

The **Rolla Alpha Leo Club** was chartered on March 17, 2021 and we currently have 18 or 19 members between the ages of 12-18 years old. They have their own club president, first and second vice presidents, secretary, treasurer and Tail Twister. They also have their own Leo Club Board of directors with one and two year Board members. The Leo Club functions almost the same as our Rolla Lions Club. These youth can be seen working different Lions Club events as well as at their own events they have selected to do. Some of the Leo members worked the Easter Egg Hunt on March 27th at the Rolla Lions Club Park, this was their first opportunity to work with Rolla Lion Club Members.

These youth are from three local areas, Rolla, Saint James and Newburg. Having a Leo Club made of girls and boys from the different areas who really want to Serve their community has resulted in a very strong Leo Lions Club. Since the first meeting we have worked to build a strong Team as we have meetings dedicated to establishing "Teamwork".

Leo stands for Leadership, Experience, Opportunity. These youth are our future Lions and these youth will grow to be great leaders in our community. Actually the phrase has been changed by International Vice Presidents (Brian E. Sheehan and Patti Hill) to the "**Leo's are NOW**".

I am the Certified Guiding Lion for this group and played a key role in starting this Leo Club. Lion James Trusler is the primary Leo Club Advisor and Lion Joshua Vroman is the other Leo Club Advisor. Our meetings are the **1st and 3rd Tuesday at 6:00 PM** of every month in the Rolla Lions Club hall. Any youth that joins the Alpha Leo Club during the 90 days following the club charter date will be considered a Charter Member and will sign on the Rolla Leo Club Charter which will be framed and will be hung in the Rolla Lions Club facility.

A special Alpha Leo Lion induction ceremony will be held at the annual awards banquet on June 24th at the Rolla Lions Club Hall.

Any questions about this Alpha Leo Lions Club can be forwarded to the leo@rollalions.org and I will answer them.

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