

The Wimberley Lions were present in the Annual Wimberley 4th of July Parade. Shown in left picture are: Lion Lee Gibson, Lion Ron Steel and several Leos along with Pres. Lion Vic Forsyth and Past Pres. John Estepp on back side of float. Right picture has Lion Bobby Burris and Lion Amy Russell sitting in front of float singing as they rode past viewers.



The Wimberley Lions inducted three new members at the July 18th meeting. They are the first three new members of the new Lion year under the new Lion Boss, Vic Forsyth. Congratulations to our new members Scott Caton, Maureen Mele and Jill Carter, all sponsored by Lion Misty Moore. Shown L to R, are Scott Caton, Maureen Mele, Lion President Forsyth, Jill Carter and the sponsor of all THREE, Misty Moore. Doing the inductions was Lion VP Ron Steel. CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR THREE NEW MEMBERS!



We welcomed our new District Governor, John Pruitt with Pres. Vic Forsyth at his first visit to Wimberley.



The Wimberley Lions Club hosted 41 International students from 23 countries for 4 days during July. This was the third year that Wimberley Lions hosted and entertained students who visited Central Texas from Lions International Camp JC Hyer. The students had day trips to Bob Bullock Museum, The Alamo, San Marcos River Tubing, Wimberley Swimming Holes, and a visit to the University of Texas. They were also treated to a trip out to Emily Ann Theatre for a picnic. Fun was had by all, students and hosting families.



New Centennial Sign placed at city limits on RR 3237

New Lions Club signs were posted around Wimberley on July 10 for the Centennial Community Legacy Project, Level 2. Our Club placed 2 new Centennial logo signs on opposite sides of town and we are already receiving compliments on the big 30" signs. They really look great!



New Centennial Sign placed at city limits on RR 2325



Wimberley Lions Kid Sight Vision Screening hosted a screening for Camp Good Sam on Thursday, July 13th. There were 70 kids and 6 referrals. Good Job Lions Neil Broussard and Bill Higdon!





President's Letter for July 2017

My term as President of the Wimberley Lions Club has just begun, but some how the first month is already over, how time does fly. I would like to thank all the members of the Wimberley Lions for having faith in me this year and a special thanks to Lion Lee Gibson and Past Pres. Lion John Estepp for their continued guidance in these very early days of my leadership.

July was a fun month to be a Wimberley Lion. We started the month by hosting our annual float in the 4th of July Parade. Amy Cox is the chairperson of this committee and as always did a wonderful job of designing the float and keeping all the construction on task. Amy along with Bobby Burris provided music from the float and was a roaring success.

July also was the month that we hosted, along with San Marcos Club, the Hill Country leg of the J.C. Hyer Camp. This year we had 41 kids from all parts of the world stayed with host families in Wimberley and San Marcos. During their stay we had day trips to Bob Bullock Museum, The Alamo, San Marcos River Tubing, Wimberley Swimming Holes, and visit to the University of Texas. This camp was a wonderful experience for the kids as well as the lucky families that got to share their homes with these delightful young people.

Our Centennial Projects continue on schedule. The new Lions Road Signs are complete and the city installed them on RR 3237 and RR 2325. The Lions/Ozona Park Project is awaiting City approval and is scheduled for completion in October. I would like to thank Lion Beverly Nesmith and her Centennial committee for all their hard work,

Last but not least, preparation begins on August 5th Market Days. This time of year is always hot, but the Lions will be selling lots of wonderful cold food items along with our famous BBQ. All this for shoppers to enjoy while they go through the more than 475 booths of everything that you can't live without. See you there on August 5th.

Vic Forsyth, President, Wimberley Lions

MARKET DAY STAFFING:

Lion Rebecca Stoian is our MD Staffing Manager and she works very hard to get Lions and/or volunteers to fill each position needed at Market Day. We need your help by doing the following:

- If you cannot attend Market Day and you have a regular assignment, please email Rebecca and let her know as well in advance as you can at <u>vendor@shopmarketdays.com</u> that you cannot work.
- If you do not have a regular MD assignment, let Rebecca know and she will find you a space. She works with Concession/Parking Managers and knows what positions need to be filled.
- If you do not like your current assignment, let Rebecca know and she will try and find you another spot

EDITOR'S NOTE: If you have any information and/or photo's you would like to add to our monthly newsletter, please email them to Beverly Nesmith at <u>beverlynesmith@msn.com</u>. We want this to be and informative tool, so your input is important. Please help keep our members informed.

Where to get Information:

The Internet will lead you to a lot of Lion sites:

- Lions Club International is a good source for tutorials, Lion supplies, job descriptions for various Lion positions <u>www.lionsclub.org</u>
- District 2-S3 is our district of over 60 Lions Clubs in and around Austin. This site has names and addresses of officials, the clubs and district newsletters, news, and applications for various programs and meetings –
- www.lionsdistrict2s3.org
- Market Days Information <u>www.shopmarketdays.com</u>

Facebook groups – <u>Wimberley Lions</u> & <u>Wimberley Market Days</u>