



DUNCANVILLE LIONS TALE

July 2017

Message from the President

I am excited to welcome all members to a new year of Lionism in Duncanville, Texas. 2017-2018 will be filled with multiple opportunities for our membership to continue serving our local community and support the efforts of District 2-X1. I realize that I am following an exceptionally talented IPP Kasey Cheshier. He has set the bar high for future presidents. I only hope that I do not fail to serve and support our club in the manner that previous presidents have done in the past. I pledge to give my best in all I do for our membership. My past five years of membership have been extremely satisfying and rewarding. I still stand in awe of how much our club does for our community and at the same time have FUN. The wealth of experience afforded by our membership continues to provide our community with outstanding service projects and events. We certainly are not a "rich" club in a financial way; however we are rich in the commitment to serving our community.

My goals are focused on our community service and encouraging new membership from our younger citizens. I challenge all members to bring at least one potential member to a Friday lunch this next year. I look forward to the year ahead and share in the excitement of serving our community. "We Will Serve"

2017-2018 Goals

- Each Club member will serve a minimum of two hours supporting a Club event.
- The Club will provide at least 50 total hours supporting District 2-X1 service projects.
- Grow in Club membership by a total of 5 new members by June 30, 2018.
- Initiate one new community service project in celebration of the Lions Club Centennial Celebration.
- Work with Committee Chairpersons to continue and improve their events and causes.
- Continue to provide meaningful stress-free Friday Meetings.
- Just have "fun" in all we do as a Club while serving our community.

Mike Chrietzberg
President, Duncanville Noon Lions Club



Red, White & MORE RAIN!?!

Despite back-to-back years of early morning thunderstorms, the Duncanville Lions Club held another successful & fun 4th of July Parade for community members. The rain cleared out just in time for the yearly festivities & actually set the stage for a nice cool morning. What is it with Aggie Presidents & rain on Independence Day?

As we continue to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Lions Club International, our grand marshal was 50 year Lion & ultra community volunteer John Thompson. Other volunteers came out in full force to support the event and the Lions had exceptional exposure. Thanks to our chairman, Don McBurnett and all involved to make this event a huge success!! For more photos & video of the parade, please visit our Facebook fan page.



Lions Clubs
International
District 2-X1

District 2-X1 1st Cabinet Meeting

Saturday, July 22 at 9am

First United Methodist Church - Forney
414 E Broad St, Forney, TX 75126, US

Upcoming Events:

July 14 - Reg Meeting, Judge Royal Ferguson,
Dean of UNT Dallas College of Law

July 19 - Board Meeting (6pm at Lions Building)

July 21 - Reg Meeting, Dan Busdiecker,
LCIF Ambassador to District 2X-1

July 22 - District 2-X1 Cabinet Meeting,
9am in Forney

July 28 - Reg Meeting, Jason Owen,
Joe Pool Lake Master Plan

Aug 4 - Reg Meeting, Scott Tucker,
Inner Space Art Gallery

Aug 7 - Evening Branch Meeting, Chris
Dodge, Little Free Library

Aug 11 - Alex "Moose" Perez,
Professional Competitive Eater

**Have an idea for a
guest speaker?**

See Kasey or Mr. Chrietzberg



4th of July Parade Winners



*Grand Marshall – First Christian
Church*



*Community Spirit – Mini
Mavericks Dancers*



*Presidents – Ben Franklin Apothecary
& Ellis County Jeep Club*



Theme – Duncanville Rotary Club



*Bob Hughson – Pack 1 Cub
Scouts of Duncanville*



*Jay Davis – Cub
Scout Pack 193*



*Inspiration – Jaynes Memorial
Chapel & Flowers by Sandra*

WELCOME ABOARD

NEW MEMBER!!

• **Jim Richardson**



DUNCANVILLE Lions Club

of Duncanville, Texas

Local & District Awards 2016-2017



*Duncanville Evening
"Grass Roots Lion"*

Laura Kyle



*Duncanville Noon "Grass
Roots Lion"*

Doyce Smith



Cub Lion of the Year

Janice Oldham



Lion of the Year

Dale Ward



Jack Wiech Fellowship

Dennis Virzi



Melvin Jones Fellowship

Don McBurnett



Pancho Luna Award

Walt Hackfeld

Evening Branch News

Happy Summer!

The Duncanville Evening Branch Lions started the year off with a bang at the 4th of July Parade. Our July 3rd meeting was very informative, with a representative from the Duncanville Police Department making a presentation on C.O.P.

Looking to the future, plans are underway for our 2nd Annual White Cane Walk which will take place in October. Please join us on August 7th when we welcome Chris Dodge to speak on the Little Free Library. All members are encouraged to join us for our Mindful Monday meeting, we meet at 7:15pm at the Lions Community Building.

In service,

Carmen Ramirez-Partlow
President, Duncanville Evening Branch



Representing at the ESPY Awards

Not everyday we have a Duncanville Lion walk the red carpet of the ESPY Awards!

Congrats again to Duncanville Pantherettes Head Coach, Cathy Self Morgan who received the Gatorade High School Coach of the Year award recently & got to partake in this amazing experience on July 12!!

Go watch this video: youtu.be/pl1GGi9bxYo



July Birthday's

Lee Burton - July 3

Joe Kyle - July 6

Carmen Ramirez Partlow - July 11

Joe Veracruz - July 14

Jeff Burton - July 20

John Thompson - July 23

David Malone - July 24

****Please let us know if your name is not listed and your birthday is this month. We'll update our list.**

Club Anniversaries

Danny Noah- 11 Years

Larry Easley - 10 Years

Ann Jespersen - 6 Years

Dan Barkley - 4 Years

Jeff Burton - 2 Years

Lee Burton - 2 Years

Prayer Requests

- Lion Lois Cathey & Family
- Lion Cary Efurd & transition
 - Lion Mr. Chrietzberg's Mom & brother

Bring a friend & ask others to get involved with Lions!



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Lions Clubs International – District 2-X1
**2017-18 District Governor
Henry White**

2-X1 District Goals 2017-18

- Have all clubs in the district have at least two service projects.
- Have each Zone to grow their membership by 3.5%
- Have all club's officers attend training
- Fully implement Global Leadership Team and Global Membership Team structure.
- All clubs contribution to Sight & Tissue Foundation and use their service, Eye Clinics and Spot Machines
- Establish mentoring program and encourage the involvement of all clubs.

DG Henry White will be visiting our club on Oct. 13th