

KIWANIS TALK

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Defining Statement: Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time.

Club chartered Mar. 9, 1922 – monthly bd. meeting 2nd Mon. at 5:15 p.m. at Trinity

Mr. Earvin Ryland

Mr. Ryland was struck with a sudden and painful back issue that required surgery. I visited with him yesterday (Feb. 5th) at the hospital. He was talkative, in good spirits, and recovering well. He is recovering his strength and told me he had just taken his longest walk to date in the halls of the hospital. Of course, as our bulletin editor, one of his main topics of conversation with me was his concern about our monthly Kiwanis bulletin. I assured Mr. Ryland I would produce something that at least resembled a bulletin. So, with my apologies for tardiness, here goes...

Valentine's Day Lunch

We will be having our annual Kiwanis Valentine's Day lunch on Thursday, February 13th. If you plan to attend and/or bring your spouse, please be sure you have signed up. If you haven't had a chance to see the signup sheet at our lunch meetings, you can email Tracy Calloway at secretary@kiwanistruston.org. Jodie Williams and Margie Hearn will be providing music during the lunch.

Our Meeting Place

While looking for topics for this bulletin, I looked back at the bulletin from February of last year. One item of news in last year's bulletin was that the Ruston Country Club had closed its doors as of January 24th, 2013. It's been a challenging year of trying to find a new home. Thankfully, we have found a new home at the Trinity Center at Trinity United Methodist Church.

Kiwanis Art Festival At Community Trust Bank

Feb. 20 & 21: Art Delivery and Setup
Feb 24: Judging
Feb 24: Reception & Awards at 4:00
CTB Community Room
Feb 24-28: Art on Display

I hope everyone will make an effort to go by the CTB room to see the art work of our young people from Feb. 24-28. Also, please make plans to attend the Reception and Awards Show.

EliMiNaTe Project

Our club's Eliminate Project contributions as of 12/31/2013 total \$12,843.82. Good job everyone!

Kiwanian Bob Hearn – Program Chair

has the following programs set for February:

Feb 6: Reggie Bridges – New Pastor
Temple Baptist Church
Feb 13: Valentine's Day Music by Jodie Williams and Margie Hearn
Feb 20: Commander Jim Tuten – Warden
Lincoln Parish Detention Center
Feb 27: James Dean
Bluebird Enthusiast

