



# THE EVENING NEWS

## ASHLAND EVENING LIONS



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Location: *Celebrations.....by Sallie!*

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1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays 6:45 pm

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Greetings Lions,

There were 50 Lions and guests at our Lions Family Picnic. We had good food and everyone enjoyed themselves. There were 15 Lions and guest that attended the Plymouth Lions Picnic.

The September 15<sup>th</sup> meeting will be held at D-R Services due to a conflict with the Ashland County Fair preparation. The speaker will be Mary Jo Wright of Avada Hearing Center.

Anyone that has not received their new program book please let me know.

President Clarence Hofer

## **AUGUST BOARD MINUTES**

The Ashland Evening Lions Club Board of Directors met August 11, 2011 at the Conrad Building. Voting members present were (Lions all) Clarence Hofer, Jim Hofer, Glen McClure PDG Ray Miller, Sr., PDG Myron Amstutz, Kim Mercer, Ann Miller, Bob Carver, Walt Gilmore, Pat Hofer, Tim Leslie, Don Price, Ken Rufener, IPP Roger Long, Bobbie Higgins, Betty Helmsin and Dean Leindecker. Non-Voting members attending were (Lions all) First Vice District Governor Forrest "Woody" Conrad, Larry Briggs, Carol Dickson, Clinton Haught, Ron Hofer, Cliff Hubler, John Olin, Ev Shonkwiler and Sandy Whitaker.

Minutes of the July Board of Directors meeting were read and approved as read.

Treasurer's report was distributed and discussed. Lion Jim Hofer moved, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Lion Roger Long to approve the Treasurer's report. Motion carried.

**COMMUNICATIONS:** Thank you notes were received from the Humane Society for the donation and from Wanda Shank for the purchase of her glasses. Lion Pres. Clarence also received an invitation of the Millersport Lion Sweet Corn Festival.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:** (Only Committees attending and reporting will be included).

**Membership & Attendance -** Lion Betty Helmsin stated that the Calling Comm. Needs to know what the Club is furnishing for the Family picnic. Lion Ken Ferguson has submitted a letter of resignation.

**Audit & Finance –** Committee met August 2, 2011 and has a proposed budget prepared.

**PR –** An article has been submitted to the TG. Just waiting for it to be published. Newsletter deadline is August 25, 2011.

**We Care –** Nothing new to report.

**Youth –** There will be no Peace Poster as there is no interest by any of the schools.

**Sight & Hearing –** Several applications pending

with two processed.

**Civic –** Highway Clean-up will be August 23, 2011.

**Entertainment –** Having a meeting to plan the picnic and Lion/Son after this meeting.

**Recycling –** Checks for \$117, \$133 and \$195 have been turned into the Treasurer.

**Clowns –** Will be at Hospice House on August 13, 2011 and at Annette's Victorian Garden on August 16, 2011.

**Tents –** Four tents since the last meeting and will set up three for the Hospice House on August 12, 2011.

**Garage Sale –** Net was over \$700.

**Geraniums –** Sales tax paid.

**Donor Organ –** Had an eye run on July 15, 2011.

**Program –** Programs are all set for the year.

**New Projects –** The new International Presidents goal is to plant trees this year so we will be planting seedlings in the spring.

**Grocery Delivery –** One delivery last month.

**Parade Committee –** Having a meeting on August 16, 2011 at DR Services

**OLD BUSINESS:** PDG patches from the last meeting was brought up again. PDG Rat is trying to get a picture or drawing of some kind.

The Club survey will be coming soon.

Zone 7 Advisory meeting will be September 7, 2011 at Polk hosted by the Polk Lions Club.

**NEW BUSINESS:** The proposed budgets were presented by Lion John Olin, Chairman of the Audit & Finance Committee. Lion Jim Hofer moved to approve the PROJECT Fund budget as presented, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Lion Kim Mercer. Motion carried. Lion Jim Hofer moved to approve the ADMINISTRATIVE Fund budget as presented, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Lion Kim Mercer. Motion carried. Lion Glen McClure moved to move the \$35 in the awards fund from the Project Fund to the Administrative Fund, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Lion Walt Gilmore. Motion carried. Lion Glen McClure moved to delete the Memorial Fund Held and place the undesignated funds in the Youth Fund to help

offset scholarships, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Lion Pat Hofer.  
Motion carried. Leo Funds Held will be given to the next Leo Club chartered in the District.  
Lion Ken Ferguson's resignation was discussed. Since his dues are paid for the year is was suggested that no action be taken at this time. Action tabled.

#### COMING EVENTS:

August 21, 2011 Family Picnic at Brookside west.

August 24, 2011 Plymouth Picnic.

August 25, 2011 Creston Lions Hog Roast

September 1, 2011 Lion/Son.

September 7, 2011 Zone 7 Advisory at Polk  
The meeting was closed with prayer and adjourned.

#### UPCOMING EVENT

- Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> Regular Meeting  
Lion/Son
- Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> Zone Meeting  
Polk Lions
- Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting
- Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> Regular Meeting  
Held at D-R Services
- Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> Ashland Co. Fair
- Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> USA/Canada Forum

Chairperson of the Month: Duane Fulk

Greeters of the Month: Walt Gilmore

Paul Goard

#### QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"Happiness is not something ready made. It comes from your own actions"

Dalai Lama

#### September Birthdays

Sept. 6<sup>th</sup> Thom Jeffries

Sept. 21<sup>st</sup> Ed Miller

#### Future Meeting Menu's

Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> Entertainment to pick.

Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> Lasagna, Salad Bar, Garlic Sticks, Dirty Dessert.

Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> Roast Loin of Pork,  
Cheesy Potatoes, Tossed Salad, California Mix,  
Rolls & Butter, Cake

Oct 20<sup>th</sup> Ham Loaf, Escalloped Potatoes, Mix Veg., Tossed Salad, Rolls & Butter, Cobbler w/Ice Cream

#### We Care Committee

Lion Pat would like all Lions in the club to call her if they know about any members that are sick so that a card can be sent to them. Call her at

419-289-8097

**Special note: If your caller calls and leaves a message, please reply as soon as possible. Also if your not eating or having dessert and coffee only let your caller know that. If your caller doesn't call you please call Lion Betty Helmsin at 419-289-1045**

## Recycling Committee

August was good for recycling and with eight lions working at different times we almost cleaned up the big items. We still have some small items to be worked.

Lion Bill gets to the barn at 7:00 am and turns on the lights then I come in. The other lions start coming in and then parts go flying. Then we load my truck as parts are ready to sell and when full off to Milliron's we go.

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> Lions that worked

> Bill Hartsell=====19 hrs.

> Pres. Clarence Hofer=====2.5 hrs.

> John Olin=====9.5 hrs.

> Duane Fulk=====3 hrs.

> Darrell Lindner=====6 hrs.

> Dick Riech=====3 hrs.

> Ken Rufener=====4 hrs.

> Dean Leiendecker=====22 hrs.

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> 69 hrs.

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> Trips to MillIron

> 8-1-11===== \$195.32

> 8-1-11==cash mower-- 25.00

> 8-6-11===== \$133.18

> 8-8-11===== \$117.00

> 8-12-11===== \$133.12

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> Total \$603.62

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> Thank you lions Dick and Wanda Kerr

**Submissions for the September Newsletter must be received by September 28th.**

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**Please don't use font size greater than 12 and try not to use all caps.**



Lion Dick Reich w/buns:

"I don't know how many hot dogs I have eaten! It's a fundraiser!"



2nd VP lion Glen McClure and Lion Dick Gordon

How many Lions does it take to untie an apron?...  
Send in the reserves!!!



Lion Dick Gordon,

"What do you mean I can't cover the grill w/foil?" ...!!

