

A Saturday from the Past in Texas' Oldest Library

Friends of the Dr. Eugene Clark Library, City of Lockhart & the Lockhart Chamber of Commerce present fun-filled excitement for the entire family. Step back into the enchanting world of Charles Dickens' 19th century England on Friday, December 1, 2017 and Saturday, December 2, 2017. A joint effort of the Friends of the Library, the City of Lockhart, and the Lockhart Chamber of Commerce this event transforms Lockhart into an enchanting Christmas Past.

Enjoy two days of activities and entertainment in Historic Lockhart. Share the delight of children's laughter as magicians, jugglers, a Master Falconer, choirs, and musicians entertain. With Father Christmas to hear holiday wishes throughout the day!

Streets will be full of vendors, ladies and gentlemen in their Victorian finery and delightful Christmas music. Enjoy a day of continuous free entertainment and a relaxed shopping experience in Lockhart.

The Dickens' Night Parade Friday, December 1, 2017 7:00 p.m.

Join a rollicking, boisterous cast of all of Dickens' most memorable characters in an illuminated Night Parade that sets off on Market Street and makes its way through historic Lockhart. Truly a fantastic spectacle of performers, lighted floats, decorated vehicles and costumed walkers. Everyone is invited to join in this holiday romp with an entertaining and amusing group of merrymakers and help us welcome Father Christmas to Lockhart! For more information please call the Lockhart Chamber of Commerce at 512-398-2818.

Home Tours

Home Tours, the Beta Sigma Phi sponsors a Holiday Tour of Homes from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Tickets purchased in advance are \$10 and can be purchased from the Lockhart Chamber of Commerce, First Lockhart National Bank, or from any Beta member. The day of the event tickets are \$12.00 and can be bought at the location of any home on the tour or in the library. For more information please contact Amy Velvin 512-398-3522

Local Craftsmen & Businesses

Prepare to be delighted as you stroll along historic downtown for holiday shopping. Unique hand crafted items by local artisans will be found at our vendor's area.

Lunch at the Library

Celebrate the season with a wonderful Christmas Luncheon with family & friends. Lunch at the Library will be held December 8, 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Tickets available at the library. Tickets are \$15 For more information contact the library at 512-398-3223

Local Authors

Meet with local published authors in the Clark Building Area Saturday, December 2, from 10:00 am-2:00 pm. An autographed book makes a great Christmas gift!



A Dickens Christmas In Lockhart

Friday, December 1, 2017
Dickens' Christmas
Lighted Parade
Saturday, December 2, 2017
9:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
A Day of Family Fun at the Library!



Spend a historic, romantic and fun-filled day in Lockhart. For more information call or write: Dr. Eugene Clark Library, P.O. Box 209, Lockhart, Texas 78644 512-398-3223 bmartinez@lockhart-tx.org

Hear Ye! Hear Ye!
Be it Decreed that all Lords,
Ladies and Children shall come
and celebrate the 28th Annual
Dickens' Christmas In Lockhart!

**YULE LOVE SHOPPING IN
LOCKHART!**



**The 28th Annual Dickens
Christmas in Lockhart is
Dedicated to the Memory and
Honor of
Dr. Philip A. Wales**

Dr. Wales was the first person
lots of Lockhart citizens ever
met - that is because he brought

them into this world! He delivered hundreds of area residents and took care of even more. He remembered his patients and was always ready to tell a story that would bring a smile. Dr. Wales was raised in Florence, Texas and spent a great deal of his life in Lockhart, but before he arrived here he served his country during World War II in the Pacific Theater. Dr. Wales attended the University of Texas School of Medicine in Galveston. Fresh out of medical school he was sent into war. He was based in Ulithi and treated countless US military troops. His empathy for the soldiers stayed with him during his entire life. During his service Dr. Wales would provide medical care of the residents of the surrounding islands. He got along famously with the native people and his love of children was evident as he distributed vitamins, fixed broken limbs and sewed up wounds. Dr. Wales remained in the Navy Reserves for 30 years and retired at the rank of Captain. Dr. Wales started his practice in Lockhart in 1948 and the love of families and children was evident when he accepted payment in corn, tamales and tomatoes for his services when times were tough. With a busy practice and his continuing naval career Dr. Wales wanted to do more for his community and co-founded the Lockhart State Bank in 1957. He served on the bank's board of directors and served on the Lockhart Independent School Board for many years. In 1986 Dr. Wales was named as Most Worthy Citizen. Dr. Wales, along with his wife Liz, have been lifelong supporters of the Dr. Eugene Clark Library. They understood that literacy and education were of utmost importance and believed that the Library should lead the way. In a loving tribute from their children the Dr. Eugene Clark Library Children's Center was donated in their parents honor and serves today as a bright and happy place to introduce children to the joy of reading. It is with great gratitude that we dedicate the

**28th Dickens Christmas in Lockhart to
Dr. Philip A. Wales**

Schedule of Events

Friday, December 1, 2017

Downtown Businesses

Open Late for Holiday Shopping!

6:00 P.M. Vendors Tent Open

7:00 Evening Lighted Parade

Saturday, December 2, 2017

9:00 A.M. Vendors Tent Open

9:30 Franko The Ice Man

10:00 Bluebonnet Elementary Choir

Wiggle Waggle Train Rides

Father Christmas

Caricaturist-Chuck Bryan

Face Painting - Carrie Smith

10:30 Plum Creek/Alma Brewer Strawn

Elementary Choir

11:00 Clear Fork Elementary Choir

Hay Rides- Decotah Dream Team

11:30 Lockhart Jr. High School Choir

12:00 Ballet Folklorico Tonantzin

Photo Booth - Norma Acosta

5 Star Pedicab-Hector Juarez

12:30 Lockhart Jr. High School Choir

1:00 Birds of Prey - Last Chance Forever

Austin Flameworks -Kevin Ivey

Street Juggling - Jack Byrd

1:30 Pony Rides- Maverick Horseback

Riding

2:00 Okami Dojo Martial Arts Performance

Fry's Fun Farm - Petting Zoo

2:30 Navarro Elementary School Choir

3:00 Mariachi Damas de Jalisco

Austin Reptile Show

4:00 Dana Falconberry & the Machine Bow

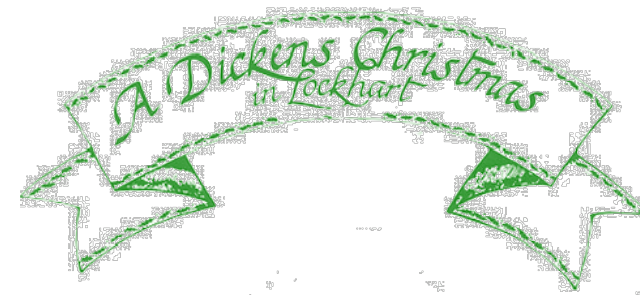
4:30 Magic Show - Jack Byrd

5:00 Vocalist - Devin Banda

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7:00 Lighting of the Yule Log



"I will honor Christmas in my heart, and try to
keep it all the year.

Charles Dickens

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