

## WIMBERLEY LIONS CLUB



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The program for the meeting on November 7 was presented by Mike Crusham, General Manager of the one and only Wimberley Valley Radio, KWVH 94.1FM. Wimberley Valley Radio is a non-profit radio station and is 100% volunteer-run. This station has been in the making for quite a few years with their board created in 2011, and got their full time license in February of 2016. They feature local stories on athletics, interviews with area VIPs & musicians, shows that feature music from the 50's through the 80's, and plenty of current music to fill in the gaps.

They now have 75 hours of programming... quite an accomplishment for a determined bunch of volunteers with a vision!

They are still growing and hope to have a better signal soon so they can reach listeners in an 85 mile radius. Until then, enjoy Wimberley Valley Radio online from anywhere at <a href="https://www.wimberleyvalleyradio.org">www.wimberleyvalleyradio.org</a>.

**Pres. Vic Forsyth presents Mike Crusham Cerificate of Appreciation** 



The Wimberley Lions teamed up with Keep Wimberley Beautiful for the annual road cleanup dubbed the Trash Bash. Both the WHS and KAPs LEOs clubs served up breakfast, and Lions and KWB members spread out all over the Wimberley area and picked up a whopping 3,000 pounds of trash!

Thanks to the LEO's for breakfast and to all Lions and Keep Wimberley Beautiful participants who helped to keep our city looking beautiful!



Shown Left to right are: Lion Eric Price, Liliana Osborn, Lion David Osborn and Garrett Osborn. They formed a street crew to help clean up.



Keep Wimberley Beautiful crew on hand to sign-in volunteers who show up to clean up the streets of Wimberley.



Wimberley Lions held 1 vision screening event this month at Wimberley Market Days. There were 30 kids screened with 1 referral.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS YALL and HAPPY NEW YEAR!** 





## **President's Letter for November 2017**

November is the beginning of the holiday season and hopefully everyone started off by enjoying a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends. If you are traveling during the holidays, please be safe and always courteous to others.

November also brings cooler weather which means busy Market Days and this year is was no exception. We had guests shopping with us from all over Texas, all enjoying the food, music and the vast amounts of shopping that is available. If you have not experienced Market Days yet, only December is remaining this year and again, the weather is looking beautiful, so come out and join us in the fun.

The Wimberley Lions hosted the Wimberley Fall Trash Bash this month. Our Lions covered all the main streets and picked up more than 5000lbs of litter from the brush and gutters. What a difference a little caring can make to an already beautiful area.

In keeping with our theme "The Power of We", our club sent five Lions help the New Braunsfels Noon Club with their food booth at this year's Wurstfest. This was a great way to meet members of a club that is in a different zone and to help share common goals.

We are working on our 2018 budget. We are hoping that our annual grants budget this year will be around \$140,000, which will put us over the \$4,000,000 mark for our club. Let's all hope the weather holds for Market Days in December so we can make the very worthwhile goal.

Lastly, the Wimberley Lions would like to wish all of you a very Merry Christmas and wonderful New Year. What a wonderful time to share with others.

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

<u>EDITOR'S NOTE:</u> 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 - www.lionsclub.org
- 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 - Wimberley Lions & Wimberley Market Days