



# The Tale Twister

## Cullman Lions Club

**September 23, 2024**

### Program

Short meeting tonight. No guest speaker. But Tail Twister Lion Richard White actually got a rare round of applause for his 1<sup>st</sup> joke tonight.



Lion Randy Kraft seems really pleased with the menu of spaghetti and meat balls, along with porkchops.

### Other Business

Lion Ron Seybold is making progress due to his current cancer treatment but is now back home, still contending with pain. President Lion Chris Brooks visited with Lion Gary Murphree at room 105 in Westminster, Lion Gary says he is doing better and hopes to take some shifts at the Barn during the Fair; he also would be happy to see any visitors. Lion Wendell Copeland is still improving, following his bout with Covid, and was able to attend church this past Sunday, but was wearing a neck brace after a fall. Lion Javon Daniels had some tests on his heart that showed some serious blockages; he's going to have an arteriogram on Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>, unless his doctors can get it scheduled earlier; he was advised to take things very easy until his heart issues are resolved. Lion Lummie Speakman

has been in treatment for leg pain and a possible stroke.

Lion Frank Odell reported that Lion Raymond Williams did a great job at tonight's roundtable discussions for new Lions at Freddy Day Catering.

Lion Charlie Childers got everyone charged up for the Fair Parade this coming Saturday and our last meeting next week before the start of the 2024 Cullman County Fair.



Lions Quieten Poulin (l) and Dave Gratz (r) in foreground and Lions Don Scott (l) and Doug Spradlin, just beyond. We had another good turnout for this meeting.

### **Upcoming Programs and Events**

September 30: Fair kick-off, Monday meeting and work night. Hot dogs/hamburgers served starting at 4:00PM with expectations on all being completed before 6:00PM.

October 3 - 12: Cullman County Fair. All hands.

October 22: The Farm-City organization is having a Proclamation Breakfast at Alabama



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Farm Credit at 9:AM. See Lion Brooks for tickets.

November 21: The annual Farm-City Banquet will be held at Loft 212 at 5:00PM. See Lion Brooks for tickets.

See page 3 for Fair Assignments and page 4 for Committee Assignments. See me if you have been left off lists.

### **Tale Twister Input**

If you need something special or to report a correction in the *Tale Twister*, see Lions Carey Thompson or Don Smith at the meetings. Lion Carey can be reached at 256-739-0580 (H) or 256-426-3207 (C). Lion Don can be reached at 256-737-7433 (H) or 256-426-7722 (C).





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### COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS 2024-2025

<b>President Chris Brooks</b>							
Committees	Chair	Co-Char	Member	Member	Member	Member	Member
Nominating	Steve Murphree	Morris Magnum	Dewayne Wilson				
Club History	Dennis Berse	Charlie Powell	Javon Daniel	Dewayne Wilson	Ron Seybold	Scott Starosta	
Explore	Jerry Bonner	David Bussman	Raymond Williams	Fred Osborne	Delane Ray	Craig Gadow	Steve Cartee
<b>1st VP Delane Ray</b>							
Committees	Chair	Co-Char	Member	Member			
Diabetes	Milford Parrish	George Krigbaum	David Peacock	Javon Daniel			
Fair Concessions	David Bussman	Richard Gurley	Judy Smith				
Finance & Community	Don Smith	Brian Spaeth	Jerry Bonner				
Fish & Ham	Carey Thompson	David Peacock	Jason Tielking				
Membership	George Krigbaum	Javon Daniel	Frank Odell				
Program	Sam Roberts	Randy Kraft	Chris Robinson				
Mop & Broom	Richard White	Dave Gratz	Chris Robinson				
Sight	Bill Ruehl	Steve Cartee					
<b>2nd VP Jeff Lawson</b>							
Committees	Chair	Co-Char					
Area Lion's Liason	Craig Gadow	Scott Starosta					
Constitution & Bylaws	Craig Gadow	Steve Murphee					
House & Food	Dennis Berse	Fred Osborne					
Member Information	Charlie Powell	Dave Gratz					
Song Leader	Richard White	Chris Robinson					
Youth Leos	David Wiggins	Jeff Lawson					
<b>3rd VP David Wiggins</b>							
Committees	Chair	Co-Char					
Tail Twister	Richard Gurley	Richard White					
Fair Parade	Steve Murphee	Barry Willingham					
Branch Club Liaison	Ron Seybold	Jeff Lawson					
Publicity	Sam Roberts	Charlie Powell					
Communications & Web	Sam Roberts	Charlie Powell					
New- Member Orientation	Frank Odell	George Krigbaum					