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## COMING UP...

### UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

- 11/13: Jennifer Douglas-2020 Census
- 11/20: Sherry Tyroch-Bell County Youth Fair Scholarship
- 11/27: No Meeting-Happy Thanksgiving!

### CLUB CALENDAR:

- 11/13: Noon Meeting-Gober-Caterer Big Hoss
- 11/18: Noon Board Meeting-Cotton Patch
- 11/20: Noon Meeting-Caterer Fat Boys
- 11/27: No Meeting -Happy Thanksgiving Week!

### BIRTHDAYS:

- 11/12: Julie Alviso
- 11/12: Dave Fette
- 11/12: Paul Motz
- 11/13: Allan Lueck

### UPCOMING GREETERS:

- 11/13: Tex Burrows & Dennis Arwood
- 11/20: Jon Burrows & Henry Jezek
- 11/27: No Meeting-Happy Thanksgiving!



**Left: Our very own Tex Burrows was recognized at the 35th Annual Military Appreciation Luncheon and awarded the Vietnam Veteran Lapel Pin in honor of his service to our country. Congratulations Tex! Thank you for your service!**

Thank you to all those who helped with Wildcat Parking last Friday! Those individuals include: Jamey Secrest, Lathe Owens, Craig Caddell, Tex Burrows, David Southerland, Robert White, Dave Moreno, Eddy Lange, Kerri Meier, Mike Hicks, Frank Hajda, Dave Fette, and Ed Luna.



Today, Dr. Bobby Ott, TISD Superintendent, spoke to the club. He shared a presentation on the district's priorities. He identified five priorities: 1) Strategic Marketing, 2) Innovation, 3) Safety, 4) Growth, and 5) Compensation. He talked about how the district is addressing Priority #1, Strategic Marketing, through his various presentations around the community about the vision, mission, and beliefs of TISD. The district has developed new marketing materials, completed a website refresh, moved into the new administration building, as well as started his own Twitter account and newsletter, Ott's Outlook. They have also started bus wraps. To target priority #2, Innovation, Dr. Ott indicated that all campuses have met standards and scored a B rating, which is comparable to neighboring school districts. The TISD school board and Temple College board had a joint meeting at the beginning of the 2019-2020 school year.

TISD has implemented district-wide blended learning and further expanded CTE partnerships. For priority #3, Safety, Dr. Ott told us that the district has hired another student intervention specialist, implemented a security service assessment protocol, started the Keep TISD Safe initiative, as well as made several technology upgrades. One of the new priorities (#4), Growth, has been addressed with the first-ever school demographic study, which was completed last year. He said that the district plans to continue this every year as it provides such valuable information. He also mentioned that the district is working with builders on master planning for housing developments, and working with the Temple-Belton Board of Realtors. Finally, he discussed Compensation (#5) and the increase in employee salaries across the district. TISD conducted an in-depth salary study by position, years of expertise, and district size. He reported that the current salary for TISD's new-to-profession teacher salary is \$50,225. Thank you Dr. Ott for such a thorough update on the district and its priorities!

