



# Biloxi Lions Club

## LIONS ROAR



Founded February 18, 1924  
<http://biloxilionsclub.org>

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### Recognizing Our Biloxi Lions Veterans on VETERANS DAY



Left to Right:

Tadd Gabrielson  
Carl Nehlig  
Gerald Gardner  
Glenn Bremenkamp  
Pete Wilson  
Elijah Mitchell\*

Thank You for Serving

\*1st VP Elijah was at the podium acknowledging our Veterans and is not shown in photo

### UPCOMING DATES, EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

NOV 17	Board Meeting, Camp Wilkes, noon, BYO Lunch
NOV 18	Open
NOV 25	NO MEETING—Thanksgiving
DEC 2	Open
DEC 4	Ringing Bell for Salvation Army, Edgewater Mall, 10-5
DEC 9	Charles Cruthirds, 1st Vice District Governor, District 30S
DEC 15	Board Meeting, Camp Wilkes, noon, BYO Lunch
DEC 16	David Houston, George Ohr Museum
DEC 23	NO MEETING—Christmas
DEC 30	NO MEETING-New Years
JAN 6	1st Meeting 2021

*The Biloxi Lions Club meet each Wednesday at noon*  
**The Maritime and Seafood Industry Museum, 1st floor**  
115 E. 1st Street, Biloxi, MS 39530

## November 11, 2020 Club Meeting Recap

- Meeting was called to order by Lion 1st Vice President Elijah Mitchell; 'God Bless America' was led by Lions Miriam, Jaye & Jerry D.; the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lion Krystin; and the Blessing was offered by Lion Jerry D.
- 50/50 was won by Lion Carl; Lion Glenn the Ace of Clubs in King of Clubs Progressive
- Lion Penny provided dessert. Thank you Lion Penny
- Lion Ronnie made a plea for help in rehoming pets left by the passing of Gaylen's mother
- Lion Greg reported there are members who have not picked up their nut orders. The nut orders will not be delivered to you this year and should be picked up at the de l'Epee Deaf Center as soon as possible
- Lion Jaye spoke on the 2021 Pageants. Since the Miss Mississippi and Miss America pageants extended term of current title holders because of COVID we will not be hosting a Miss Gulf Coast or Miss South Mississippi in January. The Miss Gulf Coast Teen pageant is still pending.
- Lion Jerry introduced our speaker, appearing virtually, Julian Rankin, Executive Director, Walter Anderson Museum

To enjoy back copies of the Biloxi Lions ROAR newsletter visit our website:

**biloxilions.org**

The newsletter is posted after each edition is made available

**Biloxi Lions Club's new telephone number 228.424.7840**



**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](https://biloxilions.org) just by clicking the [ZOOM HERE](#) button\*\*\*\***

**Or, by the following information below**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89166624322?pwd=V25tWXJMRkRXdGRWTTIHSJJsMEZWUT09>

**Or, Dial by your location**

+1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)

**Meeting ID: 891 6662 4322**

**Passcode: 996230**

Log on a few minutes prior to our 12 noon meeting to assure your connection  
**\*Issues logging on.... PLEASE call or text Lion Greg at 228.760.0239 for help**

### Lions of MS 2020-2021 DATES TO REMEMBER

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
Apr 30-May 1, 2021	Lions State Convention, Lake Tiak O'Khata, Louisville, MS
May 14-16, 2021	Sea and Sun Camp, Biloxi, MS 4 Day 25th Anniversary Celebration



Julian Rankin, ED, Walter Anderson Museum in Ocean Springs, virtually shared Water Anderson's history and legacy. Julian also gave an update of the upcoming renovation and additions to the historic property.

**Lions Dessert Sign-Up Pledges**

Nov 18	Carl & Dorothy Nehlig
Nov 25	No Meeting
Dec 2	Jaye Brice
Dec 9	Suzette Duhe'
Dec 16	Cindy Bamburg
Dec 23	No Meeting
Dec 30	No Meeting
Jan 6, 2021	Penny Edwards



Average meal attendance is 22-28 each week



A message from Lion Brad Baker, CEO Midsouth Lions

**Fellow Lions and Friends:** Attached is a letter regarding the Jonesboro Lions TV Auction. 60% of the proceeds go directly to Mid-South. Please pass this on to everyone on your email list. Just as our Give the Gifts Auction was changed by COVID, so our Lions TV Auction has been as well.

Here is the link where you can look at our items. Bidding begins at 12:05 AM (CST) November 19 and ends at 12:05 on Friday, December 4.

<https://www.biddingowl.com/Auction/home.cfm?auctionID=24063&CFID=18944946&CFTOKEN=269321a2dc437505-FABA0A3D-B7D3-609F-484DC2D316F8C550>

This is a great way to help Mid-South and the Jonesboro Lions Clubs. Please do everything you can to make this event a great success. If you have items you'd like to donate, please contact me. And you can certainly become a \$100 sponsor if you like.

Thanks for all you do.  
 Together in service,  
 CC Brad Baker, CEO Midsouth Lions

**ROAR Editors Note:** the attached letter Lion Brad is referring to in the 1st paragraph is a PDF file and for some reason I could not get it to copy. If you would like a copy of the letter I will be happy to email you a copy of Lion Brad's email.