November 19 2025

"Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world, one child and one community at a time."

Today's Program

Christmas Parade Update/Plans www.cityofmartin.net/event/martin-christmas-parade/

Last Week's Meeting



Allan Sterbinsky (left), director of the newly formed Center for Rural Innovation at UT Martin, and Carrie Humphreys, chair of the Department of Political Science and Global Studies, shared history and information about the center when they were invited to give a presentation for Kiwanis at the Nov. 12 meeting. One of the motivating factors in the formation of the center, explained Humphreys, is that many students want to stay in Tennessee and close to home but sometimes job opportunities are limited. Sterbinsky said that three types of paid student internships are available through the center: working with local government/organizations, commercial/technical reporting for government agencies, and social/cultural projects of regional importance. "Internships are designed to provide students with real life experiences that will help in a chosen career path," he said. For more information contact Allan (asterbin@utm.edu) or Carrie (chumph16@utm.edu) respectively. Sara Sieber, Kiwanis program chair for November, introduced the speakers, and Katie Parr, Kiwanis president, presented them with a certificate of appreciation showing that a donation will be made to Captain's Pantry at UT Martin.

Martin Kiwanis Calendar

Nov. 19—UC Room 125 — Christmas Parade Plans

Dec. 1 —Christmas Parade (rain date Dec. 2)
Theme: Visions of Sugar Plums

Dec. 4 — Board Meeting 12 noon MPL

Dec. 6 — MPL Open House: Friends of MPL bake/jewelry

sale, music and visits with Santa

Dec. 11—13 We Care Christmas Store

Dec. 17 — Christmas Social

Signs of the Time



17 Yard sign and banners: Left: At the Martin Post Office, right: at corner of Main and McCombs Street and www.cityofmartin.net/event/martin-christmas-parade



Nov. 11, 2025, 10:39 p.m. — S. McCombs St. Martin, TN

Active Members

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Richa Airee

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Mary Elizabeth Bell

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