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BOONEVILLE LIONS CLUB FOUNDATION, INC.

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PO Box 1264
Booneville, MS 38829

Meeting Every
2nd & 4th Thursday
6:00 PM



NORTHEAST
MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Health & Nutrition Center
600-A N. 2nd Street



Visit
boonevillelions.com
for a complete
calendar of events.



Birthdays This Month

December 1
Sam Gray

December 16
Jada Scales

December 21
Dr. Tate Hill

December 23
Monica Shepherd



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1st PLACE AWARD FOR NON-PROFITS GOES TO BOONEVILLE LIONS FLOAT

PRESIDENT: LION KATHY LAMB
GLOBAL ACTION TEAM CHAIRPERSON

1st VICE PRESIDENT: LION MARTHA GRAY
GLOBAL SERVICE CO-CHAIRPERSON.

2nd VICE PRESIDENT: LION BRANDON PALMER

LION JIM LAMB
TAILTWISTER, LION TAMER,
LCIF CHAIRPERSON

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TREASURER LION RUSS LAMB
GLOBAL LEADERSHIP CHAIRMAN

LEO ADVISOR ANGELIQUE JUMPER

LION TONI STOOP
GLOBAL MEMBERSHIP CHAIRPERSON.

LION VENESHIA GILLESPIE
MARKETING COMMUNICATIONS CHAIRPERSON.

LION SAM GRAY
GLOBAL SERVICE CO-CHAIRPERSON

ASST. LEO ADVISOR ERIN MADDOX



A Message from Club President Lion Kathy Lamb

LCIF Doesn't Observe Holidays...



It Gives 365 Days a Year!

December has been a busy month for the Booneville Lions Club. It's the month that our society has dubbed "the season of giving". People buy gifts for family and friends and are often more likely to make charitable gifts to organizations in the community.

Christmas is the spirit of giving without thought about getting. It's happiness because we see joy in others. It's also about giving our time to others through service. That's why giving gifts of "experiences" have become so popular in our culture. Creating memories is remarkable.

Did you know that research has shown that the warm and fuzzy feeling that you get when you help others is actually helping your own health? It benefits both our physical and mental health when

we make a difference in others' lives.

Lions Clubs International Foundation knows no season of giving. LCIF gives all year. It's the charitable arm of Lions International and it has been the mission of LCIF since its founding in 1968 to "empower Lions clubs, volunteers, and partners to improve health and well-being, strengthen communities, and support those in need through humanitarian services and grants that impact lives globally, and encourage peace and understanding."

With every grant given, our history grows, along with the impact of Lions both in our community and globally.

We know that the Lions motto is "We Serve." I think we sometimes forget the impact that LCIF makes to the world. LCIF is funded by Lions like you and me. We give knowing that 100% of our money goes directly to helping people. Not a penny is used for the costs of administration in any form.

Giving of our time is service but did you realize that giving money to LCIF is also a form of service? Just like giving has benefits to our health and well-being, giving to LCIF also benefits our communities in Mississippi after natural disasters.

Give to LCIF. Serve through Lions. Join us if you aren't a member. We need YOU!

PECANS ARE GREAT GIFTS!



PECANS HALVES & CHOCOLATE-- \$10 BAG

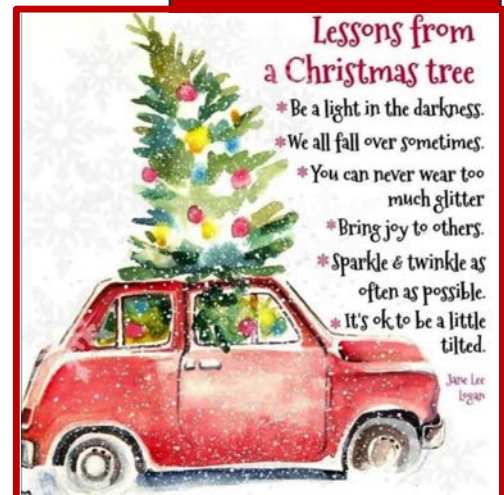
Pecan sales fund our many charitable donations and projects. We thank you for your support.



So thankful for this community of people. Together we were able to serve around 200 people and put smiles on the faces of children.

Thank you to those who donated and helped. Such an awesome night!

Brandon Palmer
 Modern Woodmen



MEET THE BUILDERS BEHIND OUR CHRISTMAS FLOAT

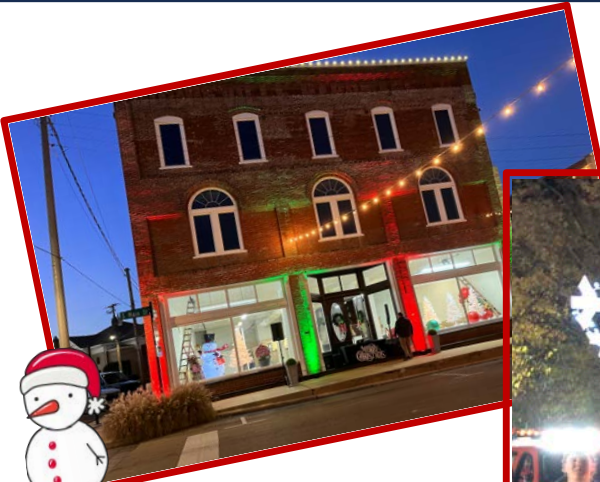


When the club talked about entering a float in the Booneville Christmas parade, we immediately turned to Lion Sam Gray and Lion Galen Greer. These two guys took the project and turned our first Christmas float into an award winner!

Lots of details and many hours of work were put in by these two Lions. It only seemed right that these two should be the ones to receive the 1st place plaque for the Booneville Lions Club. Thank you, Lions Sam and Galen! You ROAR!



Frosty's Winter Wonderland Parade 2023



A special thanks to Dakaya Bell for serving as our lion on the float!



Leo Sarah Kate Wood and Leo Hayley Brooke Geno.

MERRY Christmas Booneville Lions & Leo Clubs

The bottom of the page features a decorative banner with a blue and white snowflake pattern. It includes the text "MERRY Christmas Booneville Lions & Leo Clubs" in a festive font. On the right side of the banner are two logos: the "LEO" logo, which consists of the letters "L", "E", and "O" in a stylized, blocky font, and the "LIONS INTERNATIONAL" logo, which is a circular emblem with a lion's head and the text "LIONS INTERNATIONAL".



We love our Leos!



Thank you, Lion Annette,
for helping us out!



BOONEVILLE LIONS CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY



December 7, 2023



The Booneville Lions Club Christmas party was held at Geno's Family Restaurant in Jumpertown. After a delicious meal, our club and the Baggett family who shared the room were led in Christmas carols by Ed Earnest. It was a great evening shared by Lions and some of our Leos. President Kathy Lamb thanked everyone for their work on the Christmas float and showed the plaque the club received for winning 1st place in the nonprofit category.

Ed & Carolyn Ernest

DUES ARE DUE!



Merry Christmas

BOONEVILLE LIONS SUPPORT SCHOLARS

WALKER SCHOLARS FOUNDATION
INVITES YOU TO JOIN OUR

LET'S GET SOCIAL

FRIDAY NIGHT FUNDRAISER
DECEMBER 8th, 2023
7:00PM - 10PM

ADVANCE:
MEMBERS TICKETS \$20.00
NONE-MEMBERS \$40.00

RESERVE Decorate & Promote your Business OR PROFESSION TABLE FOR 6 \$340.00

THIS EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE CROSSROADS ARENA IN CORINTH MS! ALL PROCEEDS GOES TO OUR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS NEEDING HELP WITH BOOKS, LAPTOPS & DORM ROOM NECESSITIES! IT'S A FRIDAY NIGHT SOCIAL AND WE WANT YOU TO COME PARTY FOR A PURPOSE WITH US! HELP US CONTINUE TO INVEST IN OUR KIDS EDUCATION! THERE WILL BE LOTS OF FOOD, TREATS ON TABLES, ENTERTAINMENT, RAFFLES & DOOR PRIZES! AFTER HOURS CASUAL! CONTACT MILDRED JARRET @ 662-415-1586 OR ELEASHA SORRELL @ 662-416-3389 for tickets.

The annual Walker Scholars Foundation invited businesses and organizations to make people more aware of their purpose at the "Let's Get Social" event in Corinth. Booneville Lions took the opportunity to support rising scholars and tell the story of Lions at the Friday night event, December 8th. Great night, great cause!



S.A.F.E., Inc. Northeast Mississippi ...
Posted by Rebekah Reed
Suggested for you · Just now · 🌐

🎉 Whooo hoo! Two groups that have been so helpful to us were recognized by United Way as December Volunteers of the Month! 🎉
Thank you again, Booneville Lions Club, FXI, & United Way!!

VOLUNTEER NORTHEAST MISSISSIPPI
Connecting Volunteers & Organizations

VOLUNTEERS OF THE MONTH
December 2023

LIONS INTERNATIONAL

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Lions Club of Booneville & FXI in Baldwin

Submitted by SAFE, Inc.

The Lions Club of Booneville has been a huge help to us. In October, five of their members dedicated their time to volunteer on two separate occasions, and one volunteer even came out for an additional project. Their enthusiasm, hard work, and positive spirit made a significant impact, and we are sincerely thankful for the time they spent with us.

Another group that has been instrumental in supporting SAFE is FXI Baldwin. In September, a group of their employees volunteered to fix a set of steps. In October, they went above and beyond by taking down and rebuilding another set of steps. They also organized a supply drive among their employees, resulting in a truckload of donations. We were thrilled to receive their support, and they've already expressed interest in tackling another project for us.

Booneville Lions Club was recognized by United Way for the help members provided in setting up new furniture at the SAFE, Inc. shelter in Tupelo, Mississippi.

Proud Volunteers of the Month!

“SAFE, INC. IS A DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER, RAPE CRISIS CENTER AND A HOMELESS SERVICES PROVIDER. WE STRIVE TO ELIMINATE THESE PROBLEMS AND THEIR CAUSES THROUGH EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY AWARENESS. SAFE, INC. PROVIDES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, SEXUAL ASSAULT, STALKING AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING SHELTER, COUNSELING, CASE MANAGEMENT, ADVOCACY, AND CONTINUED SUPPORT.”



United Way of Northeast Mississippi



S A F E, INC.

SHELTER & ASSISTANCE IN FAMILY EMERGENCIES



MID-WINTER DISTRICT 30-M CONVENTION

January 26 & 27, 2024

Please put these dates on your calendar and make plans to attend. Registration begins at Friday, the 26th at 4:00 PM in the lobby of the Bost Conference Center on the campus of Mississippi State University in Starkville, Mississippi.

Saturday registration begins at 7:30 AM in the lobby of the Bost Conference Center. If you can't attend both days, come for Saturday.

Conference Pre-Registration is \$25 each. At the door is \$30. Friday night, an East Asian dinner is \$25 each. Free breakfast if you are staying at the Comfort Inn. Lunch is on your own. Governor's Banquet Saturday night traditional buffet (beef tenderloin) is \$30 each. 50/50 Raffle tickets are \$5 each at the door.

The Convention Hotel: Comfort Suites, Starkville, MS. Convention rates are \$139. Book before December 20, 2023.

Registration forms are available at 30mlions.com by clicking the Mid-Winter button!



**2ND & 4TH
THURSDAYS
AT 6:00 PM
AT**



NORTHEAST
MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE
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600-A N. 2nd STREET

BOONEVILLE, MS

BULLY'S Pantry REQUEST FOR DONATIONS!

Email bulkyblock@msstate.edu to schedule donation drop-offs.

MOST NEEDED FOOD ITEMS:

- Meals in a can (beef stew, chili, chicken noodle soup)
- Single serving meals (hamburger helper, ramen noodles, macaroni and cheese, etc.)
- Canned proteins in water (tuna, salmon, chicken)
- Peanut or other seed butters (crunchy and smooth)
- Fruit cup snacks
- Dry beans
- Hot/Cold cereals
- Rice and pasta
- Granola bars or light popcorn

PERSONAL CARE ITEMS:

- Toothpaste & toothbrushes (individually wrapped)
- Mouthwash (travel size)
- Soap
- Deodorant (travel size)
- Feminine hygiene items
- Paper towels, toilet paper, & tissues
- Laundry detergent pods
- Diapers (all sizes)

SCHOOL SUPPLIES:

- Spiral notebooks
- Loose-leaf paper
- Pens, pencils, highlighters
- Folders, binders
- Index cards
- Post-it Notes

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