



East Cobb Lions
Serving our community
for 59 years!



We Serve

December, 2017

East Cobb Lions Club Newsletter

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From our President ...



Hello Lions,

The Christmas season is here and Christmas day is fast approaching. By the time you read this newsletter we will have given our family, friends, community and fellow Lions the best pancake breakfast with Santa in our area and something to talk about for the rest of the year. For those of you who lost a little sleep but got up early to make this a memorable pancake breakfast with Santa, I thank you.

As the end of the year approaches fast, we still have a few things to tidy up. We will have our year end Christmas party at Indian Hills Country Club on Tuesday December 12th. If you plan to attend, don't forget to bring a Toy to support the Marine's (Toy's For Tot's program).

Also, we will conduct our Meals on Wheels project on Christmas day, Monday 25th of December. If you have the time to deliver a warm meal to a family or individual in need please support this project on the 25th. It definitely will warm your heart for the Holiday's.

In closing, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for everything you do to make our club the BEST LIONS CLUB in the state of Georgia. I wish you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Stay warm and safe. And see you next year.

Lion Al Hernandez

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Meals on Wheels Christmas Day

This year, as for over 30 years, the East Cobb Lions will be preparing and delivering hot Meals on Wheels to Cobb County residents to support the independence and well being of needy seniors.

We will be meeting at Powers Ferry UMC on Christmas morning to prepare, cook, and deliver more than 100 Meals on Wheels. Come at 10:00 am to help deliver the meals.

Each year the Lions in our club return from delivering the meals with many heart warming memories about the appreciation and thankfulness expressed by those that received the meals. On this special day it helps to reduce the isolation experienced by some elderly residents living around us.



CALENDAR

Tuesday, December 12
**Christmas Party at Indian Hills
Country Club - 7pm**

Monday, December 25
**Christmas Day Meals on Wheels
Powers Ferry UMC - 10am**

Monday, January 1
**Chick-Fil-A Peach Bowl Parade
presented by
Lions Clubs International - 8am**

Tuesday, January 9
Next Regular Meeting - 7pm





Lions Serve Community at Annual Pancake Breakfast with Santa



The East Cobb Lions annual “*All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast with Santa*” on December 2nd was a tremendous success!!!

As scores of hungry East Cobbers came through the line, the hard working cooks and servers were kept busy from before 8 a.m. until 11 a.m. Many children made their requests known to Santa and families celebrated the spirit of Christmas together.

The annual event is a major fund raiser with all proceeds used by the East Cobb Lions to meet the needs of our community.



East Cobb Lions Club Christmas Party

Tuesday Dec. 12 - 7pm - \$30/person for guests/assoc. members

Indian Hills Country Club

White Elephant Exchange (limit \$10)

Bring unwrapped toy - U.S. Marines Toys for Tots

Make Reservations by Friday, December 8

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CHICK-FIL-A PEACH BOWL PARADE PRESENTED BY LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL

January 1, 2018, 8 a.m.

Long regarded as the official kickoff for game day, the Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl Parade presented by Lions Clubs International spreads football festivity throughout downtown Atlanta. Starting at Peachtree Street, marching bands, beauty queens, floats and cheerleaders will make their way down Baker Street to the World Congress Center, ending at the FanFest, a family-friendly attraction for fans of both teams. And if the parade, FanFest and bowl game itself aren't enough football, the College Football Hall of Fame is only a short walk away.



2017-18 Club Officers

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Tail Twister Joke of the Month

I went to the liquor store Friday afternoon on my bicycle, bought a bottle of Scotch and put it in the bicycle basket.

As I was about to leave, I thought to myself that if I fell off the bicycle, the bottle would break. So I drank all the Scotch before I cycled home.

It turned out to be a very good decision, because I fell off my bicycle seven times on the way home