

# Gladewater Chamber of Commerce | NEWSLETTER

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July 2015

## MONTHLY CHAMBER MEETING

**Chamber Directors will meet Monday, July 13, 2015 at Noon.** Directors, please be present. Important decisions will be made.

**CHAMBER LUNCHEON TUESDAY, July 14 AT NOON.** Reservations for the \$7 catered lunch are encouraged, but not required. Your presence is required for a successful luncheon. Representative David Simpson will be speaker and will give an overview on the 84<sup>th</sup> Legislature. A Citizen of the Month will be honored.

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Fireworks at Lake Gladewater will be held Friday, July 3 at dark. Donations are now being accepted to defray the cost of the fireworks. We want to thank Beverly and John Paul Tallent, Karen and Kenneth Skipper, Lois and Chuck Reed, City of Gladewater, Nancy and Roland Lindsey, Mary and John Wolcott, Joyce Hanes, Good Old Stuff, Gladewater Antique Mall, Gladewater Flower Shop, Barbara Mackey, Gladewater Mirror, Antique Capital RV Park, and Jack Phillips for their donations.

East Texas PY-RO from Tyler will once again be our fireworks provider. Austin Bank will also sponsor a boat parade before the fireworks. If you have a sea worthy craft, deck it out in red, white and blue and enter the parade at 7:30 pm at the boat dock. Cash prizes will be given for First, Second and Third Place.

## ANNIVERSARIES

Each month we express appreciation on the anniversary of our present members. For July they are:

ST.CLAIR ANTIQUE EMPORIUM	28 YRS
ROUND UP RODEO	27 YRS
THE LEARNING ACADEMY	19 YRS
GOODWILL INDUSTRIES	17 YRS
GILMER AREA C OF C	14 YRS
SCOTT OWENS	11 YRS
GLADEWATER BOOKS	8 YRS
FRANCES BEAVERS	7 YRS
SPRINGLAKE ESTATES	4 YRS
ET RIFLE & PISTOL CLUB	3 YRS
META LUNA BOUTIQUE & STONES	2 YRS
THE WILLOWS	2 YRS
B & W HAWAIIAN GRILL	1 YR
OLIVE JUNKTION	1 YR

Thanks to all of you for your continued support.

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## CURRENT NEWS

### NEW MEMBERS:

**KING PLUMBING**, Dennis King, Owner, 156 E. Mountain North, Gilmer, 903-539-1716

**PRECISION SPINE CARE**, Erik Fite, M. D. 1809 W. Loop 281, Suite 124, Longview, 903-363-1550

Let's support all our individual members and businesses.

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Recycle will be Saturday, July 11 at City hall from 8 am to noon.

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We want to thank those that helped take tickets at the Round Up Rodeo. Thanks Lois Reed, Christian Allen, Nick Foster, Chris and Marlene Downing, Cisco Frierson, Kathi Corwin, J. D. Shipp, Todd Clifton, and Kathy Barrow. We couldn't have done it without you.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Here are our upcoming events for the next few months:

The Antique District 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Old Fashioned Ice Cream Social will be held on Thursday, July 9, 5 pm to 7 pm.

The Antique District Association presents "Backyard Pickin' for Billboards" fundraiser with Ricky Lynn Gregg in concert, Saturday, July 11, 6 pm to 10 pm, Walker Manor. Tickets \$12 per person and a meal ticket for \$6.

The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Main Street Art Stroll will be held Saturday, August 8 from noon to 5 pm. Area artists will be showing their art in all medias in the Antique District shops.

September 1<sup>st</sup> will be the next Business Development Breakfast.

The 42<sup>nd</sup> Arts & Crafts Festival will be September 19 & 20. Want to thank Rhonda Wright for working on getting Arts & Crafts applications ready to mail plus Thanks to Walgreens for donating water for the Chamber to sell at their drink booth. The Chamber also needs carbonated drinks to sell.



Gladewater Main Street has the 2015 Historic Gladewater Calendars on sale here in office for \$1.00. Can't wait to see what they have in mind for the 2016 calendars which I understand will be out end of July just in time for Main Street Art Stroll.



## FIREWORKS at Lake Gladewater

JULY 3RD @ 9PM

AUSTIN BANK BOAT PARADE  
STARTS AT 7:30 AT BOAT DOCKS.

Decorate your boat, jetski, barge or  
other water-worthy craft.

DONATIONS STILL BEING ACCEPTED

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in partnership with Gladewater Economic Development Corporation.

The poster for the "Backyard Pickin' for Billboards" fundraiser features a dark background with a wooden guitar neck and fretboard running vertically down the center. The text is primarily in yellow and white. At the top, it reads "Gladewater Antique District Association Presents" in yellow. Below that, the event title "Backyard Pickin' for Billboards" Fundraiser is in white, followed by "with Ricky Lynn Gregg in Concert" in yellow. The opening act "Neil Sheckels" is listed in white. The date and time "Saturday July 11, 2015 6:00pm - 10:00pm" are in yellow, and the ticket price "Tickets \$12 per person" and "Add a meal ticket for an additional \$6.00" are also in yellow. The location "Walker Manor 214 E Commerce Gladewater" is in white. At the bottom, contact information "For more information call The Screen Door 903-985-1133 or Walker Manor 903-845-7054" and the website "eventbrite.com" are in white. On the left side, vertical text reads "Event is Outdoors; silent auction; food" and "Meal includes Award winning Cowboy beans, Cornbread, Cobbler, Tea".