico. The most warlike and feared of the Indian nations, they were also the most skilled horsemen, able to fire 5 to 10 arrows under their horse in rapid succession. Doug said from his readings, if you went into a fight with the Comanche, you wanted to win it, or die losing it. They had little command and control structure - some chiefs led warriors into battle, while others managed the logistics of the tribe. The males were warriors and hunters; the females handled everything else.



Due to the Comanche's domination of the area, Texas, then parts of Mexico, were sparsely settled. Mexico enticed settlers from the US with free land, with provisions - loyalty to Mexico, conversion to Catholicism, and no slave ownership. Among the settlers was the Parker clan, who built Fort Parker not far from present day Waco, to protect themselves from the Indians. In May of 1836, the Comanche breached the fort, killed 4 or 5 of the Parkers, and kidnapped Cynthia Parker and a few others. Cynthia soon

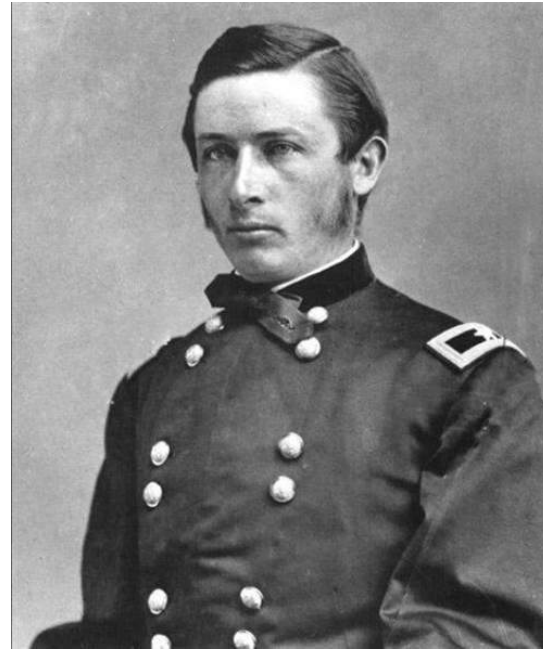
assimilated into the tribe and eventually married Chief Peta Nocona, bearing 3 children including a son, Quanah.



In 1860, at the Battle of Pease River, her husband was killed by the Texas Rangers. Cynthia, along with her daughter, was re-captured and sent back to white society. Not wanting to return to the white people, she was handed off to several families, never to see her two sons again. Her daughter died in 1864. Cynthia starved herself to her death in 1870.



The Texas Rangers were formed as a voluntary force by the citizens of Texas as they had no law enforcement of military. A raw group, they were led by Jack Hays, who was young, intelligent and educated. Hays eventually learned that to defeat the Comanche, the Rangers had to stay mounted, fire their pistols from their horses and disrupt, i.e. kill, the Comanche's horses - their main strength. He later became a national hero during the Mexican-American War.



Relearning tactics developed by Hays, Civil War hero General Ranald Mackenzie, Commander of the 4th Cavalry, finally defeated the Comanche at Palo Duro Canyon, a few miles south of modern day Amarillo, TX.



Cynthia's son, Quanah, became a powerful and feared Comanche chief. After the defeat at Palo Duro, he adopted to the white man's ways and became a successful business man and cattleman. However, he refused to give up a few of the Comanche customs: Peyote and polygamy - he had eight wives. He and his mother are buried at the Ft. Sill Cemetery in Oklahoma.

Happy Trails!

See you Saturday at:



Lewis Palmer D-38 Administration building

(a.k.a. Big Red)

146 Jefferson Street, Monument, CO 80921.

Please use the West or North entrances!
