

# Washington Lions Club

To be the global leader in community and humanitarian service

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## **President's Message**

I would like to thank everyone for the opportunity of serving as the 2019-2020 President of the Washington Lions Club. I would also like to welcome the new members of the Board on their upcoming term.

This September is our upcoming 80th Anniversary of the club. We have a long and rich history of serving our community. I would like to thank all our members for their service and support of our missions as Lions members.

Now for **Past President Lion Tim Mathews**, we all would like to thank you for your leadership and service for the last year. Tim's service and guidance throughout the year is greatly appreciated.

I would also like thank everyone who worked on the Scholarship/Installation Banquet. Each committee, Banquet, Cook, and Scholarship, did an outstanding job in making this event happen. A special thanks for 1st VDGE Lion Sandee Marshall for performing the Installation Ceremony. Congratulations to our Peter J. Meyer Scholarship and the T.W. "Buck" Sincox recipients, Jennifer Borgman (WHS) and Joseph Jasper (SFB). Also, congratulations for the John Politte Scholarship recipients, Collin Marquart and Braden Kazmaier.

We have a busy couple of months coming up with the Fair, Foodstock, and the Fall Festival. We need all hands-on deck for these events. Try to ask a friend that you have not seen for a while to join us in our upcoming events. Our service is appreciated but is also fun. Remember our motto "We Serve".

Yours In Lionism,

Lion Dan Haire

## **Washington Town & Country Fair**

The fair is **HERE!!** Thousands of man hours are put into making this fair such a success and us Lions are no exception to this grand event that takes over our great community.

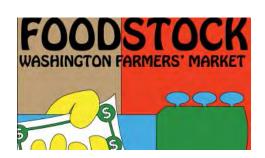


Photo courtesy of Washington Town & Country Fair Facebook Page

Our contribution begins with Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup> where we will be selling pork burgers, soda, and water at on 5<sup>th</sup> Street at the Purcell parking lot. The following days begin our setup of our Mixed Drink stand and the fair beginning on August 7<sup>th</sup> where we will also be found at ticket gates, soda stands, and beer stands.

This is our largest fundraiser for our club. Please consider signing up for a chair position or at least 1 shift, if not more. We realize it will most likely be very hot. Gate houses are air conditioned, there is always ice at the stands, and we have fans at our drink stand as well. Feel free to bring family and friends to work with you. **Sign ups will be available soon.** 

# There is still open spots to volunteer for the fair. Check out the website for available positions.



This event brings local musicians for a concert at the Farmer's Market to benefit local food pantries.

Admission is a monetary donation or a bag of nonperishable food items.

Washington Lions will be selling our world famous pork burgers during Food Stock on Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup> from 3 to 9 p.m.

We need a Co-Chair for this event. If interested, contact Lion President Dan Haire

## JULY 30TH - EVENING MEETING

WASHINGTON ELKS
Hospitality at 6 p.m., Dinner at 7 p.m.
Steak Dinner - \$15 per person

## Freedom Raffle

The raffle is well underway! Thank you to those who sold tickets to make this another successful fundraiser for our Club.



# MEALS FOR A YEAR RAFFLE WINNER Congratulations to new member,

Lion Sheila Marquart!

## WASHINGTON LITTLE LEAGUE

A few team members from the Lions sponsored team posing for a pic



## **PATCHES RECEIVED**







These patches were presented to the Club by Vice Governor Elect, Sandee Marshall at our annual Installation of Officers Banquet. The Service Challenge patch was for completing all four areas of service in 2017-2018: Vision, Hunger, Environmental, and Childhood Cancer. The Legacy patch - Lions International asked each Club to choose a project that would have a long term effect on their community. Ours was the installation of the new fountain in Lions Lake. The Diabetes patch is the new fifth area of Service Challenge for 2018-2019.

## SUNSET ON THE RIVERFRONT





Thank you to our volunteers!



## **CERTIFICATES RECEIVED**

Our Club received a Certificate of Excellence for online reporting. Thank you, **Lion Dennis!** 





2018-2019

In grateful appreciation for your contribution to the *Missourian* In Education program.

Each week in our schools, thousands of children are learning and connecting to their community inside *The Missourian*. Your support has helped provide nearly 100,000 newspapers requested by area teachers this school year.



@missourian.com

Our Club received a Certificate of Appreciation for our participation in the *Missourian* in Education program.







**Lion Richard Herholz** (72) passed on Saturday, July 6, 2019. Richard joined our Club in 2000. A service was held July 11<sup>th</sup> with A Rose Ceremony as requested by family.

Please keep Richard's family in your prayers.

## **SPEAKERS**



Lion Leon Hove pictured with Samantha Corson, Senior Community Development Manager of the American Cancer Society, spoke about ACSI programs, available housing for patients, the Franklin County Relay for Life, and the #goldtogether nationwide initiative for childhood cancer awareness.



**Lion Amy Muench** pictured with Keli Feldmann of the St. Louis Special School District, spoke about Autism, ABA therapy and techniques and education.



Lion Amy Muench pictured with Lisa Bell, Executive Director, and Diane Lick, Board Member, of Buddies Not Bullies. They discussed their organization, programs, upcoming events, and the importance to stop bullying.



# Congratulations....

To **Lion Nick Niehaus** who receive the Diamond award and to **Lion Doris Glastetter** for the Silver award

## INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS & SCHOLARSHIP BANQUET



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

EO CLUB CORNER 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 wwweb69@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 AUGUST 27TH - EVENING APPRECIATION DINNER

**Washington Rennick Riverfront Pavilion** Hospitality at 6 p.m., Meal at 7 p.m. Members - \$10, Guests - Free Remember to Invite non-Lion members who volunteered for the Lions during the Fair

## LION MEMBERS CELEBRATING AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Kevin Tochtrop	4 <sup>th</sup>
Karen Skornia	.8 <sup>th</sup>
James Carter	12 <sup>th</sup>
Kevin Hunewill	.18 <sup>th</sup>
Robert Weber	18 <sup>th</sup>



Richard Deppe	19 <sup>th</sup>
Brendan Mahon	21st
Vickey Engel	22 <sup>nd</sup>
Linda Fischer	22 <sup>nd</sup>
Mary Carroll	27 <sup>th</sup>
Mark Trehacz	29 <sup>th</sup>

## LION MEMBERS CELEBRATING AUGUST MEMBERSHIP ANNIVERSARIES

Robyn Hopen **Edward Obermark** Steven Unnerstall John Bennett Karen Skornia James Briggs Alvin Harper Brendan Mahon



Jeffrey Weber Kyle Wolfe Casey Zastrow Dale Schlitt Darryl Balleydier Patricia Roman Peter Brown

Thank you! 222 Years of Combined Service!

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS - AUGUST 2019

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3 Fair Party – Farmer's Market
4 Fair Parade	5 Noon Board Meeting	6 Noon Business Meeting Fair Board – Guests Fair Set Up	7 FAIR.	8 EAS	9 FAR	10 (AR)
FAIR.	12	13 Noon Meeting – Speakers <b>Lions Hove and Engel</b> – International Convention	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 Noon Meeting – Speakers, Friends of the Library	21	22	23	24 Food Stock
25	26	27 Evening Appreciation Dinner	28	29	30	31

#### Upcoming Events – September 2019

3<sup>rd</sup> – Noon Meeting

9th - Board Meeting

10<sup>th</sup> - Noon Business Meeting

15<sup>th</sup> – Special Olympics

17<sup>th</sup> – Noon Meeting

24<sup>th</sup> – Evening Meeting

27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> – Festival of the Arts

#### Volunteer Sign Ups

HELP WANTED!

To volunteer for events, go to
<a href="https://www.lions63090.org">www.lions63090.org</a>, 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!



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 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	Amy Muench
3 <sup>rd</sup> 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 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
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