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Creating Mobility and Independence For People With Disabilities

We meet
Each Thursday at Noon
At Cace's Restaurant
1501 East Marshall Avenue
Longview, Texas
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THE BUCCANEER

AMBUCS OF LONGVIEW

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Presiding: Doug Fouse **Prayer:** Jim Murphrey **Pledge:** Steve Warner

ROLL CALL

Members: 30 Guests: 3

GUESTS

<u>Guest of</u>
Tony Powell Mike Butler
Kayla Borens The Club
Crystal Loritsch The Club

DRAWINGS

Attendance: \$159 Charlie McGregor Convention: Charlie McGregor

SCHEDULED PROGRAMS July 24th

Business Meeting

July 31st

John King – Lobo Football

August 7th

David Simmons – Lgv Sanitation

Crystal Loritsch & Kayla Borens



Kayla spoke with us today (with Crystal's support) about the Aging & Disability Resource Center where she is the Outreach Coordinator. The ETxADRC is joining with other community partners to establish the East Texas Community Living Network whose focus is expanding the collection of local resources to support persons with intellectual & developmental disabilities as valued members of our community to remain here at home. Resources will include respite assistance, behavioral supports, person/familycentered healthcare providers, & much more. Kayla also shared with us that there is a Community Living Network Rally going on this Saturday, July 19th @ 6:30 at Community Connections located at 501 Pine Tree Rd. This will be a free event to include a hot dog dinner, carnival games, & informational sessions about Star Plus, health care, and resources for help. For more information visit www.etrdc.org or contact Kayla at kayla.borens@communityhealth core.com.

Board Meeting

Bob Graham Requested that the Miracle League Mud Run be

classified as an AMBUCS fundraiser so it can be covered under the insurance policy. Motion passed.

Bob Also announced that the Texas Rangers donated \$10,000 for the Miracle League & closer to home a matching donation from Perry B Reed of \$10,000.

Discussion continued on the License Plate Scholarship Fund. Suggestions were made to involve some of the newer members. Doug agreed to continue the pickups until we select some route runners for this project.

Doug proposed matching the contribution we made last year to the Combat Warriors. The CW puts on a deer hunt for the Wounded Warriors providing accommodations and food. Motion passed.

Announcements

District Meeting 7-31-14 at World HQ @ 6

New Member Orientation

Will be held on August 14th @ World HQ.

Big Hatters

New feature to the Football Pot this year. It's \$100 per square for all 16 games. Make sure to get contact info for all non-AMBUCS participants in the event that they win. All squares need to be sold by September 1st. Payouts are \$100 per quarter per game.

MUD RUN

This event is scheduled for August 23rd. Check out the website at www.runitlikeitshot.org for more information.

Obstacle Pre-Build July 26th Details to come.

Great Texas Balloon Race

Being held July 29th – August 3rd. This year it is home of the U.S. National Championship.

B7's Back

Mike Butler brought a guest & passed the banana torch to Duke Owen. It looks like B7 wins the size contest.

