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## The Roswell Roar

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### Meeting Notice:

The May 2005 meeting of the Roswell Lions Club will be at the Roswell Doubletree Hotel on Holcomb Bridge Rd. at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, May 16, 2005. The menu: Mixed Garden Salad, Baked Tilapia with Lemon Butter, Garden Rice Pilaf, Fresh Green Beans with Almonds, and Lemon Meringue Pie for dessert. Our program will feature Jennifer Daniel from Special Olympics of Georgia and a very special Guest Athlete.

### President's Message:

Thanks to all of you for your support of the Reverse Raffle. Thanks to your hard work and support, we raised almost \$8000 to support sight-related projects in Roswell. Please congratulate Alan Bethel and Sally Poole on an outstanding job organizing this event. Also an honorable mention goes to Lions Troy Holman and Frank Toler for selling the most tickets to the raffle. We appreciate your support.

Please don't forget about the Special Olympics on June 4th. Contact Lion Frank Toler for more information on this project. Also, it is not too late to recruit a member for our club. Our goal was to bring in ten new members this year, and so far we have only inducted two. With everyone's support, we can achieve this final goal for the year.

*Lion John*

### Resume of Last Meeting:

The last meeting was held on Monday, April 18, 2005 at the Doubletree Hotel, Roswell, GA.

- The invocation was given by Pat Welden.
- The Pledge was lead by Bob Peagram.
- Lion Earl Ake led the assemblage in a song.
- The program order was changed so that our speaker could make another engagement.
- Alan Bethel began the meeting by introducing our speaker, Brad Range, Artic Scout. Brad presented a slide show of scenes of Antarctica and told of his experiences while living and working in Antarctica. He then answered question from the club. After his talk, President Hathcock presented Brad with a lion paperweight.
- After dinner, President Hathcock continued the meeting with the introduction of our guests.

- Tailtwister Robbie Norman had his usual good time by fining most present for their answers to his questions.
- President Hathcock made the following announcements:
  - The State Lions Convention will be in Hapeville on May 25-27. He encouraged attendance and several indicated that they plan to attend.
  - President Hathcock encouraged participation in the Each One Reach One program.
- President Hathcock presented a Membership Award to Pat Welden for two new members.
- President Hathcock presented Monarch Chevron awards to Charles Caudell and Larry Gross for 25 years of membership and service..
- Phil Farias gave the final Nominating Committee report for 2005-2006 club officers. They are:
  - President – Alan Bethel, 1<sup>st</sup> V.P. – Linda Spudic, 2<sup>nd</sup> V.P. – Richard Noakes, 3<sup>rd</sup> V.P. – Millard Berman, Jr., Sec. – Stan Shuford, Tres. – Robby Robinson, Tail Twister – Robbie Norman, Lion Tamer – Chris Wong, 2<sup>nd</sup> yr. Directors – Sally Poole and Phil Farias, 1<sup>st</sup> yr Directors – Bob Pegram and Michael Higgins, Membership: Chair – Pat Welden, Ext, - Tom Phillips, Ret. – Earl Ake, Immediate Past Pres. and Newsletter Editor – John Hathcock.
- The following projects were discussed:
  - Alan Bethel presented an update on the ticket sales and door prize collections for the Reverse Raffle.
  - Frank Toler announced that the Special Olympics will be on Saturday, June 4. Volunteers are needed to assist and a sign-up sheet will be available at the next meeting.
  - President discussed the White Cane Day preliminary results. A complete report will be presented at the next meeting.
- Eleanor Holman won the drawing.
- The meeting was adjourned.

## **Club and District News:**

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Reverse Raffle and Dinner a BIG SUCCESS– By Alan Bethel**

This was a good event for the Roswell Lions Club! We exceeded our goal for this year by selling 102 of the \$100 tickets and 29 of the \$25 tickets with attendance for the dinner well over 100 people, We received \$2150 in cash donations from businesses and individuals. We also received over 90 gifts from 55 businesses and individuals. Value of the door prizes exceeded \$5,000. We also gave away \$3,500 in cash prizes. The REMAX hot air balloon ride was also successful and contributed \$400 to our cause.

The big deal about May 7 is that we will net about \$7,800 from this project.

This project and the funds raised will permit the Roswell Lions Club to support our community project called "Eyesight Roswell". Thanks to committee members Sally Poole, Ross Thomas, Millard Berman, Chris Wong and Joey Casada for making this a very successful project. A special thanks to Troy Holman who sold 22 of the \$100 tickets. Thanks to all of our club members who contributed in many ways to make this a successful project. I believe there is potential to grow this project as we go forward and generate more dollars for "Eyesight Roswell".

Thanks for all your support of this fund raising project.

### **Who is that person?**

Have you ever been at a meeting and could not remember the name of that person that was sitting across the room. In an effort to help us all recognize each other better, we are embarking on a project to take everyone's picture and match it to their address in the Member roster. Starting at our next Meeting, we will be taking pictures of each member. Since they will be basic head shots, no special clothing is required unless you would prefer it. Try to come a few minutes early or stay a few minutes later so we can accomplish this task. Once we complete it, we will have a roster for everyone.

## **Committee Reports:**

### **Fly-The-Flag**



Lion Robby Robinson reminds us that additional help is needed in distributing and flying the flags with this program. If you would be interested, contact Lion Robby Robinson or Lion Doris Westbrook.

## Adopt-A-Road



Lion Richard Noakes reports that we will be obtaining a new area to adopt. Call Richard Noakes at 770-238-0148 for further info and to sign up.

## Important Dates:

*May Is Healthy Vision Month* - See <http://www.lehp.org/> for more information.



**May 14, 2005** – Lions Day at the Chattanooga Lookout's Game.

**May 16, 2005** - Dinner Meeting at Roswell Doubletree Hotel @ 7PM. Guest Speaker - Jennifer Daniel, Special Olympics of Georgia & Athlete.

**May 21, 2005** – Lions University, Cartersville. FREE, NO COST (except lunch). See flyer below.

**May 27-29, 2005** – Lions State Convention, Hapeville. Last day to register – May 15.

**June 4, 2005** – Special Olympics – Lions Assisting with Eye Testing at Emory.

**June 13, 2005** – **NOTE DATE CHANGE** - Dinner Meeting at Roswell Doubletree Hotel @ 7PM. Installation of Officers for 2005-2006.

**June 27-July 1** – Lions International Convention, Hong Kong.

**July 23, 2005** – Planning Meeting (1 PM) and Barbeque (6 PM), Roswell United Methodist Church.

**August 20, 2005 (Tentative)** – Annual Steak Fry at 4 PM. Location TBD. **(SPOUSES INVITED)**.

**October 24, 2005 (Tentative)** – Annual Golf Tournament at Brookfield Country Club.

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*Don't forget your Used Eyeglasses, Used Hearing Aids and Used Cell Phones for Monday's Meeting! They can ALL be recycled to help someone in need.*

3<sup>rd</sup> Annual

# District 18A Lions University

## May 21, 2005

Rowland Springs Baptist Church

79 Rowland Springs Road SE

Cartersville, Georgia

9:30 until 3:00



Officers and Members of District 18A's Lions Clubs are invited to attend the third annual Lions University, May 21, 2005 at the Rowland Springs Baptist Church in Cartersville, Georgia.

While this program will stress training for 18A's new club officers and zone/region chairs for 2005-2006, it will also offer a variety of opportunities for all Lions to enhance their leadership skills and gain a greater understanding of our Lions organization. The instructors are some of 18A's most experienced Lion Leaders. This event is FREE!!!

Two sessions will be offered. Some of the courses to be offered include:

**Morning**            Opening-District Overview/Goals\*

(9:30-12:00)	Club Presidents	Zone/Region Chairs*
	Club Secretaries	Club Rebuilding Strategies
	Club Treasurers	Youth Programs*
	State Organization/State Projects	Recruiting & Keeping Quality Members
	Teamwork/Art of Delegation*	How to Promote Your Club

Afternoon (12:30-3:00)	Club Presidents	How to Promote Your Club
	Club Secretaries	Membership Orientation
	Club Treasurers	Recruiting & Keeping Quality Members
	State Organization/State Projects	Club Rebuilding Strategies
	Tail Twisting*	Cultural Diversity & Lionism*

Graduation/Wrap-Up

(\* items will be offered only once)

**Directions:** From the north or the south: From I 75 take Hwy 20 (Canton/Rome Exit #290). Go east 1.6 miles. Turn right on Rowland Springs Road. The church is on the left. Additional parking is available behind the church.

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# Mark May 21<sup>st</sup> on your calendar!

**Pictures from the April 2005 Meeting and White Cane Day, 2005:**



Chairman Millard Berman, Jr. delivers the supplies and Reverse Raffle flyers to all the White Cane locations.



Now answer truthfully – Would you give money to this group? Someone did. We gathered \$1,122 during White Cane Day.



President John Hathcock presents a Membership Award to Lion Pat Welden for two new members.



Lions Charlie Caudell and Larry Gross are presented with Monarch Awards for 25 years of membership and service.



Eagle Scout and Ga Tech Student Brad Range presents a program on his Antarctic Scouting expedition.



Lion Frank Toler enlists help for the 2005 Special Olympics Eye Examination Project on June 4.