Washington Lions Club

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President's Message

Hello Lions,

Don't be surprised, but the Washington Lion's Club Newsletter is back in business, thanks to Lion Katy Carter. Given this time of year and the fact that this Lion's Club year is now half over, we set our sights on the Super Bow BBQ and our Spring Activities. First and fore-

most, THANKS to everyone signed up to work at the upcoming Super Bowl BBQ weekend event. There are plenty of spots that still need help, so please go online to our website <u>https://lions63090.org</u> and find a spot that works for you. This event is always fun to work and that that fact all of the BBQing will be held at the Elks this year, we will all be together and enjoy Lion's fun the entire day......**Don't forget to SELL your tickets!!**

A big thank you to Lion Bill and Lion Brian for manning the December Gun Raffle. This event is now held in July and December and we have a waiting list for folks wanting to buy tickets. Speaking of December, if you were not at the Christmas Party, you missed a GREAT TIME. It was the last meeting of the year and we had over 65 Lions and guest.

For those of you who have not been to a meeting recently, the Club is moving forward at a rapid pace. We have donated funds to many well deserving organizations. At the January evening meeting we presented checks to Harvest Table, SFB Food Pantry, St. Peters UCC Food Pantry, and St. John's Helping Hands. At the coming board meeting, there are many other donations that will be discussed. Our Scholarship Committee will be gearing up for the Spring scholarships that we offer. This is not only for college bound students, but technology and skills students as well.

The District Annual Convention this year will be held on April the 5th - 7th at the Double Tree Hotel in Westport. As always, the Hospitality Night will be Friday the 5th. The Club will have our booth near the dance floor and will bring our good cheer along with food to share with other District members. Please check your calendars for this date, we would love to see all of you there.

Let's get together at any of noon Tuesday meetings or the evening meeting on the last Tuesday of the month. We have moved the evening meetings into the big hall at the Elks, due to the growing number of members and guest attending. It's a good thing!

Thank ALL of you for your time as Lions members. As it states in the Induction Ceremony when all of us became Lions members; We are a group of people banded together to do things which you and I cannot do as individuals.

See you soon,



President



31st Annual

Super Bowl BBQ

Thank you to all Lion's members who have volunteered to work the Bar-B-Que. There are still spots open. Everyone Lion members or just a Lion's supportor is welcome to volunteer. Please sign up today to help make this event a success!

Volunteering - Washington Lions Club, Missouri

Don't forget to sell those your tickets! Also be sure to let your, friends, family, neighbors, and random wing loving strangers know that we have the option for 2 lbs of chicken wings this year. Choice of BBQ or mild buffalo sauce with ranch or blue cheese.

February 29th—EVENING MEETING

Elks Lodge

Hospitability at 6 p.m., Dinner at 7 p.m.

Members—\$20 each

RSVP

If you have RSVP'd and are not able to attend or are able to attend last minute,

Please contact Lion Dennis.

Your understanding and cooperation are appreciated.

SAVE THE DATE!

March 26th—EVENING MEETING

Elks Lodge

Hospitability at 6 p.m., Dinner at 7 p.m.

Members—\$20 each

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LION'S MEMBERS CELEBRATING FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Dolph Schallenberg 2nd
Benjamin Geisert 2nd
Jason Newman4th
Peter Brown4th
Gary Marquart 11th
Shawn Thiemann11th
Lawrence Brinker 15th



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Leroy Eggert	.18th
Doris Glastetter	.20th
Doris Hopp	.20th
Jarod Newman	23rd
Richard Hudanick	23rd
Stephanie Juengling	.26th

LION'S MEMBERS CELEBRATING FEBRUARY MEMBERSHIP ANNIVERSARIES

Michael Guzy Stephen Holzem John Fischer David Broeder Douglas Brinkmann Debra Jaeger Gary Marquart



Paula Reagan Terry Wilson Ruben Aramburu Sherry Wideman James Feltmann, Sr. Ronald Leslie

CALENDAR OF EVENTS - FEBRUARY 2024

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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4	5 Board Meeting	6 Business Meeting	7	8	9 Super Bowl BBQ Prep	10 Super Bowl BBQ Prep
11 Super Bowl BBQ		13 Noon Luncheon	14 CHappy Valentine's Day	15	16	
18	19		21	22	23	24
25	26	27 FEBRUARY EVENING MEETING	28	29		



Check out events on our Facebook Page!

Upcoming Events

February 2024

2/5	Board Meeting
2/6	Business Meeting
2/10 & 2/1	1 SuperBowl BBQ
2/27	. Steak Dinner, District
	Governor's Visit

March 2024

Trivia Night
Board Meeting
Business Meeting
s Night; Steak Dinner

HELP WANTED

Volunteer Sign Ups

To volunteer for events, go to <u>www.lions63090.org</u>, 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!

Lion's Club Trivia Night

Think you know everything there is to know about TV & Movies? Feeling competitive and want to show off your winning spirit? Need a great way to have fun with 7 of your closest friends? Join us on Saturday, March 2nd for the Lion's Club TV & Movie Trivia Night! Tickets are \$20 per person in advance & \$25 at the door. Doors at Washington Elks Lodge will open at 6:30 pm. Ticket price includes drinks! Outside food allowed, but no outside drinks. Register at the Elks Lodge or online at www.lions63090.org. Can't wait to see you there!



2023—2024 OFFICERS/COMMITTEES/PROJECTS

Officers 2023-2024	Directors
PresidentRichard Hopp	Darryl Balleydier Amanda Kriete
1 st Vice PresidentMark Trebacz	Ruth Flynn Bennjamin Geisert
2 nd Vice PresidentLarry Brinker	Deon Johanning Gary Marquart
3 rd Vice PresidentJason Unnerstall	Fair Chairs
SecretaryRon Williams	Frozen Drinks
TreasurerBrenda Smith	Brad Mitchell
Tail TwisterBill Dickinson	Vicki Fritz (Wed)
Lion TamerSheila Marquart	Matt Feltmann (Thurs)
Immed Past Pres Matthew Feltmann	Crad Crego (Fri)
Membership ChairDoris Hopp	Sara Phillips & Amanda Kriete (Sat)
LCIF Coordinator Matthew Feltmann	Leslie Nie (Sun)
Club History Preservation	<u>Friday Fair Gates</u>
Gerry Bayless	Dan Haire & Larry Brinker
Scholarship Committee Karen Skornia Brad Mitchell Nell Redhage Bill Dickinson Larry Brinker Patty Roman	<u>Saturday Fair Gates</u> Bill Dickinson & Nick Niehaus Parade
Evening Cook Crew	Rick Hopp
Jim Feldman Gary Wagner	Adopt A Highway
Gene Brez Randy Albeck	Jeff WeberLarry Brinker
Conventions	Christmas Party & Gun Raffle
Leon Hove Doris Glastetter	Bill Dickinson Nick Niehaus
Karen Skornia	Super Bowl BBQ
Eye Care Committee	Ben Geisert
Dennis Hemsath Ed Obermark	Amy Muench
Recycling Eyeglasses	Trivia Night
Dennis Hemsath	Brenda Smith
Amblyopia Screening	Sunset on the Riverfront
Jerry Brunner	Brenda Smith & Sheila Marquart
Special Olympics	Foodstock
Leon Hove	Doris Hopp & Karen Skornia
Glaucoma Screening	Candy Days
Jerry Brunner	Dan Haire
Chamber Mixer	United Way
Dan Haire	Leon Hove
Spring Art Fair & Wine Fest Brenda Smith, Sheila Marquart, & Brian Elbert	Evening Meals—With the continu

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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.....

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Fall Festival of the Arts Jarod Newman

Club Photographer Mark Trebacz

Senior Health Fair Jerry Brunner

Notices

Evening Meals—With the continuing rising cost of goods PLEASE RSVP if you plan on attending an evening meeting. This ensures that we are able to both order enough food and not over order food so that we can all enjoy our monthly dinners. You can always FSP online or contact Lions Matt Feltmann or Ron Williams. Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperations

Holly Jolly Lion's Christmas Trolley























