

March 2019

Howard Lake Lions Club



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VALENTINES BREAKFAST BUFFET

The breakfast on February 17th to raise funds for 6 year old Ava Hayden was a great success. She suffers with Cerebral Palsy and has needed new leg braces several times because of growth spurts. Thanks to Lion Debbie for volunteering to chair the event and to all the Lions who helped. Because of all the hard work and generous donations we cleared about \$1000.00. The club voted to match that and made a total donation to the family of \$2000.00. Thanks to Lori Bergh from Love, Inc. and Pastor Koch from St. John's Lutheran Church for getting the ball rolling and for all the support.

DRUG AWARENESS POSTER WINNER

Our club had a winner at the District Convention! Second grader Chloe Kent was the first place winner. Chloe along with her Mom, Cassie, and her Dad, Troy, and siblings Cody, Ryan, and Olivia attended the February 7th meeting to receive her award. She got a nice plaque, a Lions pin, a string of beads, and a check for \$50.00 from the district.



GUEST SPEAKER

PDG Lion Norm Kelzenberg will be giving us a presentation on the Minnesota Lions 5M Hearing Foundation at our March 7th meeting. It is always great to see Lion Norm!

Camp Sweet Life Adventures, Inc.

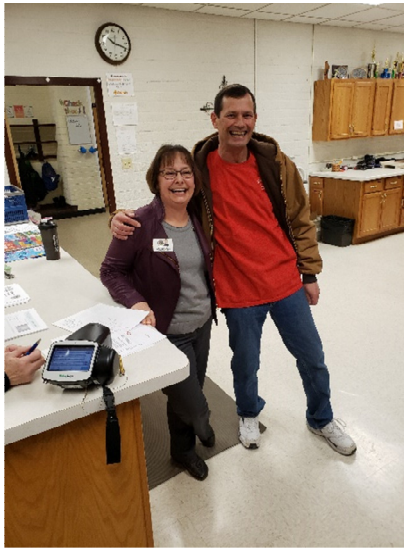
Rene' Maes Jr. was our guest speaker at the Feb. 21st meeting. He gave us a presentation on Type 1 Diabetes and Camp Sweet Life Adventures. The camp will be held at Camp Courage at Maple Lake from August 4th through 8th, the theme this year is "SURVIVOR 2019". It is an overnight camp for ages 8+.

"Connecting, empowering, and transforming kids with Type 1 Diabetes"
For more information go to www.campsweetlife.org.

KIDSIGHT SCREENING

We hosted a KidSight screening on February 26th at St. James School. We screened 29 children. It was a learning experience for us and everything went well. Thanks to Lion Ann Kaduce for bringing the machines and giving us instructions on their use. Thanks to the Lions who helped and to Lion Jason's wife Wendy for giving us a hand.

We will be doing another screening for the ECFE on March 8th at the HLWW High School. We will be setting up between 7:30 and 7:45 a.m. It would be great if we can get a few Lions who were not able to attend the last one to be there to be trained. It is a lot of fun and a great way to serve the community!



Lion Ann Kaduce and Lion Jason



Lions Joyce, Bonnie, Ann, Terry, and Jason, along with Jason's wife Wendy

MEAT RAFFLE

The meat raffle is ongoing. So far we have had good attendance. We need volunteers every Saturday to help out. If you can help please be there around 2:30 to set up.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to the Howard Lake Lion members who are celebrating their birthdays in March: Don Oestreich (10); Denise Oberpriller (17).

HOT DISH SUPPER

There has been some discussion about doing another Hot Dish Supper on March 24th. We will be discussing this at our March 7th meeting. We will need a chairperson, and we will need to hustle to get advertising out.

SPRING AHEAD

Remember to set your clocks ahead on Sunday, March 10th at 2:00 a.m. in the morning.



UPCOMING EVENTS

March 7th – Meeting at 7:00 p.m. potluck meal. PDG Norm Kelzenberg, MN Lions 5M Hearing Foundation

March 10th – Spring ahead! Remember to set your clocks!

March 21st – Meeting at 7:00 p.m. potluck meal.

April 14th – Palm Sunday Breakfast Buffet

LINKS

Lions International – www.lionsclubs.org

Multiple District 5M- www.lionsmd5m.org

District 5M-7 - www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/

5M7 Gram newsletter - <http://www.e-district.org/sites/5m7/page-8.php>

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