



# Lions Club of Lago Vista

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# Newsletter

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A Thought to Ponder

**THE WAY TO  
GET STARTED  
IS TO QUIT  
TALKING AND  
BEGIN DOING.**



-Walt Disney



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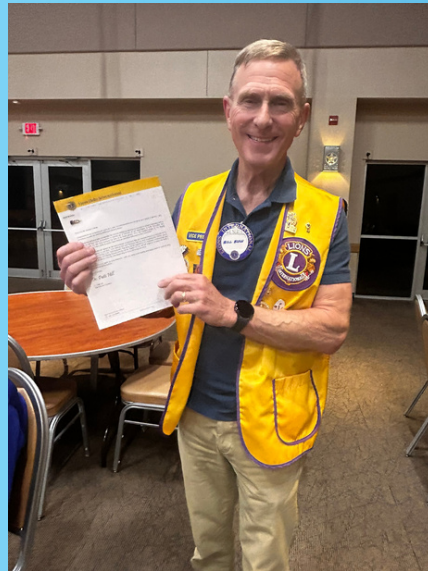
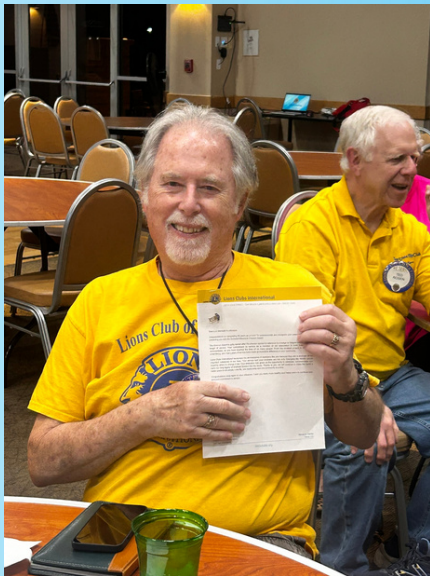
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# March Meetings

## March 5 Meeting



Lions Ken Johnston and Bill Bush received recognitions for their long term membership in Lions International, 45 and 20 years respectively. Past President Lion Gage Hunt received the Club Excellence award for his service as President.



Treasurer Lion Mike Zaydel and President Lion Jeff Koble presented a donation of \$500 to Lisa Weaver and Brittany Weaver, President and Treasurer of the Lago Vista Players. Our own Secretary, Brenda Elliott is a cast member of the Players' production of Wild Dust which took the stage in late March!



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## March 19 Meeting



Picture from a previous Bluebonnet Room meeting

The March 19 meeting was held in the Bluebonnet Room because the aforementioned performance of Wild Dust was in rehearsal in the Clubhouse. The guest speaker was Joshua Thompson of Waterloo Wellness. The attending Lions were attentive and interested in learning about the health and wellness capabilities of the products offered at Waterloo Wellness.

Multiple announcements were also made concerning the Golf Tournament by Lion Dave Williams; the District Convention by Lion & President Jeff Koble; the Nominating Committee by Lion Bill Bush, followed by President Lion Jeff taking nominations from the Floor; the Quality Assessment Survey by Lion Bill Bush; then Lion Cathy Petross talked about Lago Fest; Lion Dennis Kemp addressed the TLC Workday and finally, Lion Sara Bush talked about the Leo Pull Tab project.



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## Swing into Action and get Golfing for Good!

### Door Prizes and Awards for:

- Longest/closest Drive to Center Line
- Closest to Pin/Front and Back Nine



A chance to win a new golf cart donated by Golf Cart Zone on Hole #18



Golf Cart Donated by Golf Cart Zone

### Last Date to Enter: April 5

- Registration 8:30 am
- Shotgun Start 10:00 am
- \$85 Lago Vista Golf Club Members
- \$100 Non-Lago Vista Golf Club Members



## April 13



Scan the QR code to visit our website and download all the forms and registration information

For more information:  
Dave Williams,  
Golf Tournament Chair  
davwil@me.com  
832-696-4444

Or visit the  
Lago Vista Golf Course Pro Shop  
4616 Rimrock Drive  
Lago Vista, TX 78645





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LEND A HELPING ARM

# BLOOD DRIVE

Saturday, April 13  
8:30 am - 12:30 pm

LAGO VISTA LIONS CLUB  
20601 FM 1431 | CVS



Scan the QR code to make appointment.  
Questions about eligibility? [whocandonate@weareblood.org](mailto:whocandonate@weareblood.org)  
Drive Coordinator: [retpilot757@gmail.com](mailto:retpilot757@gmail.com)  
We Are Blood Contact: Omarr Cantu - [ocantu@weareblood.org](mailto:ocantu@weareblood.org)

EAT A FULL MEAL BEFORE  
DONATING AND PLEASE  
REMEMBER TO BRING  
YOUR PHOTO I.D.



DRAWN TOGETHER  
SINCE 1951

## PLEASE NOTE

The date for this blood drive was originally announced for a different date but was changed to April 13...the same date as the golf tournament.

Make an appointment **ANYWAY!** If you're not a golfer, here's another way to get a hole in one...a tiny hole in your arm can save a life!

Just scan the code and lend a helping arm!



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Happy  
birthday

Mike Zaydel	April 04
Sherrie Coleman	April 04
Jan Robbins	April 04
Lynda Aird	April 09
Doug Allen	April 09
Patty McDaneld	April 10
Kevin Sullivan	April 15
Belinda Dyer	April 18
Glynda Wolverton	April 20
Phyllis Jordan	April 22
Pete Pfile	April 23
Pamela Mills	April 29



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## Harvey Gann 1920-2024



We were all saddened to hear of the passing of Lion Harvey Gann at 103 years of age.

Harvey lead a distinguished life as a World War II Veteran and survivor of multiple POW experiences, a 38 year career with the Austin Police Department, a husband, father and grandfather and a contributing Lion. His remarkable life and contributions to the ideals we hold sacred as American citizens and Lions will be highlighted during our upcoming meeting on April 2.

Please join us for this presentation prepared by Lion Ron Smith.

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[Click to see a video of Lago Vista and Point Venture Lions in action](#)

Lions worldwide are renowned for their dedicated service to the communities they serve. Most recently, we teamed up with the Point Venture Lions to construct a ramp for a deserving citizen seeking improved mobility.



Additionally, we rallied together to support Lion John Spoerlein and his wife following his recent surgery. The crew got together to help clear the abundant leaves that are typical of live oaks, this time of year!



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## A Message from Lion Bill Bush

Lago Vista Lions,

At a recent meeting we talked about changes to our Leadership Structure Policy that have come about from the addition of the 2 Director Positions on the Board. Parliamentarian Lion Mike Beal edited the existing Policy accordingly and on Monday 3/4/24 our Board unanimously recommended that the Policy be submitted for approval by our members, which is required for the new Policy to take effect.

The vote will be at the first meeting on April 2...the business meeting.

HERE is a link to the updated version of the Policy with the proposed changes in red so you can review the document before the meeting.

The same thing is available in the list of Club Policies in the Member-only area of our website. (Of course, to get to the Member-only part of the website you'll have to enter the member-only passcode.)

Either way, take a couple of minutes to look the new Policy over before the vote at our April 2 meeting.

Thanks,  
Lion Bill



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## Silent Auction Wish List

Ready to make a difference? Help make our Silent Auctions EVEN MORE successful by volunteering for one of these tasks! Reach out to Jerry Nilsson-Weiskott [gnilsson5900@gmail.com](mailto:gnilsson5900@gmail.com)

### Online Completion of Applications:

Help complete online applications just 3 or 4 times a year!

### Pick Up of Donations:

This can be fun! The donation is already arranged, all we need is transport but you get a meaningful change of pace!

### Personal Solicitations:

Be the catalyst for change! Reach out to your network and spread the word about our cause. Together, we can make a lasting impact on the lives of others.

### Set-Up and Take Down of Silent Auction:

Volunteers needed! Help us set up and take down our silent auction event.

### Square Operators and QR Code Managers:

Join our team as a Square operator or QR code manager and facilitate seamless transactions at the Silent Auction!

### Handing Out of Certificates and Gift Baskets:

Spread joy and recognition! Volunteer to hand out certificates and gift baskets when someone wins a bid! Your warm smile can make all the difference.

### Researcher:

Unlock knowledge! We need someone who likes to surf the web and catch the wave of new businesses around us that are impacting our community. Also, there are grants and other fund raising opportunities that can be brought to our attention.

### Marketing:

Ignite passion, amplify impact! Join our marketing team ( Don and Anna Johndrow) and help us share our message with the world. Your creativity and strategic thinking can inspire others to support our cause. Join us in spreading the word. Reach out to Don and Anna: [djohndrow@gmail.com](mailto:djohndrow@gmail.com)



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### Mark Your Calendars!

1

Board Meeting, 9-11 am  
Primrose Room

2

Business Meeting 6-8:30 pm  
K-Oaks

6

Road Warriors 8:30-9:30 am  
Lohman Ford & Dawn Drive

13

Golf Tournament  
Lago Vista Golf Course

16

Program Meeting 6:00 pm  
K-Oaks Ballroom

19-20

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Annual Convention

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LagoFest

20

BloodMobile  
CVS Parking Lot

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City-wide Trash Off

Always check the website for updates.

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