

Roaring News

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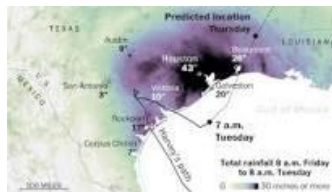
Work Day at the Fair Booth

Saturday September 2, 2017
Meet at booth at 10 am.
Clean up activity- Bring
Power washers if you have
access to one. Call Frank
Altschuler for details.

Comal County Fair Booth
opens Saturday September
23, 2017 BBQ Cookoff
Weekend. Look for Sign-up
Genius Link to sign up for
shifts

Club Fundraiser-Civic Center
Saturday September 30, 2017
at 1 pm "Banjo All Stars"
Tickets available Call 830-
708-3007

HURRICANE HARVEY-UN PRECEDENTED WEATHER EVENT- BY PDG MIKE SMITH



For nearly a week starting out as category 4 hurricane and then a tropical storm "Harvey" has left a path of destruction un precedent in Texas.

"Harvey Marks the most extreme rain event in US History"

A storm that lingered in places just too long dumping tropical rain in historical amounts all over its path. Since it lasted nearly a week we are still not in full recovery stage yet (Especially Houston-Beaumont Port Arthur area) It will be several more days before the recovery stage can begin in those areas.

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NINTH GRADE CENTER LEO CLUB-2017-2018

Lion Mike Stallings and Lion Mike Smith attended the LEO adult Sponsors/Advisors meeting for the New Braunfels area on Monday August 14 at 11:30 am to prepare a plan for the new Lions year /School year and the four LEO Clubs. On Thursday August 17, 2017 there was an opportunity to recruit members to this years LEO Club at the 9th grade center when both parents and students came by to inquire about the program. Both Lions Mike Stallings and Mike Smith manned an information table at the event held in the 9th grade center cafeteria. The fruits of our labor will be evident as the first Club Meeting is Wednesday September 6, 2017 at 3:45 pm If you will like to help call Lion Mike Stallings 830-832-0291.



NB Breakfast Lions Club Pin



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Recovery stage is where a Lions club can really participate. A emergency grant of \$100,000 was approved for the Texas event by Lions Clubs International Foundation and will be administered for distribution by a committee from Lions Districts 2-A3, 2-S1, 2-S2 and 2-S4. These are the Lions districts in Harvey's Path of destruction. On the District website alert page you will find the address to send your donations to shortly see the link below.

<http://www.lionsdistrict2s3.com/alert-program.html>

Listening to the coverage of the event as it happened one thing is clear across the State we need more distribution centers as well as evaucuation centers. The Red Cross organization is responsible in setting up the centers and are clearly overwhelmed at this moment. The mega centers are handling far to many for the capicity of the centers themselves. If we had smaller centers that could be put in place relatively quickly by trained volunteers some relief on the mega centers could occur. A Lions Club is a perfect organization to be trained to handle a distribution center and or evaucuation center.

The Alert committee for Lions District 2-s3 is forming now we need a minimum of one ,prefer to have two lions that will represent the district as liason with county emergency mangement organization. I have volunteered for Comal County. Ideally if you volunteer it should be in the county that you live in. For each of the counties that our District serves we need Lions clubs in those counties to apply to the committee to be designated as the alert club for that community that you as a club serves. In the areas where the district has several clubs in one community a club can take on a nearby community that has no lions club associated with it.

The State of Texas has emergency plans that for the most part work. We as lions organization have to find the place in that plan that works best with our moto "we serve". The key to the State planning is that the Red Cross organization Vets the victims, so others can help the vetted ones. Contact PDG Frank Kinald for more information on Alert 512-868-8021.

INSERTS FOR AMERICAN FLAGS TO BE MANUFACTURED

The Breakfast Lions club has contracted with a local firm to manufacture 60 units that will donated to the city of New Braunfels to be installed along both sides of San Antonio street from the intersection of Gilbert Street through the intersection with Academy. The inserts will allow the Breakfast club to display the American Flags along the entire length up to and including the plaza The cost of the project for the club is \$3300.00.

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Next Scheduled Flag Display Day:

**Patriots Day-
September 11, 2017**

Club Meetings for September

**9/11/17-District
Governor Visit**

9/18/17 -BOD

9/25/17-Fair Booth