

June 2010



Howard Lake Lions Club

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Board of Directors:

Darrell Main
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Debbie McAlpine
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Tail Twister:
Mike Main

Membership:
Donald Oestreich
Susan Grangroth
Chris Main

Immediate Past President:
Gary Hagemann



FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST BUFFET

The club voted to have a Father's Day Breakfast Buffet on Sunday June 20th. Breakfast will be served from 8:00am until 12:30 pm. We do not have a chairperson yet, we will need to have a volunteer at our next meeting.

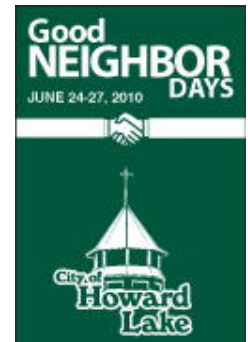
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Installation of Officers will be at our June 17th meeting. This year we are having a pot luck meal to save on expenses. Thank you to everyone for understanding and helping out. Your spouse or significant other is invited to attend. We will be having a special guest doing the installation, Past District Governor Larry Kounkel. All new Officers need to attend.

GOOD NEIGHBOR DAYS

Once again Good Neighbor Days is upon us. Lion Mike has informed us that everything is about ready to go. We need to show up and put in a little time helping out. If you do not have a special job, the ticket sellers, bartenders, and food stand workers can always use help or at least a break. Saturday morning is the pancake breakfast at the lake from 6:00 am until 9:00 am, followed by hot dogs, pop and beer. We will need a pancake flipper, sausage maker, ticket taker, and clean up help.

We are also going to be represented in the parade. If anyone has any ideas or suggestions let us know, we need input!!



Our condolences to Lions Dan, Donald and Tammy as their Father, Dennis, passed away on May 14th, 2010. Please keep Lions Dan, Donald, Tammy and their families in your prayers in this time of sorrow.

Thank you to Lion Gary Hagemann for trimming the hedge at Lions Hall. It looks wonderful!

Raffle

VDGE Lion Dave Schroeder is the Chairman for Project New Hope. He has raffle tickets for this great cause that he is giving to each club to sell. The tickets give you a chance to win a 2010 Ford Mustang Convertible - taxes and license will be paid! They are \$20.00 each and all proceeds go directly to Project New Hope. If anyone is interested in purchasing a raffle ticket, contact Lion President Darren.

Elected Officers for 2010-2011

President: Lion Cathy Rufer, **1st Vice President:** Lion Darren McAlpine, **2nd Vice President:** Lion Terry Thorson, **3rd Vice President:** Lion Dennis Massey, **Secretary:** Lion LaNette Thorson, **Treasurer:** Lion Debbie McAlpine, **Board of Directors:** 1 year term – Lion Harvey Krohn, Lion Judy Mattson, 2 year term – Lion Donald Oestreich, Lion Karen Hill, **Lion Tamer:** Lion Renee Lahr, **Tail Twister:** Lion Gary Hagemann, **Membership:** (Chairman)-Lion Chris Main, Lion Susan Grangroth, Lion Dan Oestreich, **Immediate Past President:** Lion Darren McAlpine.

We need a few members to help with the planning of Good Neighbor Days Events.

Lion Mike Main has been working on this project since its inception many years ago. There is a lot of planning to get everything done. Things like deciding on bands, coming up with new ideas for events, ordering food and beverages. It is not hard work, but a few more bodies will make it a lot easier. If you can help please talk to Lion Mike to find out when the next planning meeting is.

MEETINGS

Our first meeting of the month will be on Thursday, June 3rd at our Lions' Hall. Dinner will be served at 7:00 p.m. Lion Darrell has volunteered to cook.

The Board of Directors will meet on Thursday, June 10th at 7:00 p.m. at our Lions' Hall.

Our second meeting this month is Thursday, June 17th at our Lions' Hall at 7:00 p.m. This will be a **potluck meal. It is also Installation of Officers. Bring your spouse or significant other, or both to enjoy this special night.**

Upcoming events

Installation of Officers – June 17th

Father's Day Breakfast Buffet - June 20th

Summer begins – June 21st

Good Neighbor Days – June 25th, 26th, 27th **Mark your calendar!!**

Links

Lions International – www.lionsclubs.org

Multiple District 5M- www.lionsmd5m.org

District 5M-7 - www.5m7.org

Lions 5M7, Region 1, Zone 2 - www.lions5m7r1z2.org

Howard Lake Lions Club – www.hllions.org

Birthdays

Happy Birthday to all the Howard Lake Lion members who are celebrating their birthday in June: Steve Weber (3); Karen Hill (10); Larry Jensen (18).

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

When is the last time you attended a meeting? If you look real hard you can find out when the next meeting is. The dates are listed above. See how easy that was. See you at the next meeting!