



# Howard Lake Lions Club





Serving our community for 38 years

PO Box 13 Howard Lake MN 55349

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Immediate Past President: Mike Main

## **GOVERNOR'S NIGHT**

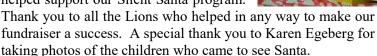
Website: www.hllions.org

Thank you to all of the Lions who attended our Governor's Night on Thursday, December 1st. Governor Steve brought greetings from Lions International as well as listing all the fundraisers and functions that our club holds. It felt good to be appreciated!



## **BREAKFAST WITH SANTA**

Our Lions' Club hosted our annual Breakfast with Santa on Sunday, December 4th. Thank you to Lions Judy and Debbie for co-chairing our fundraiser. Proceeds from our fundraiser helped support our Silent Santa program.





Email: lions@hllions.org

# **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Our Lions' Club Christmas Party was held on Thursday, December 15th. We exchanged gifts and played Bingo. A great time was had by all.





The Meat Raffle continues every Saturday at Troubles Restaurant at 3:00 p.m. Let Lion Judy know if you can help. If you can help, be there by 2:30.



#### **ICE CREAM SOCIAL**

Thank you to Lions Terry, Donald and LaNette for serving ice cream at the nursing home on Sunday, December 11th.



#### **CONVENTION NEWS**

The District 5M-7 Thirty-Ninth Annual Mid-Winter Convention will be held on January 13, 14, 15, 2017 at the Minneapolis Airport Marriott Hotel in Bloomington, MN. All of our members are encouraged to attend especially the Memorial Service on Friday night as we have lost a member, Lion Nancy. Reservations for hotel rooms must be made directly to the Marriott Hotel by December 26, 2016 for a discounted \$93.00 room rate plus tax. Their number is 952-854-7441 or toll free at 1-800-228-9290. If you need meal reservations, please contact Lion LaNette ASAP.

# WE "GET TO" SERVE

#### **MEETINGS**

Our first meeting of the month will be held on Thursday, January 5th. This will be a potluck meal. We will also judge the Drug Awareness Poster entries. The second meeting of the month will be held on Thursday, January 19th. This will also be a potluck meal.



Happy Birthday to all the Howard Lake Lion members who are celebrating their birthdays in January: Tom Sullivan (2), Dan Judd (8), Darrell Main (12), Terry Thorson (19), and Dennis Massey (31).



#### **Upcoming events:**

Mid-Winter Convention – January 13th, 14th, and 15th Valentine's Day Breakfast Buffet – Sunday, February 12th? Zone Meeting – Monday, February 13th at Huikko's in Buffalo. Social hour 6:30 p.m. Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Lions International – <a href="www.lionsclubs.org">www.lionsclubs.org</a>
Multiple District 5M- <a href="www.lionsmd5m.org">www.lionsmd5m.org</a>
District 5M-7 - <a href="www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/">www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/</a>
5M7 Gram newsletter - <a href="http://www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/page-8.php">http://www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/page-8.php</a>
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