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The members of **DAWN BUSTERS KIWANIS** are conducting our annual **"TURKEY FRY"** on Wednesday, November 23rd at the Lions Club in Metairie, LA. This event is conducted each year to raise funds to support the club's many projects.

The funds generated by the **Turkey Fry** go to projects like: **a) feeding the homeless at Lantern Light, which is located directly behind St. Joseph's Church on Tulane Ave., in New Orleans** (to date we have provided well over 40,000 hot meals to the men, women and children in need of nourishment). **b) The "Dawn Busters Kiwanis Rewards for Reading" program, now in 20 Jefferson Parish Public Schools**, where a child reads a book, takes a test on what he or she has read, and upon passing that test, receives a ticket for a drawing for that half school year. We do this twice per year at each school, and bring our member mascots, **Boudreaux**, from the N.O. Zephyr's, and **Katie the Duck**, the mascot of Acadian Plumbing. To date, we have given as incentives to read well over 300 new bikes, helmets and lock and chains, 3,000 Domino's "free" Pizza cards, 100 MP3 Players, 250,000 Zephyr Baseball passes, 80,000 AMF Bowling "free game" passes (many good for 4 children to bowl two free games per day for the entire summer), 3,000 kids meals from Raising Canes, 20,000 passes to Adventure Quest Lazer Tag, 300 Dot's diner certificates, plus many more various prizes. The children in our schools have read well over **800,000** new books, and grades have gone up! **c) 6 Key Clubs (East Jefferson, Mt. Carmel, Ecole Classique, Grace King, Ridgewood and Kenner Discovery along with 2 Builders Clubs, Kenner Discovery, and Adams)**...we not only serve as sponsor/mentors, but also give \$12,000.00 in cash scholarships per year and pay for rooms, food, etc. for conventions. There is not enough time here to go into everything that we do, but the main thing is that... **"we need your help and support"!**

Your donation can be in the form of cash, or a "gift certificate" or any other items unique to you and your business. Dawn Busters Kiwanis Foundation is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization and your donation may be tax deductible (consult your accountant). Please contact any member of Dawn Busters if you have any questions.

THANK YOU!

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