

Barker Lions Tale

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Behold, I do not give lectures or a little charity, when I give, I give myself.

-Walt Whitman

Barker Lions Club 2009-2010 Officers

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Board Members

David Bittner, 2 year

Art Harris, 2 year

Lori Mead, 1 year

Mike Feltz, 1 year

Tail Twister Kevin Bittner

Tail Twister Mike Feltz

Lion Tamer Judy Remington

at the Board Meeting...

- Rainbow of Hope: donations have been sent to Floyd Ferguson and Troy Wilson fundraisers.
- Free March Lottery Raffle Tickets to those who turn them all in by February 24 (to the person you got them from). Call Lori B. if you have a problem.
- Thank Yous from Ben Weld's family, Buffalo Braille Group, Spanish/French Club, Niagara Hospice, and Scholarship Achievement Dinner.
- Motion by Art Harris to advertise in the Olcott Lions Polar Bear Booklet. Seconded by Rich Burley
- Lions Club has **2,000 tickets** to sell for the **Raffle**: One ticket for \$5, Three for \$10. **HELP** everyone must help by selling tickets!
- Get a load of the **Prizes**: two quarters of beef, a TV, Dinner for Ten, a Laptop, a gas grill, a Cordless Senco Screw fastening system, a \$50 Sunoco gas card, a \$50 Tops card, a \$50 Budwey card, and a slowcooker.

Death in Them Thar Hills

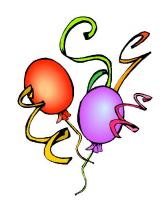
Our 2nd Annual Murder Mystery. **Buy** your **tickets** now! Please donate an item for our **Chinese Auction**: gift certificates, baskets, all items welcome! We have a *fabulous* 5-quart Slow Cooker with dip pot, and an *elegant* Pewter Salad Bowl set.

What can you **donate** – or get donated? **Saturday, April 24** is the date. **Barker Fire Hall** is the place.

December & January Birthdays

You are never too old to set another goal or to dream a new dream.

Friday, February 12 Frank Eldridge
Wednesday, February 17 Tim Herman
Tuesday, March 16 Matt Costello
Wednesday, March 17 Scott Henning



Why We Do Fundraisers:

Our community relies on us and that takes money. We have to raise it somehow. We receive many appeals for help: building ramps, providing glasses and hearing aids, helping other organizations, scholar-ships, helping other Lions Clubs, Lions Camp Badger, etc., etc., etc., etc., etc. And because we have a building, there is maintenance, repairs, etc., etc.

Please do your part by selling what tickets you can.

Dates You Really Want to Remember (for sure)

- Mar. 03 Regular Meeting
- Mar. 10 Board Meeting
- Mar. 14 Pancake Breakfast
- Mar. 17 **FUN NIGHT** with the Gasport Lions—\$15 per person. Corned Beef or Ham.
- Mar. 19 Oldies But Goodies at Buffalo Inner City Club
- Mar. 20 Third Cabinet Meeting. \$10/person
- Mar. 21 Past President's Meeting in the Community Building @ 2:00 p.m.
- Mar. 31 ACM Meeting
- Apr. 24 Murder Mystery Dinner: "Death in Them Thar Hills"
- May 09 Chicken BBQ (in honor of your Mother: Be There!)
- Jun. 02 Scholarship **Interviews** scheduled from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.
- Jun. 06 Chicken BBQ

Pancake Breakfast: March 14th. *Please* be sure to work your shift. If you are unable, contact Lion Jim Bittner.