

Barker Lions Tale

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2008-2009 Officers

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Membership: Dick Corwin
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Board Members:
Art Harris, 1 year
Roger Harrison, 1 Year
Lori Mead, 2 year
Mike Feltz, 2 year
Tail Twister: Scott Henning

Upcoming Events

Nov 19: Blind Seals
Dec 3: Meeting
LCTV
Dec 17: Holiday Party
Jan 7: Special fun
Jan 14: Board meeting
Jan 21: Radio Reading
Service
Feb 4: District Governor
Feb 11: Board meeting
Feb 18: TBA

Mar 11: Board meeting

Mar 28 Mystery Dinner

Mar 4 TBA

Mar 18 TBA

Community Food Bank

From Oct 13 to Dec 10, there will be community food drive. Drop off your non-perishable foods at Thee Barker Store, Perfect Images, HSBC, Watts Landing, Pizza Wings and Things and Marjim Manor. Every Monday Lions members will pick up the items and deliver them to the food pantry. The need is greater than ever. You can also bring items to the Lions Meetings and they will be turned over.

Ornaments for the holiday basket gift donations were passed out at the last meeting. Use your discretion when decided how much to spend.

SPRING FUNDRAISER

Planning meeting: Oct 29, 7 PM, The Winery at Marjim Manor

Whatever your interest - Food, Publicity, Acting, Chinese Auction – please come and participate.

The Fundraising committee is organizing a murder mystery dinner for <u>March 28, 2009</u>. A Chinese auction will be held. Lions members are expected to contribute <u>at least</u> one gift basket. Please solicit donations from businesses you frequent. The more baskets, the better. Lion 1st VP Lori will be coordinating. Get your donations to her.

Future Events



March 16: We've been invited to Wilson for their annual St. Patrick's Day event. Shall we substitute our March 18 meeting?

May 10: Mother's Day Chicken Barbecue

May 19: BCS Chicken Barbecue

November Birthdays

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Barker Lions Club

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BarkerLions.org

Lions International

Vision Statement

To be the global leader in community and humanitarian service.

Mission Statement

To empower volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions clubs.

Lions in the News

Lion Chris Czelusta received an award for being a 4 H Leader for 35 years.

Lion Past President Jim Bittner is the new Niagara County Farm Bureau President. Vice President for that board is Lion Past President Kevin Bittner.

Cheese Sale

Pick up your cheese on Saturday, November 22 between 9 AM and 11 AM at the Lions Community Building.

Holiday Party

Our annual Holiday Gathering will be Wednesday, December 17 at the Winery at Marjim Manor. Significant others are included.

We Get Mail



Our Service has been acknowledged by Lions Norm Capell, Fred Nash, and Beryl Coleman. Faith United Church sent thank you notes for our donation to the food pantry and the chicken barbecue. Our support of the Race at the County Fair was recognized with a certificate.

Membership

While we do have an official membership committee, remember that we are all participants. Guests are always welcome at our meetings and events. It's up to you to bring a new member to Lionism. *The membership committee requests that members attend at least 2 meetings before they submit their application.*