



District 32A Cabinet Meeting  
August 30, 2011 6:30 p.m.



Christian Assembly of God Church, Greenville, SC  
MINUTES

Presiding for our cabinet meeting was Jim Starnes, District Governor. Approximately 100 Lions were in attendance representing various clubs throughout the district. Following a Lions “meet and greet”, a 7 minute video from IP Tam was shown.

ID Dr. Gene Spiess presented Hollie Starnes with a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellowship. He commented on the new Spartanburg Southside Club which was chartered with 22 members and now has over 50 members.

IPDG Keith Taylor thanked all Lions for a great year and for their service to the community.

Taylor's Lion Marty Shapiro entertained us with his magic and comedian Frank Hayes provided the group with much laughter.

Special Projects - PCC Phil Marett and PCC Dr. David Dedmon (joined by Andrew Long with Tree Solutions) spoke about the district-wide tree planting project. PCC Phil also asked for financial assistance for the Columbia, NC area that was severely damaged by a tornado. Lions donated \$680 that evening and additional donations can be mailed to District Sec./Trea. Donna Henson by Sept. 30<sup>th</sup>. (\*\*\*) Donation total \$2,811.00)

Leader Dog - Lion Tony Scorsese announced he will be receiving a new dog in about 3 weeks.

SCLCS - PDG Gregg Turner spoke about Candy Day and the Sustaining Member Program. District 32A's candy day goal is \$40,000.

Peace Poster Contest - Lion Lynne Balentine encouraged clubs to get young people involved in the contest. Submission deadline for entries is Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>.

DG Starnes would like to promote more communication within the district. Submit club news, activities, or special requests to Lion Bob Spaulding ([www.lionsdistrict32a.org](http://www.lionsdistrict32a.org)) and to Sec./Trea. Lion Donna Henson ([dhenson@charter.net](mailto:dhenson@charter.net)). This will be e-mailed to all Lions listed in our district directory.

DG Starnes discussed his goal for planting trees this year. Fifty trees were on display for Lions to purchase at a 95% price reduction to kick-off the tree planting campaign. Twenty-nine trees were sold at \$2.50 each.

Breakout sessions followed and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lion Donna Henson  
Cabinet Secretary/Treasurer