

Citizen of the Year

Michael Lams

The Kiwanis Club of Robson Ranch each year awards to a resident of our community the Citizen of the Year Award. This year it is Chuck Runner.

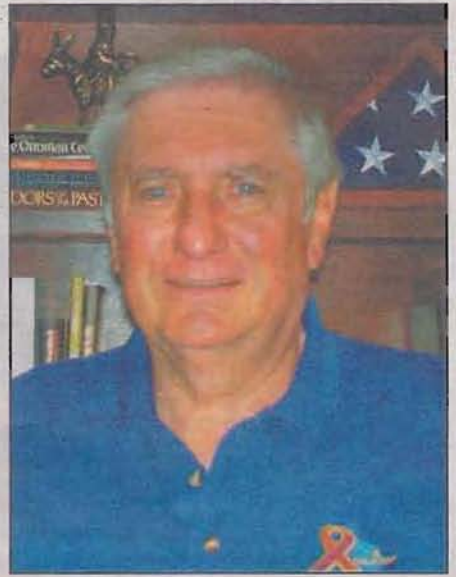
Chuck is president of the Support our Troops (SOT), which provides monthly "care packages" to our troops overseas, meets and greets returning troops at DFW International Airport, and sends birthday and Christmas cards as well as maintains written communications with are troops on station.

In addition the SOT under Chuck's direction provides financial support to non-profit organizations such as the Iraqi Star Program (providing plastic surgery for disabled vets), Patriot Paws Service Dogs Program for Disabled Vets, Fischer House (lodging for disabled vet families while their family member is in the hospital, Intrepid Fallen Heroes Fund (builds rehab facilities for vets) and the Rebuilding Together Program (increase accessibility in homes of disabled vets).

Chuck is also Co-Chairman of the Veterans Memorial Park Committee at Robson Ranch. His staff maintains a written biography for each dedication brick at the memorial park.

The Fourth of July events at Robson Ranch are organized by Chuck and his staff of volunteers from the Republican and Democrat Clubs as well as the Kiwanis Club. Each year this patriotic event gets bigger and better. Thanks, Chuck!

When Chuck has time, he is president of



Chuck Runner

the Robson Ranch Railroaders Club. This club maintains model railroad layouts in the Arts and Crafts Building, and whenever Robson Ranch has an event involving grandchildren, Chuck and his group set up an exhibit of model railroads of many different track gauges.

Chuck is also a member of our HOA Safety Committee.

With these outstanding qualifications, Chuck is indeed the Robson Ranch Citizen of the Year.

Congratulations, Chuck! ☀

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Veteran's Day activities planned at Robson Ranch

Charles Runner

On Thursday, November 11, the Veterans Park Committee will hold its annual Veteran's Day Ceremony at the Robson Ranch Veteran's Park. You will be able to begin the day with breakfast in the Grill starting at 8:00 a.m. At 9:00 a.m. there will be music in the Park. The ceremony will begin at 9:30 a.m. The Park Committee hopes to have Robson Ranch World War II Veteran's as members of our Honor Guard.

Immediately following the

Veterans Park Ceremony the annual Support Our Troops Silent Auction will begin in the clubhouse and continue until 9:00 p.m. And do not forget the Veterans Day Concerts by the Robson Ranch Choir at 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. in the clubhouse Auditorium.

Although the Veterans Park Fall Brick Drive ended on October 1, there is still time to submit biographic information and a photo concerning Veterans whose bricks

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were purchased during the brick drive or for any Veteran already honored in the Tribute Book. Please provide them to me before October 30. A guidance document concerning biographic information to include in the Tribute Book is

located on the shelf below the Tribute Book. If you have any questions, please contact Charles Runner, Co-Chairman, Veteran's Park Committee, 262-3161, or by e-mail at charlesrunner@grandecom.net. ☀