

The HEAD LION-ER

September/October 2006



The sole meaning of life is to serve humanity.



PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Thanks to Lion Glenn Behnke and his committee for the successful completion of our car raffle. Because of their efforts, we raised almost \$28,000. A special thank you to Lion Ollie Burrows and his lovely wife, Ellen, who sold over 1,100 tickets! What a great effort. Lions Candy Day is fast approaching. Oct. 12, 13, & 14 are the days to sell candy and raise money for the Lions of Illinois and our Naperville Noon Lions. The Turkey Trot committee headed by Lion Bill McManus is hard at work preparing for Nov. 23. This is our largest fund raiser and therefore has the largest impact on our ability to serve our community. Be sure to get involved. We have received our first Social Services Report from Lion Bob ordan with 17 new cases to start the new fiscal year. I would like to send many thanks to Lion Bob for his continuing efforts to serve our community through the Naperville Noon Lions. Thank you to all who have helped us serve Naperville and others through the Naperville Noon Lions.

"WE SERVE". (Lion Paul Rewerts)



Club News and Guest Speakers



Operation Support Our Troops was founded to help improve the morale and welfare of members of the armed forces of the United States of America deployed in harm's way. We accomplish our mission by sending care packages - a touch, a taste and a smell of home - as well as personal messages of support, and items that are not readily available to our troops in their deployed locations.

Operation Support Our Troops also supports our wounded service members. The first stop for our wounded soldiers is at Landstuhl Regional Medical Center in Germany. We support them there and continue that support as they journey toward recovery at military installations in the United States.

Our mission is to support our armed forces, wherever they may be and in whatever way possible, so that they can focus on the mission at hand and return safely to loved ones when their job is done.



Car Raffle Wrap Up



- Thanks to all who worked so hard to sell tickets!
- A special thanks to Lion Ollie and Ellen Burrows who once again

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dedicated their summer to this project. They sold a new record of 1127 tickets! Fifteen coming in the week after the drawing. That is a 44.84% of all tickets

- Lions Anderson, Freeland and Jordan once again broke the century mark with ticket sales. Grumpy just missed the 200 mark. Lion Russ did his usual great job with street sales. We sold 81 tickets at our Country Curtain location at Last Fling.
- Lion Sherry Lyden processed almost \$7,000 credit card slips. With her wonderful charm she had to call a few of our friends to get a missing expiration date or a new card since the first one was denied. Great Job!!
- We sold 2513 tickets as of September 12, 2006. That is a few shy of the record 2548 we sold last year. Lion Steve Hetzberg on Eagle Street bridge at 9am Labor Day, me just having finished a running race and Steve dressed in his band uniform prior to the parade kick off to get the 23 tickets he sold to family and friends in Wisconsin was the kind of errot that makes this work.
- Net profit-\$27, 800
- We took in just over \$54,000
- Prizes-\$23,000
- Postage, Printing, -\$3,200

Other Dates to Remember.....

Lion Rewerts will schedule quarterly meeting dates with Spring Meadows on the fourth Tuesday beginning in 2007.

Turkey Trot-Lion Bill McManus reported this is moving along well. We have a contract with Central High School and our insurance is taken care of.



To Lions members who received chevron pins for continuous years of services...



Lion Bird-20 years

Lion Jordan-10 years

Lion Lyden-10 years



SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS AND SERVICE ANNIVERSARIES

The following members have a birthday in **August** and they are:

Lion Maria Wilson-9/1
Lion George Pradel-9/5
Lion Ellen Wolff-9/5
Lion Carl Smith-9/28
Lion Robert Hull-10/21

The following members have a service anniversary in **September/October** and they are:

Lion Virginia Cox-9/14
Lion Nick Stanitz-9/29
Evelyn White-10/1
Steve Hertzberg-10/4
Al Knotek-10/4
Bob Piper-10/14
Shane Beard-10/21
Robert Hull-10/22
Jim Paul-10/26

Best wishes and congratulations to these members. If your information is missing or incorrect please contact **Lion Jane Bowers** to make additions or corrections.



REQUESTS

The following requests for donations were granted at the August board meeting:

- # Social Services Cases 1736-1749
- # Social Services guidelines were approved with some word changes.
- # Over \$45,000 in glasses, hearing aids ect..were donated last year.

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DATES AND PROGRAMS TO REMEMBER

- # 10/2-Turkey Trot meeting, 7:30am @ YMCA.
- # 10/3-Noon Meeting @ Angeli's
- # 10/9-Turkey Trot meeting 7:30am @ YMCA.
- # 10/10-Noon meeting @ Angeli's
- # 10/12/13/14-Lions candy day.
- # 10/16-Turkey Trot meeting, 7:30am @ YMCA
- # 10/17-Noon meeting @ Angeli's
- # 10/23-Turkey Trot meeting, 7:30am @ YMCA.
- # 10/24-Board Meeting, 7:30am @ Beidelman-Kunsch-Noon meeting at John Green's for Turkey Trot work.
- # 10/30-Turkey Trot meeting, 7:30am @ YMCA.
- # 10/31-No Noon Meeting-Fifth Tuesday.



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TREASURER'S REPORT

The Club's income, expenses, and account balances as of August 31 were:

August Administrative Income	\$1,393
August Administrative Expense	\$1,565

August Charitable Income	\$20,037
August Charitable Expense	\$ 2,556
August Charitable Donations	\$8,015

General Account	\$3,399.41
Special Account	\$ 9,859.56
Special Account Money Market	\$25,702.62
Raffle Escrow Money Market	\$184.83
MidAmerica Account	\$124.83
Harold White Special Bond Fund	\$ 75,809.77

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OFFICERS AND CHAIRPERSONS

Officers:

- President – Lion Paul Rewerts
- 1st VP – Lion Bill McManus
- 2nd VP – Vacant
- Secretary – Lion Jane Bowers
- Treasurer – Lion Bill Blecker
- 1-yr Director – Lion Gwen Brewer
- 1-yr Director – Lion Dave Speer
- 1-yr Director – Lion Jim Paul
- 2-yr Director – Lion Glenn Behnke
- 2-yr Director – Lion Don Brown
- Membership – Lion Maria Wilson

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Appointed Positions and Committee Chairs:

Dues Secretary – Lion John Burke
Tail Twister – **Rotating**
Lion Tamer – **At Large**
Chaplain – **At Large**
Social Services – Lion Bob Jordan
Program Director – Lion Gwen Brewer
Publicity – Lion Mike Hollman
Hospitality – Lion Ollie Burrows
Spaghetti Dinner – Lion Don Brown
Ribfest – Lion Steve Hertzberg
Candy Day – Lion Paul Rewerts
Car Raffle – Lion Glenn Behnke
Turkey Trot – Lion Bill McManus

Sight & Sound – Lion Al Knotek
Counter Mints – Lion Steve Hertzberg
Youth Leadership – Lion Jim Paul
Little Friends – **Vacant**
Newsletter – Lion Teddi Abdallah
Webmaster – Lion Rich Cullen



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