

Washington Lions Club

To be the global leader in community and humanitarian service

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President's Message

We are slowly getting back to normal. We are having our meetings every week again, and we hope to see you at a future meeting. We participated in the first Sunset on the Riverfront this month, a big thank you to **Lion Brenda Smith** for chairing the event. I also would like to thank all the volunteers that cooked and served the delicious pork burgers. There was a good size crowd for this first event.

We have our Scholarship Banquet at the end of the month. A big congratulations to all our scholarship winners. We will be introducing the recipient of the first (Lion) Vince Borgerding Memorial Scholarship and we will be inducting the new officers and board members at this event. I would ask you to join them in serving our community this next year. We have a unique opportunity to find new fundraisers in which we can continually serve the people in the community that need our help. We need everyone's participation in getting this accomplished.

I would also like to thank you for allowing me to serve as your President this last year. It has been a privilege and honor. Let's make this next year an exceptional Lion's year.

Yours In Lionism,

Líon Dan Haire

June 30TH — Installation of Officers & Evening Dinner Meeting

Elks Lodge – Don Elder Hall Hospitality at 6 p.m., Steak meal at 7 p.m. Members & Guests - \$30 each – Please RSVP

If you cannot attend, please consider a tax-deductible donation in support of the scholarships we award to deserving students in our community. Your generous contribution toward our scholarship program will allow us to continue a 50+ year tradition of helping to educate our youth.

We hope you will join us for a night celebrating Lionism and support the youth of our community. Please **RSVP** (E-mail: dennis@dhemsath.com) so the cooks know how much food to prepare.

Thanks for your generous support, and we hope to see you there!

2020-21 Officers

President - Ron Williams
1st Vice - Amy Muench
2nd Vice - Matt Feltmann
3rd Vice - Rick Hopp
Secretary - Dennis Hemsath
Treasurer - Aaron Griesheimer
Lion Tamer - Sheila Marquart
Tail Twister - Bill Dickinson
Past Pres - Dan Haire

Board of Directors
Darryl Balleydier
Dave Bossler
Gene Brez
Ruth Flynn
Brenda Smith
Vicky Wors

LUNCH FOR A YEAR RAFFLE IS BACK!

Last chance to purchase tickets is the evening of the June Banquet! - \$20 each One Winner Only – Applies to ONLY the name on the ticket Multiple tickets may be purchased * Tickets may be purchased for guests or spouses

> Prize is free meals - ALL lunch and evening meals (except Scholarship Banquet)

Drawing will be at the June 25th Installation Banquet



CANDY DAYS

Candy Days will be rescheduled for sometime in the fall.



ART FAIR & WINEFEST - CANCELLED

Unfortunately, this event has been cancelled. Drive up is only available.



Freedom Raffle

Thank you to all for selling out tickets!

2020 TOWN N' COUNTRY FAIR - CANCELLED



Unfortunately, the fair this year has been cancelled. The fair was a large fundraiser for the Washington Lions Club. With those funds being eliminated, we need to think of alternative methods for funding for scholarships and to stay on track. Lion Amy Muench will be heading up a FUNdraising raising committee to come up with alternatives. If you are interested in being part of this committee, please text Lion Amy at 636.390.3602 or email at amy@buildwitheagan.com.

SUNSET ON THE RIVERFRONT

Thank you **Lion Brenda Smith** and volunteers for making this fundraiser a success!













SPEAKERS



Lions Leon Hove pictured with Jean Huelsing of Camp Jump Start, a Living Well Village, a whole heath summer camp that focuses on weight loss and healthy eating habits, emotional and social skills for youths.



Lion Ruben Aramburu invited Lions Bridgette Kelch and Richard Hudanick of East Central College to discuss Friends of the Foundation, educational and sports programs, new pilot programs, grants, and upgraded equipment purchases through the Cares Act.

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porting: Washington Lions Club Charities



Lion Ruben Aramburu invited **Lion Patti Roman** and Becky Obermark of Washington MO Community Garden (WMCG). They discussed their organization's mission and the benefits of urban agriculture. WMCG has rental plots available, have room for expansion, and has donated over 240 lbs of produce to the St. Francis Borgia Food Pantry.



With social distancing and restrictions still in place, more online ordering is happening, there are still ways to help our club even during this pandemic. Here are a few options:

Schnucks – Tell the cashier you'd like your purchase to

go towards the Washington Lions club or ask them for a card to use. Up to 1% of your purchase is donated back to the club

 Smile.amazon.com – Exactly the same login and set up as Amazon.com, but through the smile link, 0.5% of your purchase can be donated back to the club. Just selected Washington Lions Club Charities at the top left:

In 2019, \$169 was donated back to the club. Every bit helps! Let's try to exceed that for 2020!



Unfortunately, our LEO Club has disbanded and all monies they had raised has been distributed to local food pantries. Thank you, **Lion Jeff Weber**, for your leadership to our community's youth! Any member interested in is getting the program back, please contact our **Lion President**.

JULY 28TH - EVENING DINNER MEETING

Elks Lodge
Hospitality at 6 p.m., Meal at 7 p.m.
Members & Guests - \$15 each

LION MEMBERS CELEBRATING JULY BIRTHDAYS

Matt Feltmann	2 nd
Russell Bailey	.2 nd
Gerald Bayless	.6 th
Mike Radetic	.6 th
Steven Meyer	.11 th
Deon Johanning	.14 th



Douglas Otto	15 th
John Griesheimer	
Dale Schlitt	
Brad Mitchell	28 th
Ronald Williams	29 th
James Norvell	.30 th

LION MEMBERS CELEBRATING JULY MEMBERSHIP ANNIVERSARIES

Ronald Williams
Richard Mayer
Brad Mitchell
Vickey Engel
Mike Radetic
Bradley Bruns
David Hackmann
Richard Deppe
Trent Hendrickson
Melissa Maune
John Litvan



Thank you! 393 Years of Combined Service!

Douglas Otto Kenneth Smith Catherine Thomas Nell Redhage Paul Redhage Joyce Nieder Amy Muench Raymond Lowry Victoria Wors Patricia Hagedorn Donna Deppe

CALENDAR OF EVENTS - JULY 2020

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	Happy 4th of July
5	6 Board Meeting (new location: Marquarts Landing, 2 nd Floor)	7 Noon Business Meeting	8	9	10	11
12	13	14 Noon Meeting	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 Noon Meeting	22	23	24	25
26	27	28 Evening Meeting	29	30	31	

<u>Upcoming Events – August 2020</u>

3rd – Board Meeting

4th - Business Meeting

11th – Noon Meeting

18th - Noon Meeting

25th – Evening Meeting

Check out events on our Facebook Page!



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!

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



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.

2019-2020 OFFICERS/COMMITTEES/PROJECTS

Officers 2019-2020

President	Dan Haire
1st Vice President	Ron Williams
2 nd Vice President	Amy Muench
3 rd Vice President	Matt Feltmann
Secretary	Dennis Hemsath
Treasurer	.Aaron Greisheimer
Tail Twister	Bill Dickenson
Lion Tamer	Jerry Brunner
	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

Jim Feldman Gary Wagner Gene Brez

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

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