# The KIB NEWSLETTER



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### REGISTRATION NOW ONLINE FOR 21ST ANNUAL TRINITY TRASH BASH





KIB's signature cleanup event, the Trinity Trash Bash, will be held at Trinity View Park on Saturday, September 29 from 9:00 a.m. to noon. We will partner with Kayak Power and REI to incorporate a waterway cleanup as well as the land cleanup. Volunteers of all ages are invited to join us to help keep litter out of the Elm Fork of the Trinity River, a vital natural resource. After the cleanup, KIB will provide lunch, music and a variety of prizes from sponsors. Register online at our website: www.rockthegreen.org. See you on the 29th!

## KIB TO HONOR VOLUNTEERS AT ANNUAL PROUD PARTNER AWARDS RECEPTION



Last year's Proud Partners pose for photos after the ceremony

The First Baptist Church of Irving will once again be the site for the "Mayor and KIB Proud Partner Awards" reception on Monday, August 6, at 6:60 p.m.. Eleven awards will be given in ten categories, ranging from Youth Leadership to Lifetime Achievement. The event will be emceed by Cathy Whiteman of ICTN. A complete list of all winners and categories can be found on both the www.keepirvingbeautiful.org and the www.rockthegreen.org websites. Congratulations to all of our very deserving honorees.

#### IRVING NORTH CHRISTIAN CHURCH YOUTH MISSION

The 6th-12th grade youth of Irving North Christian Church spent the week of July 16-20 giving back to the community with a variety of activities as part of their mission week. Seven of the youth, along with three adult sponsors, partnered with KIB and the Parks Department for a project at Senter Park. They began with a cleanup of the grounds, then painted all the handrails by the back entrance. In total the group gave 25 hours of service.

The INCC youth and adults ready for a day of service at Senter Park

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- 8/6: Annual Mayor and KIB Proud Partner Awards Reception—First Baptist Church, 6:30 p.m.
- 8/15: Monthly KIB Board meeting, 11:00 a.m.
- 8/15: Keep America Beautiful Annual Report
- 8/27: North Lake College begins fall semester, the 9th in which KIB will participate in Service Learning



## KIRBY REPRESENTS KIB AS WFAA SALUTES IRVING ON "DAYBREAK"



KIB's toucan mascot "Kirby" and Mayor Beth Van Duyne

Friday, July 27, was "Irving Day" on WFAA/Channel 8's early morning show "Daybreak." Hundreds of Irving residents, including KIB's own mascot Kirby, came to Victory Plaza to represent our community during the telecast, which aired from 5:00 to 7:00 a.m.

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