



2025

Howard Lake Lions Club

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Serving our Community for 47 years



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Jamie Gutzmann

Rob Workman

Gary Hagemann

Jeff Wick

Lion Tamer:

Gary Hagemann

Tail Twister:

Peggy Wick

Membership:

Renee Lahr

Rhonda Decker

Donald Oestreich

Immediate Past President:

Darren McAlpine

UPCOMING

NO MEETING on July 3rd

July 14th – Ice Cream Social at The Lodge at 2:00 p.m.

July 17th – Installation of Officers -

Social Hour at 6:00 p.m., Potluck meal at 6:30, Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

August 15th – Music in the Park – Memorial Park featuring Chopper

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Come to The Lodge on Monday, July 14th at 2:00 p.m. to help serve ice cream to the residents. Thank you to Lion Gary for chairing our ongoing event.

LIONS NIGHT AT THE ORPHANS GAME

What a fantastic night! We ordered 300 hamburgers and we sold out within 2 hours and 20 minutes. Thank you to all the Lions who helped with this great fundraiser! Special thank you goes out to Gutzmann Services Lawn and Snow for donating the hamburgers and North Fork Custom Meats for donating the hamburger buns, Lion Craig for his griddle and tables, and to Lion Debbie for her griddle and for using a Kwik Trip donation to purchase the cheese.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

to the Howard Lake Lion members who are celebrating their birthdays in July: Cathy Jo Rufer (16), Tammy Oestreich (21), Darren McAlpine (24), Peggy Wick (28). Belated birthday wishes in May to Rob Workman (7)

MUSIC IN THE PARK

Get ready for Music in the Park on Friday, August 15th at Memorial Park featuring

Chopper, "World's Nuttiest DJ". We will be serving hamburgers and all you can eat sweet corn from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Mark this on your calendar and we will see you there!

OFFICERS FOR 2025 - 2026

Officers for 2025- 2026 are as follows: 3rd Vice President: Lion Craig, 2nd Vice President: Lion Deb M, 1st Vice President: Lion Debbie W, President: Lion LaNette, Treasurer: Lion Karen, Secretary: Lion Terry, Board of Directors for 2 years: Lions Gary and Jeff, Board of Directors for 1 year: Lions Jamie and Rob, Tail Twister: Lion Peggy, Lion Tamer: Lion Gary, Membership for 3 years: Lion Donald, Membership for 2 years: Lion Rhonda, Membership for 1 year: Lion Renee, Immediate Past President: Lion Darren.

Installation of Officers will be on Thursday, July 17th. Please, please attend.

DUES

Dues are due for 2025-2026. The dues are **\$60.00 for individuals** and **\$100.00 for family units**. Our club does not keep any of the dues money, it all goes to the District, Multiple District, and Lions International to fund the many different expenses like conventions etc. Thank you to our loyal members who come to meetings and participate in our pot luck meals that supplement our Administrative Account so we can keep our dues at a minimum.



DONATION

Lion Terry presented April, representing the Good Neighbor Days committee, a donation for Good Neighbor Days. With the help of the Maple Lake Lions, we were able to give them a nice donation.

Congratulations to our Scholarship Recipients



Garret Schlieff
Mary and Brett Schlieff
Howard lake
Alexandria Technical and
Community College



Zachary Thorson
Mike and Heidi Thorson
Montrose
NDSU



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Vintage Flea

Thank you to Lions Peggy and Jeff for setting up a Lion’s booth at the Vintage Flea. They had many visitors and Lions from around the area. Thank you also to Lion Debbie for making the posters.



Lion Susie



Our Lion condolences go out to the family of Lion Susie. Lion Susie passed away on May 30th. Lion Susie joined our Lions Club in October of 2002 and Lion Cathy Jo Rufer was her sponsor. Please keep her family in your prayers.

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Have a Safe
4th of July**