

April 2014

# Howard Lake Lions Club



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## DRUG AWARENESS POSTER WINNERS



We had two winners at the District Convention in the Drug Awareness Contest. They were Mary Busse from the Waverly Kindergarten and Emma Fury from the HLWW 6th Grade. It was our pleasure to present them their awards at our March 6th meeting.

## PALM SUNDAY BREAKFAST BUFFET

Sunday, April, 13th is our annual Palm Sunday Breakfast. We will be serving from 8:00 am until 12:30 pm. Lion Judy has again volunteered to be chairperson. Spread the word to family and friends! We will be cleaning and setting up the hall at **9:00 am on Saturday, April 12th**. It doesn't take long if we have a lot of help.



## EASTER EGG HUNT

We will host the Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 19th at 10 a.m. Set up will be at 8:30 a.m. At the time of this writing, we do not know if we will have it at Memorial Park (because of snow and water) or at our Lions' parking lot. Come out and help! It is a lot of fun. Lion LaNette (chairperson) is asking for your help to defray the cost of candy. She is asking for donations of individually wrapped candy that will fit into a

plastic Easter egg. If you would like to donate a bag, please bring the candy to our first meeting in April which is April 3rd. We will "stuff" Easter eggs at our April 17th meeting.

## New Officers

The Slate of Officers for 2014-2015 were nominated as follows: President – Lion Gary; 1st Vice President – Lion Mike; 2nd Vice President – Lion Denny; 3rd Vice President – Lion Karen; Secretary – Lion LaNette; Treasurer – Lion Debbie; Board of Directors – 1 year term: Lions Donald and Denny, 2 year term: Lions Joyce and Terry; Lion Tamer – Lion Judy; Tail Twister – Lion Renee; Membership – Lions Renee, Gary and Bonnie; Immediate Past President – Lion Darren.

## Good Neighbor Days

Save the date! June 20th, 21st and 22nd. We will need your help! Save the date!

**Meetings**

**Our first meeting** this month is Thursday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 pm. This will be a **potluck meal**.

**Our second meeting** is Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm. This will also be a **potluck meal**.

**Zone Meeting**

The Maple Lake Lions will be hosting the Zone Meeting on Thursday, April 10th at the American Legion in Maple Lake. Social hour will be from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. with the dinner and meeting to follow. If you wish to attend, please let Lion LaNette know by the April 3rd meeting.

**Congratulations** to the Lady Lakers for taking 4th place in the Class 2A State Basketball Tournament!



**Upcoming Events**

Zone Meeting – April 10th – hosted by the Maple Lake Lions  
Palm Sunday Breakfast Buffet - Sunday, April 13th 8:00 am - 12:30 pm.  
Easter Egg Hunt - Saturday April 19th at 10:00 a.m.

**Lions Donations**

Our recent donations were \$100.00 each to Bethany Kozitka and Shelby Campbell. They belong to the Handy Dandy 4H Club and they will be attending the leadership trip to Washington D.C. the end of June. We also donated \$250.00 to the HLWW Junior Class for prom which was proceeds from our Valentine’s Breakfast Buffet.

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**Links**

Lions International – [www.lionsclubs.org](http://www.lionsclubs.org)  
Multiple District 5M- [www.lionsmd5m.org](http://www.lionsmd5m.org)  
District 5M-7 - [www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/](http://www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/)  
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***If you would like anything included in the newsletter you have to let us know.***

**Email: [lions@hllions.org](mailto:lions@hllions.org) or mail to Howard Lake Lions PO Box 13 Howard Lake MN 55349.**



Happy Birthday to all the Howard Lake Lion members who are celebrating their birthdays in April:  
Deb Carlson (14).

