

May 2019

Howard Lake Lions Club



WE "GET TO" SERVE

Serving our community for 41 years

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Harvey Krohn

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Judy Mattson

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Denise Oberprilller

Membership:

Karen Hill

Bonnie Weber

Steve Weber

Immediate Past President:

Denise Oberprilller

HOUSE STEPS

Thank you to Lion Craig for providing the materials and labor, and thanks to Lion Tyler for putting the railings together, fabricating, painting, and installing the new railing. It looks great!

GUEST SPEAKER

Nick Haggemiller will be our guest at our meeting on May 2nd to receive our donation towards Lions Park.

PALM SUNDAY BREAKFAST BUFFET AND BAKE SALE

We had a great turnout at our annual Palm Sunday Breakfast buffet on Sunday, April 14th. The proceeds are going to the St. James Youth group to help with expenses for their annual national youth convention. There was a bake sale along with the breakfast. Thank you Lion Terry for chairing the event, and thank you to everyone who helped out. It was a great day!

MN LIONS VISION FOUNDATION

Lion Lyle Goff gave us a great presentation on the Vision Foundation at our April 4th meeting. 2020 will be the 60th year, and so many great things have been accomplished in vision research thanks to the continuing donations from Lions Clubs like ours.



ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Congratulations to our newly elected officers for the upcoming year. New officers are President: Lion Judy, 1st Vice: Lion Gary, 2nd Vice: Lion Craig, 3rd Vice: Lion Jeff, Secretary: Lion Terry, Treasurer: Lion Karen, Board of Directors: Lions Donald, Tyler, Harvey, and Joyce, Lion Tamer: Lion Bonnie, Tail Twister: Lion Jeff, Membership: Lions Bonnie, Steve, and Becky, Immediate past President: Lion Terry.

ROYALTY DONATION

Members of the Howard Lake Royalty were present at our meeting on April 18th. Candidate Kiera and Princess Ari received a check for \$600.00 from the proceeds of our hot dish supper. We also donated \$100.00 to sponsor a candidate, and a \$500.00 sponsorship for the float restoration.



UPCOMING EVENTS

May 2nd – Meeting at 7:00 p.m. potluck meal.

May 12th – Mother's Day

May 16th – Meeting at 7:00 p.m. potluck meal.

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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HAPPY BIRTHDAY to the Howard Lake Lion members who are celebrating their birthdays in May: Paul Schmitz (16); Bonnie Weber (17); Curt Levang (17); Renee Lahr (23).

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. Only a few weeks left until we shut down for the summer.

DONATIONS

We made a \$250.00 donation for the Howard Lake Good Neighbor Days celebration which is June 20 -23, 2019. We also donated \$125.00 to Matt Doughty for Fire Fighters with PTSD Org. He is training service dogs to help battle PTSD.

EASTER EGG HUNT

The annual Easter Egg Hunt was Saturday, April 20th at Memorial Park at 10:00 A.M. We had 254 registered children. Thank you to everyone for all the help. Thanks to Brose Farms and the Howard Lake Sportsmen's Club for donating the Tricycles and Bicycles. Thanks to the Howard Lake Chamber of Commerce for the cash donation. Thank you to all the Howard Lake businesses that filled Easter Baskets for us. They were awesome! Thank you to the Easter Bunny for showing up again this year, and thank you to Lions LaNette and Terry for being chairpersons of the Easter Egg Hunt.



Happy 
Mother's Day