### Temple Founder Lions Club



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#### COMING UP...

#### **UPCOMING PROGRAMS:**

- 10/16: Lion John Noles, District Governor 2-X3
- 10/23: Chris Dyer-Dr. Pepper Museum
- 10/30: Chris Del Conte-UT Athletic Director
- 11/6: Dr. Bobby Ott-TISD Superintendent

#### **CLUB CALENDAR:**

- 10/16: Noon Meeting-Gober-Caterer Big Hoss
- 10/23: Noon Meeting-Gober-Caterer Gregory's
- 10/25: Temple Wildcat Football Parking-5:00 pm
- 10/30: Noon Meeting-Gober-Caterer Fat Boys
- 11/6: Noon Meeting-Gober-Caterer Big Hoss

#### **UPCOMING GREETERS:**

- 10/16: Michelle DiGaetano & John Yorsky
- 10/23: Paul Stewart & Dave Moreno
- 10/30: Mike Hicks & Julie Alviso
- 11/6: Jerry Tyroch & Bev Sperling

\*Please don't forget to sign-up to help with Temple Wildcat Parking on 10/25/19 at 5:00 pm!\*



Thank you to everyone who worked so hard to make the Don Gregory Memorial Golf Tournament a success! It was a beautiful day, and Lion Don Gregory was looking down on us smiling as we had a wonderful time serving through his favorite sport. 3rd Vice President Lion David Southerland and the Golf Tournament Committee did an outstanding job! WE SERVE!!!

Today, TFLC was honored to have Congressman John Carter as the speaker. U.S. Representative John R. Carter represents Texas' 31st Congressional District, which includes Williamson and Bell counties. Rep. Carter informed us that the federal government should be working on the appropriations bill, the transportation/infrastructure bill, funding for the military, the opioid crisis, and prescriptions drug issues. However, the only thing they are focused on is the potential impeachment of President Trump. The Democratic Party has been trying to impeach President Trump ever since he was elected. There have been two other impeachments (Presidents Andrew Johnson and Bill Clinton) - neither of which resulted in a conviction. All other impeachments have started with a vote of the U.S. House of Representatives. There has been no vote taken in the House for the impeachment of Presi-

dent Trump, yet an informal process towards impeachment is advancing due to a "request" by the Speaker of the House. Rep. Carter believes that the people of the United States should have a voice in the impeachment via their House representative. The problem with proceeding with an impeachment without a formal vote is that the President is



not afforded the rights provided to him in the U.S. Constitution. All American citizens charged with a crime have rights afforded to them by the Constitution and those same rights are available to the President. Rep. Carter believes that the statement of the whistleblower who has turned in the President is based upon hearsay. Further, he indicated there is no "quid pro quo" offered by the President in the actual transcript of the telephone call at issue. As such, this impeachment is only political in nature according to Carter and not backed by hard evidence. Rep. Carter stated that he would "bet the farm" that President Trump would not be convicted of impeachment, which requires a charge of impeachment from the House and then a 2/3 vote of the U.S. Senate. Thank you Rep. Carter for speaking to our Club!