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Exchange Club of Lake Tansi, P.O. Box 58, Crossville, TN 38557
Club #2359 Div Xii TN-KY -- Linda Carothers, Editor
LTEC meets the 1st & 3rd Fridays of each month at 7:30 AM at the Hiawatha Center

LOOKING BACK:

I wasn't here for the September 4th meeting, as I was staying with a granddaughter in Lebanon, so I really don't know anything about that meeting that I need to pass on.

But, the September 18th meeting was wonderful. Wish more members had been there. We had a great guest speaker from the Stephens Center, Stacy Hinds, who enlightened us all on exactly what it is the Stephens Center does. Carla gave us a rundown on what her job is as a counselor, and a client Emma gave us insight into the Center does from her perspective. We were given a chance to sit in on one of their family counseling sessions, participate in a class, or go on a home visit. I think this would be very informative and interesting.

Also, the Scarecrow event on September 19th could have been better. I understand this was our first year to participate and guess who was "volunteered" to do the scarecrow. I've never in my life made a scarecrow except to help my mom when she wanted to put one in the garden to keep the crows away, a hundred years ago. I thought I'd found a real quick easy one to make but it didn't turn out to be so quick and easy. After Betty Quast laughed at what I had, I turned it over to her and we came up with a decent one. We didn't realize the extent these people go to in making theirs, but believe me, we will be prepared next year. The Stephens Center did win though, which was good.

LOOKING AHEAD:

October 2nd, there will be a brief meeting, then a farewell breakfast for Fann and Charlie Burris. We hate to lose them but understand. They are moving back to Knoxville to be close to their children.

The October 16th will be a regular business meeting with guest speaker, Gary Dillon, who will give us a "state of Tansi" talk. We should all be interested in that.

Looking to November:

There are a couple of things worth mentioning this far in advance so you will be prepared and get your calendars marked.

November 7th is the **ONE NATION UNDER GOD** breakfast. Ken Roberts from McMinnville will be guest speaker. Ken is retired military and past president of the Tennessee Exchange Club. Anyone interested in working on this event honoring our military should contact Betty Quast at 931-337-8393. I'll have further information in the October Motivator.

Also, Les and Judi Elam have been awarded the Book of Golden Deeds award. Congratulations to you both. This award is given to citizens who go, in my words, above and beyond in helping our community. This is a very prestigious award and Les and Judi are much deserving recipients. There will be a dinner in their honor at "R Place " on November 12th. The cost is \$20. per person and your reservations should be made as soon as you can. I think Mike Ferry is taking money and reservations. Social hour will be 6:00 to 7:00, dinner at 7:00. Our guest speaker will be Don Wright, who is the immediate past president of the National Exchange Club of America. Mark your calendar and call Mike.

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OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES:

October 2nd, my husband Paul, and me, will celebrate our 50 years together. What a trip it has been. And of course, they said we'd never make it. (So I won't be at the meeting).

QUOTE FOR THE MONTH:

"There is no exercise better for the heart than reaching down and lifting people up." John Holmes