



Temple Founder Lions Club

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the Strength of a Lion

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## HERE IS WHAT'S COMING.....

### UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

12/5: Dirk Weisiger-Leave Tomorrow  
12/12: Temple High School Polyfoniks  
12/19: Boy Scouts

**12/26: NO MEETING MERRY CHRISTMAS!!!**  
**1/2: NO MEETING HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!!**

### GREETER SCHEDULE

12/5: John Yorsky

### BIRTHDAYS:

12/2: Randy Sepulvado

12/4: Sue Corman

### CLUB CALENDAR:

12/5: TFLC Lunch Meeting (Gober)  
12/10: TFLC Board of Directors Meeting  
(Cotton Patch)  
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TFLC Parks and Charities President Jamey Secrest presented a check to Mary Lynch President of Board of Ralph Wilson Youth Club for \$2000



Shelley Coston has been a Bell County Clerk at the Bell County Justice Center since 2007. She is about to start her 4th term as Bell Co. Clerk. She is a Temple High School and Temple College graduate.

She is in charge of documenting the minutes for the judges. Shelley also let us know that you can not refuse to record documents and every single document that is recorded becomes part of Bell County History. She read various old documents, transfers of property, interesting old court dates, including the first court decision in Bell County was a murder (someone was axed to death), Men convicted of cutting trees on someone else's property, citizens of Belton appealing to governor for protection from Indians, numerous votes on Prohibition throughout the years, Affidavits back from the 1850s, Cattle/Horses/Wagons traded, a single tract of land on Salado Creek that was deeded a goldmine, in 1857-Sam Houston made a speech in Belton about

seceding from the Union, in Jan 1860-Belton was incorporated to Bell Co, in March 1870-last documented Indian Raid, in Feb 1881-vote down incorporation of Belton, 1881 Temple Weekly Times first issue, 1882-Temple incorporated as city and 1891 Santa Fe Hospital opened. She continued to inform us about many of the comings and goings of Bell County history up to present day.

We would like to thank Shelley for coming to our lunch meeting and giving us a peek into the history of Bell County through documents recorded at our Bell County Justice system.