



NM LIONS

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A Budget for New Mexico

Every year the Multiple Council constructs a new budget – but then life happens - and it uses whatever current funds to cover expenses at various times of the year despite long-forgotten Constitutional requirements. This year's Council set a new standard. The budget is a line-item model, authorized by the Constitution, and allocated per proper accounting principles and good business policy. Now gone are the olden days when monies just disappear for various forgotten reasons. This fundamental approach will make it easy to track expenses year to year and it will point out which budget items need attention. Since dues are required from us all, and are specified for authorized expenditures only, NM Lions should be able to rest assured that our dues are properly used. Many Lions have yet to see this years' budget or any Multiple District Council's budget. So here it is.

Note the items in BOLD and their Constitutionally specified amount from your dues. Assuming the Council is composed of 1500 Lions, then the projected figures can be determined. Such as conducting a State Convention, the Host Club is to receive a maximum of 30 cents from a member's dues times 1500 Lions for a total of \$450.00 to help support that year's convention. And that's how it works. This year's Council is forcing the issue and hopefully setting the precedent of establishing and abiding by a Council budget to ensure that NM Lions' dues are being used as directed by the Constitution. If you have any questions, please see me at the next Multiple Council meeting in Socorro.

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Proposed Budget for FY10		
<i>* assumes 1500 members in MD40</i>		
<i>* items in bold are Constitutionally allocated</i>		
	FY09	FY10
	Carry-over	Projected
State Convention @ \$1.00	\$6,800.10	\$1,500.00
Conv Host Club Committ @ \$0.30		\$450.00
Administrative Fund @ \$0.70		\$1,050.00
State Council Admin @ \$3.00	\$1,532.47	\$4,500.00
Meeting		\$420.00
Lodging		
Mileage		\$2,000.00
Awards		\$600.00
Directory (40)		\$250.00
Pins (150)		\$450.00
Print'g/Postage/Supplies		\$650.00
Bank Charges/Misc		\$50.00
<i>Unanticipated Req'mts</i>		\$80.00
Districts Fund @ \$9.00		\$13,500.00
40-N		\$6,750.00
40-S		\$6,750.00
Roar & Webpage @3.00		\$4,500.00
Roar		\$1,400.00
Webpage		\$1,600.00
MERL & Family @ \$2.50	\$2,225.75	\$3,750.00
Membership / GMT		\$450.00
Extension		\$900.00
Retention		\$525.00
Leadership / T3		\$750.00
Womens' Initiative		\$1,125.00
Special Projects	\$5,942.50	
VDG Trng		\$500.00
Peace Poster		\$150.00
<i>Unanticipated Req'mts</i>		
Lions Alert		\$300.00

Provided by Lion Rick Jensen, MD-40 CC



Celebrating 70 Years

The Ruidoso Evening Lions Club

The Ruidoso Evening Lions invites you to join us

February 20, 2010

at Mountain Annie's Dinner Theater

in Midtown Ruidoso

to celebrate our 70th anniversary

\$15 per person

for dinner and dancing

Doors open and cocktail hour begins at 6 p.m.

Dinner served at 7 p.m.

Special recognitions and guest speakers at 7:45 p.m.

Dancing to the Riversong Ramblers begins at 8 p.m.

The Ruidoso Evening was chartered in February 1940 by some of Ruidoso leading citizens. Jack Hull (Hull Road) and Ike Wingfield (Wingfield Drive & Wingfield Park) were among the charter members in 1940.

70 years later, the club still meets every Tuesday night at the Lions Club Hut on Overlook Drive.

Reservations are not required, but recommended. To reserve your place for this special evening call Mountain Annie's Dinner Theater at 575-257-7982 or go on-line to www.mountainannies.com

For more information about the Ruidoso Evening Lions contact Lion President Mike Zaragoza at 575-937-0768 or Lion Bill Dean at 575-258-3106.

Provided by Lion Bill Dean



NM Lions MD 40 Environmental Photo
 Contest Chairman
 New Mexico Lions District 405
 Environmental Photo Contest Chairman
 Chuck Galusha
 913 Bakera Pl. Alamogordo, NM 88310
 575-434-6296 or chuckfgl@gmail.com



This year's theme is:

"Lions Move to Grow Green"

This contest is open to any Lion in good standing, from a club in good standing. Your entry should be your original photo in Black and White or Color of the environment of your Lions Club, taken specifically for this contest.

Each photo submitted must include your personal information and Club name and number.

The photo categories for this years contest are:

1. Animal Life 2 entries
 Chuck Galusha Alamo Breakfast, Melissa Washburn Carlsbad Downtown
 2. Landscapes (urban or natural) 3 entries
 Chuck Galusha Alamo Breakfast, Melissa Washburn Carlsbad Downtown
 3. Plant Life 1 entry
 Melissa Washburn Carlsbad Downtown
 4. Weather Phenomena 3 entries
 Chuck Galusha Alamo Breakfast, Melissa Washburn Carlsbad Downtown
- Lions Move to Grow Green - photos of Lions in action implementing a Lions environment project. 1 entry Melissa Washburn Carlsbad Downtown**

The judging on all levels focuses on originality, artistic merit and portrayal of the environmental theme.

The 2009 - 2010 contest judging panel was made up of: Peter Madrid Alamogordo Sculptor, Don Starkey who was the Director of the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History and taught photography classes there for 8 years. (Don's vision allows him to see only black and white) his wife Terry an avid photographer since her first toy camera at age 5, 2nd Vice District Governor Claudia Jensen and Multiple Council Chairman Rick Jensen. There was much discussion on the technical and artistic merits of the entries. The judging took over an hour and a half with the winning photo getting a 3 to 2 vote. The judges were impressed by the quality of the entries. There were no entries from D40N. The winning entry was submitted by Lion Chuck Galusha from D405 and now goes on to International competition.

Our judges have had a very good eye and NM has had some great photos. The winner from NM has been used in the International Environmental Calendar in 2 of the last 3 years. Thanks to those who entered this years contest.

Contest Winning Photos Become the Property of Lions Clubs International.

Lions Clubs International reserves the right to disqualify entries that do not meet contest criteria or that may be viewed as inappropriate or objectionable.





Dear Fellow Lions:

It's time to mark your calendars and make plans to attend the New Mexico District 40 Women's Symposium April 17, 2010 in beautiful downtown Ruidoso. The speakers are ready to fill you with lots of great new ideas that will help you in your everyday life as well as in Lionism. The goal of having this Symposium is to increase involvement in Lions and give you new ideas to take home to your club.

This energetic, fun filled day will begin at 9:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the Hotel Ruidoso. Our out of town speaker is going to be a secret, but the anticipation will be well worth the wait.

The \$30.00 registration fee includes the one-day Symposium, snacks, drinks and lunch. We are urging every Club in the District to sponsor members for the symposium. Clubs can pay the fees out of Administrative funds, as this will be a very beneficial training.

Due to the limited seating, we can only accept 80 people.

The first 80 to register will be guaranteed a space. A registration form is included, and can also be found in future editions of the NM Lions Roar. The host hotel is the Hotel Ruidoso with room rental at \$59.95 a night. If we need more rooms, the Comfort Inn across the street will handle any over flow. There are 30 rooms blocked for this event and will not last long. Please call the Hotel directly at 575-257-2007 and mention Lions Symposium when making reservations.

\$30.00 Registration Fee – good until March 1

\$40.00 Late Registration from March 2 – March 25

NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER MARCH 25 OR AT THE SYMPOSIUM.

Other Lodging information:

Canyon Creek Lodge	575-257-9131	1-800-765-3108
Comfort Inn	575-257-2770	1-866-859-5146
Inn of the Mountain Gods	800-545-9011	

Provided by Lion Melissa Washburn



Name _____

Address _____

Phone/Email _____

Club Name _____

Current Position Held _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone/Email _____

Club Name _____

Current Position Held _____

_____ Lions Registered x \$30.00= _____

MAIL REGISTRATION TO: MD 40 WOMENS SYMPOSIUM
LION GEMMA FERGUSON
PO BOX 5125
CARLSBAD, NM 88220

\$30.00 Registration Fee good until March 1, 2008
\$40.00 Registration Fee good until March 25, 2008

NO REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED AFTER MARCH 25, 2008 OR AT THE SYMPOSIUM.

Provided by Lion Melissa Washburn

Carlsbad Downtown Induction of New Member



Membership Chair Lion Melissa Washburn inducts new Lion Ron Voldahl as Lion Gemma Ferguson waits to pin him.



Lion Gemma Ferguson pins new Lion Ron Voldahl.

All Lions welcome Lion Ron Voldahl as his daughter Emma Grace watches.



Provided by Lion Melissa Washburn



NM Lions Operation KidSight Pins are now available. Pins are \$4 each. Contact Bryson McCool at 575-257-0363 or brymccool@valornet.com.

MD40 State Pins are now available. The Prestige pin (large) is \$2.50 and the standard pin (smaller) is \$2.25. PDG Kitty Callender has both pins. Please contact her at 575-258-1345, 575-937-7911 (c), or callendergirl54@hotmail.com.



82nd Annual NM Lions MD 40
MD 40 State Convention
Alamogordo New Mexico
May 20, 21, 22, 2010



Chuck Galusha Convention Chairman (575)434-6296

Hello Golfers !

**Think the 2010 State Convention is going to
be just another Ho Hum golf tournament ?**

UPDATE FEBRUARY 3 , 2010

NEW TRAVELING TROPHY (YOU KNEW THAT)

**HOLE IN ONE PRIZE # 1
FROM FIRST NATIONAL BANK
FULL SET OF PING GOLF CLUBS !**



**HOLE IN ONE PRIZE # 2
FROM DESERT SUN MOTORS
A CAR ! (DISCRIPTION OF CAR TO BE ANNOUNCED)**

**MORE TO COME ??
REGISTER YOUR TEAM TODAY !!**

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Memorial Service Saturday May 22, 2010

In order to recognize these Lions of MD 40 the Convention Committee will need the information below about any Lion member who has passed on since June of 2008.

Please complete the information below which includes Name, Nickname if any, years of membership, Clubs belonged to and any other pertinent information about them. Pictures are encouraged they maybe submitted electronically. If a picture is sent in and you wish it to be returned please enclose a self addressed postage paid envelope or plan to have someone pick it up after the Memorial.

Name: _____

Number of years as a Lion: _____

Offices Held and other pertinent information:

Name and Address of surviving spouse/significant other: _____

Lions Club Name: _____

Please provide information **before April 10, 2010** to insure its inclusion. Please call with any deaths after this date.

Thank You

82nd MD40 Convention Chairman

Send to Lion Chuck Galusha

913 Bakers Pl.

Alamogordo, NM

88310-7407

(575) 434-6296

82nd Annual NM Lions MD 40 State Convention
Alamogordo, New Mexico
Convention Golf Tournament
May 20, 2010



Cloudcroft Lodge Golf Course

601 CORONA PLACE CLOUDCROFT NM 88317 (575) 682-2098



9:30 a.m. SHOW (COFFEE, DOUGHNUTS) 10:00 TEE OFF

4 PERSON SCRAMBLE

LONGEST DRIVE CONTEST Ladies and Gents

CLOSEST TO THE PIN

IN THE CIRCLE

HOLE IN ONE



TRAVELING TROPHY FOR CHAMPION LIONS CLUB TEAM

FUNDRAISER FOR NEW MEXICO LIONS CLUBS PROGRAMS

COST \$50.00 PER PERSON WHICH INCLUDES:

GREEN FEES, CART AND LUNCH

LOTS OF PRIZES AND LOTS OF FUN !

Name: _____ Address: _____ City: _____

State & Zip: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

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By Yourself ? We'll Find You A Team !

For more information contact Lions : Mike Mills (575) 682-2095, Lou Gilliam (575) 682-2988 or The Cloudcroft Lodge Golf Course (575) 682-2098.

Send Entry and Fee to : Golf Tournament 913 Bakers Pl. Alamogordo, NM 88310

Must be guaranteed in advance.

Make Checks Payable to the Alamogordo Breakfast Lions Club. note. Golf Tournament on Check

Check #: _____ Date Received: _____ Amount Received: \$ _____

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 MD 40 State Convention
 Alamogordo New Mexico



May 20, 21, 22, 2010

Convention Advertising

Promote Your Club, Your Activities and your Members

Showcase your Business

Present Your Community

DEADLINE TO RECEIVE ADVERTISING COPY IS APRIL 10, 2010

<u>Advertising Sizes</u>	<u>Black and White</u>	<u>Full Color</u>
Full Page	5 1/2" x 8" \$100.00	\$200.00
Half Page	5 1/2" x 4" \$60.00	\$120.00
Quarter Page	5 1/2" x 2" \$35.00	\$70.00

Sizes above are approximate

Please Email Print Ready Copy in: Word DOC, JPEG or PDF To:
chuckfg1@gmail.com

Send Payment to:

Alamogordo Breakfast Lions
 913 Bakers Pl.
 Alamogordo, NM 88310-7407

Make Checks Payable to:

Alamogordo Breakfast Lions Club
 Note: Advertising
 for information call (575) 434-6296

Ad for: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

WANTED

for

Texas Hold'em by the Rio Grande

Who: **ANYONE** who Plays Hold'em or wants to learn!!

What: **Mexican Dinner, No limit Hold'em Tournament & Bounty Hunt!**
Cash Bar at the Tournament.

Where, When & How Much: **Route 66 Casino**
Wednesday, March 24th
Dinner and door prizes starts at **6:00**
Must be present by **7:30** for tourney

\$55 gets you dinner & a seat at the tourney
\$60.00 at the door.

\$25 gets you dinner and door prize eligibility
\$30.00 at the door

REWARD

Rewards will be given to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd places, bounty winner, best hand, door prizes and more!

Why: The Rio Grande Lions Club needs your help so we can better serve the visually impaired in our community and support worthy service projects.



Some of this year's projects included: giving eye glasses to those in need; Albuquerque Boys & Girls Clubs, Sawmill community, Chaparral Council Girl Scouts, the Boys Ranch, Headstart eye screening, etc.



Call 822-8909 for a ticket or more information

Provided by Lion Shelly Smith

Lions Clubs International

MD40 Council Chair

Rick Jensen, PDG

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Vice-District Governor D40N

William J. Guss

District Governor D40S

Rosa Doporto

Vice-District Governor D40S

Phil Marvel



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PID Don Reese

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PID Gordon Post

USA/Canada Forum

PDG Tom Himrod

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Rose Himrod

Lions Quest

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MD40 Roar

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State Convention

Chuck Galusha

State Pins & Shirts

PDG Kitty Callender

Membership

PID Ray Marley

Extension

PDG Jim Brannon

Retention

PDG Kitty Callender

Leadership

PID Ray Marley

Women's Development

Melissa Washburn

Important Dates:

20 February

3rd D40N Cabinet Meeting (Clovis)

MD40 Club Charter Anniversaries

Clovis Evening

February 1956

Las Cruces Sunrise

February 1979

Alamogordo Downtown

February 1986

Alamogordo Noon

February 1946

Eunice

February 1954

Tatum

February 1949

CONGRATULATIONS LIONS!