

NEWSLETTER

February Events

February 1
7 pm Mexican Train

February 2
8 pm TINGO

February 7
6:30 pm Executive Meeting

February 8
8 pm Open for Club Poker

February 9
8 pm General Meeting
BankNight

February 15
8 pm HORNS

February 16
8 pm Open for Club Poker

February 22
7 pm Open for Social
7 pm Warm-up Pool Tournament
8 pm Open for Club Poker

February 23
Deaf Women of Texas'
Texas Hold'em Tag Poker
(See flyer inside)

Club Hours

Fridays: 7:00 pm – 1:00 am
Saturdays: 7:00 pm – 2:00 am
Bar opens at 7:00 pm

You are required to show your membership card every time you come to the AAD clubhouse.

President's Musings

Jo Bienvenu

Greeting AAD Members,

Last Sunday, I watched the Super Bowl, very very exciting! Wow! I thought the 49ers would have won, but the Baltimore Ravens fought so hard till the end of the game! That makes me think of the Executive Board of AAD who are really trying so hard to save our clubhouse.

We had an AAD Board retreat all day last Saturday (Feb 2nd from 9:30-4:45) and exchanged ideas on how to improve the clubhouse and how to raise more money. There are a very few clubhouses owned by the Deaf community throughout the United States. (I can only think of a few in mid-America: Thompson Hall in Minneapolis

and Council Bluffs Club of the Deaf in Iowa). So, please come to our meeting this coming Saturday, February 9th, and see what our goals are! We really need your support and commitment to keep AAD's clubhouse. Live long AAD! Have pride!

February is Black History Month! February 14th is Valentine's Day, so are you ready to be a sweetheart? Presidents' Day is February 18th.

Last month, it seemed like our meeting went on forever – 4 LONG hours! We are changing some procedures in hopes of cutting down to 2 hours this coming Saturday. As always, we will have bank night after the meeting.

Thank you to the fine members and executive board for being loyal and supportive!! We have 210 members now. Please bring in new members if you can! Cheers!



Deaf Women of Texas'
New Year Party at Austin
Deaf Club on Dec. 31, 2012.
See page 4 for more photos.

**Austin Deaf Club
Executive Board**

President.

Jo Bienvenu

Vice President.

Earl Day

Treasurer

John Mills

Secretary

Marilyn Swanson

Director of

Public Relations

Deb Kuglitsch

Board of

Governors Chair

Ronny Taylor

Board of Governors

Gretchen Forgey

Kristin Lund

Christy Schoneman

Vacant

JANUARY WINNERS

TINGO

January 5

T - Marian Seale \$20

I - Connie Danniels \$20

N - Patty Pyeatt \$20

G - Brenda Mills \$20

O - Ann Horn \$20

Totto - Brenda Mills \$100

Bonus - Marian Seale

BANKNIGHT

January 12

\$90 - (Priscilla Schultz)

\$30 - (Janet Morris)

\$20 - (Jay Levine)

\$145 - (Ann Horn)

\$60 - (Terry Keenton)

\$5 - Ambrosia Downs (Donated)

(winner names) were not presented.

HORNS

January 18

H - Earl Day \$20

O - Virginia Ruebush \$20

R - Cindy Richards \$20

N - James Duve \$20

S - Robert Monfort \$20

Totto - Brenda Mills \$100

February 2 TINGO • February 9 BankNight • February 15 HORNS

TINGO/HORNS Rules: A temporary member who wins a big prize (**over \$20**) will receive only one-half of the prize, *after* becoming an active member by paying full membership dues that same night. Spouses/partners must sit across, rather than next to each other. Pay attention to the card leader for more instructions.

BANK NIGHT Rules: Prizes will be awarded based on drawn chips matching membership numbers. The first five prizes will be awarded only to winning members who are present *and* who have also *previously* bought blue tickets the night of the drawing. If more than five prizes are awarded, any member who buy tickets that night may win. The winners need to be present.

FOR YOUR INFO

- Open for Club Poker is not a league. Just for you who want to get out and play for fun.
- Feb. 14, Valentine's Day, don't forget to get something for your loved one or family.
- Feb 23, DWT's Texas Hold'em Poker Tag. See the flyer inside.



FEBRUARY FACTS

- Supreme Court of the United States met for the first time, February 1, 1790.
- Ground-Hog Day. February 2
- By the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, Mexico gave New Mexico and California to the United States, February 2, 1848.
- Confederate States of America organized by a temporary committee that met at Montgomery, Ala., February 4, 1861.
- Philippine Rebellion against the United States began, 1899.
- Charles A. Lindbergh, American aviator, born 1902.
- Massachusetts ratified the Constitution, 1788.
- Home Run King "Babe" Ruth born February 6, 1895.
- The United States Senate ratified the peace treaty ending the Spanish-American War, February 6, 1899.
- Princess Elizabeth became Queen Elizabeth II of Great Britain, February 6, 1952.
- Amendment 20 to the United States Constitution, moving Inauguration Day to January 20, proclaimed, February 6, 1933.
- Boy Scouts of America incorporated, 1910.
- France surrendered Canada to Great Britain by the Treaty of Paris, February 10, 1763.
- Valentine's Day. February 14. Oregon became the 33rd state to join the Union, February 14, 1859.
- Astronaut John H. Glenn, Jr., became first American to orbit the earth, February 20, 1962.
- The United States acquired the Florida territory from Spain, February 22, 1819.
- President Ferdinand Marcos of the Philippines resigned from office and fled the country, 1986.

February Birthday

- Kristin Lund - 1
- Maria Garza - 1
- Dionicio Campos I - 2
- Hedda Hawk - 2
- Glenda McNabb - 3
- Carl Brininstool - 5
- Susan Pochop - 6
- Ashley Papke - 16
- Judy Thomas - 19
- Priscilla Suhultz - 23
- Patricia Fry Hill - 25
- Joey Scroggins - 25
- Peggy Ann Werner - 25
- Belinda Inman-Johnson - 26
- Terri Levine - 26
- James Duve - 28



**Austin Deaf Club Members
(as of February 1, 2013)**

210

Event Contacts:

Fred Newberry – Calendar/
Facility Use Coordinator

Deb Kuglitsch – Creating flyers
for any ADC events

Project Contacts

Give your favorite recipes to Beth Strain.

* Send your old picture(s) of Austin Deaf Club or any events and include stories about the picture(s) to ADC Secretary (AADSecretary@gmail.com)

Deaf Club Contact Info

AustinDeafClub@gmail.com



KUDOS



Donations by

- Brenda Mills** - two white card tables
 - Johnny Martz** - \$50 from his TINGO winning
 - Beth Strain** - four twin draft guards
 - Paul Johnson** - \$300
 - Jo Bienvenu** - \$20 from her Banknight winning
 - James Maxwell** - \$25 from his Banknight winning
 - Hampton Johnson** - \$20
 - Patti Fry** - \$20 from her banknight winning
 - Judy Thomas** - \$18 from her banknight winning
 - Ambrosia Downs** - \$5 from her banknight winning
- THANK TO ALL OF YOU FOR
YOUR LOYALTY!**

SAVE THE DATE!

Friday, February 22

**Help us kick off the Pool
Tournament with new green pool
cover, stick tips and table balance!**

Come and have fun!

Moving?

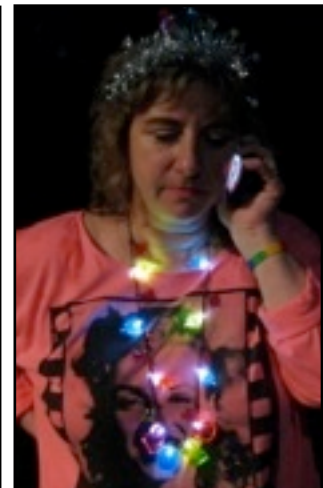
New Address?

Do not lose your subscription to the Club newsletters or any event information.

Notify AAD Secretary at AADSecretary@gmail.com.



A Successful Neon Wonderland New Year Party at Austin Deaf Club





Texas Hold'em Poker Tag



FEBRUARY 23, 2013

at the

Austin Association of the Deaf

(8818 Cullen Lane, Austin, 78748)

Door will open @ 6 PM and the game will begin @ 7 PM

\$25.00 per person to play / \$5.00 goes to Deaf Women of Texas

Food & Drinks will be sold!!

Rules

Teams will consist of 2 players - Names will be drawn to make a team.

During normal play 1 player per team may be seated at the table.

There will be no tagging in the middle of a hand.

There will be no discussions about the hand between teammates while the hand is in play.

Prizes money will be split 50/50 between team members.

20,000 starting chip stack

Questions: Contact akwsportscenter@gmail.com

Proceeds to benefit Deaf Women United Conference in San Antonio, June 19-23, 2013



Charity Yard Sale



Two ways in which you could help:

- Donate any good quality, unwanted goods (no furnitures or electrical goods please)
- Come along and buy some bargains

When: March 23, 2013

Where: Austin Association of the Deaf
8818 Cullen Lane
Austin, TX 78748

Time: 10am - 5pm

**Children are welcome!
Bring your friends!!**



www.deafwomenoftexas.org
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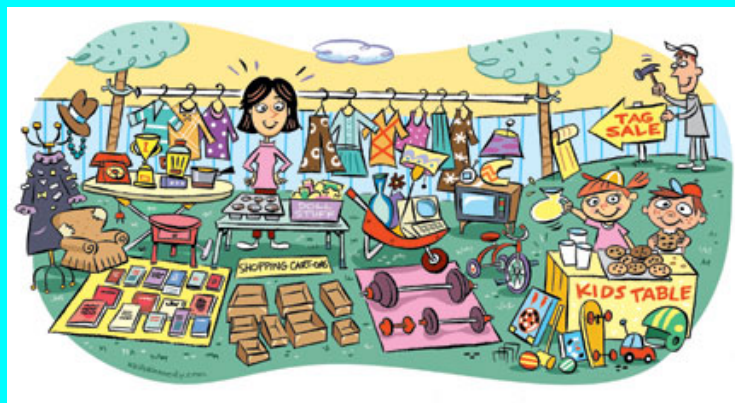
Food, drinks, and raffle tickets will be sold!

Clean your closets for a good cause...

Donations Drop-off Schedule:

- February 17, Sunday
1:00pm - 3:00pm
- February 23, Saturday
6:00pm - 8:00pm
- March 3, Sunday
1:00pm - 3:00pm
- March 22, Friday
7pm - 9pm

at Austin Association of the Deaf



Contact dwtfundraising@gmail.com to schedule a drop off if those times don't work for you.



Austin Association of the Deaf proudly hosts two fun-filled events on same day!

WE ♥ BAZAAR & CHILI COOK-OFF

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 2013

9AM - 5PM • FREE ADMISSION

ARTS, CRAFTS & MANY BOOTHs SELLING STUFF!

HAMBURGERS/HOT DOGS & SWEETS SOLD ALL DAY
DRINKS SOLD in the Clubhouse

MOONWALK & GAMES for KIDS & ADULTS.

TINGO AT 8 P.M.

CHILI COOK-OFF
WIN TROPHY and CASH PRIZES FOR 1st, 2nd & 3rd places!

BOWL OF CHILI WILL BE SERVED AFTER 1 P.M.
DONATIONS APPRECIATED

VENDORS ARE WELCOME!
SEE FOR MORE INFORMATION ON BACK

BRING YOUR LAWN CHAIRS & ENJOY WITH US
ALL DAY UNDER BIG TREE SHADES!

For BAZAAR INFO,
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Marilyn Swanson, mcswanon74@gmail.com

For CHILI COOK-OFF INFO,
Chair Ronny Taylor,
RonnyRTaylor@yahoo.com

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