



Home of the AmTryke



We meet
Each Thursday at Noon
at the Winterfield
Methodist Church
Longview, Texas
You are welcome
to join us.

THE BOCCANEER

LONGVIEW AMBUCS

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Presiding: Tommy Knight
Prayer: Robert McCown
Pledge: Steve Warner

Members: 34

Guests:

Cory Lee of Michael Garza
Carolyn Ramirez of The Club
Haylea Hudson of The Club

Attendance: Michael Garza took \$100 cash now rather than the full \$748 in the drawing. \$648 carries over.

50/50: \$45 to Tommy Knight

7/12 – Haylea Hudson & Carolyn Ramirez

7/19 – Business Meeting

MOBILITY BASH: September 8th

Tickets will be in distribution on Wednesday, the 18th. Paul Herring is heading these up as well as getting team captains together for our sales competition. Michael Garza is handling silent auction items. The next committee meeting will be held on July 18th at 5:30 PM at World Headquarters. Joe has purchase the purse to the right for a big auction item. It retails for over \$2,600 & tickets will be sold for \$10 a piece.



Walk to End Alzheimers on October 6th in memory of our fallen member Al Voyles. She said that her club, Longview Ambucs Too, has already formed a team and is challenging us to compete with them in the fundraiser.

results are in favor of Winterfield United Methodist Church.
We will be meeting at the Hilton Garden Inn for next week's meeting on July 19th.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Guest Speakers



Haylea Hudson & Carolyn Ramirez spoke with us today about the Alzheimers Association. Carolyn challenged Longview Ambucs to form a team to participate in the upcoming

Ramps

Last Saturday's ramp build was a success according to Kevin. 2 ramps were built, one in the front of the building and one in the back. The next ramp build will be Saturday the 21st. Leave WHQ at 7, traveling to New London.

National Conference

On October 3rd-6th at the Peppermint Hotel Resort in Reno Nevada. Their telephone number is 866-821-9996.

Venue

We met at the Hilton Garden Inn today & took our final vote tally. The official

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Steve had little to report on this other than we have 7 on back order.

Scholarships

Per Tommy Knight, we gave away 5 national scholarships to Texas Tech students in the Physical Therapy School.

AMBUC Shirts

Duke reported that the shirts are in. If you ordered one of the blue or green golf shirts with the Ambuc logo, see Forest Williams or Al Bingham. Bring cash or check with you to pay for these. No IOU's.



Nick Bowen was our Ambuc of the Day. He was brought into the club by Joe Knox, who got to know each other through Leadership Longview. Nick has been in Longview for 10 years, 9 of those married to his wife. They have 4 kids ages 6 and under. They are passionate about local children's ministry and have just gotten the green light to be foster parents. He works as a Morgan Stanley financial advisor with the Castle-Parr Group. He's been with them for a year and a half now. According to Michael Garza, Nick has made a lot of the ramp builds and has even brought his kids.

Big Hat Meeting

Hewitt reported that we had a good turnout for the meeting on Tuesday. The Cowboys Football Pot fundraiser was renewed again. Per Robert Lee, he will begin selling squares next week, though he went ahead & signed up Michael Garza for the \$100 in the attendance drawing. This is a \$4,000 fundraiser that we do well with. Robert said we may try to get a 2nd pot for the overflow.

Board Meeting

The next board meeting will be on July 19th at World Headquarters at 5:30 PM.

Balloon Race

Dennis Rand said that the best way to get into the Balloon Race for free is to volunteer to be on a crew. He said another benefit is free food. Call him for more details: 903-557-0355.

Josh Webb

Keep Josh in your thoughts and prayers. Recently he's been in the hospital due to MS and hasn't been able to make meetings.

Team Breakdown

Doug Barnard's Group

Paul Herring's Team

Jerry Kelly
Dave Dean
Lutz Kuehnhoefer
Seth Pyle
Dane Eitelman
Troy Moore
Don Hendon
Curtis Henshaw

Hewitt Wheless' Team

Toby Pilgrim

Shawn Hall
Jonathan Beasley
Bill Fishburn
Michael Tubb
Andy Traylor
Troy Dassonville
Brandon Sigmon

Dick Allen's Team

Cruz Mendez
Don Nimo
Josh Webb
George Doss
Jay Gordon
Steve Rogers
Chad Hinton
Bo Bruyere

Joe Knox's Team

Robert Durham
Raymond Whaley
Thomas Myers
Frank Pohl
Mike Tomanio
Jim Bartlett
Robert Milner
Chapin Miller

Al Bingham's Team

Brent Tuel
Tom Davis
John Durst
Jack Crawford
Gaylon Duplissey
Duke Owen
Charlie McGregor
Mark Whinnery

Tommy Knight's Group

Kevin Ingram's Team

Rob Springer
Richard Fleet
Robert Petty
Brad Caraway

Bob Graham
David Tramel
Steve Gordon
Dan Herrington

Steve Warner's Team

Robert Duncan
Jason Stone
JP Tramel
Sam Satterwhite
Mike Bishop
Robert McCown
Jim Hiebert
Dennis Rand

Jeff Thorpe's Team

Don Smith
Jason Frey
Tim Hood
Don Lemay
Nick Bowen
JB McCaleb
Danny Lee
John Jackson

Tom Brown's Team

Jim Murphrey
Lance Slaton
Bill Supan
David Cowley
Ken Hartley
Billy Hagenbucher
Ryan Cook
Tom Holyfield

Forrest Williams' Team

Powers Branch
Michael Garza
Albert Goettle
Ray Bostick
Don Esch
David McWhorter
Steven Craig
Mike Burgett