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Welcome to Our First Newsletter

2008 has been a very busy year and a very fulfilling year for The 100 Club of Comal County. "THANK YOU" to each and every one of you for making this a successful year for The 100 Club of Comal County.

As you know, your annual contributions support a fund that is utilized when a law enforcement officer, firefighter, emergency medical service provider or jailer is killed in the line of duty. When a tragedy takes the life of one of these individuals, funds are

used to assist the surviving spouse and dependent children.

The 100 Club will quickly deliver a check to the fam-



Photo of Sheila Earley, Judd Earley and Belinda Frisk enjoying the Selma Fundraiser.

ily to provide them with funding for their immediately incurred financial bur-

den.

The Club operates with an all volunteer staff and virtually no other administrative expenses. Consequently, money is immediately available for its intended purpose. A big "THANK YOU" goes out to all of the volunteers who have given their time and effort toward making this year a success.

We are looking forward to 2009 and with your help The 100 Club will grow and continue to stand ready to support those who protect us.

Special Events and Items of Interest 2008

McDonald's Restaurants Fundraiser

MARCH 21, 2008, Good Friday. Each year on Good Friday the seven local McDonald's Restaurants in our area (New Braunfels, Schertz and Startzville) team up with The 100 Club for a fundraiser. On Good Friday the Comal County McDonald's restaurants contribute a portion of the sales made between the hours of 11:00

a.m. and 2:00 p.m. to The 100 Club. During this three-hour period you will find Sheriff's Deputies, Police Officers and Firefighters located at several of the McDonald's locations. This year they raised \$1,382. through their lunch sales, however, HALJOHN, Inc., the franchises' owner, bumped the amount up to \$1,500. As shown in the photograph, Managers Cindy Billera

and William Standifer are presenting Judd Earley and Sheriff Bob Holder with a check in the amount of \$1,500.



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Please be sure to mark your calendars for next year on Good Friday, April 10, 2009, and plan to have lunch at McDonald's between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. You will enjoy your lunch, maybe get to see Ronald McDonald himself and at the same time be helping our cause.

City of Selma Fundraiser

MAY 17, 2008, the City of Selma sponsored a fundraiser for The 100 Club. The bar-b-que and auction is held each year at the Selma Fire Station. There is live music, a live auction, silent auction, child fingerprinting, moon bounce, face painting and train rides. Both Selma police officers and firefighters along with the City of Selma employees are responsible for the wonderful event and they work very hard to be sure that everyone is enjoying their supper and having a good time. This year Selma's Mayor, Jim Parma, presented The 100 Club with a check in the amount of \$22,700. Each year the event is held on the third Saturday in May. Please mark your calendars for next year's event which will be held on May 16, 2009.



Mayor Parma presenting check to 100 Club. (Left-right Ken Harris, Mayor Parma, Phill Swinney, Col. T. D. Thomas, Larry Remy, Bill Laird and Toya Ohlrich)



Ron Zipp addresses Selma City Council meeting thanking City for their contribution to the 100 Club. (Left-right Toya Ohlrich, Dave Dean, Ron Zipp, Charles Eads, Melba Gregory, Bill Weeper)

Thank You

- The 100 Club would like to extend a special "Thank You" to **Randolph Brooks Federal Credit Union**. In addition to being a Corporate Sponsor, they sponsor The 100 Club baseball caps and we sincerely appreciate their generosity.
- A 100 Club "Thank You" goes to the **New Braunfels Breakfast Lions Club**. Each year the Breakfast Lions Club selects a recipient of the Ed Murphy Memorial "Lawman of the Year". The

Breakfast Lions Club contributes \$1,000. to The 100 Club, making a Life Contributor of their pick for "Lawman of the Year".

- The 100 Club wants to give special thanks to **Peaches Kelly** for her support of our Club. We have enjoyed her wonderful voice on her CD, Wings of Freedom. Each year Peaches sings God Bless America at the end of our annual meeting, sending us on our way.

- Again The 100 Club wishes to **sincerely thank each one of you** whether you joined The 100 Club as a Life Contributor or an individual, a business, a non-profit organization, a junior contributor or a public safety personnel contributor. Your generosity is sincerely appreciated. It is because of each one of you that we can stand ready to give our support to those who protect us.

Finances: As of September 15, 2008

Total number of Contributors - 328
Number of Life Contributors - 22
Funds Available - \$145,921.11

2009 - DATES TO REMEMBER

April 10, 2009 - Good Friday, McDonald's Fundraiser 11a.m.-2p.m.
May 16, 2009 - Selma Fundraiser, Selma Fire Department, Selma, TX