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This is a picture of Kari Rodgers the recipient of San Angelo Downtown Lions Club scholarship for blind/visually impaired college students. The scholarship is for \$1,500 a year, and she is receiving \$750 for the fall semester. This is just a example of how your club's money is being used to better the lives of people in our community. By you volunteering at the many concessions we have each year enables us to have a positive impact on individuals as well as other worthwhile organizations.

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Roars from Boss Lion Brian Biggerstaff

Howdy fellow Lions! October and fall is just around the corner. This is one of my favorite times of year; cool evenings, the return of football, festivals, and Halloween.

October is a busy month. We have a pancake breakfast and concessions on the same weekend. We will serve lunch again to the Lighthouse. Plus, the Roping Event is coming up in a few weeks. I need to remind everyone that this event generates almost as much revenue as the entire Rodeo Event. So the Downtown Lions really need to come together for this most important event. We will need YOUR help on this event. The concession committee will continue to improve and repair our food service equipment and buildings.

The Downtown Lions helped in a food drive this September. The San Angelo Lions collected 5,245 lbs of food. That is a great amount of food to help the hungry in the Concho Valley. For those wanting to schedule ahead, we have tentatively scheduled our Christmas Party on December 8th.

As my monthly reminder, I want to challenge every member to find a committee this year to serve on. If you can't find the perfect committee, then start a new one. When you serve on a committee, just go out and serve people.

Until My Next Roar,

Boss Lion Brian Biggerstaff

SUNSHINE REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER

Please continue to remember Lions Kim Carter; Rodney Floyd; Clarence Geistmann; Walter Rauch; Guy & Sabra Abbott, Bobby Baucom & PDG Cecil Templeton

PDG Cecil Templeton is still at the Regency House.

Lion Susan Callahan's father is still battling lung cancer.

Lion Dallas Knight continues his chemotherapy.

Lion Arnold Schneemann is continuing his chemo treatments.

Lion Kimberly Floyd was in the hospital for three days but is doing fine at this time.

Lion Allan Henderson had parathyroid surgery and is doing well.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Lion Clayton Kuhlmann and his family at the passing of his daughter and club member, Lion Janet Scott. Her services were held on Monday, Sept. 26th.

We extend our deepest sympathy to PDG Roy Landry and wife, Lion Shirley, and their family at the passing of PDG Roy's sister, Neta Early, on Wednesday, Sept. 27th.

Lion David's Word wife, Shirley, had shoulder surgery in San Antonio.



THE ROAR SUGGESTION BOX

- Please write legibly in the box to the left and turn in to the Editor.
- Due to the lack of responses, the box has been enlarged to better accommodate your suggestions. Please submit your ideas.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8th

Workday at the concession stand at the outdoor arena.
Start time is probably 9 a.m. Wear your grubbies!

OCTOBER 13th thru 16th

Just Between Friends at the Pavillion. We will have the
concession stand open.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15th

The San Angelo Lions Clubs will once again join forces to
do a pancake breakfast in downtown San Angelo at the
Artoberfest. 8 a.m to 11 a.m.

Parking lot at the corner of Concho and Chadbourne
Streets.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17th

Dynamic Downtown Lions Board will meet at noon in the
same room that we meet on Thursdays.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17th

Council of Lions meeting at Zentner's Daughter at 6:30
p.m.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22nd

Another workday to get both concessions ready at the
outdoor arena for the Steer Roping Event.

OCTOBER 29th & 30th

Steer Roping at the outdoor arena. We will be operating
TWO concessions for this event.



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13th - DOUG PASCHAL
20th - CASEY POYNOR
21st - DR. WARREN BRASHER
22nd - DUANE HAMBLIN
25th - SHIRLEY LANDRY
26th - JARED EGGEMEYER

PROGRAMS

- OCT. 6th** - LION BEN JENKINS
OCT. 13th - NEW MEMBER INDUCTIONS/ BUSINESS MEET.
OCT. 20th - PDG MARSHALL TWOMBLY
OCT. 27th - PDG JOHN HANCOCK
NOV. 3rd - LION DUANE HAMBLIN
NOV. 10th - LION CHARLES SMITH
NOV. 17th - NEW MEMBER INDUCTION/BUS.MEET.
NOV. 24th - THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY. NO NOON MEETING!!!!



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SEPT. GUESTS

JAMES ALLISON, guest of Lion Alvie Cole

DORIS BEEBE, guest of Lion Duane Hamblin

DUSTIN QUINNEY, grandson of Lion Herb Itz

DARLENE BRATTON, guest of PDG Marshall Twombly



Lion Duane Hamblin introduced Liz Starnes, Executive Director of the Angelo Civic Theatre at our September 22nd meeting. The Angelo Civic Theatre is located at 1936 Sherwood Way and has live plays from September thru July. There is a total of seven plays ranging from comedy, drama, and musical. Tickets should be purchased as soon as they become available for each play as many of them are sold out early.



Lion Charles Smith introduced Lion E.W. Esensee at our September 29th meeting. Lion E.W. has been singing and playing the guitar for a number of years. He has played for churches and groups over the years. For our group he sang a variety of Country & Western songs plus religious ones. Perhaps Lion E.W. and other musically talented Lions in our club can get together and put on a concert for us.



Lion Duane Hamblin gave a thorough abridged history of knives and swords at our September 1st meeting. He had a display of various items from different eras of history dating from 1400 B.C. to the 20th century. Some of the items were excellent reproductions and some were originals. His presentation was interesting and the display was excellent in showing the various types of materials used and the workmanship of past knife and sword makers.



PDG Al Owen introduced Kenneth Phipps at our Sept. 8th meeting. Helping Kenneth was his wife, Frances. Kenneth has a replica of every flag (92 of them) that have flown over Texas. Due to time constraints, he was able to due only about half of them. He did tell the history behind each flag as some only flew for a short time before being replaced. The current flag of Texas was designed in 1839.



Lions Vickie Sanders and Dave Wells gave a program on the West Texas Lighthouse for the Blind at our September 15th meeting. The Lighthouse has been in existence since 1963 and has greatly expanded the products that they put together for sale. The state of Texas and the Federal government are major buyers of their products. The Lighthouse has outgrown their current facility but have two warehouses that help with storage. Their mission is to maintain a business that ensures every blind person in our area an opportunity to work.



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Omitted

My appointment as pastor coincided with the church's appeal for aid for victims of a hurricane.

Unfortunately, on my first Sunday in the parish, the center page of the church bulletin was accidentally omitted. So members of the congregation read from the bottom of the second page to the top of the last page: "Welcome to the Rev. Andrew Jensen and his family ... The worst disaster to hit the area in this century. The full extent of the tragedy is not yet known."