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COMING UP...

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

- 9/11: Kris Radcliffe-KCEN TV
- 9/18: Dr. Colin Wilborn-Dean, UMHB Mayborn College of Health Sciences
- 9/25: Don Stiles-Temple Literacy Committee
- 10/2: Temple Railroad & Heritage Museum

CLUB CALENDAR:

- 9/09: Noon Meeting, Board of Directors-Cotton Patch
- 9/11: Noon Meeting-Gober-Caterer Gregory's
- **9/14: Bicycle Rodeo-McLane Children's Hospital 10:00 am-1:00 pm**
- 9/18: Noon Meeting-Gober-Caterer Fat Boys
- 9/24: District 2-X3 Zone Meeting-Gober Party House 6:30 pm
- 9/25: Noon Meeting-Gober-Caterer Big Hoss
- 10/2: Noon Meeting-Gober-Caterer Gregory's

BIRTHDAYS:

- 9/14: Craig Caddell
- 9/14: Grady Tyroch
- 9/17: James Hightower

UPCOMING GREETERS:

- 9/11: Michael Washam & John Bailey
- 9/18: Joe Kieffer & Jake Herndon
- 9/25: Mike Hicks & Julie Alyso
- 10/2: Reuben Marek & John Bailey

***Don't forget about McLane Children's Safe Kids Day (Bicycle Rodeo) on Saturday, September 14th from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. TFLC will be serving hot dogs!**



Today, Leticia Flores, the Hospice Volunteer Coordinator with Texas Home Health and Hospice, spoke to our club. Texas Home Health and Hospice is located in Waco; however, they are currently finishing a branch location in Killeen. Ms. Flores has over 20 years of experience in different healthcare areas and working with families in need of comfort. She has a true passion for her work and feels that volunteers are a light for people during a difficult time. Ms. Flores shared some information about hospice and hoped to clarify any misconceptions. She noted that

hospice does not speed up or slow down the dying process, but rather focuses on making the most of a patient's final days. She also provided information on the historical development of

hospice. As the Hospice Volunteer Coordinator, she hoped to gain some interest from our members to volunteer. What this entails is providing companionship and support to a patient and their family, providing needed non-medical services and respite time for the family, and providing support at time of death and during bereavement. As the hospice program is Medicare-certified, the U.S. government requires that 5% of the total number of patient care hours be given by volunteers. At this time, Ms. Flores said she has three volunteers for the Central Texas area, and there are approximately 70 to 85 patients on hospice services at any time.



To volunteer, it is typically a commitment of two hours per week with a patient in the Temple/Belton area. To get started, you can request more information from Ms. Flores via email at LeticiaFlores@txhha.com.