

## DUNCANVILLE LIONS TALE

May 2018

## **Message from the President**

The District 2X-1 Convention was a huge success. On Saturday, the convention included various breakout sessions, meetings, official voting for district positions and the "Grass Roots" Lions Banquet that night. Congrats to Janice Oldham from the noon club & Claudia Kingston from the branch for being recognized. And special thanks to all who attended!! Duncanville once again brought "life" to the party. Lion Carmen Ramirez-Hackfeld was elected to join District 2X-1's Lions Sight & Tissue Foundation board. District Governor Henry White from the Dallas South Lions also recognized our own Kasey Cheshier with the Lions Club International President's Distinguished Leadership Medal. The award is given to Lions Club members who have Claudia Kingston demonstrated significant leadership qualities / contribution, and to those who have given themselves unselfishly in the service of making a difference in the lives of others. This is the 3rd highest Lions International Award.

And speaking of leadership, service & a new year of Lionism... we are currently recruiting members to sign up for committees & volunteer to help for the year of 2017-18. Please see Dan Barkley or Norma Flatt if you are interested in serving on a committee or serve as a 2-year director.

We have several upcoming activities coming up this month including the re-scheduling of our Independent Living Center Cook-out, Special Olympics Fire Truck Pull and the branch club will be unveiling their "Legacy Project" to the community. I appreciate you all & your continued service for Duncanville!

"Mr." Mike Chrietzberg President, Duncanville Noon Lions Club



**Dville Noon Lions** "Grass Roots Lions"

Janice Oldham

**Evening Branch** "Grass Roots Lion"





LCI President's **Distinguished** Leadership Award.

**Kasey Cheshier** 

**STAY TUNED** to find out who our NEW "Ugly Lion" is!



## **Upcoming Events:**

May 4 - Reg Meeting: Mark Teal & Kristi Creamer-Beaty, Duncanville Band & High Hates

May 11 - Reg Meeting: Greg Ramey, Public Works Director, City of Duncanville

May 12 - Duncanville Independent Living Center Cookout - 11:30am-1pm

May 14 - Evening Branch Meeting

May 16- Board Meeting 6pm at Lions Building

May 18 - Reg Meeting: Teri Bailey, Julien C. Hyer Lions Youth Camp

May 19 - Fire Truck Pull @ Armstrong Park

May 19 - Evening Branch Legacy Project **Presentation** @ Lions Park - 2pm

May 25 -Reg Meeting: Jamil "Tie Man" Tucker

## **Evening Branch News**

Small but mighty! There's exciting news from the Evening Branch Club. Our Centennial Celebratory Gift is ready for unveiling. Come join us May 19, 2018 at 2:00 PM at Lions Park, 1002 South Peach Street, Duncanville, TX. #Lions100 - The Evening Branch partnered with Chris Dodge with the Little Free Libraries and Duncanville High School's Woodshop Students to design our legacy project to spread literacy throughout.

Congratulations to Lion Claudia Kingston who was named our Grassroots Lion! Thank you for your service!

### Carmen Ramirez-Hackfeld - President, Duncanville Evening Branch







## You are invited!

## Saturday, May 19 at 2pm

Lions Park

1002 South Peach Street Duncanville, TX 75116

## Saturday, May 19

9am-1pm at Armstrong Park

Benefitting the Special Olympics of Texas

Come cheer on the Duncanville Football O-Line!



# Duncanville Independent Living Center COCKOUT!

## Saturday, May 12 from 11:30am-1mm

**Duncanville Living Center** 400 Middale Rd, Duncanville, Texas 75116

\*\* Rescheduled due to weather \*\*

\*\* Pot Luck & donations needed for food \*\*



## Saturday, June 9 at Collin College Spring Creek Campus (Plano)

Courses for all Lions. Specific programs for incoming Presidents, VPs, Tail Twisters, Board Members, New Lions, Membership Chair & all future club leaders.

See Norma or Mike for info!

## **May Birthdays**

Betsy Thompson - May 8 Matt Wolverton - May 19 Janice Savage-Martin - May 23 Frank Algeria - May 29

#### **Club Anniversaries**

Jim Mcdonald - 21 Years Steve Davis - 13 Years Steven Rutherford - 4 Years Wayne Langston - 3 Years Betsy Thompson - 3 Years Rick Moser - 2 Years Betty Doller - 2 Years Tara Flatt-Ferguson - 2 Years

### **Prayer List**

The Earle Jones Family
Lios Cathey
Ann Jespersen

## **2018 MD-2 Texas Lions State Convention**



**May 24-26** 

Omni Hotel N. Shoreline Boulevard Corpus Christi, TX

texaslions.org/stateconvention/

## **Lions Tale**

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