



# Howard Lake Lions Club



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## LION CURT LEVANG



Our Lion condolences go out to the family of Lion Curt. Lion Curt passed away on Friday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at the age of 83. He joined the Howard Lake Lions Club in October 1996 and his sponsor was Lion Charles Engels. Lion Curt was a teacher for ten years and then served as Elementary Principal at Howard Lake-Waverly from 1970 until 1996. In 2016, Lion Curt was inducted into the Howard Lake Waverly-Winsted Hall of Fame. He was instrumental in expanding the HLWW School Scholarship Programs. He was active in his church and especially had a passion for world missions. Please keep Lion Curt's family in your prayers.

## SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE



Thank you to Lions Bonnie and Steve Weber for again chairing the School Supply Drive. This year they handed out backpacks to local businesses and asked them to fill them with school supplies. Collection boxes were also located at the American Legion, Howard Lake Foods, Citizens Alliance Bank and Emmy's Salon. We would like to thank the businesses for helping us with the School Supply Drive. Thank you also to Lion Cathy Rufer for donating 60 backpacks.

## MEETINGS

Our first meeting in October will be held on **Thursday, October 7<sup>th</sup>**. Social hour starts at 6:30p.m. with a **Potluck Meal** at 7:00 p.m. Our second meeting in October will be held on **Thursday, October 21<sup>st</sup>**. Social hours starts at 6:30 p.m. with a **Potluck Meal** at 7:00 p.m. Come and join us whether you have time to cook or not. We always have plenty to go around.

## TAIL TWISTING

Bring your dimes. We have started tail twisting at our meetings. We still have a lot of catching up to do. ☺

## HALLOWEEN

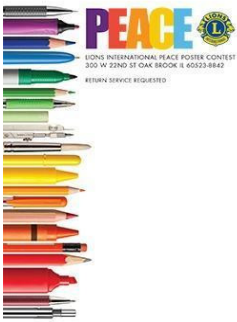
Our Lions Club is hoping to do something similar to last year. We will discuss this at our next meeting on Thursday, October 7<sup>th</sup>.

## MEAT RAFFLE

The meat raffle is scheduled to resume for the season on Saturday, October 9<sup>TH</sup> at Troubles. Anyone that is available to help please show up around 2:30 to start setting up. The meat raffle starts at 3:00.

## DICTIONARY PROJECT

Lion Debbie Workman will again chair the Dictionary Project. More information will be available at our next meeting, Thursday, October 7<sup>th</sup>.



## PEACE POSTERS

Kristi Main has been delivered the Peace Poster information. She is excited to be doing the project again this year. She stated that with all that is going on in our world right now this will be a positive thing for the students. This year's theme is "*We Are All Connected*". Thank you to Kristi for your service to your school and for helping out our club.

## THANK YOU

Thank you to those who have taken the time to mow the lawn at Lions hall and keep it looking nice around the building. Special thank you to Lion Gary and his wife Becky for trimming the hedge and pulling weeds and to Adam Mattson for the mowing you have done

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY to the Howard Lake Lion members who are celebrating their birthdays in October: Nick Haggemiller (5), Jason Mapes (14), Susan Grangroth (20).



## LINKS

Lions International – [www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org)

Multiple District 5M- [www.lionsmd5m.org](http://www.lionsmd5m.org)

District 5M-7 - [www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/](http://www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/)

5M7 Gram newsletter - <http://www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/page-8.php>

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