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PDG Roy Landry conducted the New Member Induction Ceremony of our newest member, Lion Marci Hicks, at our August 25th meeting. Pictured above are (L to R): PDG Roy Landry; Lion Marci Hicks and Lion Herb Itz, Lion Marci's sponsor. Our members welcome Lion Marci into our club and look forward to many years of service and volunteerism from Lion Marci. Our club now has 109 members and is the largest club in our District. Let's continue to grow this year and the best way to do it is for every member to invite a guest to our weekly meetings. Please welcome Lion Marci to our club the next time you see her.

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Roars from Boss Lion Brian Biggerstaff

Howdy fellow Lions! September is upon us now. Let's hope that cooler weather will prevail. At least we can hope for an end to triple digits. I feel like I need a sweater when it hits the 80s these days.

September is the start of our activities for the year. We have a food drive near the end of September. Then we have pancake breakfasts in October and December. And most importantly our fall concessions kick into high gear. As a reminder, the concession committee will be working on renovating the skid this month. If you have the time to help let a committee member know. Also, if you have access to resources (tiles, sheet metal, electrical, etc.) they may need them also. The committee will be scheduling a work day, or more, when the weather is not so hot.

As a 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.

Thank you,

***Until My Next Roar,
Boss Lion Brian Biggerstaff***

SUNSHINE REPORT FOR AUGUST

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

Concho Pearl Lion Mavis Hughes, mother of Lion Vicki Jefferies, is doing well and recuperating from her various ailments from this summer.

PDG Cecil Templeton is still at the Regency House.

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

PDG Roy Landry's sister is no longer under hospice care.

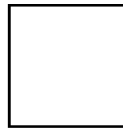
Lion Janet Scott has been diagnosed with cancer and is deciding the best treatment for it.

Lion Dallas Knight a chemotherapy treatment on August 22nd.

Lion Janet Scott has been diagnosed with inoperable liver cancer but will start chemotherapy treatments in September.

.Lion Jim Hartle had some heart tests and everything turned out well.

Lion Stephen Horton is still taking medication for his foot infection and was able to be at our August 25th meeting. He is able to go back to work for about 4 hours per day.



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

MONDAY, SEPT. 19th

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

MONDAY, SEPT. 19th

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

SEPT. 23rd & 24th

San Angelo Lions Clubs Food Drive. Our club will collect canned food at the Lowe's Grocery stores.

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.



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- 8th - CHARLES SMITH; FELICIA TEETER
 9th - SCOTT BLANTON
 16th - FRANK BLAIR; TRUDY DARLING; STEPHEN HORTON
 18th - ROBERT FLOYD
 19th - GARY PORTER
 22nd - DAVE WELLS
 23rd - SCOTT PATTERSON
 24th - DUSTIN JOHNSON
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- SEPT. 1st - LION DUANE HAMBLIN
 SEPT. 8th - PDG AL OWEN
 SEPT. 15th - LIONS DAVE WELLS & VICKIE SANDERS
 SEPT. 22nd - LION DUANE HAMBLIN
 SEPT. 29th - LION SHIRLEY SMITH
 OCT. 6th - LION BEN JENKINS
 OCT. 13th - NEW MEMBER INDUCTIONS/ BUSINESS MEET.
 OCT. 20th - PDG MARSHALL TWOMBLY
 OCT. 27th - PDG JOHN HANCOCK

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AUGUST GUESTS

- JAMES ALLISON**, guest of Lion Alvie Cole
- ROY SCRIVENER**, guest of Lion Charles Smith
- ANGELA & MADISON KISSKO**, guest of Lion Leslie King
- BRYANT HICKS**, husband of Lion Marci Hicks
- BRIAN MATTIS**, guest of Boss Lion Brian Biggerstaff
- GAYLE HARTLE**, wife of Lion Jim Hartle



OUR NEWEST MEMBER

Lion Marci Hicks

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Birthdate: November 13th

NEW FORMAT FOR NEWSLETTER

Thought I would change up the format and look of our monthly newsletter. You will notice the heading is different on the front page and instead of 10 pages, it is now 8. If needed in the future, I can add some pages if there is enough info or pictures to fill them up. If you have any other suggestions for the newsletter, please use the box on page 3 and hand in to me. Hope you enjoy.



Lion Bob Porter showed a video and answered questions about the Leader Dog program at our August 4th meeting. Leader Dogs are given at no charge to those who qualify to have one and people from all around the world come to Rochester, Michigan to receive training and a dog. The best three breeds of dogs to be Leader Dogs are Labradors, Golden Retrievers and German Shepherds. Other dogs have been used but these three do the best. It costs around \$37,000 to raise and train a Leader Dog. Funds are raised by Lions, individuals and an Endowment Fund.

Lion Leslie King introduce Danice McCrohan at our August 18th meeting. She talked to us about the Advocate Program at the San Angelo State School located in Carlsbad. The advocate is an interested volunteer who is a friend, advisor, spokesperson and liaison for an individual at the school. The goal of the school is to get the residents back into society and able to live on their own or with others off campus. The school helps residents learn job skills and one way they make money is to do paper shredding and the assembling of pecan crackers. Residents are from all over the country.



PDG Marshall Twombly has the worst luck with showing videos to our club at noon meetings. He showed a particular video on Wednesday night but when it came time for our noon meeting the next day, there was no sound. He also had bad luck on his previous attempt at showing the Lions International Quarterly video. Modern technology is great but is very frustrating when it doesn't cooperate for no apparent reason or logic.





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Fact of Life

A boy, frustrated with all the rules he had to follow, asked his father, "Dad, how soon will I be old enough to do as I please?"

The father answered immediately, "I just don't know, son. No male has ever lived that long yet."