



The Rotary Club of Wimberley

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Dear Friends in Rotary:

It is soon the 2nd Anniversary of the Memorial Day Flood that forever changed the lives and landscape of Wimberley.

We wanted to take this opportunity to thank all our fellow Rotarians who reached out to us in our time of need. Your support, encouragement, and donations made a difference, and we are truly grateful.

We miss our neighbors who could not stay, and mourn the loss of friends who did not survive. The scars along the Blanco River will be evident for generations to come. We were all touched by this disaster, and learned much about ourselves and our community. We are blessed, even in crisis. The outpouring of generosity and countless acts of selflessness was humbling and renewed our faith in humanity.

We are happy to report that the Wimberley Rotarians who lost their homes in the Flood are all back in residence. The city has recovered economically, and the bond within our community has never been stronger. We have a greater empathy for the chaos, desperation, and daunting challenges facing those who suffer and endure both natural and man-made disasters.

Through tragedy, we have grown to be better citizens and Rotarians - more compassionate, more motivated to assist others in their times of need.

You have been our teachers. Thank you!

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Bill Kaem
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