



# Exchange Hotline

## Exchange Newsletter

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The Exchange Club of Sugar Land

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### Weekly Meetings

Wednesdays, 7:00 a.m.  
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# Happy New Year



Photo by Larry Pullen

December was a great month for all of the members of the Exchange Club of Sugar Land. Our speakers included Keri Schmidt of Ft. Bend Chamber of Commerce, who gave us a preview of "The Grand Wine and Food Affair", Wanda Harris a sketch artist from SLPD, and Mary Matysiak, who directed the Clements High School Choir in a wonderful Christmas choral selection.

The best event this month, however, was a very successful Santa's Exchange. What a joy it was to see Exchangites and Rotarians working together to make this event special. In all, there were 574 volunteers (many were high school students) working to supply underprivileged children with Christmas gifts.

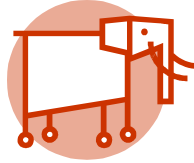
Many people were responsible for the success of the event, but Reagan and Brian Walters were spectacular in leading the event. I also want to commend the job Scott McClintic and Cyndi Shoffner did raising the money needed to make the event a success.

Now all our efforts are going to be focused on our major fundraiser, **Spaghetti 2008** which will be held on Friday, February 29, 2008. If you are not on a Spaghetti committee, please contact Chris Connolly and volunteer for one soon.

Clark



**SAVE THE DATE:**



**WHAT:** White Elephant Party  
**WHEN:** Saturday, January 19, 2008  
**WHERE:** Jeri Krauss  
827 Harbour Place



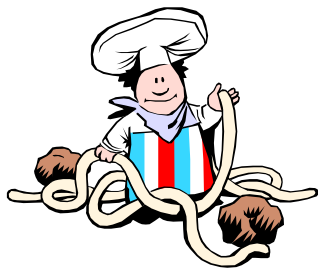
**THANK YOU TO OUR WAIT STAFF AT  
SWEETWATER COUNTRY CLUB**

**for providing delicious breakfasts every  
Wednesday morning at 7:00 a.m.**



**New Exchange Club of Sugar Land Members were inducted on December 19, 2007.**

Pete Olson, sponsored by Amy Mitchell; Margie Connolly, sponsored by Chris Connolly; Scott Yokley, sponsored by Clark Walterand Dr. Mark Lukin, sponsored by Greg Oelfke.



**READY FOR SPAGHETTI?**

Mark your calendars for Friday, February 29, 2008.  
Start now lining up sponsors, cooking up teams, obtaining  
silent and live auction items!

Contact Chris Connolly: [cconnolly@comcast.net](mailto:cconnolly@comcast.net)



**January Birthdays**

Naren Patel, Ray Wathen, Brenda Robinson, Richard Tisch, Carlos Perez, Robert Massey; "Will" Hardee; Michael Schiff; Scott McClintic; Alicia Marra, Chris Connolly, May Williams



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