



TEAM WORK

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HOT SPRINGS VILLAGE EVENING LIONS CLUB BULLETIN

MARCH 2011

MEETING CALENDAR

Mar 2	GUEST NIGHT
Program	THANKS TO THE TROOPS Tribute
Menu	Filet
Mar 16	Regular meeting following 4 PM Board meeting
	Slate of 2011-12 Officers & Nominations from floor (see page 3)
Program	Sam Swayze & Mike Roher – Better Business Bureau
Menu	Chicken Parmesan/Garlic Pasta – Birthday Cake
Apr 6	Regular meeting – Election of Officers
Program	Recollections of WW II – Mike & Lynn Millwood
Menu	BBQ Country-style Pork Ribs

From Lion President Bob DeVinney

Fellow Lions:

As we say goodbye to a fabulous February, you will recall: The Outstanding Organization of the Year awarded to the Evening Lions club at the 2011 Chamber of Commerce Awards banquet; the winners of the just concluded successful club Recruitment Challenge recognized and rewarded with a special steak dinner & dessert; and a great slate of Officers and Directors for 2011-2012 to be presented to the membership at the March 16th meeting.

In gearing up for a marvelous March, plans are in place for the much anticipated Lions Appreciation Banquet being held on our March 2nd guest night. The theme of the evening is showing our appreciation of the volunteers and Lions who helped make Thanks to the Troops a great success story for our club. The highlight of the evening will be the viewing of the DVD produced by Lion Bill Evans capturing all the wonderful moments of this glorious, emotional day. Orders for this DVD can be taken during the meeting for a \$10 donation to our club.

We have had a wonderful response from Village dignitaries, Lion officials and those that partnered with us on the Thanks to the Troops event. We have approximately 120 guests scheduled to attend. This does not include the guests invited by our Lion members. Selected members of our Club will serve as Table Hosts to help make our guests feel welcome and answer questions about what makes the Evening Lions so great.

Upon arriving at the March 2nd guest night, you will be welcomed by our Greeters and directed to one of three check-in tables: one for the T-Box Sponsors & Golfers who participated; one for the Dignitaries and Partners involved in the event; one for the Lions to pay for their guests, collect their badges and be notified regarding seating assignments. While there will be ample open seating, you need to be aware that some seating will be reserved for our guests and Table Hosts.

A great program has been arranged for the Lions Appreciation Banquet and you will want to be sure to be a part of this wonderful evening. This special guest night is an outstanding opportunity to invite that person or persons you have been talking with about joining our great club. They will see first-hand what being an Evening Lion is all about.

Yours in Lionism,

Bob DeVinney

ISN'T IT GREAT TO BE A LION !?!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

(009) - Larry Bauer, 4 Dulzura Way, 501-538-9790

(086) - Dick Gunderson (Laurel), 18 Fabero Ln, 922-1758

(143) - Joe Melsha (Carol), 45 San Sebastian Dr, 915-9817

(165) - Steve McGlynn, (Shanon) 2 Metamoroe Way, 922-5795

Sponsor: Larry Ketcham

Sponsor: Terry Sterzik

Sponsor: George Floress

Sponsor: Kathy Klein

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Help us build our membership by inviting friends and acquaintances to a meeting with you. Let's all try to bring in two members and receive a "Two Key" award from International. Tell them about the "Family Plan" which means a family member can join at reduced dues and no initiation fee. Application forms are available at meetings or from Membership Chair Lion Bob Jordan.

NOTE TO ALL MEMBERS:

All Lions are invited and encouraged to attend board meetings, held at 4:00 PM on the third Wednesday of each month (except December due to holiday travel). By attending, you will quickly learn the workings of our club and the way WE SERVE. For new members, if you attend Board Meetings, visit LWSB, join a committee or volunteer to work a fund raiser or other project, you can turn that RED BADGE into BLUE quicker than six months.

BREAKFAST LIONS CHILI DAY IS MARCH 12th

Coronado Center 11 AM to 2 PM and 4 PM to 7 PM. Let's help them help the blind and vision impaired.

WHITE CANE DAY IS FRIDAY, APRIL 15th

White Cane Day is one of our major fund raisers every year. Members, wearing their vests, will be stationed at as many locations as possible to collect money from the public. Sign-up sheets will only be on the tables at the Feb. 16 and March 16 meetings. This is a great opportunity for our many NEW members and our EXPERIENCED members TO SERVE. Let's all get behind this opportunity to raise money for the blind and vision impaired. Lions Larry Ketcham (922-9191) and Libby White (922-5650) will gladly entertain any questions about this great upcoming event. Remember our motto: WE SERVE.

MARCH 2nd THANKS TO THE TROOPS TRIBUTE – A CELEBRATION

A very large attendance is expected for this night when our Club will acknowledge and show our appreciation to the many non-Lions who were instrumental in making this event such a huge success. It will be a great evening. Make plans to bring your significant other and/or guests you feel would be a good addition to our Club. If you could not be reached by your Caller, please call and let him/her know if you plan to attend and bringing others as an accurate head count is essential.

VILLAGE PRIDE DAY

The next Village Pride Day is scheduled for April 2. This is when many clubs and organizations pick up trash along our Village arteries. If you wish to or plan to participate, please mark your calendars now as a reminder and let us know if you will participate. Karen and Terry Sterzik.

BINGO SCHEDULE 2011: March 4 & 18, April 15 only, May 6 & 20, June 3 & 17, July 1 & 15, August 5 & 19, September 2 & 16, October 7 & 21, November 4 only, December 2 only.

If you would like to work Bingo or be a sub, please contact Lion Ed Pearson.

LIONS BRAILLE BIBLE WORKSHOP

The HSV Evening Lions Braille Bible group meets every Tuesday at Christ Lutheran Church, 103 Ponferrada Way, from 9 to 11:30 AM to press, bind, package and mail Bible chapters to many countries throughout the world. This helps the blind and vision impaired learn the Bible and learn English. All participants receive meeting attendance credit. If you would like to join this fun and social group or visit them in action, please contact Lion Floyd Garrot.

2011-2012 NOMINATING COMMITTEE SLATE OF OFFICERS

(NOMINATIONS WILL BE REQUESTED FROM THE FLOOR)

President:	Bobby DeLoach	Membership Chair:	Bob Jordan, 2 years
1 st VP:	Bill Evans	Vice Chair:	Herman Fitschen, 1 year
2 nd VP:	Larry Ketcham	Development:	Leo Castleberry, 3 years
3 rd VP:	Libby White	Lion Tamers:	Mike & Mitzi Hunter
Secretary:	Jim Hamilton	Asst. Lion Tamer:	Linda Piette
Asst. Secretary:	Terry Sterzik	Tail Twisters:	John Hamilton
Recording Secretary:	Jim Morell		Pete Beck
Treas. Foundation/Club:	Doug Wilson		Joe Melsha
Asst. Treasurer:	Bob Admire		

Directors – 2 year terms:

Ed Harrigan
Jim Weaver
Jim Welch
Dave Kinser
Rudy Schaumburg

Directors – 1 year remaining:

Garry Berry
Bob Fannin
Morris Gotschall
Tom Hubert
Ron Wilging

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE:

www.hsvelions.org

(Username and Password are on the back of your Membership Card)

The HSV Evening Lions website, developed by Webmaster and Club Secretary, Lion Jimmy Hamilton, contains everything in our Directory and more. The “more” includes membership updates, member photos, the current and past monthly club bulletins, updates on activities, etc. If you need a reminder of what the dinner will be, you can also check that out under ‘Bulletins’.

NEW MAP BOOKS AVAILABLE, etc. As this is a club fund raiser, the books are available to members at a discounted price of \$4.00 per copy. Map Books are sold at locations in and around the Village for \$5.00 per copy. See Lion Alton DeVille.

ALSO AVAILABLE FROM CLUB SECRETARY

~~~ LION BASEBALL HATS \$10 & UP ~~~ LIONS AUTO DECALS ~~~

~~~ CLUB VESTS ~~~

Need a vest? Some are the short style (without pockets).

New style (longer & with pockets) will have to be ordered and are sold at club cost.

Used vests at lower cost, abused vests are free or for a small donation, depending on condition.

*If you wish to have the Club Secretary order something for you
from the Lions catalog, please submit your request in writing to Jimmy Hamilton.*

**Pray for peace, our troops,
those in need, those ailing,
the economy, our Country and our World.**

FYI: TEAM WORK is published each month for the benefit of membership to keep you informed. If you are an officer, board member, committee chair, or wish to have any announcement or update relating to Club activities reported herein, please notify Editor Nola Lauber at nelauber@sbcglobal.net.