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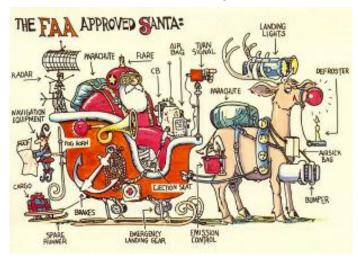
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### Excerpts from BoD meeting 6 Nov. 2023:

The board agreed to give donations to the Denver Fair Committee in the form of gift cards. The Boy Scouts of America ( Dutch Council) will receive \$100.00

New Member Kris Stewart (pickleball lady from the Ephrata Fair), Bruce mentioned this coming year, new members to get together and come up with some new ideas. (service projects.. etc.)

5 year planning committee meeting on the 15th of this month

Discussion about the budget, open to suggestions, currently working on it.

New Member software coming 2024

Lion Charlie doing well, up and about. Lion Sidni also doing ok as well as Lion Glen.

Lion Jamie suggested sending shut-ins mail, something to lift their spirits.

District Governor to visit this month

Christmas party Dec 11th at Rural City, families welcome, buffet style. Volunteers needed to drive people who want to come but cannot drive anymore.

Feb. 11th 2024, Muddy Creek Luthern Church for annual church visit. See Ray Sweigart for more info.

Lion Chuck to head up Bowling on March 3rd, 2024

Lions continue to get pictures in the paper!

Nov. 10th Playoff football game. Extra funds from french fry stand (\$440) donated to Beacon Lodge

Lion Tim going to be away so NO Feb. fish fry's. Next fish fry's March 8th and 22nd.

Help still needed for TOLL Road- coming up next week.

New Chairs Leo and Carol Maynard are taking care of the Golf Tournament

The food bank did really, really well. Lion Chuck thanks all members that helped! Newsletter has more info.

Lion Doyne and Bruce C working on Christmas Baskets.

Checks were passed on to the Reamstown park from Reamstown Days.

EASS has 4 families, 7 children. Lion Carl is getting more info and separate emails going to each family. Sign-ups to come out to help support these families and Lion Carl.

New Business- District Governor coming at end of November. \$4016.00 to be given.

Lion Barbara suggested the club give 2-\$25 gift cards from Park Place Diner to the Adamstown Library for their auction. Beacon Lodge 500 club(69 members) give towards helping with maintance/repairs. Gift cards to Lowes/Walmart.

T-shirts are in and they are \$11.75 per shirt with Logo on both sides.

All members are invited to the zone meeting on Wednesday Nov. 15 at 6:30 at Javateas in Ephrata.

Boose Aluminum donating 75 Turkeys to EASS.





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Cyprus Rohrer, was the November 2023 Student of the Month. At Cocalico, Cyprus's many activities include Cross Country, Volleyball and Bible Study. He is also a member of the National Honor Society and the Quiz Bowl. Cyprus plans to attend college for Secondary Education, focusing on Social Studies.

Excerpts from BoD meeting <u>1 Dec...</u> 2023:

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

Congratulations to Lion Carol Maynard! The board voted, motion was carried and she's officially the new Treasurer.

<u>Membership/Orientation/Retention</u>— Lion Jamie mentioned she would like her granddaughter Maggie Carpenter to become a Lion.

**5 Year Planning Committee**Lion Doyne expressed inviting a Veterans to a dinner meeting on May 13, 2024. Lion Carl to get more information. Help to promote all Vets and their service.

<u>Finance andBudget</u>— In progress of getting Lion Carol on bank records.

**Banquets**– Christmas Party on Monday Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> at Rural City in Reamstown starting at 5pm

**Annual ChurchVisit** – February 11<sup>th</sup> at Muddy Creek Church

<u>ClubSportActivities</u> – Bowling at Dutch Lanes in Brownstown. Sunday March 3<sup>rd</sup> 2024 at 1pm. 2 frames of bowling and pay for shoes only.

**Redner's** –still collecting, hand in any receipts you may have

French Fry Stand – Had a great season, 7 total games with the 2 playoff games. Lion Bruce suggested we match the \$549 from keep the change and give Beacon Lodge \$1100.00. Motion was carried by the board. Stats from Lion Mark- 65 cases of fries used, 23 tubs of Ketchup used. Gross # \$ 10,753.56 with a net of \$ 7,519.56. The Cheer Boosters to receive, \$2,140.00.

**Fish/Shrimp Fry**— No February Fish Fry, March 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> are next.

**TollRoad** Went really well! Total raised is \$4,904.39. Motion was raised to make the total \$5000.00 and spilt the total between all the organizations. Lion Carl suggested the Organizations that receive the funds come and check out what we do and meet people in the community.

<u>Golf Tournament</u> –In progress, currently forming a committee, have a meeting with FoxChase coming up.

<u>Christmas Baskets</u>— Deliveries are being made <u>Saturday</u> <u>Dec. 16<sup>th</sup></u>. Drivers are to pickup baskets at 10am at the Reamstown Rec Center.

**Holiday Exchange Program** Lion Carl mentioned things are slow moving. Everything is posted Online.

**OLD BUSINESS** All directories are out, some were mailed this year.

**NEW BUSINESS** Reinholds cub pack # 95 asked for funds. The board voted and motion was carried. \$500.00 was granted. The district 14-D fundraiser cards, benefiting Beacon Lodge. Lion Chuck will have them available, they are \$10.00 a piece. He will have some at the Christmas party.

No Second meeting in December. Board meeting is Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024.

#### **GOOD OF LIONISM**

Check out the latest district 14-D newsletter. A shout out to the region rally at the Reamstown Fire Co. Also, a great article on the toll road with Governor Mike helping out.





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# Akron LC @ Dutch-Way Nov. 10 & 11













area Lions Clubs Food Drive

2 days: Nov. 10 & 11



Your generous donations, large & small:

79 boxes -- 3160 pounds!



Food Bank WOW!

> <u>and</u> Ignificant cash donation

Neighbors feeding neighbors Your contributions really do matter.







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#### Among the awards given at the Region 3 Rally on October 26th:

Lion Tim Hegeman was given the Past International President Joseph L. Wroblewski Award.

Lion John Danielson was recognized for the work he does with a Brick with his name to be placed in the Walkway at Beacon Lodge.





#### At the DG's visit on Nov. 27th:

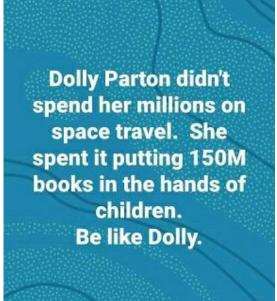
Lion Tabitha Benton had a Brick Placed on the Leaders Dogs Plaza in her name.

Lion Mark "Fry Guy" Janke was recognized with a John Crone Fellowship.

Lion Don Hartranft was recognized with a Melvin Jones Fellowship.













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# Black Friday Toll Road at "the Square" 24 Nov. 2023

Too busy to get photos of all volunteers, not sure I thanked everyone.

You Lions were awesome! Just shy of \$5000! (and the weather was kind), Lion Carl

































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## Community Blood Drive Bainbridge Fire Company

Social Hall 34 S 2nd Street Bainbridge, PA 17502

#### Friday, December 15, 2023 11:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: Conoy to schedule an appointment.

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting. RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.

> Our gift to you: Come give Dec. 1 to 17 for a \$10 Amazon.com Gift Card by email. roblood.org/Amazon





#### Community Blood Drive Trinity Reformed UCC

Social Hall 450 West Main Street Mountville, PA 17554

Monday, January 8, 2024 1:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

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