

# The Roar



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## Roars from Boss Lion Keith Perrine

Greetings fellow Lions-

April 2016 was quite busy !!!!!

We held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Golf Tournament, and it was much more successful than the first one. It generated over \$6,000 to be used in our service projects within the area. The District Meeting was held in San Angelo and was attended by many from across the district. The Lions Charity Pancake breakfast was held on Saturday the 30th and the Downtown Lions Club was outstanding in their support and help at this event. **GREAT JOB BY ALL**

What's up next----- May 19,20 &21<sup>st</sup> the State Convention will be in Midland and all Lions should plan to attend .-----June 17<sup>th</sup> will be the meal at The Lions Camp in Kerrville and all Lions should feel honored to go and prepare the meal for these outstanding campers and aides. -----June 30<sup>th</sup> will be our clubs Installation Banquet at Bentwood Country Club and all Lions are expected to be there. The club members should be proud of all that you have accomplished. A big **THANKS** to all and a big **THANKS** to all members for what we have ahead of us.

And, finally do not forget the **SUMMER PARTY**. Saturday June 4 @ 6:30 pm, Century Park Clubhouse 3604 Gemini St. , Hosted by Boss Lion Keih and Noma, RSVP by May 26,2016 Call: 325 656-3252.

We Serve

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### NEWLY ELECTED 2016-2017 BOARD

**PRESIDENT** - PDG Roy Landry  
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**2nd V.P.** - LION ROBERT FLOYD  
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**TREASURER** - LION JOE GUERRA  
**SECRETARY** - LION KIM FLOYD  
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**MARCH & APRIL SUNSHINE REPORT**

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

Lion Merissa Swink is having some health problems.

Lion Mary Conoly's mother is experiencing some health problems and is in a nursing home.

We extend our sympathy to Boss Lion Keith and his family at the passing of his father-in-law, Earlo Smith.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of former Lion Dallas Knight who passed away on April 27th.

Congratulations to Lion Rodney Floyd on the birth of a granddaughter.

Lion Lloyd Williams nephew has been diagnosed with stage 4 cancer.

Lion Paul's Stipanovic's mother-in-law is continuing her battle with cancer.

Lion Bob Porter had a procedure done and is hoping for a good report.

PDG John Hancock fell at his house and had to go to the emergency room but he is doing well.

Lion Scott Patterson's nephew, Jason Hasty, has the Swine Flu and is slowly recovering. He has been in ICU for six weeks.

Lion Lloyd Williams nephew has liver cancer.

We want to extend our sympathy to Lion Doug Paschal and his family at the passing of his grandson, Shane Douglas Paschal, on Wednesday, April 20th. Services were held on Saturday, April 23rd.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**OUR CLUB'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING** on **MONDAY, APRIL 18th & MAY 16th** at high noon. **All board members need to attend so as to have a quorum and conduct business for the club.**

**DOWNTOWN LIONS** 2nd Annual Golf tournament on **SATURDAY, APRIL 9th** at Quicksands. Members can help by getting players, sponsors, door prizes and be there on the 9th.

**District 2-A1 Lions Convention April 22 & 23, 2016** in **SAN ANGELO**.

**San Angelo Lions Clubs Pancake breakfast** on **SATURDAY, APRIL 30th** at Fort Concho Parade grounds.

Our club will feed the noon meal to campers and staff at the **Texas Lions Camp** on Friday, June 16.

**MD2 Lions STATE Convention** in Midland from **May 19 thru 21, 2016**. This will be an excellent opportunity for each of us to attend a State convention that is this close to us. Registration forms will be at our weekly meetings.

**DOWNTOWN LIONS** 2nd Annual Clay Bird Shoot on **SATURDAY, AUGUST 13th**. More info later on what you can do to make this event a success.

**LIONS APRIL BIRTHDAYS**

12th - GARY JONES

22nd - FLOYD FRERICH

23rd - BRIAN BIGGERSTAFF

26th - BOB PORTER

30th - JIM HARTLE; DAL DeWEES

**LIONS MAY BIRTHDAYS**

11th - HEATHER MASE

14th - HECTOR GUTIERREZ

30th - DAVID KNIGHT

31st - DAVID VESSELL

**PROGRAMS**

**APRIL 7th - LION CHANDRA EGGEMEYER**

**APRIL 14th - LION DUANE HAMBLIN**

**APRIL 21st - LION KIM FLOYD**

**APRIL 28th - PDG MARSHALL TWOMBLY**

**MAY 5th - PDG JOHN HANCOCK**

**MAY 12th - LION DUANE HAMBLIN**

**MAY 19th - PDG MARSHALL TWOMBLY**

**Our club's Installation and Awards Banquet will be on THURSDAY, JUNE 30th at Bentwood Country Club.** Each member and one guest of theirs will have their meals paid by the club. Visitation starts at 6:30 p.m. and banquet at 7:00 p.m.

**MARCH & APRIL GUESTS**

**ATTLI HALLMARK**, granddaughter of Lion Theresa Cain

**HOLLI GREEN**, guest of PDG Marshall Twombly

**KEN PHIPPS**, guest of Lion Jeanne Taylor

**DAVE WATSON**, guest of Lion Dwayne Welch

**ALBERT YANCA**, guest of Lion Bob Geiser

**MILLIE SEAMANDS**, wife of Lion Doug Seamands

**EAST ANGELO LION JERRY WILSON**

**CARLOS SANCHEZ**, guest of Lion Samantha Watkins

**JOHN AGEE**, guest of Lion Mary Conoly

**WILBUR LEHNERT**, guest of Boss Lion Keith

**FRANK & JO CARTER**, parents of Lion Kim Floyd

**CHIEF DEPUTY DALE PEARCE**, guest of Lion Doug Seamands

**SHANE CARTER**, sister-in-law of Lion Kim Floyd

**ELAINE OATES**, guest of Lion Jeanne Taylor

Numerous other guests who came to listen to the Chief of Police Candidates



Lion Scott Patterson introduced VDG Dave Richison at our March 3rd meeting. VDG Dave talked to our club about what makes an organization successful. 1) know what is critical for success, 2) concentrate majority of resources to it and 3) how the future will be different from the past. One of his goals was to find a District Secretary for next year during his term as District Governor and one of our members, Lion Merissa Swink, has stepped up to the job.

Ladies Lions Club member Vicki Sanders introduced Tammy Merwin at our March 10th meeting. Tammy is the Commercial Accounts Manager at the West Texas Lighthouse for the Blind. Tammy talked to us about the Lighthouse now expanding into the office supply business and how orders can be placed online at their website.



VDG Dave Richison stands with Past District Governors from the Downtown Lions. Pictured are (left to right) : PDG Marshall Twombly, PDG Frank Berthold, PDG Al Owen, VDG Dave Richison, PDG Roy Landry, PDG Russell DeVore and PDG John Hancock. This picture was taken at our March 3rd meeting.

Lion Bob Gieser introduced Lion Trish Wilson (left) who is the Public Relations Director of the Texas Lions Camp at our March 24th meeting. Also pictured above is Jana Anderson who is the Director of Special Education in the S.A.I.S.D. Lion Trish talked about the camp and the influence it has on the campers and staff. She told the story and experiences of a young girl who life was changed because of the camp.



A special presentation to given to members of our club and others at our March 17th who served in the military during the Vietnam War. Veterans were given certificates and a special lapel pin commemorating the 50th anniversary of the war. This is a program enacted by Congress in 2014 and the goal is to recognize every veteran of that war. We are proud of these veterans and to be able to participate in this recognition for them.



Lion Doug Seamands introduced Tom Green County Judge Steve Floyd at our March 31st noon meeting. Judge Floyd talked about the state of the county and how they are directed by the state to implement certain programs. He also talked about the need for a new county jail and how it will be more beneficial to the county.



**TWO NEW MEMBERS**

Our club inducted two new members at our noon meeting on Thursday, March 24th. (L to R): Lion Samantha Watkins, Lion Scott Patterson (Lion Samantha's sponsor), Lion Holli Green, PDG Marshall Twombly (Lion Holli's sponsor). Be sure to meet and welcome these new Dynamic Downtown Lions to our club. PDG John Hancock conducted the Induction Ceremony.



Lion Chandra Eggmeyer introduced Anthony Wilson at our April 7th meeting. Anthony is the City of San Angelo Public Information Officer. He talked to us about the importance of voting in the upcoming May election and how the local government affects our lives the most of all government entities. He mentioned the different areas of services offered by the city and how they are financed by way of taxes and bond issues.



Lion Duane Hamblin gave a talk on the Pueblo Indian tribes of the Southwest at our April 14th meeting. Lion Duane had numerous items of pottery, sculptures and framed prints that he has collected over the years. He talked about the different designs and purposes of them plus he gave details on the artists and pottery makers.



Congratulations to Lion Jim Hartle for winning the \$250.00 jackpot at our April 14th meeting.



Our club had a forum for the Chief of Police candidates at our April 21st meeting. Seated at the front table are the four candidates (left to right): retired police officer Jeff Davis, Chief of Police Tim Vasquez, Lt. Frank Carter and Lt. Mike Hernandez. Each candidate talked about their goals for the department and answered four prepared questions. The members and guests were able to get a better idea of who the candidates are and why they are running for this very important position.

Lion Holli Green introduced Eric Sanchez at our April 28th noon meeting. Eric is the CEO of the Concho Valley Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council. He talked about the prevention and treatment programs available and how they need to expand their services to include a detox program for the indigent. He gave stats on the number of people affected by alcohol and drugs and that nearly every family knows of someone who is battling alcoholism or drug abuse.

