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# Union Colony Exchange Club

## January 2026 Newsletter

### What You Need To Know...

**From the President:**

Welcome to 2026. I'm looking forward to a great second half of our fiscal year. So far we have completed approximately 13 of the 19 or so projects we have lined up to do. We are still in need a coordinator for the Freedom Shrine so if you feel this is a good fit for you, please let me know. Our board has a few ideas for good locations.

Thank you to Codi and Lori for putting together a great Christmas party. We had a sock exchange...if that's a thing... and the plastic wrapped "Turkey" was a hoot, especially because I won the best prize, a nice bottle of wine.

Also Peggy and Paul held a wonderful "after" Christmas party. They supplied great food and refreshments plus a house you could get lost in as you wander around looking at all the ornaments and decorations.

Hope to see you all at our next business meeting on January 5<sup>th</sup>. Have a great New Year!

**Birthdays:**

Brian Jerke – January 9th

**Important Dates:**

January 5<sup>th</sup> – Business Meeting @ Albertos @ 6

January 13<sup>th</sup> – Board Meeting @ Santeramos @ 530

January 19<sup>th</sup> – Fellowship Meeting - TBD

**Upcoming Projects:**

We did our wrapping for Wishes Come True with Margaret at her place - we were able to adopt 9 seniors.



**I didn't get a lot of pictures of the other projects and events we had, so this newsletter is a bit abbreviated.**

We had a fun Christas Party at 477 - we did the sock exchange and the saran wrap ball, with lots of fun gifts wrapped up! Everybody had a fun time - thanks for participating!!



Our speaker for the 1/5/26 meeting is Patty Shulz. She runs the student food pantry at Aims Community College. This service to the students was started a few years ago. She loves her job and will be sharing how and why this service came to be. She will have some great stories to share with us.

