



Newsletter May 2018 Chartered February 9, 1944 MD-14, District 14-D Region 3, Zone A



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I FORGET DATES, NAME, PASSWORDS KEYS, CALL PHONE, PROMISES



BUT WHEN I HEAR AN OLD SONG I REMEMBER LYRICS IMMEDIATELY.

excerpts & actions of the May 7 BoD meeting:

Membership/Orientation/Retention -

• Points from Lion Phil will be discussed at next Membership Meeting

• Social had 10 guest attend and 5 could not make it and Lion Bruce mentioned that members need to contact and follow up with those who could not make it

• Looks like we may get 6 out of the 10 to be prospective members to be discussed at new business with 2 others that were not at social

Finance and Budget -

• Discussed possible Tax implication of directly giving student scholarship checks. Possible solutions are writing check to schools in care of recipients or have recipients' acceptance letter from school, Lion Bruce will add a letter in with the scholarship letting recipients know they should be used for further education needs only

• Discussed option of taking credit cards at dinners and possible paying dues online. Club decided to wait until another time as we are not losing customer due to not able to accept credit cards.

• Checking account was compromised but caught and cleared with Bank by Lion Carol. Compromised card was terminated

Care of Members -

• Harriett passed away and there are no other details at this time – Keep her family and Lion Bob in your prayers

- Lion Leroy Witmer still in hospital in Fl. Not totally sure of issues as information is second- or third-hand so I will not discuss but keep Lion Leroy in your prayers
- Lion Vernon Boose is using a walker and his arms are not working well and just sleeps and sits a lot, may not be attending many more Club function/meetings. Keep Lion Vernon in your Prayers

• Lion Bill Rossiter: no update but we need to keep Lion Bill in our prayers

Program -

- No program for 5/14 meeting
- Adamstown POW WOW will be program for 6/14 meeting

Banquets -

• Installation Banquet will be at Weaver's with Carl Housman as entertainment. No cost yet but should have before dinner meeting

Club Summer Picnic -

• Aug 27th will be picnic date more details to follow **Club Sport Activities** –

• Bowling Pin is in retirement, total collected between Bowlers and members was \$293

• Lion Sidni made motion to just pay District \$300, was seconded by Lion Dennis, motion carried

• Chip and putt will be May 21st instead of in June, if you want to attend show up at Chip-n-Putt of Reinholds at 6:30 PM on the 21st of May

75 Aniversary -

• June 19th is next meeting to discuss gifts, program, guests

• Lion Bruce passed around a gift given in past to see if anyone knew what it is or what it was for also found an article of Agreement from 1961 for the Building of the Silo





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French Fry Stand -

 \bullet Opening Day of Baseball went through 3 $^{1\!/_2}$ cases of Frys and a lot of chipped beef; collected \$356 and recorded 19 Lion hours

- May 20th Ice Cream Social from 12-3PM
- June 4 Reamstown Fun Day at the elementary school

Armchair Horse Races -

• Was a success with a net over \$2400

• Did have Amplifier issues and it was recommended that the committee get together and discuss option for the amp to include renting, buying, fixing

Golf Tournament –

• We have full compliment of Golfers but still need "T" Sign Sponsors

• Sign up sheets will be available at next meeting

Food Bank -

• Need to get this running and get other Clubs info as we are running out of time

LEO Advisory -

• Will be doing Leo's Toll Road on Saturday May 12th from 8 AM-12PM

Student of the Month -

• Will have one at May meeting

Student Scholarships -

• Will be distributed May 30th

• Lion Barbara will call school to see if there are parameters of scholarship awards with tax implications

Trailer & Fryer Maintenance -

• Handed over 2 trailer registrations

Home Healthcare (Medical) Equipment -

• Heidelberg Lions offering extra medical equip – we do not need anything at this time will recommend to them to contact Mennonite Central Committee

• Shillington Lions has wheel chair legs that belong to us, Lion Ron will call them

OLD BUSINESS

• 2nd set of letters have gone out to members who are delinquent in dues

• Lion of the Year selection will be done during next membership committee if you cannot attend then let Lion Bruce know who you would like to vote for

• 2018 Melvin Jones selection will be after next dinner meeting, Current MJ recipients can vote for new selection, Lion Bruce will have a list of names for those eligible for selection and stated there could be a 5 minute brief before voting not to be used for debating selections but giving supportive suggestions.

• Lion Phil's discussions from last board meeting will be addressed at next Membership meeting, a major concern is discussing with prospective member real cost of becoming a Lion. Sponsoring Lions should be discussing this with their prospective members in advance of becoming a member

• Jody Klopp cannot make the Beacon Lodge Camp this year due to health issues, since it is too late this year to find a replacement Lion Bruce made a suggestion to give our contribution for this event directly to the Beacon Lodge, Lion Carl made motion seconded by Lion Dennis and motion was carried

• Lion Carol started discussion of Operation Smile donation to Leo's Club of \$250, Lion Bruce made the motion seconded by Lion Barbara and motion carried

• Appreciation Night, Lion Ray went over list of attending guest and asked for changes or additions, none added. Event will be Wednesday May 23rd at Dutch Apple Dinner Theater, recommend to be there at 6 for start of dinner and show starts at 7:30PM. Cost for members is \$56 ea.

NEW BUSINESS

• Terre Hill Christmas in the Park donation request to assist in building a drive thru Christmas light show, Lion Charles Cutts made motion to donate \$100, seconded by Lion Carl, motion carried

• Denver Skate Park donation request for finishing and upkeep of the skate park, Lion Tim made motion to donate \$500 seconded by Lion Carol motion was approved

• Ephrata Rec. Center donation request for repairs towards pool liner, Lion Bruce made motion to decline seconded by Lion Carol motion carried stating Rec center needs to get rec. members to help cover expenses

• Eye exam for Diane McCauley was \$286.50 lion Bruce made motion to approve, seconded by Lion Carl motion carried



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• Lion Bruce recommend to give % of proceeds from Egg Hunt to Scouts after discussion Lion Bruce made a motion to donate \$500 to the Scouts (Troop 60) seconded by Lion Ray motion approved. Lion Carol recommended to have this added to Annual Budget, Lion Bruce made motion, seconded by Lion Carl and motion carried

• New Members from membership social all listed below were approved by Board to be accepted

o Katie Burns sponsor Lion Tim Hegeman Motion 1st by Lion Bruce 2nd by Lion Dennis

o Matt Pisker sponsor Lion Tim Hegeman Motion 1st by Lion Bruce 2nd by Lion Dennis

o Jeremy Haldeman sponsor Lion Tim Hegeman Motion 1st by Lion Bruce 2nd by Lion Dennis

o Marie Sipler sponsor Lion Tim Hegeman Motion 1st by Lion Bruce 2nd by Lion Dennis

o Oscar Sipler sponsor Lion Tim Hegeman Motion 1st by Lion Bruce 2nd by Lion Dennis

o Kevin Rathman sponsor Lion Sidni Schlegel Motion 1st by Lion Bruce 2nd by Lion Dennis

o Doyne Atkinsen sponsor Lion Jamie Carpenter Motion 1st by Lion Bruce 2nd by Lion Dennis

o Bill McCauley sponsor Lion Chester Clair Motion 1st by Lion Dennis 2nd by Lion Forest Troyer

o John Weiss sponsor Lion Ray Wolf Motion 1st by Lion Ray W. 2nd Lion Bruce

• Discussion of getting another Banner for Badges acquired, Lion Bruce and Lion Leo will get a list of all badges together to see if it is worth pursuing

• Disscussed getting \$5000 check from Merchandise Club to deposit into Slovak Account

Lions' Anniversaries: May:

Rick Bates, 1998 Robin Shepard, 2011 Robert Dungan, 2015 Carl Slegel, 2009 Lea Dungan, 2015

Dates to Remember, Club & District:

- □ May 17-20: State Convention @ Penn State
- May 21: Ice Cream Social @ Cocalico HS
- □ May 21: Chip & Putt, Reinholds
- May 23: <u>Appreciation Night @ Dutch Apple Theater</u>
- May 28: NO MEETING, Memorial Day Weekend

- □ June 4: Fun Day @ Reamstown Elementary
- **June 9: Golf Tournament**
- □ June 11: Multiple induction of <u>new members</u>
- □ June 25: Installation Night @ Weaver's
- □ June 29-July 3: 101st Int'l Convention, Las Vegas
- □ July 21&22: Summer Food Drive, local markets
- Aug. 27: Summer picnic @ Reamstowen Park



Hunter Nash was honored as the Club's April Student of the Month. At Cocalico, Hunter participates in Football and Lacrosse, was selected as a First Team Class 5A All-State Offensive Lineman as well as Lancaster-Lebanon League offensive lineman of the year. He was also honored as a Lancaster-Lebanon League First Team All-Star. Even though he is very active he believes in the Lions Clubs motto of "We Serve" by serving as a member of the Leo Club. His future plans include furthering his education by going to a college and receiving a degree in biochemistry. %%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%



On April 7th the Senior Citizens' Banquet was held at the



Reamstown Fire Hall







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Leos' Lair

Accomplishments

Activities

Announcements

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btw: The Leos' Toll Road collected a bucket of money on May 14th. Details to follow.

On April 14th ECL again supported the opening of baseball season at the R'town Park. Although creamed-beef-on-fries still hasn't experienced the expected demand, Lion Mark is optimistic that our patrons will discover & like it.



The April 23rd regular meeting was held as an open informal social (first annual?) for the benefit of potential new members. ECL members were asked to invite individuals who might be interested but weren't aware of the programs and events that Lions participate in. Lion Bruce gave a brief introduction & history of Lions and ECL's activities, and Lion Dennis introduced recipients of our Toll Road proceeds who briefly told our guests how important ECL is to their organizations. The enthusiasm of attending members and the presentations of the recipients made a favorable impression: ECL will induct as many as <u>eleven(!)</u> new members at the June 11th meeting.



Flanked by Lions Dennis & Carl: Joy Ashley (Ephrata Area Social Services), Lion Chester Clair (Park Association), Abby Piskel (Breast Cancer Coalition) .Missing from the picture is a representative from Hospice and Community Care.

<u>Appreciation Night,</u> Wednesday May 23rd @ the Dutch Apple Theater



- The buffet dinner will start at 6:00PM, the show at 7:00. Tickets are \$56 for ECL members.
- There **<u>may</u>** be a few seats left, so contact Lion Ray Wolf at 717-336-1397 if you wanna be there.

Also, if you have to cancel, please contact Lion Ray <u>before</u> May 21.

from Lion Tim:

Please update any changes in address, email, or phone number for the directory.

Contact Tim at 717-475-3530 with any new information.





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ECL's 25th Annual "Night at the Races"



Truman supervised production of the programs/forms.



...while fueling up...



There were a lot of door prizes!



...and some 50/50 action

Figurin' the odds





Folks got their vittles in anticipation of the action.









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PLANTING THE NIGHT AWAY with Wilshire Hills

Lions Club

Join us for a night of planting and funi

We provide the planters planting supplies, gloves and a fun time. YOU PICK YOUR OWN PLANTER. Supplies will slightly differ from photos. The photos are an example of what could be made for this event!

Follow along with the instructor to create your own indoor garden masterpiece.

Come out early to enjoy a meal before we get started. Doors open at 5pm. Food and drinks are available for purchase from the club and are NOT included in the ticket price. Outside food and drink are not allowed.

Secure your seats 15 minutes before start time, especially if part of a large group. EVENT LOCATION: Incaster Tennis & Yacht Club 2615 Columbia Avenue, Lancaster

Event Date: May 12th

Event Time: 7-9 PM

Ticket: \$30 per person

Mall check for tickets to: Wilshire Hills Lions 6 Casey Drive Willow Street, PA 17584

Purchase online at www.eventbrite.com

WILSHIRE HILLS LIONS CLUB MEETINGS: Laucaster Tennis & Yacht Club 2015 Columbia Avenue, Laucaster et & 24° Thursday of Month 7-8 PM

Need more information? Contact Lori @ 717 359 5530 ail. wilshirchillslious@gmail









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Total

Number Attending X \$30.00 ____

10 SIGNS YOU'RE DOING WELL IN LIFE:

- 1. YOU HAVE A ROOF OVER YOUR HEAD.
- 2. YOU ATE TODAY.

Name

- 3. YOU HAVE A GOOD HEART.
- 4. YOU WISH GOOD FOR OTHERS.
- YOU HAVE CLEAN WATER.
- 6. SOMEONE CARES FOR YOU.
- 7. YOU STRIVE TO BE BETTER.
- 8. YOU HAVE CLEAN CLOTHES.
- 9. YOU HAVE A DREAM.
- 10. YOU'RE BREATHING!

BE THANKFUL FOR THE LITTLE THINGS, FOR THEY ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT.

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