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### *Roars from Boss Lion Roy Landry*

Lions

What a great job on fulfilling the Lions Motto by giving and serving over the Christmas Holidays. Just seeing the children's faces as Santa walked in the shelter was enough to see what Lions really do. And I am sure those who delivered the Christmas Baskets experienced the same excitement as the baskets were delivered to the homes. We are truly the Dynamic Downtown Lions.

I would also like to thank Police Chief Frank Carter and the officers that were with him for coming and sharing this time with us. Also I would like to thank David and Gina Wilkes for leading the group with Christmas Carols.

At our annual Christmas Party we had the privilege of giving three Scholarships to our outstanding youths.

First Place \$1,000	Makalee Braden	Wall
Second Place \$500	Spencer Burress	Central
Third Place \$250	Samuel Banks	Central

Looking forward to the last half of our Lions year we have our Golf Tournament in April in conjunction with the District Convention. Then in June we have the San Angelo Lions Balloonfest. Let's all get behind these projects and make them a success.

Don't forget the Mid-Winter Conference January 21, 2017 in Brady. Thanks Lions, For Your Service.

**Until My Next Roar,  
Boss Lion Roy**

#### 2016-2017 BOARD

**PRESIDENT** - PDG ROY LANDRY  
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**MEMBERSHIP CHAIR** - PDG MARSHALL TWOMBLY

#### JANUARY PROGRAMS

**JAN. 5 - LION DUANE HAMBLIN**  
**JAN. 12 - LION KEN CASPER**  
**JAN. 19 - NEW MEMBER INDUCTIONS/CLUB BUSINESS**  
**JAN. 26 - LION ALLAN HENDERSON**

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[www.txlionsdistrict2a1.com](http://www.txlionsdistrict2a1.com)

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[www.sanangelodowntownlions.org](http://www.sanangelodowntownlions.org)

**NOVEMBER SUNSHINE REPORT**

Please continue to remember Lions Kim Floyd; Rodney Floyd; Walter Rauch; Guy & Sabra Abbott, Lion Kathy Berthold.

Lion Dave Wells brother and sister are having health issues.

Lion Theresa Cain's mother is having health issues.

Lion Jeanne Taylor's sister had open heart surgery.

We want to extend our sympathy to PDG Frank Berthold and Lion Cathy at the passing of PDG Frank's brother.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**JANUARY 16** - Our club's Board of Director's meeting at high noon. All board members need to attend so as to take care of club business.

**JANUARY 20 & 21** - District 2-A1 Mid-Winter Conference in Brady. Friday the 20th is basically a social time and the main meeting is on Saturday, January 21. Registration forms will be at the front table starting on January 12.

**DECEMBER GUESTS**

**BRANDON & BRANDI BRADEN**

**GARY & DANA BANKS**

**TOM & AMY BURRESS**

The above three pairs are parents of our Outstanding Youth Contestants

**FLO KNIGHT**, guest of Lion Nonie Knight

**LIONS JANUARY BIRTHDAYS**

**6th - LION DOUG SEAMANDS**

**14th - PDG FRANK BERTHOLD**

**22nd - LION MARILYN OWEN**

**24th - JANIE RODRIGUEZ**

**29th - LION DAVID MORALES**

**CHRISTMAS FOR THE FAMILY SHELTER ON DECEMBER 19, 2016**



Our club members getting into the Christmas Spirit at the Family Shelter.



Chief of Police Frank Carter and several S.A.P.D. officers came to the Family Shelter to help with gifts and meet the residents.



More of our members and even non-Lions who helped make the event a success.



Even Santa Claus (PDG Frank Berthold) was there to greet and help hand out presents to the children and women. The blurred images are residents who did not need to be identified as many are there to get away from violent home situations.

**CHRISTMAS BASKETS ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2016**



Our club members (and some younger future Lions) got together to load up over 30 Christmas boxes for those in need for this Christmas.



**CHRISTMAS PARTY ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2016**



Downtown Lions and guests getting ready for the festivities.



Lion Joe Guerra and his mother at the Reception Table.



Our three finalists in the Outstanding Youth Contest. (left) Makalee Braden our first place winner and who received a check for \$1,000.00; Samuel Banks our third place winner and received a check for \$250.00 and Spencer Burress our second place winner and received a check for \$500.00.



Our Outstanding Youth Contestants and their parents after the presenting of the checks.

**CHRISTMAS LUNCH FOR THE STAFF & EMPLOYEES AT THE WEST TEXAS LIGHTHOUSE FOR THE BLIND. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2016**



Our members getting the food ready to serve.



PDG John Hancock blessing the food.



Above: The employees and staff enjoying the traditional Christmas meal.



(left to right): Lions Jeanne Taylor, Theresa Cain, Nonie Knight and Bob Porter fill the plates to serve the hungry employees and staff.

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Lion Keith Perrine has been a Lion for 18 years as a member of the San Angelo Downtown Lions Club, and

WHEREAS, Lion Keith Perrine has served as president of the San Angelo Downtown Lions Club 2015-2016, and seeks to enthusiastically represent the District, as a 2017-2018 candidate for 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor for District 2-A1, and

WHEREAS, Lion Keith Perrine is serving the district as Zone 5 Chairman for the year 2016-2017, and has served the District as District Leader Dog Chairman. Lion Perrine has owned and operated his own business for the last 21 years. He is and has been actively involved in community service as a Board member of the West Texas Rehab Center, Board member of Goodwill Industries, volunteers at the Wesley Soup Kitchen, Meals for the Elderly and Helping Hands of San Angelo, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the San Angelo Downtown Lions Club hereby offer and enthusiastically endorses and support the candidacy of Lion Keith Perrine, as our candidate for 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor of District 2-A1 for the Lion year 2017-2018.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be adopted on the minutes of the District 2-A1 Mid-Winter Conference meeting and Lion Keith Perrine of the San Angelo Downtown Lions Club of San Angelo, Texas, be recognized as a qualified candidate for the position of 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor of Lions International District 2-A1, for the year 2017-2018.

This resolution was passed and unanimously adopted at a regular meeting of the San Angelo Downtown Lions Club on Thursday the 1st day of December 2016.



Roy Landry, President



Kim Floyd, Secretary

## RESOLUTION

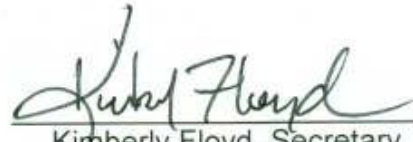
WHEREAS, Past Council Chairman John H. Hancock has been a Lion since 1955 when he joined the San Angelo Downtown Lions Club, and  
WHEREAS, Lion Hancock has been active in all phases of club, district and state activities for almost 50 years and was named Lion of the Year in 1991 of this club, and  
WHEREAS, Lion Hancock has served in many club offices for at least one term and has been elected president of this club on three occasions, and  
WHEREAS, Lion Hancock has served District 2-A1 in several capacities, including Zone Chairman, Deputy District Governor (twice), SightFirst Chairman (twice), Vice District Governor and District Governor, and  
WHEREAS, Lion Hancock served with distinction as Council Chairman for MD-2 Texas for 1999-2000, and  
WHEREAS, Lion Hancock has served on the Board of Directors of District 2-A1 Lions Eye Bank (Western Texas Eye Bank Alliance), and  
WHEREAS, Lion Hancock was instrumental in establishing San Angelo Lions Charities, Inc., a non-profit organization of all San Angelo Lions Clubs dedicated to helping handicapped children and sight impaired adults in this city, and  
WHEREAS, Lion Hancock has demonstrated strong and progressive leadership qualities in these assignments and continues to do so on behalf of Lionism in this district, and  
WHEREAS, Lion Hancock has received the International Presidents Award, is a Jack Weich Fellow, a Melvin Jones Fellow, a Texas Lions Foundation Fellow, holds a membership key and received the Ed Flood Award, and  
WHEREAS, Lion Hancock has been active in various ministries associated with his church, including Sunday School Teacher, Deacon and Building Committee Chairman for a \$7 million building program.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the San Angelo Downtown Lions Club hereby submits the nomination of PCC John H. Hancock for Texas Lions Hall of Fame with complete confidence and assurance that he is worthy of such honor and ask the Committee to approve this nomination...

This resolution was adopted unanimously at the meeting of the San Angelo Downtown Lions on Thursday, December 8, 2016.



Roy Landry, President



Kimberly Floyd, Secretary