



Temple Founder Lions Club

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HERE IS WHAT'S COMING.....

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

11/21: NO MEETING (THANKSGIVING)

11/28: Shelley Coston-Bell County Clerk

12/5: Dirk Weisiger-Leave Tomorrow

GREETER SCHEDULE

11/21: NO MEETING (THANKSGIVING)

11/28: Paul Stewart, Dave Fette

12/5: John Yorsky

BIRTHDAYS:

11/16: Paul Stewart

11/24: Gary Jackson

11/25: Jackie McLaughlin

11/27: Bud Sperling

CLUB CALENDAR:

11/16: Wildcat Parking Report @ 5 (Wildcat Stadium)

11/21: NO MEETING (THANKSGIVING)

11/28: TFLC Lunch Meeting (Gober)

12/5: TFLC Lunch Meeting (Gober)

12/12: TFLC Lunch Meeting (Gober)

Temple Wildcat Parking
Friday November 16
Report @ 5pm
Temple Wildcats vs.
Mesquite Horn



Gil Gregory was presented a certificate from The International Assoc. of Lions Clubs memory of his father Don Gregory



Ken Cates from Habitat for Humanity received our donation of a Vizio TV, DVD player, etc... to set up at the Veterans Community in East Temple.



The East Bell Co. Boys came by to serenade **Lion Allan Lueck** for his 78th Birthday. The song was titled "He's no longer Seventy-Seven" sung to the tune of Stairway to Heaven.



Kathryn Hermans and Susan Chandler with the Temple Children's Museum came to speak with our Club for our November 14th Lunch Meeting.

Susan Chandler developed the idea of Temple Children's Museum through visiting similar museums and her time spent volunteering at Austin Children's Museum. When she and her family relocated to Temple, she knew there was a need for hands-on learning. In early 2016, Susan began recruiting like-minded individuals in the community from her moms' group and sons' preschool. The founders started meeting regularly to develop the idea into a reality.

In February of 2017, Ellen Burnett, Susan Chandler, Ashley Heinrich, and Kathryn Hermans presented the idea of a children's museum to the board of the Cultural Activities Center (CAC) and were accepted as a member group. Not long after this presentation, Hannah Weekley joined as a founder, playing an integral role in the development of TCM's first official fundraiser in May of 2017. The fundraiser, a grassroots effort geared towards influential women in Bell County, raised a little over \$30,000.

During the remainder of 2017 and the first half of 2018, the museum has taken hands-on learning to an estimated 2,500 children in Bell County. This is in the form of Field Experiences, which are traveling exhibits that go to mostly elementary schools in our area. The exhibits are S.E.A.M. (Science English Arts Math) focused.

In January of 2018 they added 10 additional board members and have some very exciting things planned for this year. They are in the process of coming up with a plan to renovate a 9000 sqft building in downtown Temple, that will also include a large outdoor space as well.

Upcoming fundraising events include, Yule Tide Tour of Homes. It is a tour of 5 Exclusive Bell County Homes. Friday, Nov 30th 4-7PM Saturday, Dec 1st 10AM - 4PM Jingle Mingle 7-9PM Falalalala Luncheon 11AM-1PM

Please visit the Temple Children's Museum Facebook or Instagram or their website <http://www.templechildrensmuseum.org/> for more details.