



# Exchange Hotline

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**Weekly Meetings**

Wednesdays, 7:00 a.m.

Sweetwater Country Club  
Palm Royale Blvd.  
Sugar Land, Texas

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**EXCHANGE**  
THE EXCHANGE CLUB SUGAR LAND, TX



National Exchange President **Tom Karnes** presented ECSL President **John Robson** with a proclamation.



Past National Presidents **Gerald Franklin**, and **Larry Street**, VP **Tracey Edwards**, Nation President **Tom Karnes** and TLGC District President **Tony Ackerman**.

**President's Message**

Exchange club of Sugar Land was proud to have **Thomas Karnes**, National Exchange President and **Tracey Edwards**, Executive Vice President for breakfast to update us on National issues. It's always enjoyable to have representatives from national update us on issues regarding our club from their perspective. During their visit we participated in "Give a Kid a Flag to Wave" at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Parade. Thanks to **Nick Landoski** for organizing all the details.

**Bob Zlotnik** of Star Tex Power was also on hand sharing many of his secrets of leadership and entrepreneurship. Bob and his wife Marcie are owners of the Skeeters baseball team. His priorities are family, health, and giving back to the community." He stated, "Success is enjoying what you do."

We also enjoyed having **Jim McIngvale** owner of Gallery Furniture out to motivate us with his inspirational message "A life built for others." He stated, "The measure of any society is how they treat the least, last and lost." Jim is a huge supporter of Exchange Club of Sugar Land.

It has been a very busy month at ECSL and we are so grateful for the many opportunities this club offers its members and the community. We look forward to seeing you for breakfast every Wednesday morning At 7am at Sweetwater Country Club.

**John Robson**



Mayor Pro Tem Harish Jajoo, Bob Zlotnik, Ball Player Dominic Ramos and ECSL President John Robson



President John Robson and Jim 'Mack' McIngvale Gallery Furniture



## PRESENTATIONS

**Larry Street**, Past National Exchange President and Charter ECSL member **Jim Hudnall** were also presented with proclamations by National Exchange Club President Tom Karnes.



Child Advocates Executive Director **Ruthanne Mefford** accepted a check for \$17,000 from ECSL. April is Child Abuse Prevention month. Please join us for the **Light of Hope** Child Abuse Awareness event on March 27, 6:30-7:30 pm in Sugar Land Town Square. A concert will follow.



**Shannon Bloesch**, Executive Director of Parks Youth Ranch received \$1500 to help homeless teens.



## CITIZEN OF THE MONTH

**Amit Lakha** of Sugar Land Middle School was introduced by Cookie Joe.

**Geo Roney** of First Colony Middle School was introduced by Helen Burgess.

Photos by Sue Lockwood



## Give a Kid a Flag to Wave - Houston Rodeo Parade



Photos by Nick Landoski

