

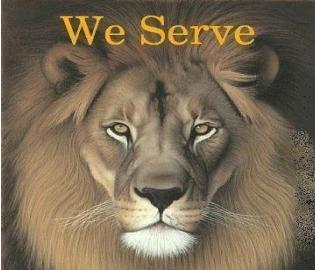
THE ALPHA LION

NEWSLETTER

November 2020

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Mark your calendars!!

Tuesday, November 3rd—Election Day.

EXERCISE YOUR RIGHT, GO VOTE!!!

Wednesday, November 11th—Casa Nuova Fundraiser—Restaurant will be open for take out orders, gift certificates orders, and dining in. Take out and gifts cards are highly recommended!! You can also buy wine from the new store next door. Restaurant will be open from 3:00 pm to 10:00 pm.
5670 Atlanta Hwy. Suite A1, Alpharetta, GA 30004
770-475-9100 | **Please bring your old glasses for recycling.**

Thursday November 12th—BOD & Zoom meeting at Crooked Creek | 7:00 pm. All members are eligible and encouraged to attend.

Thursday, November 19th — Regular ZOOM and member meeting at Crooked Creek. Meal is \$20.00, cash bar.

Monday, November 23rd—Prep day for turkey breasts and salmon. Andrews house | 6459 Valley Stream Dr. Cumming, GA 30040 | 9:00 am | **Need volunteers!!!**

Tuesday, November 24th—Cooking of salmon and turkey breasts! Andrews house | 6459 Valley Stream Dr. Cumming, GA 30040 | 9:00 am | **Need volunteers!!**

Wednesday, November 25— Pick up of turkeys and salmon at Alpharetta First United Methodist Church at 10 am.
Need volunteers!!



November 26th

Thanksgiving Day!!

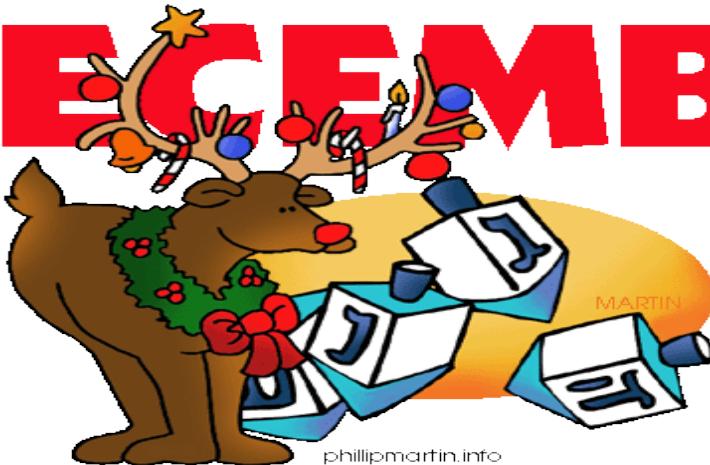
May you and your families have a blessed day!!

ALPHARETTA LIONS CLUB OFFICERS
2020-2021

President—Amy Andrews
Past Pres.—Dennis Chapman
1st Vice Pres.—Tony Pickens
2nd Vice Pres.— Joy Free
3rd Vice Pres.— Carl Fricks
Administrator—Rob Lefebvre
Secretary—Bill Requa
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Lion Tamer— Valerie Pamperin
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Mary Lefebvre
Care Chair—Joy Free &
David Crawford
Marketing Chair—Charles Strums
Service Coordinator—Mark Pamperin
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Ben Easterling
Glen Bailey
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Mary Lefebvre
Rick Custer

Webmaster—
David Crawford

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We understand November and December are very busy months for everyone. So you can plan ahead, here's a list of what's coming!!! Hope you can join us!!

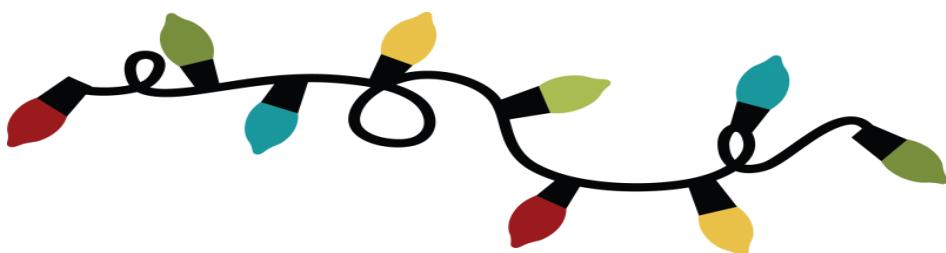
Saturdays, December 5th & 12th—Holiday Market at City Green, Alpharetta 10:00 am—3:00 pm. Volunteers needed.

Thursday, December 10th—BOD & Zoom meeting | 7:00 at Crooked Creek Golf Club

Thursday, December 17th—**Christmas Dinner at Crooked Creek Golf Club.** Social at 6:30 pm, meeting starts at 7:00 pm. Meal is \$20.00 per person, cash bar. Hope you can join us!! We'll have entertainment!!!

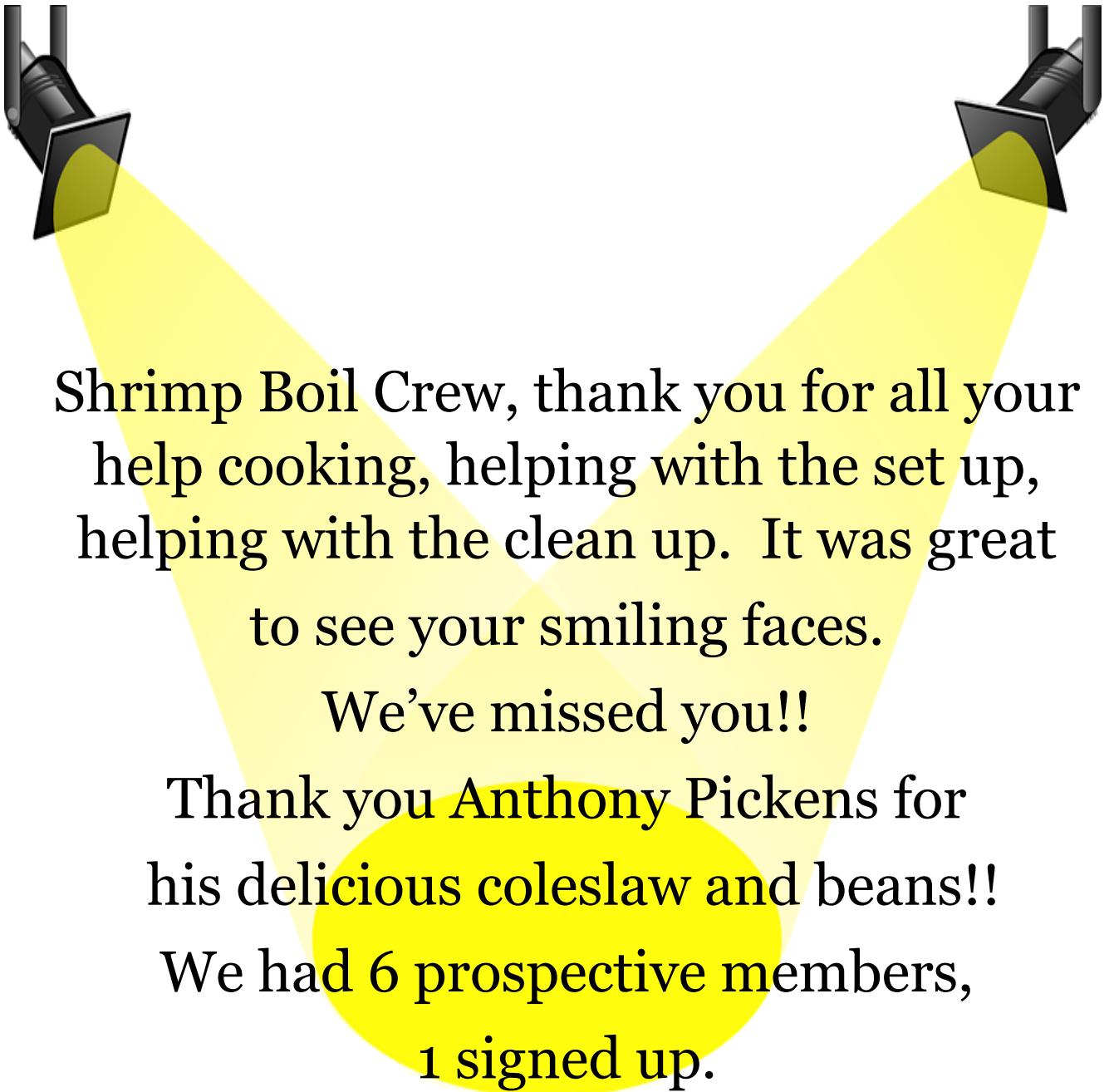
Friday thru Sunday, December 18th – 20th -
Christmas Exhibit at North Point Mall

Saturday, December 19th—Wreaths Across America. (Need 6 people)



September Spotlight

goes to...



Shrimp Boil Crew, thank you for all your help cooking, helping with the set up, helping with the clean up. It was great to see your smiling faces.

We've missed you!!

Thank you Anthony Pickens for his delicious coleslaw and beans!!

We had 6 prospective members,
1 signed up.

It's your right!!



15th Amendment

Section 1. The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude.

Section 2. The Congress shall have the power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

October Highlights

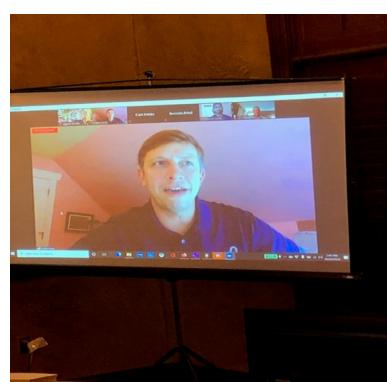
Thursday, October 8—BOD & Zoom meeting. Amy Andrews, Presiding.
Present: Dennis and Barbara Chapman, Rick Custer, Chris Burt, Mark and Valerie Pamperin, Rob and Mary Lefebvre, Tony and Lillian Pickens.
Garner Andrews and Bill Requa via Zoom.



Thursday, October 20th—Celebrating new opening of Fire station #44 on Hwy 9 next to Cue's Restaurant. President Amy Andrews and a small delegation presented them with sandwiches from Firehouse Subs and cookies made by Casey Bates from “Casey Bates Creates”. They also presented them with a warehouse corn broom and a push broom.



Thursday, October 22nd—Regular meeting. Our guest via Zoom was Adam Keith from Warrior Freedom Service Dogs. They provide trained dogs to veterans with PSTD to help them reconnect with society. Two new members were inducted ; Barbara Chapman and Manish Hedaoo via Zoom. Peace poster made by 12 year old Carina Wheeler, Dennis & Barbara Chapman's granddaughter will be submitted to this year's Peace Poster Contest! Good job Carina!!!



Saturday, October 24— District 18L Cabinet meeting at Union Hill Park. Hosted by Alpharetta Lions Club. Socks, t-shirts and underwear were collected. They'll be donated to homeless veterans through United Military Care.

Our guest was Mike Sena, motivational speaker.

PDG David Crawford presented the 2019-2020 awards. (please see next page)





Congratulations to the following award recipients!

International President's Certificate of Appreciation:

Garner & Amy Andrews; Dennis Chapman and Philip Minnes.

International Award

Top Ten Youth Camp Exchange Chair Award presented to Becky Jarrell.

New Voices Award

The 2019-2020 New Voices Initiative promotes gender parity and diversity and seeks to increase the number of women, young adults and underrepresented populations within our association. It features a diverse group of Lions and Leos who strive for excellence in four areas: Service, Membership, Leadership, and Marketing.

Why are these new voices important? Because new voices bring new ideas! As our association strives to be inclusive, we also strive to be innovative!

Congratulations to New Voices Award Recipients

2VDG Pam Williams - Service

Joy Free - Membership

Becky Jarrell - Leadership

Lillian Pickens - Marketing

North American Membership Initiative Pilot District 18L

NAMI

Certificate of Appreciation

18-L NAMI Champion Garner Andrews
18-L NAMI Co-Chair Dennis Chapman
18-L NAMI Chair David Crawford
1VDG Tom Jackson
2VDG Pam Williams
PDG Debbie Hennessey
PDG Max Gallman

Region 1 Chair Steve Woodward
Region 2 Chair Wes Gifford

Zone A Chair Jan Morris
Zone B Chair Donna Calhoun
Zone C Chair Peg Densmore
Zone D Chair Dennis Chapman
Zone E Chair Al Hernandez
Zone F Chair Scott Bates
Zone G Chair Anthony Gallman

Also given with special gratitude to:

Atlanta -
Lion Philip Minnes
Lion Becky Jarrell
Lion Scott Rogers

Alpharetta -
Lion Tony Pickens
Lion Amy Andrews

Griffin -
Lion Claudette Gallman

Additional 18-L Cabinet -
Lion David White
Lion Patty White

Reinhardt -
Lion M. Katrina Smith, Ph.D.
Lion Nancy Madden

McDonough / Stockbridge Leo Club
PDG Patrick Pignataro
Lion Jeanne Andres
Lion Kirubanithy Athisayanathan
Lion Kayla Everette



**Saturday, October 31st—Road clean up downtown Alpharetta.
We picked up trash from what used to be the Corner Deli on Milton Avenue
to Hwy. 9 and back to Canton Street.**

**Thank you so much to Amy Andrews, Dennis and Barbara Chapman,
Rick Custer, Manish and his son Neel Hedao and Lillian Pickens. Manish got his
member pin from his Sponsor Dennis Chapman.
We collected 12 bags of trash. We had a great time and it was very rewarding to
help clean up our beautiful downtown area.**





HAPPY BIRTHDAY
AND MANY
BLESSINGS TO ALL
OF YOU BORN IN
THE MONTH
OF NOVEMBER!!