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> CLUB CALENDAR

2/18: Club Meeting, Noon – Gober House

2/25: Club Meeting, Noon – Gober House

3/2: Exec Committee, Noon – Sammons

3/4: Club Meeting, Noon – Gober House

3/9: BOD Meeting, Noon – Cotton Patch

3/11: Club Meeting, Noon – Gober House

3/18: Club Meeting, Noon – Gober House

> GREETERS

2/18: Jake Herndon, Don Gregory

2/25: Bob Farrell, Rodney Smith

3/4: Charles Pierce, Cheryl Traudt

3/11: Cave Wann, John Bonnet

3/18: Bob Farrell, Timm White

3/25: Lathe Owens, Wade Matthews

> THIS WEEK'S GUESTS

2/11: Mitch Randles, Ron Snyder, Kevin Beavers, Joe Holman

> BIRTHDAY'S THIS WEEK

2/18: Richard Riess

2/19: Ross Gregory

2/22: Dr. John Bonnet

2/24: Dr. Charles Pierce

> PROGRAMS

2/18: Dr. David Yeilding – Andrew Jackson and Rachel – A Love Story

2/25: Rod Henry – Temple Chamber Of Commerce

3/4: Gregg Miller – VP Operations, Round Rock Ex

3/11: Mayor Danny Dunn – City Update

3/18: Lee Ann Deal – National Child Abuse Month 3/25: TBD

4/1: Glenn Brandt – Texas Lions Camp

4/8: George White, Gary Gosney - Follies Preview

> CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Auction Items needed for Noon Club Meetings

- February is Membership Drive Month, bring a friend to lunch and ask them to please join the fun.

- Save the Date – 4/10 & 4/11 – District Convention, Hilton Garden Inn, hosted by Temple Founder Lions, guest speaker – Past Int'l President Sid Scruggs III

- Save the Date -4/17 & 4/18 - Temple Lions Follies

- If you would like to serve during the 2015-16 TFLC Board or as Officer, contact Mike Hamby

> <u>MEALS</u>

2/18: Susan – Ham, Beans, Potato Salad, Cole Slaw 2/25: Fat Boys BBQ – Pulled Pork, cole slaw, green beans, pickles and onion.

3/4: Susan - TBD

3/11: Fat Boys – BBQ Brisket, Sausage, potato salad, cole slaw, fixens'

> TODAY'S LIONS PROGRAM

What Is Lions Alert?

Lions are continually involved in disaster relief around the world. The Lions ALERT program strives to provide specific direction to the 46,000 Lions clubs and help them to be more efficient in providing short and long term support to disaster victims.

The objective of the Lions **ALERT** Program is to develop a plan of action in case of a **Level One** (affecting a few people), **Level Two** (affecting a community) or **Level Three** emergency (affecting hundreds or thousands of people in a region).

The emergency may be a natural disaster, a man-made disaster or a public healthcare crisis such as a large-scale (pandemic) influenza (flu) outbreak.

Thank you to Lion Joe Holman from the Killeen Evening Club for presenting the Lions Alert Program to us Wednesday. Joe is our District 2X-3 Lions Alert Coordinator and explained the different levels of alert and gave examples of how our club could help our city of Temple in case of a crisis.

We also want to thank our new Fire Chief and Deputy Fire Chief for joining us for lunch and them taking the time out of their busy day to hear our program on Lions Alert. The Chief was glad to see our commitment and would be glad to add us to their list of volunteers if needed. Next steps for Temple Lions would be to develop a team and appoint a chairperson for the Alert committee. Since we have a CERT team in Temple we would not need to have training unless we wanted to and the Chief would arrange. Our duties would not be search and recuse, but more of a support group to help with other duties as the Disaster Relief Operations team sees fit. If you would be interested in being on the Temple Lions Alert Team, let me know. If we have enough interest we will coordinate a plan of action, submit to Fire Chief and the District for approval. I have the forms and additional information for you to learn more about this important opportunity for our club to serve Temple and surrounding communities. Examples of other clubs:

Created Volunteer Database Dist. 13 H, Ohio, USA. Lions worked with the federal government and local health departments to develop a database of trained, service club volunteers.

Collect and Deliver Supplies MD 18, Georgia, USA. Lions partnered with a local company for the collection and delivery of donated supplies to disaster victims.

Pandemic Influenza Preparedness Dist. 25-E1, Indiana, USA. Lions agreed to assist during a pandemic influenza immunization affort

Transporters of People, Pets MD 50, Hawaii, USA. Lions attended Red Cross training classes to learn how to transport citizens and pets to shelters in the event of an emergency. Lions also developed a Lions ALERT telephone tree.

List of Vulnerable Citizens District N-1, New Brunswick, CANADA. Lions developed a list of vulnerable citizens, e.g., the elderly, physically or mentally disabled persons, who would require extra assistance during an emergency.

Bring Quality to Life MD 101, SWEDEN. At present, Lions work with the Swedish Rescue Services Agency to provide tents and blankets immediately after a disaster.

Food Service Assistance District 201 C1, C2, AUSTRALIA. Lions agreed to assist during emergency preparedness drills and to provide food service assistance after an emergency.

