



2023

# Howard Lake Lions Club



## WE "GET TO" SERVE

Serving our community for 45 years

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Debbie Workman

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Gary Hagemann

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Peggy Wick

Membership:

Becky Frank

Debbie McAlpine

Renee Lahr

Immediate Past President:

Craig Brose

### UPCOMING

December 3<sup>rd</sup> – Breakfast with Santa – Lions' Hall 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

December 4<sup>th</sup> – Tree Lighting – American Legion 5:30 p.m.

December 7<sup>th</sup> – Christmas party with potluck meal

December 11<sup>th</sup> – Ice Cream Social at The Lodge

December 21<sup>st</sup> - no meeting



### ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Ice Cream Social at The Lodge. The next event will be on Monday, December 11<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. If you can volunteer to help, please call Lion Gary at **952-270-1088**. Thank you to Lion Gary for chairing our ongoing event.

### MEAT RAFFLE

Call Lion Gary to help. His number is **952-270-1088**

### PEACE POSTERS

Congratulations to our Peace Poster winners. 1<sup>st</sup> place is Tate, his poster has been sent to District Governor Peter Lendway for Judging at the District level. We awarded Tate a gift of \$50.00. Our second place winner is Alivia, she won \$25.00. Thank you to all the students who participated and to Kristi Main for helping the children with their entries. Pictured is Lion Terry, Alivia, Tate, and Lion Gary.



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to the Howard Lake Lion members who are celebrating their birthdays in December: Mallory Hass (1); Joyce Thorson (2), Harvey Krohn (3).



Breakfast with Santa will be held on Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> serving from 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at our Lions Hall. Lion Peggy is our chairperson for our event. We will be doing final hall clean up, setting up for breakfast, and making the sausage gravy starting at 9:00 am on Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### **\*\*Christmas Party\*\***

Our Lions' Christmas Party will be held on Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup>. We will have a potluck meal and a gift exchange. Men bring a gift for a man and ladies bring a gift for a lady. The value should be around \$15.00. This is optional. Also, we will play Bingo for a quarter. Guests and significant others are invited.

**No meeting on December 21<sup>st</sup>.**



## Dictionaries

Members of the Howard Lake and Waverly Lions delivered dictionaries to all the third grade students in our school district. Pictured are Lions Tom Ogle, Dan Graham, Terry Thorson, Debbie Workman, LaNette Thorson, Pat Kittock, President Jeff Wick, Steve Gagnon, and Tim Lepage, along with one of the third grade classes from Waverly. 1<sup>st</sup> two pictures are at Waverly, 3<sup>rd</sup> picture is at Winsted, 4<sup>th</sup> picture is at Holy Trinity, and final picture is at St. James Lutheran School in Howard Lake. It was great to work together with the Waverly Lions on this joint project.



## Donation

Past President Craig presented James Weninger, FFA advisor, with a donation to the HLWW FFA for the work they did rebuilding the steps on the east side of the hall.



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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/)

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

Click the link below to subscribe to receive the 5M7Gram by email –

<https://5m7.us20.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=5508d8db2f8fa2e79810ebf0a&id=6e0038ed6a>

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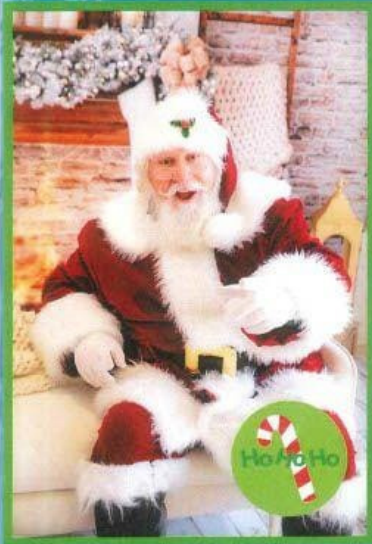




**Come out and support this great event!**



The City of Howard Lake  
along with the  
Howard Lake American Legion  
Howard Lake Lions  
and the  
American Legion Auxiliary  
Presents



# "Santa Claus"

Sponsors will be providing a  
small "Gift Bag" to each child

*Are You On The Nice List?*

**Monday December 4th  
5:30 PM Tree Lighting Ceremony  
In the American Legion Parking Lot**



"Bring Your Own Camera's"  
Santa will be available inside  
after the tree lighting  
for photo's with the children  
and families alike.

Come out for an evening of  
fun and entertainment.

Please Dress Accordingly

**Ho Ho Ho**

