

# Washington Lions Club



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*To be the global leader in community  
and humanitarian service*

**We Serve**



## **President's Message**

Another successful Washington Town and Country Fair in the books!! We missed a day of drink stand sales due to heavy rain and winds on Wednesday but the rest of the event can be considered a wild success. Of course we could not do it without your help. Thank you all around for everything you all do for your club and the volunteers you bring out of

the woodwork for this large event every year. From gates to soda stand to mixed drink tent, we ask a lot from you all and you consistently deliver. Make sure you take advantage of the evening meeting on August 30th and bring out any and all of those that helped us throughout the week. While you are at it you might as well give them an application for membership as well because after working with us fair week and attending an evening meeting why wouldn't they want to sign up for this the rest of the 11 months of a year?!

Thank you to **Lion Dan Haire** for chairing another successful Foodstock event. It went so well that the food was gone before it even got dark for the evening.

Coming up this month we have the combination Lions/Elks Youth Fishing Derby on the morning of September 17th. We have sent out a link to the sign up sheet. If you are looking to help please sign up or contact **Lion Matthew Feltmann** or **Lion Amy Muench-Lick**.

The Fall Festival of the Arts is coming up the weekend after that on September 23rd, 24th, and 25th. **Lion Jared Newman** will once again be our chairman. If you are able to help please sign up. The google sheet should be hitting your email any day now.

If you have not been able to make it to any of our weekly meetings lately I highly encourage you to think about joining us. We have had a wonderful rotation of entertaining speakers and as always are looking for more. We have still not resolved our cook situation but the meals have been fantastic nonetheless. Please consider making it to one soon and enjoying the camaraderie of your fellow Lions.

***See you all Tuesday night!***

**Matt Feltmann**



Our club, for the first time, will be co-sponsoring the Youth Fishing Derby to be held at Lions Lake on September 17<sup>th</sup>. Some Volunteer help is needed for set up, grilling, and doing weight-ins. You can sign up here:

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1qK9xFj5q6z4B8lmuQ3jbfr\\_tpGwD5SZCa6z1nOrR6Cs/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1qK9xFj5q6z4B8lmuQ3jbfr_tpGwD5SZCa6z1nOrR6Cs/edit?usp=sharing).

Shirts are also available for purchase here:

<https://lionsfishingderby.itemorder.com/shop/sale/>

**\*\*NOTE\*\* DEADLINE TO ORDER SHIRTS OR REGISTER A CHILD IS AUGUST 31<sup>ST</sup>!!**



Photo courtesy of Downtown Washington, Inc. website

## FALL FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS & CRAFTS

Downtown Washington's 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fall Festival is Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> where we will be selling our *world famous* pork burgers and adult spirits.

Sign-ups are online now.

## Washington Town & Country Fair

Thank you to all chairs and volunteers for the Parade, Mixed Drink Stand, Gates, and Food/Beer Stands!! Don't forget to invite non-Lions to the Appreciation Dinner tomorrow!



Photo courtesy of Washington Town & Country Fair Facebook Page

## AUGUST 30<sup>TH</sup> – FAIR VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER

BBQ at Rennick Riverfront Park  
Hospitality at 6 p.m., Dinner at 7 p.m.

Members - \$15 each

Non-Members that Volunteered for Fair - FREE



Former Lion member, Robert Weber (77) passed away Saturday, July 30th. He joined our Club on November 1, 2006. Please keep his family in your prayers.

## SPEAKERS



Above: **Lion Gary Marquart** invited Kim Scego, Executive Director, and Kelli Schulte, Program Director both of United Way to speak about their 52 partner agencies and their upcoming fundraising events including a golf tourney, power of the purse, and a raffle to Big Cedar Lodge.



*Photo courtesy of America In Bloom website*

Sandy Lucy and Carolyn Witt with Washington in Bloom spoke about the organization's focuses including environmental efforts, landscaping, and urban forestry. They also boasted that they will be official host of the 2022 America in Bloom Symposium held in St. Louis September 29<sup>th</sup> through October 1<sup>st</sup>, where 200 people will arrive by bus to visit Washington by several tours including Lions Lake where one of our members will be speaking of this history of the lake and the club, and ending their day with a Farm to Table dinner downtown on Main Street.

## LIONS PEACE POSTER CONTEST

Open to students ages 11, 12, or 13 as of November 15<sup>th</sup>. If you know a student that would be interested, please contact **Lion Brenda Smith**. More information can be found at:

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/start-our-approach/youth/peace-poster#contest>



*Photo courtesy of lionsclubs.org*

# FAIR PICS



## EVENING MEAL & EXCHANGE STUDENT VISIT



# SEPTEMBER 27<sup>TH</sup> – EVENING MEETING FISH FRY

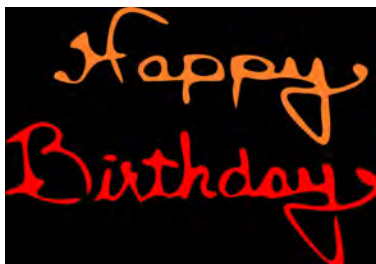
**Lions Lake – North Center Pavilion**  
**Social Hour 6 p.m. – Meal at 7 p.m.**  
**Bring Lawn Chairs - \$15 each**

*If you have RSVP'd and are not able to attend or is you are able to attend last minute, contact Lion Matt.*

*Your understanding and cooperation is appreciated.*

## LION MEMBERS CELEBRATING SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Robert Oreskovic.....2<sup>nd</sup>  
Cheryl Gray.....3<sup>rd</sup>  
Catherine Thomas.....6<sup>th</sup>  
Eugene Delleart.....8<sup>th</sup>  
John Litvan.....10<sup>th</sup>  
Steven Kuenzel.....11<sup>th</sup>  
Larry Gerstein.....13<sup>th</sup>  
Leon Hove.....14<sup>th</sup>



Edward Obermark.....15<sup>th</sup>  
James Mathews.....18<sup>th</sup>  
Mary Sprung.....18<sup>th</sup>  
Charise Jewell.....21<sup>st</sup>  
Joseph Feltmann.....22<sup>nd</sup>  
Kyle Wolfe.....23<sup>rd</sup>  
Larry Niewald.....26<sup>th</sup>  
Nell Redhage.....26<sup>th</sup>  
Gary Grosse.....28<sup>th</sup>

## LION MEMBERS CELEBRATING SEPTEMBER MEMBERSHIP ANNIVERSARIES




Eugene Delleart  
Frederick Peet  
Cindy Johanning  
Larry Gerstein  
Sean Geisert  
Robert Oreskovic  
Leon Hove  
Kathy Trentmann  
Gary Grosse  
Bridgette Kelch  
Sharon Bolte



Aaron Griesheimer  
John Craig  
Steven Bleckman  
Andrew Graham  
Russell Bailey  
Mary Sprung  
Ruth Flynn  
Ed Brock  
Mary Brock  
Charise Jewell  
Thomas Enger  
Jamie King

**Thank you! 303 Years of Combined Service!**

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS – SEPTEMBER 2022

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR S	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5 Board Meeting	6 Noon Business Meeting	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 Noon Meeting	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 Noon Meeting	21	22	23 	24 
25 	26	27 Evening Meeting Fish Fry	28	29	30	

## Upcoming Events – October 2022

- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Board Meeting
- 4<sup>th</sup> – Business Meeting
- 11<sup>th</sup> – Noon Meeting
- 18<sup>th</sup> – Noon Meeting
- 25<sup>th</sup> – Evening Meeting

## Volunteer Sign Ups

HELP WANTED!

To volunteer for events, go to [www.lions63090.org](http://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!



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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:

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



# 2022-2023 OFFICERS/COMMITTEES/PROJECTS

## Officers 2020-2021

President..... Matt Feltmann  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice President..... Rick Hopp  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President..... Mark Trebacz  
3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President.....Larry Brinker  
Secretary.....Ron Williams  
Treasurer.....Brenda Smith  
Tail Twister.....Bill Dickinson  
Lion Tamer.....Sheila Marquart  
Immed Past Pres..... Amy Muench  
Membership &.....Doris Hopp  
LCIF Coordinator

## Club History Preservation

Gerry Bayless

## Scholarship Committee

Karen Skornia Brad Mitchell  
Nell Redhage Bill Dickinson  
Al Harper Sid Troyer

## Evening Cook Crew

Jim Feldman Gary Wagner  
Gene Brez Randy Albeck

## Conventions

Leon Hove Doris Glastetter  
Karen Skornia

## 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

Jerry Brunner

## Spring Art Fair & Wine Fest

Bill Dickenson Brian Elbert

## Directors

Darryl Balleydier Gene Brez  
Ruth Flynn Amanda Kriete  
Deon Johanning Gary Marquart

## Fair Chairs

### Frozen Drinks

Matt Feltmann & Brad Mitchell  
Vicki Fritz (Wed)  
Matt Feltmann (Thurs)  
Missy Maune (Fri)  
Brenda Smith(Sat)  
Sara Phillips & Amanda Kriete (Sun)

### Beer Tent

### Friday Fair Gates

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

Darryl Balleydier - Outside  
Amy Muench - Inside

## Candy Days

Dan Haire

## Wings

Karen Skornia

## Eyeglasses Recycling

Dennis Hemsath

## Program Chairs

July 2022.....  
Aug 2022.....  
Sept 2022.....  
Oct 2022.....  
Nov 2022.....  
Dec 2022.....  
Jan 2023.....  
Feb 2023.....  
Mar 2023.....  
Apr 2023.....  
May 2023.....  
June 2023.....

## Publicity/Marketing/Communication

Tim Mathews

## Bulletin Editor

Amy Muench

## Web Page

Dennis Hemsath

## Major Projects

Ron Williams Amy Muench  
Mike Radetic Brenda Smith  
Missy Maune Dan Haire

## 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

## NOTICES

Evening Meals – With the cost of goods rising, the Board is asking that if you plan to attend an evening meeting to **PLEASE** RSVP for that meal. You can always do so online or you may contact **Lions Matt Feltmann or Ron Williams**. Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation.

Schnucks E-Script Program: Schnucks is no longer participating in this program. The club still participates in the Amazon Smile program. If you are aware of other programs that donate back on purchases, please contact **Lion Amy**.

**UPDATED SEPTEMBER  
2021**

**NEW ADDRESS FOR  
WASHINGTON LIONS**

**CLUB:**

**P.O. Box 1393,  
Washington, MO 63090**