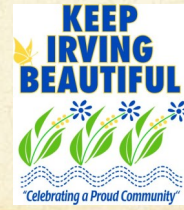


# The KIB NEWSLETTER



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**Saturday, March 5**

**9 a.m. to noon (8:30 sign-in)**

Help us kick off the 2011 Great American Cleanup at Trinity View Park. This year we will be joined by REI and Kayak Power and will be cleaning the Elm Fork of the Trinity River as well as the park grounds.

To register and view the flier, go to

<http://rockthegreen.org/great-american-cleanup/>

See you there!

## KIB ON THE STATE AND NATIONAL SCENE:

### Keep America Beautiful:

- Coordinator Rick Hose and Staff Member Julie Schmitt attended the 2010 Keep America Beautiful National Conference in Orlando, Florida. KIB was awarded a Distinguished Service Citation in the National Affiliate Awards
- KIB is once again a President's Circle Affiliate, the highest level for KAB.

### Keep Texas Beautiful:

- 2011 Governor's Community Achievement and KTB State Awards applications were recently completed.
- KIB is a Gold Star/Sustained Excellence Affiliate!
- As the 2010 recipient of the GCAA, Irving will soon see two new landscape projects at the east and west entrances to the city on Irving Boulevard. The \$310,000 prize from TXDOT was the largest in the history of the awards!



## UPCOMING EVENTS AT KIB:

- Monthly Board Meeting, February 16, 11:00 a.m.
- North Lake College Staff Day of Service, February 18 - We will be partnering with North Lake instructors and staff members in a paint project at Senter Park
- Service Learning Orientations - North Lake College - We welcome a new group, as well as returning student volunteers, to our sixth semester of participation in the Service Learning Program. This year students from the South Campus will also be giving their time to help Keep Irving Beautiful.
- Great American Cleanup, March 5, Trinity View Park

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