



# News & Views

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## Presidents Message



Well for me personally, a lot happened in July

I had 2 family reunions just a week apart and just like I have always tried to stay close to my family, the Women's Chamber has become a part of my extended family.

Celebrations of our independence rang throughout the county and within the family's celebrating. I praise all of you

women in the lives you lead and what you share not only with your own families, but with strangers.

Our Appreciation lunch was and emotional filled event with members showing the power we have in our hearts and souls. We were able to donate to the Hill Country Vet Council. From combined contributions. What a great feeling I had that we were such a loving and giving group.

My travels to Oregon for one of the reunions only made me more appreciative in the community I live in and in the Women I associate with. I praised our work and was so proud to show them our site and some of what we do. Keep on Keepin On Ladies!

As the school year starts up this month, let us remember our future women and men are in their learning years and patience is needed to help them grow in faith and learn some of the traditional values we grew up with. In other words we have our work cut out, but I know we are up to the task.

God Bless each and every one of you and what you do in our community.

Rose Bradshaw, President 2015

## 6th Annual Military Luncheon



What a wonderful luncheon! Our speaker Wayne Mosgrobe, gave an emotional speech on why men & women join the military.

For the Hill Country Veteran Center we raised \$800.00 just by passing the hat, and then matched \$500.00 for a grand total of \$1300.00!!!! Way to go ladies!

A Special Thanks to Jannell Bullock and the Ways & Means Committee for the decorations, they were fantastic! Look inside for more pictures of this great event.

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## Officers

Rose Bradshaw .....President  
 Debbie Barron .....1st Vice President  
 Tammy Parkhurst-Rhodes .2nd Vice President  
 Jo Carol Smith.....Secretary  
 Jannell Bullock.....Treasurer

## Committee Chairs

Auditing ..... Brenda Beaty  
 Beautification..... Ruth Bauer  
 Budget.....Jannell Bullock  
 By Laws..... Pat Dye  
 Chaplain..... Ginny Bull  
 Christmas Lighting..... Paula Wilson  
 Deli Program .....Andrea Neely  
 Goodwill ..... Chris Booker  
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 Hostess .....Margie Jetton  
 Membership..... Tammy Parkhurst-Rhodes  
 Multimedia ..... Tammy Parkhurst-Rhodes  
 Outstanding Woman..... Jennie Motheral  
 Parliamentarian..... Pat Dye  
 Photographer ..... Raye Haney  
 Property .....Neva Pratt  
 Publicity .....Bonnie Arnold  
 Recycling .....Janell Bullock  
 Scholarships .....Brenda Craig  
 Telephone .....Sumer Perkins  
 Ways and Means .....Jannell Bullock  
 Welcome/Ribbon Cuttings .....Gaye Avery  
 Yearbook.....Cassandra Behrens  
 Volunteers To Go.....Ann Buck

## Important Notices



In Need of Macaroni And Cheese Donations.  
 Tell Everyone And Ask Your Friends & Churches For  
 Their Assistance With This.



*It's already that time of year  
 again! Please bring your school  
 supply donations to the meeting.*



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[www.kerrcountywomenschamber.org](http://www.kerrcountywomenschamber.org)

Our mission is to work for the betterment of the Kerrville area community through charitable, civic, and environmental projects and programs.

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## Membership Renewal

**Time to Renew!**  
**Please fill out a new  
 application and pay your  
 dues.**

# 6th Annual Military Luncheon



Girl Scout Troop 224 Presents Debbie Barron with a certificate of support and Local community partner award



Music provided by Chris Booker, Bill Booker, & Dan Stisser



## Mark Your Calendars!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!

**Brenda Craig - 8/5**

**Linda Abrahamson - 8/17**

**Jo Dean "Jody" Jacoby - 8/27**

## Yearbook

It is that time of year!!  
Put on you make up and  
fix your hair, We will  
be taking photos at the  
general meeting

## A Blast from the Past!

*If you can guess who this  
beautiful KCWC member is you  
will win a prize!*

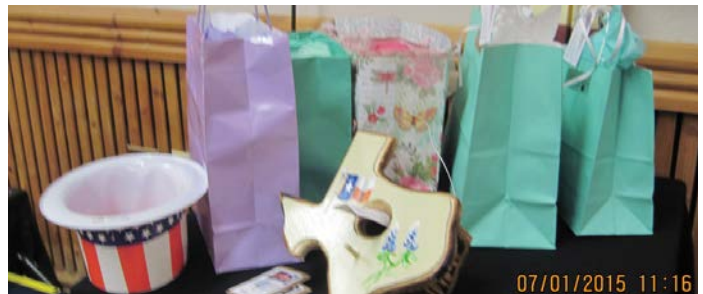
*Please email your answer to  
[tammyp@acprint.net](mailto:tammyp@acprint.net)*

*First email wins, if no correct  
answers are received we will  
guess during our meeting*

## July Door Prizes



Donated By: Jo Carol Smith-Peterson Hospice •  
Tammy Parkhurst-Rhodes- ACprint,inc. • Linda  
Stilwell - Coldwell Banker • Wendy Holt - Coldwell  
Banker



We are always in need of Door prize donations!



# Committee Notes



## BEAUTIFICATION:

Ruth Bauer and the committee presented the July 2015 Beautification Award was presented to Debbie and Jay Rydberg at 105 Cynthia in Kerrville.

## RECYCLING

Don't forget to bring your empty ink/laser/fax cartridges. Please keep turning them in each month. Remember to bring your plastic shopping bags to each general meeting.

Raphael Community Clinic is in need of empty medicine bottles. Please remember to bring them to our general meetings.

## MULTIMEDIA

Please submit your pics & happenings! We want to feature YOU! Committee Chairs please remember to submit your happenings for the newsletter.

## YEARBOOK

It's that time again. We will begin taking pictures at the August meeting

## AUGUST GENERAL MEETING

We will have lunch at 11:30am at Rails Events Hall on 615 East Schreiner St with the meeting starting at noon. The buffet cost is \$12.00. Contact Sumer Perkins at [sperkins@petersonrmc.com](mailto:sperkins@petersonrmc.com) or 830-258-7421 to make your reservation. Please remember to get your reservation for you and your guest in BEFORE noon on the Friday before the General Meeting on the first Wednesday of each month. If you need to cancel your RSVP, please kindly notify me 24 hours before the luncheon date if you are unable to attend. Remember to pay by check for your lunch.

## VOLUNTEERS TO GO

To find out what volunteer opportunities there are contact Ann Buck or Cassandra Behrens.

## DELI

Don't forget to bring your deli donations of non-perishables or dollars and manufacturer's coupons for the C.A.M food bank and get an extra door prize ticket for your donations! So, foods such as cereals, instant potatoes, canned goods, peanut butter, and jelly, popcorn, snacks, juices are needed. Also, laundry soaps, toiletries, and always cash donations are accepted.

## CHRISTMAS LIGHTING

The Christmas Lighting Committee will be starting to meet soon. If you are interested in this committee contact Paula Wilson.

## OUTSTANDING WOMAN

Applications are on website and the deadline for submissions is August 21st..

## NEWSLETTER!

We want to

hear from you!

Send newsletter

submissions to

[tammyp@acprint.net](mailto:tammyp@acprint.net)

## Member News



**Meet  
Sumer  
Perkins  
our new  
telephone  
chair**



**Even with her busy schedule, Debbie Barron finds time to take a weekly dance class with her tiny friend, Tenley Horton, at Peggy Anne-CeCe Jean's Dance Studio.**

## Family Moments - Rose Bradshaw



## Volunteers to Go

UGRA hosted its 12th Annual River Clean Up on Saturday, July 25th. A total of 6,315 pounds of garbage was collected by a record 403 participants, working along the river from above Hunt all the way to Center Point. Approximately 920 pounds of this total was separated for recycling; such items included cans, plastic, cardboard, and scrap metal. Along with the expected paper and plastic trash, participants retrieved sheets of plywood, broken porta-potty, three sofas, AC window unit, air pump, car grill, flat screen TV, golf club, lawn chairs, half of a Subway restaurant sign, \$10 bill, lawn mower, fish tank, rubber snake, and 16 tires. The volunteers who recovered these items entered them in to the biggest and most unusual items contest.



# Meeting Moments!



LEGACY

# Gala

2015

**Peterson Regional Medical Center Foundation presents the  
2015 Legacy Gala: A Heart for Healing.**

Mark your calendars for Thursday, November 12th – Celebrity Chef Cooking School, featuring Chef Chad Houser of Café Momentum in Dallas, TX

Saturday, November 14th- Gala formal evening, featuring The Grooves band & open bar

For more information, please visit our newly renovated website: <http://www.legacygala.org>

*Contact Sumer Perkins for more information 830-258-7421 or [sperkins@petersonrmc.com](mailto:sperkins@petersonrmc.com)*