

July 2013



Howard Lake Lions Club

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Serving our community for 35 years

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Renee Lahr

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Immediate Past President:

Terry Thorson

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS – THURSDAY, JULY 11

Please note the meeting date change

Installation of Officers for 2013-2014 will be held on Thursday, July 11th. Past District Governor Paul Hansen will do the installation. If you are an upcoming officer, please be sure to attend. This will be a potluck meal.

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST BUFFET

Thank you to everyone who helped out with the Father's Day Breakfast Buffet. We had a great turnout! Also, thank you to Carol Krohn and Theresa Oestreich for providing the yummy desserts.

GOOD NEIGHBOR DAYS

A lot of time and effort went into Good Neighbor Days only to have Mother Nature reign her wrath on Thursday and Friday night. A BIG thank you to everyone who helped put up tents and put them up again and for holding them down during the storm. Saturday and Sunday went a little smoother. Thank you to Lion Darren, chairperson and Lion Mike, co-chairperson for the countless hours that were spent making Good Neighbor Days happen. Every Lion deserves a big pat on the back. Thank you Lions for supporting this community event!

Meetings

Our first meeting this month is July 11th at 7:00. This will be a **potluck meal**. It is also our Installation of Officers.

Our second meeting is Thursday, July 18th. This also will be a potluck meal.

Congratulations to PDG Lion Darrel and Lion Nancy Main on their 50th wedding anniversary, and also congratulations to Lion Woody and Marvel Engel on their 65th wedding anniversary.

Dues

Dues for 2013-2014 are now due. The dues are \$55.00 for an individual and \$90.00 for a family membership. If you have not paid your dues yet, you will probably find a statement included in your newsletter.

Raffle

At our May 16th meeting, the club voted to do a raffle to raise funds for our Lions scholarship and activities account. Tickets will be \$2.00 with cash prizes awarded. We are still waiting for the permit from the state before we can begin printing the tickets.

Upcoming Events

There will be NO golf tournament.

Any ideas for a fundraiser? Corn feed? Hot dish supper?

From the President's Desk:

Where does time go? It seems like it was just yesterday that I was installed as President of the Howard Lake Lions Club. And here it is, giving my reign over to our upcoming President, Lion Darren. I would like to thank each and every Lion for your support, whether it was attending an event, meeting, or volunteering at the numerous fundraisers that we held. Without your help, we would not be able to be a successful club.

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Lion President Terry

Links

Lions International – www.lionsclubs.org

Multiple District 5M- www.lionsmd5m.org

District 5M-7 - www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/

Howard Lake Lions Club – www.hllions.org



If you would like anything included in the newsletter you have to let us know.

Email: lions@hllions.org or mail to Howard Lake Lions PO Box 13 Howard Lake MN 55349.



Happy Birthday to all the Howard Lake Lion members who are celebrating their birthdays in July: Cathy Rufer (16); Welton Zander (20); Tammy Oestreich (21); and Darren McAlpine (24).

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For all you members who are on facebook we now have a facebook page. Search for Howard Lake Lions Club and *Like* us, and then tell your friends. Let's see how many *Likes* we can get!!

If you have an e-mail address and you are receiving the newsletter via USPS, could we update our records so that you can receive the newsletter by e-mail? This will save the club some money. Thanks!



HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY 4TH OF JULY