



Biloxi Lions Club

LIONS ROAR

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It's time for us to pull out our contacts list...

For The Biloxi Lions Club

Annual "NUT" Sales Fundraiser

Order Form is on Page 4

Chairperson: Lion Melinda

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deadline is Wednesday October 14, 2020

estimated delivery: 1st two weeks of November

Due to COVID19, nuts WILL NOT be sold at the BanCorpSouth Bank branch offices this year

As one of our major fundraising events, nut sale profits fund many of our going projects such as eyeglasses and hearing aids. Please Sell! Sell! Sell! They make fabulous holiday gifts. And, don't forget to order extra for yourself for this holiday season.

UPCOMING DATES, EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

SEPT 30	Open
OCT 7	Fire Chief TJ Maury, NCBC, rescheduled from early date
OCT 13	Board Meeting, Camp Wilkes, noon
OCT 14	Chris Foret, Coast Transit Authority, rescheduled from early date
OCT 24	District Meeting, Hattiesburg
OCT 28	No Speaker, Board Meeting Minutes Review

The Biloxi Lions Club meet each Wednesday at noon

The Maritime and Seafood Industry Museum, 1st floor

115 E. 1st Street, Biloxi, MS 39530

Lions who joined us via ZOOM on **September 23rd**
Teresa, Larry, Katie, Nona, and Tom Wicks. We Miss You!! Stay Safe!!

For Biloxi Lions members who are unable to attend our weekly meetings in person...

The Biloxi Lions invite you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

**** Direct Access to the Biloxi Lions Club Weekly Meeting is now available on our website biloxilions.org just by clicking the [ZOOM HERE](#) button****

Or, by the following information below

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89166624322?pwd=V25tWXJMRkRXdGRWTTIHSJIsMEZWUT09>

or

Dial by your location

+1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)

Meeting ID: 891 6662 4322

Passcode: 996230

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Log on a few minutes prior to our 12 noon meeting to assure your connection

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Lions Dessert Sign-Up Pledges

Sept 30	Jerry Dodge
Oct 7	Jerry Gardner
Oct 14	Available
Oct 21	Available
Oct 28	Star Ransonet



Average meal attendance is
22-28 each week

Pledges for Desserts Continues

Again, a huge thank you to our members who have provided us with really awesome desserts since the dessert pledges started in August. As the above sign-up sheet indicates there are 2 dates still available in October. A new sign-up sheet November and December meeting dates will be made available after the October 13th board meeting.

Lions of MS 2020-2021 DATES TO REMEMBER

Oct 10, 2020	30M Cabinet Mtg, Batesville, MS
Oct 24, 2020	30S District Meeting, Hattiesburg, MS
Oct 31, 2020	MD30 Council of Governors Mtg, Flowood, MS
Jan 29-30, 2021	30M Mid-Winter Conv., Columbus, MS
Feb 5-6, 2021	30S Mid-Winter Conv., Brookhaven, MS
Mar 12-14, 2021	Girls Leadership Conference, Morton, MS
Mar 26-28, 2021	Boys Leadership Conference, Morton, MS

IN BILOXI WE SERVE

September 23, 2020 Club Meeting Recap

- Meeting was called to order by Lion President Tom Quave; 'God Bless America' was led by Lions Darrell & Jerry D.; the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lion Carl; and the Blessing was offered by Lion Elijah
- No in-person guests; joining by zoom were Lions Katie, Nona, Larry, Teresa, and Tom W.
- 50/50 was won by Lion Kristyn; Lion Jerry D. drew the 5 of Diamonds in King of Clubs Progressive
- Pres. Tom recognized the Biloxi Lions who volunteered on Saturday, Sept 19, for the Maritime & Seafood Museums Annual Draw Down Event by manning the beverage table. Because of our assistance to them Robin David, ED of the Seafood Museum, comp'd the room fee for today's meeting. Photos and member volunteer recognition below
- Lion Kristyn provided incredibly delicious Petit Fours for our dessert. Thank you Kristyn!
- Lion Melinda announced that our Annual NUT Sale fundraiser has started. Order deadline to her is Wednesday, October 14th. As with so many other things with COVID19, BanCorpSouth Bank WILL NOT allow the nuts be sold in branch offices this year. We must rely on past years' contacts and making new contacts to make this year successful. The nuts are scheduled to arrive within the first two weeks of November. Lion Melinda also stated that NO extra tins will be ordered, but there will be extra bagged nuts ordered
- Due to Hurricane Sally's projected path towards the MS Gulf Coast, the Sept. 15 Board Meeting was canceled. There are no board meeting minutes to review today

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Biloxi Lions Club's new telephone number 228.424.7840



Biloxi Lions Doing What We Do Best...Serving!



An invitation by Robin David, Maritime & Seafood Museum Executive Director, to lend them a helping hand at the Museum's Annual Draw Down meal brought out nine Biloxi Lions to answer the call.

Due to COVID19 the meal had to be a drive-thru event. The Museum's members and staff distributed the boxed meals of fish and seafood plates to a very long line of cars waiting for pick-up, while Lions Greg Crapo, Star Ransonet, Carl Nehlig, Dorothy Nehlig, Brandy Nehlig, Katie Peterson, Cindy Bamburg, Penny Edwards, and Joe McCormick manned the beverage station.

The weather did take a slight downward turn with misty rain and a breezy east wind, but the Lions persevered the weather by directing vehicles through to the beverage area, taking orders, filling the beverage requests, and delivering the beverages back to the vehicle. And, not a drink was dropped!

NAME _____



“NUT” ORDER FORM

- COLOSSAL NATURAL PISTACHIOS _____ (\$13.00 per bag or 2 for \$25)
1 lb. bag roasted and salted in shell
- FANCY MAMMOTH PECAN HALVES _____ (\$13.00 per bag or 2 for \$25)
1 lb. bag, natural
- GIANT SALTED WHOLE CASHEWS _____ (\$13.00 per bag or 2 for \$25)
1 lb. bag roasted and salted
- HONEY ROASTED CASHEWS _____ (\$13.00 per bag or 2 for \$25)
1 lb. bag
- CHOCOLATE COATED CASHEWS _____ (\$13.00 per bag or 2 for \$25)
1 lb. bag
- PRALINE PECANS _____ (\$13.00 per bag or 2 for \$25)
1 lb. bag
- CHOCOLATE COATED PECANS _____ (\$13.00 per bag or 2 for \$25)
1 lb. bag
- CHOCOLATE COATED ALMONDS _____ (\$13.00 per bag or 2 for \$25)
1 lb. bag
- GIANT WHOLE CASHEWS – 16 OZ. GOLD TIN _____ (\$17.00 per tin)
Salted
- DELUXE MIXED NUTS – 16 OZ. GOLD TIN _____ (\$17.00 per tin)
Salted, no peanuts

Please return to Lion Melinda Freeman no later than Wednesday, October 14th. My email address is melinda.freeman@bxs.com.