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Meeting Every  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday  
6:00 PM



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Health & Nutrition Center  
600-A N. 2<sup>nd</sup> Steet



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**Birthdays  
This Month**

**FEBRUARY 10**  
Janet Hurd

**FEBRUARY 22**  
Martha Gray

**FEBRUARY 23**  
Paul Wood



## BOONEVILLE ATTENDS MID-WINTER CONFERENCE



L to R: Lions Sam Gray, Martha Gray, Veneshia Gillespie, International Director, Guy Hollander, Carol Hollander, Kathy Lamb, Russ Lamb.

**PRESIDENT: LION KATHY LAMB**  
GLOBAL ACTION TEAM CHAIRPERSON

**1<sup>st</sup> VICE PRESIDENT: LION MARTHA GRAY**  
GLOBAL SERVICE CO-CHAIRPERSON.

**2<sup>nd</sup> VICE PRESIDENT: LION BRANDON PALMER**

**LION JIM LAMB**  
TAILTWISTER, LION TAMER,  
LCIF CHAIRPERSON

**SECRETARY LION. SHELLEY GREER**

**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**



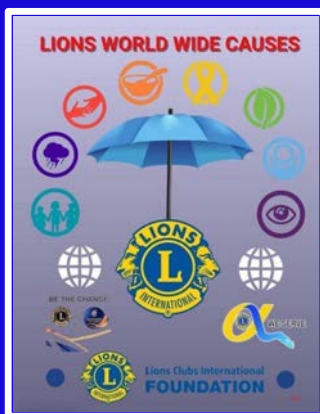
JOIN A LIONS CLUB TODAY



The month of February is designated as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month which is one of the Lions global causes.

MAKE A DONATION TO ST. JUDE

[stjude.org](http://stjude.org)



WE SERVE



## A Message from Club President Lion Kathy Lamb

### Share the Love with a New Member

It's February and you've seen lots of hearts and other tokens of love displayed for Valentine's Day. We waited for the groundhog to tell us if we would have more cold weather or an early spring, but can you really trust a groundhog?

Then, February an unusually short month gained another day which in my book is a welcome thing! So, I've been wondering, what will I do with my extra 24 hours? What will you do with yours?

Can I give you a few ideas?

Of course, my ideas are going to be "Lions Themed", but you'd expect that, right? So here goes. What do you think my first suggestion will be?

Of course, you are right if you guessed "Ask someone to join Lions." Now, I'm not talking about asking someone and then you're all done. I'm suggesting you ask until you are helping someone fill out the registration form to join. I'm talking about asking multiple people until someone expresses an interest. Follow-up. Try to involve more new folks in our club(s) to allow more people to have the joy of serving.

We know that those who serve usually receive tremendous joy from doing so.

Every time we add a new member to the club, our sphere of influence broadens. Diversity adds new viewpoints to the club. Younger members bring with them more energy. Older members have experience to share. There's a place for your friend, co-worker, relative or acquaintance. JUST ASK! Be a sponsor. Lions have BIG hearts and the world needs more kindness.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

## HORN LAKE LIONS CLUB

The Horn Lake Lions Club has worked tirelessly to sponsor the newly chartered Eudora Lions Club with 21 members! The Horn Lake Club recently added a new branch in McCool, Mississippi. Thank you for setting the bar high for other clubs in our district to not only add more members to our clubs but to create branch clubs as the first step of forming a new club.



1VDG John Storley & ZC Debbie Storley: Horn Lake



Eudora Lions Club pictured with District Governor Amy Harrison at Charter Night.



# FIRST LEO CONVENTION



The Leos had a great day at the first District 30M Leo Conference in Starkville, MS.

Leos helped collect the food donations from the district Lions Clubs...organizing 572.8 pounds of food and other supplies for Bully's Pantry at Mississippi State University in Starkville.

There was time for team building with a scavenger hunt and getting to know Leos from the other towns.

While this was the first Leo Conference, it is likely only the first of many to come.

Special thanks to Lion Rebecca Burg for organizing and directing this event.



Booneville, Starkville & Tupelo Leos

January 27, 2024



L to R: Leo Nia Agnew, Leo A'Miracle Copeland, Lion Angelique Jumper, Lion Janet Hurd, Leo De'Shod Bell



Students from any schools in our community between the ages of 12 and 18 are invited to become a Leo. For more information contact Leo Advisor, Angelique Jumper at 662-650-





## ZANE FLOYD HONORED



Zane Floyd receives the Presidential Award from International Director, Guy Hollander on behalf of International President Dr. Patti Hill for his contributions to both Leos and Lions Clubs in District 30M. This is the 4<sup>th</sup> highest award in the Lions Club.

Zane is a Leo/Lion and a member of the Tupelo Evening club where he presently serves as vice-president of the club. He is also an associate member of the Booneville Lions Club.



## NEW GUIDING LIONS

PCC Tommy Ragan and PCC Andy Kalinowski completed training to become Certified Guiding Lions and were presented certificates by District Governor Amanda Harrison at the Mid-Winter Convention.

Guiding Lions assist clubs that are newly chartered, established or rebuilding. Guiding Lions are assigned for two years by the District Governor in consultation with the club president.

Guiding Lions assist a club in its first two years of operation. They orient and train club officers and members. Guiding Lions help motivate and support club growth and development by locating resources and supports for the club.



# BOONEVILLE LIONS CLUB ADDS NEW MEMBERS

Since July 1, 2023, the Booneville Lions Club has added 9 new members. Of the district's 42 clubs, this is the fastest growing club. Booneville isn't the largest club but is steadily adding new members to better serve the community.

The most recent members are Janet Hurd and Khalil Patterson who are sponsored by Lion Angelique Jumper.



Lion Janet Hurd



Lion Khalil Patterson



Lion Angelique Jumper  
Sponsor



## MISSION OF LIONS CLUB INTERNATIONAL

Our mission is 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 international understanding.





# IN LOVING *Memory* of

## Lion Mary Larson

January 11, 1947 - January 20, 2024



*Tupelo Lions Club*



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## DISTRICT GOVERNOR AMANDA HARRISON SPEAKS ON LEADERSHIP



District Governor Amanda Harrison spoke to the joint meeting of the Zone 3 Lions Clubs and Booneville Lions Club on February 8, 2024.

Governor Amanda shared some of the training she had received at district governor elect training. That's the training each incoming district governor receives in the spring prior to taking office July 1.

Leadership training included identifying which type of leader you are using a personality test all the governors elect took. The three types are heart leaders, head leaders, and gut leaders.

She briefly explained each type and that if you arranged them equally spaced on a circle, there would be some in-between and overlapping characteristics along the circular plot of the leadership style you have. How those would mesh with others in the group you were elected to lead would affect the way you might approach your leadership of the club.

Recognizing we all would lead a little differently could help you work from the leadership strengths you have in your team. Being in tune with your leadership style and the leadership style of your club vice president, club committee chairmen, club LCIF chairman, and other leaders of club projects will serve the club well.





# BILOXI LIONS CLUB TURNS 100



Biloxi Lions Club celebrated the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of chartering the club. The beautiful Biloxi Visitor's Center was the setting for the gathering of about 85 Lions and city dignitaries. Speeches were made along with a slide presentation representing the 100 years of Lions service to Biloxi. The top photo shows the Biloxi Lions Club cutting the ribbon on the next century of service!

Seven members from the northern part of the state attended the gala from District 30M. The event boasted a catered seafood buffet along with a mashed potato bar, beef, and port prime rib and crabcakes being cooked on a grill. It was a delightful meal followed by the keynote speaker, Brad Baker, Executive Director of the Mid-South Lions Sight and Hearing Service.



## Members of District 30M

L to R: 2<sup>nd</sup> VDG Russ Lamb, Lion Kathy Lamb, District Governor Amanda Harrison, PCC Richie Dickson, PCC Charlotte Dickson, PCC Andy Kalinowski, PCC Tommy Ragan.







**2<sup>ND</sup> & 4<sup>TH</sup>  
THURSDAYS  
AT 6:00 PM  
AT**



**NORTHEAST**  
MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
Health & Nutrition Center

**600-A N. 2nd STREET**

**BOONEVILLE, MS**



Lions International will celebrate 78 years of partnership with the United Nations during Lions Day with the United Nations (LDUN). This event commemorates our long-standing relationship as a consultative non-profit organization to the U.N. dating back to 1945, when Lion leaders were asked to help develop the NPO charter for the U.N.

Join Lions, Leos, U.N. diplomats, dignitaries, and other guests in the conversation about this year's theme "World Peace and Environmental Stewardship".

New York City, USA//March 1, 2024

Vienna Austria/March 25,2024

For information visit [lionsclubs.org](http://lionsclubs.org) and search Lions Day with the United Nations.



NEMCC BASEBALL PRESENTS AN

# EXCEPTIONAL

*Night of Baseball*

THE PLEX

**18**  
MAR

**5:30**  
DONATIONS TAKEN AT THE GATE

AN EVENING OF FUN & BASEBALL FOR CHILDREN OF ALL ABILITIES

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER, CONTACT:  
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