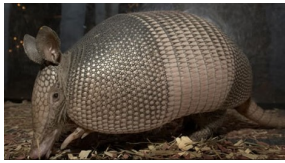


Texas Lions Centennial Gazette

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Lions it is getting time for all of us to get serious about our Texas Centennial Celebration, October 6-7, 2017.



The Hotel has been secured and will be ready for registration August 1, 2016. The registration for attending will be ready and we'll let everyone know at the February Council of Governors meeting in 2016.

The Texas Celebration Party contract has been signed and all of us can look forward to a good time of fun.

The Banquet on Friday night October 6, 2017 is in the planning stages as is all the activities on Saturday evening. We're working on other activities and they will be ready for you to see in February 2016.

The Texas History Book is almost ready to go to editing.

It will include many stories, history about the clubs and different things that has made history in the State of Texas. PIP Everett "Ebb" Grindstaff has included several things none of us ever thought of. The price of the book will be announced in August of 2016.

A very important part of the celebration will be the display of all the history of the Founder Clubs, events in the State and the Texas Lions Camp.

All District Governors for 2016-2017 and 2017-2018 will be working very hard to make sure their Clubs will be well represented.

The Council of Governors of 2017-2018 will be in charge of the Hospitality Room. We know you will be amazed and proud of what you will be able to taste in that room. We know other organization can say they had the best, but we can tell you the food and beverages will be outstanding!

The Centennial Program book is going to be about Texas Lions. We're sure the Founder Clubs will want to have their club in it. There will be a rough draft of what it will look like, and the prices for ads will be available February 1, 2016.

If anyone is wanting to sponsor an event, there will be a list at the February 2016 Council of Governors meeting.

A Volunteer list will also be available for you to volunteer. This is also going to be a fun time. Volunteer will be fun and rewarding.



Now its your turn!

Also, there will be a Goal Ball Game and this you will not want to miss. Be sure and include this in your attendance.



The Centennial Team consists of the Centennial Action Committee, MD Centennial Coordinator and the District Centennial Coordinators and Club Leaders.

The Centennial Action Committee directs and guides the efforts of the Multiple District and District Centennial Coordinators, who work with their respective GMT, GLT and District Governor Team. They will:

- ◆ Engage Club Leadership and members to support the Centennial programs and initiatives.
- ◆ Develop plans to achieve key Membership and Service goals.
- ◆ Generate enthusiasm, awareness, and support of the Centennial celebration in their committees around the world.

The Centennial Road Map for 2015-2016 is Centennial Membership Challenge; 2016-2017 is Regional Celebration at Forums & Main Celebration at Chicago Convention. Extra is The Texas Centennial Celebration October 6-7, 2017, at the Hyatt Regency North Dallas Hotel.

SAVE THE DATE!

Good news! There are Five (5) new Centennial Clubs:

- ◆ 2-T1: Borger Lions Club, Chartered 6/24/2015, Members: 51
- ◆ 2-T2: Muleshoe Lions Club, Chartered 7/23/2015, Members: 22
- ◆ 2-E1: Wichita Falls Downtown Lions Club, Chartered 9/18/2015, Members: 20
- ◆ 2-X3: Temple Women's Lion Club, Chartered 5/2015, Members: 22
- ◆ 2-A1: Roscoe Lions Club, Chartered 10/13/2015

The 16 District Centennial Coordinators are:

1. 2-T1, PDG's Ray and Zoie White
2. 2-T2, PDG Bernie Gradel
3. 2-T3, PDG Frances Cherry
4. 2-E1, Vacant
5. 2-E2, PID Beverly Stebbins
6. 2-X1, Vinod Mathur
7. 2-X2, Barbara Lynn Nacol
8. 2-X3, PDG Sam Lindsey,
9. 2-A1, PIP Everett "Ebb" Grindstaff
10. 2-A2, PDG Sam Pantusa
11. 2-A3, PDG Helen Muse
12. 2-S1, PDG Waldo Dalchau
13. 2-S2, Arthur Drouin
14. 2S3, PDG Charles Handrick
15. 2-S4, Susan Wallis
16. 2-S5, Ron Gay

