



We Serve

Washington Lions Club

To be the global leader in community and humanitarian service

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President's Message

October was a typical Missouri month for the weather. It could not make up it's mind what season it was going to be for the month. But it is finally fall.

We had a disappointment with our Cardinals, but the last Braves game was a lot of fun.

I want to thank **Lion Jerry Maune** and his volunteers for the Missouri Meerschbaum 150 Year Anniversary event. I am glad we could help them celebrate their long legacy.

We had the dedication for the Disc Park on the 17th. There was a good attendance for the event. Another project from the Lions and the Elks.

We have the full last week-end for October 24th, 25th, and 26th. We have the Healthy Senior Day, Chili Cook-off, and the Pumpkin Palooza three days in a row. Let's have fun on these three days while *WE SERVE*.

The article came out in the Missouri featuring the Washington Lion's 80th Anniversary. The title for the feature was "Re-investing in the Community for 80 Years." I feel this is an excellent description of what the Washington Lion's Club has been doing since it's inception. It demonstrates the level of service our members have been doing for the community.

It should make you proud of our organization and it's long rich history. I know I am. "WE SERVE"

Yours In Lionism,

Lion Dan Haire

THIS WEEKEND!

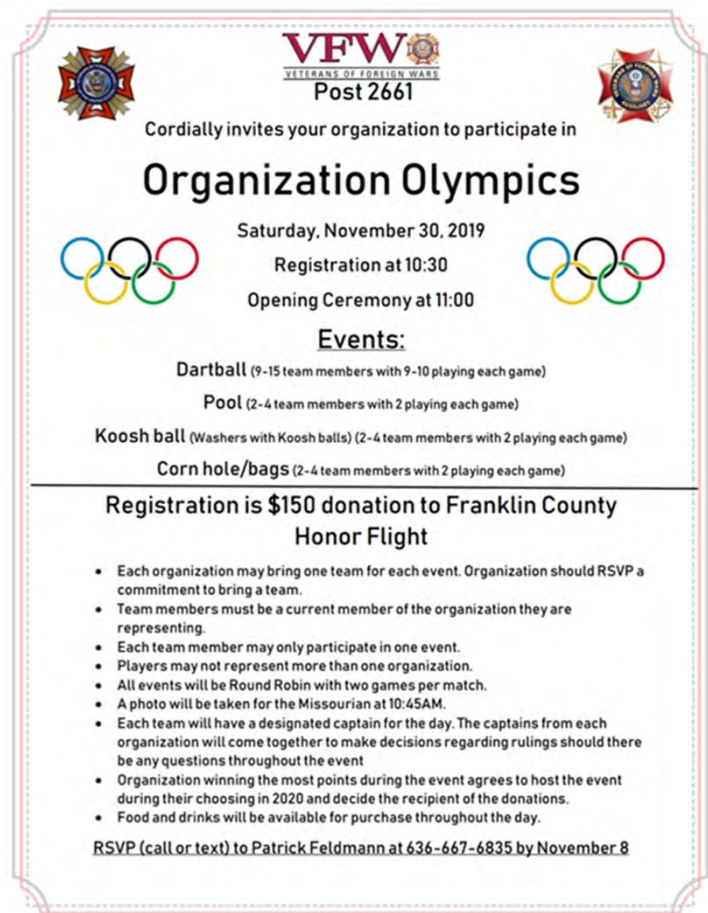
Downtown Washington's Chili Cook-Off today! **Lion Obermark** is heading up the Beer Crews and **Lion Hopp and the Lions Looney Toons** are manning the Chili stand.



October 26th, Washington Lions will be handing out candy. Activities for kids and adults all day, 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

ORGANIZATION OLYMPICS

On Saturday, November 30th, the VFW will be hosting the 1st ever Organization Olympics. Games will consist of Dartball, Pool, Koosh Ball, and Cornhole/Bags. Our Lions Club will be participating and competing against several other non-profit organizations within Washington. A minimum of 15 total people are needed. Additional details are in the flyer to the right. If you would like to participate, please contact **Lion Amy Muench** via text to 636.390.3602 or via email at amy@buildwitheagan.com.



OCTOBER 29TH – EVENING MEETING

Elks Lodge
Social Hour at 6 p.m., Meal at 7 p.m.
Steak Dinner
Members & Guests - \$15

SPEAKERS



Lion Jeff Jackson pictured with Gary Leabman of The Climate Reality Project spoke about Solutions to Climate Change, the cost of carbon, renewable energy, solar energy, recycling, and reducing your carbon footprint.



Lion Amy Muench pictured with **Lion Michelle Leesmann** who spoke to the club about United Way, their various programs and fundraisers.



Lion Amy Muench pictured with Diane Lick with Friend of the Library spoke about various programs, activities, and donations they provide to the library.



**VOLUNTEER
BELL RINGERS
NEEDED!**

Ring a bell...help change a life

Volunteers are needed for Monday, December 2nd for Salvation Army bell ringers. Each shift is only 2 hours – As of now, Schnucks is the only location. You may sign up online or contact **Lion Dan Haire** at 314.795.3168.

BOOK BUZZ

Washington Missourian recognized the Washington Lions Club for their support of the Book Buzz Program



LETTER OF THANKS

Dear Lions Club of Washington
On behalf of the City of Washington I would like to thank you for your generous donation to the Busch Creek Disc Golf Course at Burger Park.
It is only with your continual generosity that we are able to provide quality park amenities, such as the disc golf course.
Thank you for your support and I look forward to working with you in the future.
Sincerely,
Wayne Dumber Director of Parks & Recreation

Editor's Note: I have received several requests asking if members can submit pictures, notes, etc to honor Lion Vince for the newsletter. If you would like to submit anything, please email Lion Amy Muench. A special edition newsletter will be out on November 14th for his birthday. Friends and family will also be gathering at the Elks lodge that evening.

DISC GOLF UPDATE & RIBBON CUTTING

The ribbon cutting for the Disc Golf Park was held Thursday, October 17th. A large group of supporters arrive that day consisting of Lions & Elks Members, the Burger family, and general public. The front 9 are ready for play.



COMING SOON!
24 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS



LIONS SHIRTS

Lion Karen Skornia has Lions t-shirts for sale - \$10 each. Great for many of our events.

She is taking orders thru the end of September for the Navy Polo shirts with the Lions Logo & Lion Members name on them. Both Men & Women's style shirts. Shirt samples are available if you are unsure of what size to order. \$35 for Small thru Xlarge and \$38 for 2XL or larger. **Shirts will need to be paid for before they are ordered.**

Contact Karen Skornia on her cell at 636-667-5590 or via email at karenskornia@gmail.com

The Club is Needing Program Chairs for March and May 2020.
Please Contact **Lion Amy Muench** to Sign Up

SAVE THE DATE
NOVEMBER 26TH – EVENING DINNER MEETING

Elks Lodge

ART FAIR & WINEFEST



FISH FRY EVENING MEETING

THANK YOU TO THE PATKE FAMILY!





LEO CLUB CORNER

Have a school age child or grandchild? LEOs always welcome new members and always looking for fundraising opportunities!

LEO Club meetings are held the 1st Wednesday of each month at First State Community Bank. *Borgia students are able to apply time worked in LEO service projects for Christian Service hours.* For more info, contact Lead Advisor, Jeff Weber, at wwwweb69@gmail.com or at 314.952.6695.

Check out their progress and updates at: e-leoclubhouse.org/sites/washingtonmo or on Facebook at Washington LEO Club



Our LEO's club is in need of 2-3 individuals to assist **Lion Jeff Weber** in mentoring our younger generation on their journey of service. We are asking that these individuals assist in overseeing a meeting with the LEO's once a month. Contact **Lion Tim Mathews** if interested.

SAVE THE DATE!!

Lions Christmas Party – December 17th

LION MEMBERS CELEBRATING NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

David Reifschneider.....1st
Nick Niehaus.....2nd
Leslie Albright.....3rd
Bryon Gray.....4th
Ronald Tobben.....11th
Charles Trankler.....11th
Terry Wilson.....11th



Happy Birthday

Richard Mayer.....14th
James Feltmann Sr.....15th
Michelle Leesmann.....15th
Bill Dickinson.....17th
Ruth Flynn.....17th
Jerry Brunner.....18th
Taylor Goodale.....18th

LION MEMBERS CELEBRATING NOVEMBER MEMBERSHIP ANNIVERSARIES

Linda Fischer
James Carter
Jason Unnerstall
Scott Unnerstall
Jerry Jasper
Les Unnerstall
Robert Weber



Thank you! 271 Years of
Combined Service!

Jeffery Jackson
Jeffrey Patke
Glenn Sanford
Mark Trebacz
Kevin Hunewill
William Boyd

CALENDAR OF EVENTS – NOVEMBER 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4 Board Mtg	5 Noon Business Mtg	6	7	8	9
10	11 	12 Noon Mtg – Monarch Awards & Thanksgiving meal	13	14	15	16
17	18	19 Noon Mtg	20	21	22	23
24	25	26 Evening Meeting	27	28 	29	30

Upcoming Events – December 2019

2nd – Board Meeting
 3rd – Noon Business Meeting
 10th – Noon Meeting
 17th – Christmas Party
 24th – No meeting
 31st – No meeting

Volunteer Sign Ups

HELP WANTED!

To volunteer for events, go to
www.lions63090.org, click on Volunteering, then
 click on the event you would like to participate in.
 To add your name, your friend, spouse, or
 neighbor, simply type the name in the allocated
 cell and press enter! Happy Volunteering!

Check out events
on our Facebook
Page!



Washington Lions Club



There are additional ways to have funds donated to the Washington Lions Club:

E-script at **SCHNUCKS** – tell the cashier you'd like your purchase go towards the Lions or ask them for a card to use. 1% of your purchase is donated.

smile.amazon.com when making purchases thru Amazon, 0.5% of your purchase is donated.

If you'd like to check out what other Lion
 Organizations are doing and when they are
 hosting events, check
 out the District 26-M2 page:
<http://www.lions26m2.org/calendar.html>

2019-2020 OFFICERS/COMMITTEES/PROJECTS

Officers 2019-2020

President.....Dan Haire
 1st Vice President.....Ron Williams
 2nd Vice President.....Amy Muench
 3rd Vice President.....Matt Feltmann
 Secretary.....Dennis Hemsath
 Treasurer.....Aaron Greisheimer
 Tail Twister.....Bill Dickenson
 Lion Tamer.....Jerry Brunner
 Immed Past Pres.....Tim Mathews
 Membership &.....Doris Glastetter
 LCIF Coordinator

Club History Preservation

Gerry Bayless

Scholarship Committee

Karen Skornia Brad Mitchell
 Nell Redhage Bill Dickinson
 Shawn Gorden Mike Guzy

Evening Cook Crew

Gerry Bayless Jerry Maune
 Dr. Mike Radetic Dean Brunner
 Vince Borgerding

Conventions

Leon Hove Doris Glastetter
 Karen Skornia Vince Borgerding

Eye Care Committee

Dennis Hemsath Ed Obermark

Recycling Eyeglasses

Dennis Hemsath

Amblyopia Screening

Jerry Brunner

Special Olympics

Leon Hove

Glaucoma Screening

Jerry Brunner

YMCA Family Fun Day

Spring Art Fair & Wine Fest

Bill Dickenson Brian Elbert

Directors

Gary Wagner Darryl Balleydier
 David Bossler Vince Borgerding
 Gene Brez Ruth Flynn

Fair Chairs

Frozen Drinks

Mark Bayless (Wed)
 Matt Feltmann (Thurs)
 Brad Mitchell (Fri)
 Brenda Smith(Sat)
 Mark Harriman (Sun)

Beer Tent

Shawn Gorden Bryon Gray

Friday Fair Gates

Kyle Dubbert Dan Haire

Saturday Fair Gates

Bill Dickinson Nick Niehaus

Soda Stand

Jeff Jackson

Parade

Brian Feltmann

Adopt A Highway

Jeff Weber.....Larry Brinker

Christmas Party & Gun Raffle

Bill Dickinson Nick Niehaus

Super Bowl BBQ

Dean Brunner - Food
 Darryl Balleydier - Outside
 Amy Muench - Inside

Poker 500

THIS COULD BE YOU!!

Candy Days

Tim Mathews

LEO Club Advisor

Jeff Weber

Wings

Karen Skornia

Eyeglasses Recycling

Dennis Hemsath

Program Chairs

July 2019.....Amy Muench
 Aug 2019.....Claire Miller
 Sept 2019.....
 Oct 2019.....Aaron Griesheimer
 Nov 2019.....Dave Bossler
 Dec 2019.....Mike Radetic
 Jan 2020.....Dave Politte
 Feb 2020.....Gary Marquart
 Mar 2020.....
 Apr 2020.....Bob Oreskovic
 May 2020.....
 June 2020..... Ruben Aramburu

Publicity/Marketing/Communication

Tim Mathews

Bulletin Editor

Amy Muench

Web Page

Dennis Hemsath

Special Projects

Vickey Engel Leon Hove
 Vince Borgerding Rick Hopp

Chili Cook-Off

Rick Hopp

Fall Festival of the Arts

Ed Obermark Jarod Newman

Club Photographer

Mark Trebacz

Senior Health Fair

Jerry Brunner

Chamber Mixer & Salvation Army

Bell Ringing

Dan Haire