



Lion District 2-A2 Newsletter
[Issue 3 - September 2014]

From 2nd VDG Lion John Lee:



When I first joined the Kerrville Host Lions Club, I thought I was just going to be a plain ol' Lion for years. However, 6 months after I joined the club, then President Debbie asked me to be 3rd Vice President, to which (for some unknown reason) I accepted.

Lucky for me, they sent me to the USA/Canada Forum in Michigan to learn a little. During the next 7 years I have attended several leadership schools including the Leadership Forum in Austin. I have also been an officer either at the club level or district level or both the whole time. I also found out that I like the leadership role.

I believe it was made easier because of the training I received. Our 3rd VP's always have the opportunity to attend the Leadership Forum and they usually come back with new information which helps to bring about some needed changes in our club.

The Global Leadership Team (GLT) provides for an enhanced focus on leadership development, which is critical to the future vitality of our association. The GLT directs its efforts toward identifying and cultivating effective leaders through active training and leadership development

initiatives, while providing necessary information, guidance and motivation.

The GLT Coordinator Lion Chris Condrin will be sending out information in the future about upcoming training. In June of this year Lion Chris did a terrific job of providing four New Officer Training sessions in different parts of our District.

Beside our District's Leadership Forum, there is also the Advanced Lions Leadership Forum, Emerging Lions Institute, and International Lions website has many webinars you can take at your leisure.

In many clubs, it is difficult at times to find people who are willing to step up and be an officer. It might just be because they have never been in a leadership role before. Remember our Motto "We Serve", doesn't just mean the public ... we also serve our club. Take advantage of training programs that are out there and join the ranks of Club Officer, you might just end up as a Vice District Governor or higher. Even the International President started out as just a plain ol' Lion

Lion John Lee

District 2-A2 2nd Vice District Governor

We want to see your club at work! Please take photos of your members working your events. Preferably with vests or Lions shirts. Submit photos and descriptions of events to 2nd Vice District Governor John Lee (lee.papajohn@gmail.com) and to Lion Barb Flynn (barb@r-b-international.com).

First District Cabinet Meeting of 2014-2015 Sabinal TX



Lions International President Joe Preston has issued his Theme for the 2014-2015 Lions Year and it is called “Strengthen the Pride”. In his theme, President Preston talks about ways to become a better, stronger Club. He stresses bringing your Club members closer together by putting service, first. He tells us to work on ways to help your community become more aware of you. And he suggests the idea of maximizing your capability by partnering with other like-minded groups in the community. The Lions Club of Sabinal quite successfully

accomplished all of that through the tremendous job that they did in hosting the First Cabinet Meeting of District 2-A2 for 2014-2015 on Saturday, July 26.

Through a combined effort of the Sabinal Lions Club, the Sabinal Chamber of Commerce, the Sabinal Independent School District and the Volunteer Fire Department, 184 members from District 2-A2, from 39 Clubs across the District were treated to great food and warm friendly hospitality as the District kicked off the new 2014-2015 year of service. The work was remarkable on the part of the Sabinal Lions, because the expectation was that the meeting attendees would number 130 to 140. As the numbers grew during the morning, the Sabinal troops scurried to quickly collect additional supplies and made preparations to serve a delicious fajita lunch to all 184. And they did a great job and displayed a great team effort. We are very grateful to them for the commitment to take on this task and the follow through to make it a success. Congratulations to the Sabinal Lions Club and the community of Sabinal, Texas. You made us feel at home. All Sabinal Lions made significant contributions of time and talent, but we wish to especially single out Lion Javier Flores, Lion Maggie Lopez, Lion Mando Landeros, Lion Gene Vertuyft, Lion President Lupe De Leon and Lion Lupita De Leon for their leadership and support.

The opening of the meeting had a new twist which brought 2-A2 Lions who are military service veterans forward to serve as our own District color guard under the leadership of Lion Earnest Hamilton of Alamo City, USN, retired. Besides the US colors and the Texas flag, members carried their own service flags and Lion Lupe De Leon, Sabinal Lions President carried the Sabinal Club banner and posted it. Another twist was that a 2-A2 choral group lead by IPDG Rod with Lion Lajuana Newnam-Leus of Floresville, Lion Joyce Lawson of Converse and Lion Juanita Tijerina of SA Northwest lead the singing of “God Bless America” and “Deep in the Heart of Texas”. They later sang the “Yellow Rose of Texas” and the new

2-A2 theme song," Hearts as Big as Texas", which also uses the" Yellow Rose..." tune.

The Cabinet Meeting was a wonderful follow up to our highly successful 2013-2104 year under the leadership of, now, Immediate Past President Rod Chisholm and the International Convention in Toronto that so many of us attended in support of our own PID Mike Butler for 2nd Int. VP. And, so, it was fitting that we heard from PID Mike who energized the room as he reminded us of our responsibility to be great, of our closeness as family, and our duty to carry on our great tradition of service. And it was a privilege and pleasure to have him with us to congratulate all the Cabinet and Committee and Board Chairs that were installed by PCC Mike Rourke and a thrill to watch him help the LEOS of our Clubs form their new LEO District. PID Mike formalized the organization by serving as their Installing Officer. Congratulations to Lion Lee Gonen of Floresville, District LEO Advisor, and her assistant, Lion Janie Garza, for bringing the LEOS together and all the Club LEO Advisors for their dedication to this wonderful new beginning.

Some other things that were features of the Cabinet Meeting included an anniversary celebration of clubs having their (multiple in 5 years) 5th through 75th anniversaries in 2014 or 2015. And the big highlight of this activity was the celebration of the 100th Anniversary of the SA Founders Club in 2015 and also the 100th Birthday of Lion Floyd Carriker of the Kerrville Sunrise Lions. DG Sam had the help of the Lady Tailtwisters (Lion Alice from 1st Ladies, Lion Paula from Carrizo Springs, Lion Letty from Natalia and Lion Ellie from Crystal City) in the anniversary celebrations and in honoring Lions who have served more than 40 years. Lion Bill Barker of Helotes was the last Lion standing in the room during a countdown of service years with his 47 years of dedicated service.

There were some very informative reports from our new IT Committee Chair, Lion Floyd Daigle; LSRF Chair and GMT Coordinator, IPDG Rod; Texas Lions Camp Director, Lion Steve Mays; Human Needs Board Chair, Lion Ken Book; Hearing Board Chair, Lion Lulu Garcia; Peace Poster Asst. Chair, Lion Monique Reardon of Helotes; Stride for Sight Chair and 1st VDG Jim Weed; and 2nd VDG John Lee and Lion Chris Condren, GLT Coordinator, who discussed leadership training resources available to all Clubs and members. During lunch time, PDG Chris Lloyd and Lion Janie Garza conducted a Q&A session concerning the Mobile Eye Screening Unit and our KidSight Program which added a lot of detailed information about the functioning of these vision screening programs with an invitation for all to make more use of them.

A new concept was initiated after the retiring of the national colors and adjournment of the meeting. Zone Meetings were conducted by Zone

Chairs which was facilitated by having all Program and Board Chairs available for any questions.

I want to offer my thanks to all who worked so hard to prepare for this great meeting and even more thanks to all who attended. We plan to build from this beginning of the year and make each meeting this year better than the last.

DG Lion Sam

In Memorium: PDG Steve Bepko



The first part of August I was sorry to hearing of the passing of PDG Steve Bepko. He was a great Lion and a special friend whom I always enjoyed visiting with. I share with you thoughts from Lion Assistant Chaplain PDG Lytle Blankenship:

“Lionism and specifically District 2A2 lost another dedicated Lion, one who really believed in serving his fellowman. The motto WE SERVE was an embodiment of his life style. The jovial forever friend to all Lion PDG Steve Bepko has left us to be with his Master. The earthly halls of Lionism and homes where his beloved club met will no longer ring with his laughter and friendly composure. I, as one of many Lions, will miss Lion Steve. I

almost cried when I received word from Chaplain Doug of Steve’s departure. I said almost cried because Steve would not want such remorse. His life, although familiar with pain, he challenged you with his good motives and forever concern for your well-being.

I now regret that I did not have the chance to spend more time with Steve and his beloved partner Jane. The few times I was with them are among my pleasant memories. I’ll always miss his pleasant, almost exuberant, greeting every time we chanced to meet. For now it’s so long, not good bye because

someday in a time set by our Boss Lion, Lion Steve will greet me again on Heaven's precious forever home land where all of God's favorite servants will have a momentous reunion." I thank Lion Lytle for his reflections.

Our DG Sam said, "I will not forget his infectious smile that lent a hint of mischief lurking in his very fertile mind, but came across with true concern for whomever he was greeting especially because of the constant little sparkle in his eyes."

We all have fond memories of Lion Steve.

Rest eternal grant him, O Lord;

And let light perpetual shine upon him.

Please keep Jane and his family in your prayers.

Texas Lions Foundation



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In Service,

PDG John Seale

Chairman

GLC News:



This month I would like to highlight the **Club Excellence Process-Lite (CEP-Lite)**. This is a process designed to enhance member experience and better serve your community. The CEP Lite is a self-guided workshop in which a club member acts as the coordinator. The format helps a club to examine its community's needs, analyze its membership experience, identify club and LCI resources and develop action plans for moving forward.

This process helps us to refocus on why we are Lions and what makes an excellent Lions Club. It provides a structure to determine each club's needs. The process of reevaluating our club's goals and community needs also provides an avenue for members to express their interests.

If you are interested in completing this process, LCI requests that you register with LCI. The materials can either be downloaded from the LCI webpage or a club can purchase the materials. The information regarding registration is located in the **Member Center** of the LCI webpage. If you have difficulty locating the information just use the search function on the webpage and all the materials regarding both the registration and the process will be available.

Please feel free to contact me if you need assistance.

Lion Chris Condren

GLC for District 2A-2

District 2-A2 Vital Signs at August 26, 2014

REMEMBER (All stats as per MyLCI records as submitted on MMR's)

SERVICE

NUMBER of CLUBS REPORTING SERVICE ACTIVITIES since July 1, 2014 -
----- 20

SERVICE HOURS that HAVE BEEN REPORTED since JULY 1, 2014: -----
----- 2,291

NUMBER OF PEOPLE SERVED since July 1, 2014 -----
----- 4,407

MEMBERSHIP

MEMBERSHIP at JULY 1, 2014: -----
----- 1777

NEW CLUBS ADDED (Charter has been Approved by LCI) since July 1,
2014: ----- 0

CLUBS NET POSITIVE MEMBERSHIP since July 1, 2014: Bruni, Del Rio San Felipe, Fredericksburg, Helotes, , Kerrville Sunrise, LaVernia, SA Area Family, SA Hill Country Retreat, SA Region 20, Three Rivers, Uvalde

TOTAL NUMBER ADDED since July 1 ,2014: -----
----- 44

NUMBER of MEMBERS LOST since July 1, 2014: -----
----- 59

CURRENT NET at August 26, 2014: -----
----- -15

TARGET MEMBERSHIP GOALS for 2014 – 2015 (at June 30, 2015)

Total Members Dropped 200 or less

NET TOTAL MEMBERSHIP + 75

NEW CLUBS CHARTERED 3

HEALTH RATING: Based on a rating from 1 to 10, with 10 being super outstanding

Current Rating is: 6.5

Spotlight on Members:

Schertz-Cibolo Buffalo Valley Lions Club:



Our Club would like to recognize Lion Maria Pingnot for all her assistace on making phone calls to ensure voluntee coverage, hard work on making our Club flyers, making our Club's supply list, keeping track of our Concession Stand Permits and supplies, setting up for Club Meetings, valuable assistance at our Teen Dances, and perfect attendance.

Attached are pictures featuring our B.V.L.C. Kemp turtle release day in South Padre Island, 5K Run Team, R.A.C.A.P. Donation for food and utilities, and Buffalo Valley Youth Association partnership to provide needed pool equipment to our comunity pool.

Our club work together with the Schertz Library Summer Reading Program by volunteering for three programs:

1. Dr. Who Teen Program-July 11 from 8pm-10pm. We provided project assistance, pizza and drinks to 40 attending teens.

2. National Geographic Film Series #4: Alien Deep W/ Bob Ballard
798 Schertz Parkway
Friday, Jul. 18, 2:00pm

The fourth film in our four part Nat Geo film Series will be Alien Deep with Bob Ballard. Alien Deep will take viewers on a first ever voyage of deep ocean exploration to a hidden world of eco systems, new species, and never been seen before new wonders. Film is lengthy and will begin at 2pm. 192 mins in length. We helped set up for hot/ cold Englished Tea/pastries/ and drinks, served over 35 teens and adults, answered questions about the film and different varieties of tea.

3. Teen: Harry Potter
798 Schertz Parkway

Friday, Jul. 25, 8-10pm: Let's play Quidditch! Potterheads join us for book-themed snacks, crafts, and games to celebrate our love of all things Harry Potter! We helped set up, and provided refreshments to about 25 teens.

In addition, we have a monthly Fundraiser "Teen Dance" on the last Friday of every month except for December.



Pleasanton Lions Club:



Story of Libby Kemp, we sponsored her for her first trip to Lions Camp ---Attending summer camp is every kid's dream. Unfortunately, many don't get to fulfill it due to health reasons.

Luckily, the Texas Lions Camp, situated on 500 acres in the Texas Hill Country, makes dreams come true.

They have been providing camping experiences to children with medical conditions – at no charge- since 1949. The camp came into being after the polio epidemic. It now includes children with all types of special needs - disabilities, Type 1 diabetes and cancer.

The Lions' introduce the "Can Do" philosophy to these children. They are able to swim, ride horses and just be a kid in a camping atmosphere.

Libby Kemp, 9-yearold daughter of Laura and Jess Kemp and a Type 1 Diabetic, attended the week-long camp the last week of July. She attended the Pleasanton Lions Club meeting on Aug. 6 to report her experience, along with her parents Laura and Jess Kemp and brother Garner.

Libby was featured in an earlier Pleasanton Express article (March 19) with her Diabetes Alert Dog, Rumor – who was also in attendance. The local club sponsored Libby's stay at the camp.

"It was good being around other kids who were like me. I wasn't the only one who had diabetes," said Libby. Libby has Celiac disease, too. She said there was another camper in her group who also had Celiac. There were 223 children attending the first session that is dedicated to Type 1 diabetic children only.

The camp is staffed with eight doctors and dozens of college aged counselors.

Libby's unit had 22 children and a doctor slept in each unit. The children don't bring their medications from home. Everything is provided. A special room was built just for diabetic supplies.

For the 2014 - 2015 year we also sponsored the Summer Movie series here in Pleasanton. The Plestex 4 in town has done the Wednesday summer movie series for years. They show movies for kids at \$0.75 a ticket. We decided to take action this year and pay for these tickets. Although we missed the first 2 weeks over the rest of the summer series, which ended on August 13th the Pleasanton Lions donated 2529 tickets at a value of \$1896.75 donation. This was a great investment in the community and we look forward to doing this every year.

Club Activities:

Bruni Lions Club:



The Bruni Lions Club continues to work diligently to serve their community. The previous year was filled with numerous activities that focused primarily on the youth in the community. These activities included filling and donating Christmas Stockings for all the students at Oilton Elementary School, as well as a visit from the Easter Bunny during the *Bruni Lions Club annual Easter Egg Hunt*. The Club, as part of the Reading

Action Program, participated in a community wide event to support the Bruni High School library. At this event, Lion Howard Herschap's granddaughter, Heather Herschap, author of *My Friends and I*, was the guest speaker.

The club also held a hamburger sale and BINGO fundraiser, as well as provided and served the dinner for the Bruni High School UIL Banquet, and held the *4th Annual Bruni Lions Club Golf Tournament*. The funds raised at these events allowed the club to help numerous families purchase much needed eyeglasses for their children, as well as awarding five Bruni High School graduating seniors scholarships to help them attend college.

Along with the events that focus on students, the Bruni Lions Club also serves the elderly of the community. The club donated turkeys to both the Bruni and Mirando Community Centers to be used to provide Thanksgiving lunches to the senior citizens in these communities. The club also gave gift bags at Christmas to all the residents of the Hebbbronville Nursing Home. Club Lions also donated their time in cleaning the Greenhill Cemetery.

The Bruni Lions Club has kicked off the new year by holding their Officers' Installation Banquet, as well as hosting a *Welcome Back hamburger lunch and Ice Cream Social* for the teachers and staff of Webb CISD. The club looks forward to a busy year of service to their community.



The Bruni Lions Club annual Easter Egg Hunt with a visit from the Easter Bunny.

4th Annual Bruni Lions Club Golf Tournament





Hosting a Welcome Back hamburger lunch and Ice Cream Social for the teachers and staff of Webb CISD.

Central Park Lions Club:



Lions Dave Hall and Sandy Rightmeyer of the Central Park Lions Club in San Antonio presenting a check to the pastor of Colonial Hill Methodist Church for their blessings of the backpacks event.

Our "dance card" was not full enough so we are table sponsors for several galas in September and October including:

WINGS "Celebration of Life and Hope"

Project Mend "Toast of the Town"

Women's Global Connection "Hand in Hand"

Kinetic Kids "Hootenanny"

Christian Assistance Ministry "Feast to Feed"

Any Baby Can Style Show and Luncheon

Jazz Soiree at the Village at Incarnate Word.

Our members are grateful that we can support many deserving charities in the San Antonio area!"



"Lion Denny Alvey, Tail Twister for Central Park San Antonio, requested that all CPLC members attend the August 5th meeting in their "loudest" attire. Winners of the contest were Lions Leo Slief, our secretary, Nina Tannenbaum and our president, Ed Keetch. Fantastic prizes were awarded including the famous cookbook "A Man, a

Can and a Plan"."

"Central Park Lions recently invited Bart Sherwood from TAD-SAW (Train a Dog - Save a Warrior) to speak at one of our meetings. The Mission of TADSAW is to provide for the training of a Medical Alert Service dog, as designated by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) guidelines, for any wounded warrior, active duty or veteran, surviving with Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), Military Sexual Trauma, (MST), and/or Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI), in order to restore and improve the warrior's quality of life with a canine 'Battle Buddy', at no charge to the warrior. We were honored to have "The Colonel" accompany Bart.



La Vernia Lions Club:



Thank you everyone who donated to our annual Stuff the Bus event. Also thank you to LVISD and to HEB for the bus and the parking lot space. And a special thank you to our Miss La Vernia Court, District 2A2 Queen Haleigh Johnson and the Lions and friends who helped today. Here's a few photos from the event. To see all of the photos, go to

<https://picasaweb.google.com/LaVernalionsClub/StuffTheBusForLaVernalSD2014>

Converse Lions Club

Converse Lions Club presented school supplies to Boysville in Converse. Lions Kathy Bellamy and Julie Georgiou presented collected school supplies to Faith Green, Education Coordinator. She thanked the Lions for all they do and said Lions always bring us supplies.

Eagle Pass Lions Club



Celebrated July and August birthdays at their meeting. In July, Mary Covarrubias, Juliet Martinez, and Sarrah Flores. In August, Rosy Hernandez, Rosy Castillo and Carolina Barrera. HAPPY BIRTHDAY LADIES!! Have a blessed day.

Coming Events:

QUILT RAFFLE
fundraiser

TICKETS
\$5.00 each
or
3 for \$10



Drawing to Be Held April 11, 2015
District 2-A2 Cantonment, Knoxville
You Do Not Have to Be Present to Win.

Quilt give a feeling of warmth, comfort, and love.

Proceeds are to be donated to Quilts for Kids to purchase the materials needed to make quilts. The quilts will be given to Christa Santa Rosa Children's Hospital of San Antonio for the hospital to give to their critically ill hospitalized children.

*This is a University of the Incarnate Word Lions Club fundraising project, supported by the Alamo Heights Lions Club.
Queen: Cassie Alamo Heights Lions Club.*



**UIW & AH
LIONS**

Alamo Heights Lions and UIW Lions:

Attached is a copy of the Alamo Heights Lions' and UIW Lions' flyer to advertise the quilt raffle ticket sales that we are holding this Lion year. We started with the 1st Cabinet Meeting in Sabinal and will continue with the sale at upcoming meetings, ending with the last sale and the drawing at the State Convention in College Station. Please help us promote the raffle by running this ad in the district newsletter through April 2015.

LSRF President & COO Needed

The Lions Sight Research Foundation of District 2-A2 is seeking applicants to be considered for employment. Lion Jim Wheeler, will be retiring from his current position and we are looking for someone to step into this position as President and Chief Operating Officer for the LSRF.

Please contact Lion Michael Rourke (pccmikemd2@sbcglobal.net) if you have any questions.

Application packet is available at:

http://2a2lionconnection.org/documents/COO_Application.pdf

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Chairman

Helotes Lions Club



HE's BACK -- FEBRUARY 28, 2015 in Old Town HELOTES

That's right. GET YOUR RUNNING SHOES, YOUR LOOSE FITTING JOGGING SUIT, (wish I had anything that was loose fitting), AND YOUR TUBE of BEN-GAY or MUSCLE RUB of CHOICE and get ready for the 2015 version of our STRIDE for SIGHT

LIONS 5K RUN. More details will be coming out with our website and FACEBOOK page.

San Antonio Veterans Day Parade



Come join your fellow Lions and Leos to participate in the Veterans Day Parade in San Antonio

SATURDAY November 8.

We will gather at 10:00 AM at the Christopher Columbus Italian Society Hall located at 201 Piazza Italia in San Antonio. This located at Martin Street and Santa Rosa just off IH 10 / IH 35 intersection. The Hall is next to San Francesco diPaolo Church. There is plenty of free parking.

THIS YEAR WE WILL BE JOINED BY LEOS FROM AROUND THE STATE WHO WILL HELP ADD A LITTLE MUSIC TO THE MARCHING.

We will be shuttled to the parade kick off location.

The parade steps off at 12 Noon. The parade route is about 1 ½ miles long and will take until about 2:00 PM to get back to the picnic (yes, there is a picnic after the parade).

Arrangements can be made for Lions to ride on the float generously provided by the LaVernia Lions. For SAFETY reasons, **Seats are limited to 15 and will be reserved on a “first come first served basis” for Lions who are Veterans and have mobility issues.**

Wear your vests, hats, shirts, caps and bring anything that lets the folks know you are a Lion. Vets are welcome to wear uniforms, etc.

Please bring lawn chairs for the picnic. The picnic will be at the Christopher Columbus Italian Society Hall parking lot. We'll be collecting \$5.00 per person to help pay for the picnic.

Contact DG Sam Pantusa and let him know the number of walkers that will be participating from your club and those Lion – Veterans that cannot walk but wish to participate as riders on the LaVernia Lions float.

Lion Sam can be reached at 210-326-3915 or email spantusa@yahoo.com

Thanks for helping us fly the Lions Colors and let our community know we are here.

2014 ABCT Volunteer for the 36th Annual Conference/Convention

The American Council of the Blind of Texas (ACBT) Requests Your Support as
a Volunteer for the

36th Annual Conference/Convention

September 25-28, 2014
Hilton San Antonio Airport Hotel

You are encouraged to register as a volunteer if you are a member of any of the
following types of organizations:

Rotary or Lions Club

Church, Civic or Military Group
Girl or Boy Scouts
Student Volunteer Group, Sorority or Fraternity

Accept an assignment in one of the service areas listed below:

Escort (guide attendees to and from exhibits, meetings, etc.)

Exhibits Assistant (assist attendees with navigating the exhibits)

Floater (assigned as needed)

Guide Dog Relief Area Attendant (assist attendees with locating the guide dog relief area and discarding waste)

Hospitality Suite Attendant (stock and serve refreshments)

Registration Desk Attendant (assist attendees with registration) Tour Assistant (assist attendees during a scheduled tour)

Walk-a-thon Assistant (serve as sighted guide during the walk or provide other needed assistance)

“We Appreciate Your Support”

The American Council of the Blind of Texas works to be an advocacy organization and a positive, proactive support system for Texans who are blind or visually impaired. Don't delay. Complete a volunteer registration form today.

Kenneth Semien, Sr. acbtexas1978@gmail.com (409) 866-5838 Revised
1/22/2014



Kerrville Host Lions Club

Kerrville Host Lions Club is holding their Fall, Rifle and Hog Hunt raffle fundraiser.

The Rifle is a Howa Model 1500, 270 cal. With a Weaver 3 x 9 scope. The Hog Hunt is a hunt for two, provided by HuttoHounds of Mountain Home. Tickets are 1 for \$7, 2 for \$10 and 6 for \$25.

Tickets are available from Kerrville Host Lions Club members. We will be selling tickets at Gibsons in Kerrville on September 5 and 12 and October 17 and 24. We will also have tickets available at the 2nd District Cabinet Meeting in Natalia on October 11th.

The winning tickets will be drawn at our October 28th Club meeting and winners will be notified. For more information, contact Lion Rick Flynn at rick@richardflynn.biz or at 830-285-4521.