



President Jones reminded everyone that the National Exchange website has been updated to look more uniform with the new stationary and that starting December 1, 2005 to login into the member section we will need to use the following login and password.

Password: exchange Login: member

Immediate Past President Diane Sullivan presented each member with their turquoise enameled "Big E" pin to be worn on their lapel that was earned by our club last year.

Parking Chair Diane Sullivan asked for volunteers and passed around sign up sheets for upcoming parking events including Gretchen Wilson Concert, December 1st; Salvation Army Bell Ringing, December 10th and Mississippi State Basketball Game, December 15<sup>th</sup>.

We were dismissed with our motto, "*Unity for Service.*"

### **"Build Exchange"**

#### **REPORTS:**

The Exchange Club of Louisville met on Thursday, December 1, 2005 at Lake Tiak-O'Khata. The meeting was attended by twelve members and has set a date of Thursday, January 12, 2006 at 6:00pm for their POM.

The Mississippi District Exchange Clubs Convention will be relocated to another site in the state due to the disaster caused by Hurricane Katrina. The District Board is checking into the possibility of having the convention in the Jackson area. We will keep you posted as to when and where the convention will be held. The Mid-winter meeting will be January 14<sup>th</sup> in Richland. Details will follow.

**BIRTHDAYS:** December 14<sup>th</sup>, Diane Sullivan,  
23rd, Susan Rentschler

**ANNIVERSARIES:** AK and Kathy Jones celebrated their anniversary on November 20. This date was accidentally left off the last bulletin, sorry.

#### **GET WELL WISHES:**

Betsy Semko is in the controlled treatment phase of her recovery period. Emily Dickens is home after a brief stay in the hospital. Diane Sullivan is home resting after an automobile accident.

#### **COLISEUM AND FARMER'S MARKET PARKING:**

Thank you for helping with the parking events on Friday, November 18, Saturday, November 19 for Championship Bull Riding and on Saturday, November 19 for the JSU vs. Alcorn State football game, Thursday, December 1 for Gretchen Wilson concert.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**Saturday, December 10 Wal-Mart in Ridgeland**

Ring the Bell for Salvation Army from 9:00am until 5:00pm

#### **Thursday, December 15 MS Coliseum**

MS State Basketball game event starts at 7:00pm we need to be there at 5:00pm

Be prepared to help with parking when called.

#### **OUR WEB SITE:**

Check it out! Go to the web address listed below and see what's happening if you haven't visited the site in a while. THANKS, GEORGE !!

#### **PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS:**

I wish to remind everyone as we begin this Holiday Season that the true gift of Christmas is Christ our blessed Baby Jesus, the Son of God and our Savior. Christmas means many things to many people. It is a time for sharing, giving, and spending time with family and friends. We wrap gifts in festive bright paper, trim the tree, enjoy songs of Christmas cheer. Most importantly, it is a time that we can celebrate the coming of our Lord's holy birth!

I wish each and everyone of you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Kathy



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#### **EXCHANGE EDUCATION:**

Membership expansion is essential to a club's progress. The *Stand Up America* program was developed to help grow clubs by introducing new members to the outstanding programs of service and fund raising projects done by your local club. The members that sign up under this program are given 90 days free club, district and national dues. The Exchange Club of North Jackson has signed up four new members under this program this year. We wish to welcome each of your into our club and look forward to working with you on our many projects.



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