Sterling Heights Lions Club Newsletter

International President Brian Sheehan – "Together we can"

District 11-A2 Governor Shawn Blaszczyk

2022

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

Looking to the Future

October 12th, Meeting starts at 6:30pm
October 14th, Euchre, doors open at 6pm, play at 7pm
October 19th, Board meeting starts at 6:30pm.
ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US PLEASE
October 21st, Penrickton Kick-Off Dinner. This will be held at The Dearborn Inn, A Marriott Hotel. Address is 20301 Oakwood Boulevard, Dearborn, MI. 6:30 Social Hour (cash bar) 7:30 Dinner. The cost is $40.00 Per Person.
October 26th, Meeting, starts at 6:30pm.
**** PLEASE WEAR **ORANGE** **OR** **BLACK** TO THIS MEETING AND SHARE SOME HALLOWEEN SPIRIT. ☺☺☺

YOU MAY HAVE MISSED…

******** WHAT A MONTH IT WAS *******

September 14th Meeting. **Tanya Smith,** Community Relations Coordinator for Gift of Life Michigan
was our speaker.The night was filled with emotions. The foundation is dedicated to promoting and supporting Michigan's donation and transplant community. We had **Barb Mcallister** speak as a donor family. She told her remarkable story what her family did to help others. Listening to her story was truly inspiring. Thank you so very much Barb.
We listened to **Nancy Bobo** and **Annamarie Brewster** speaking about being a recipient family. How it changed their life forever.
Thank you to **Dr Mary Welsh** for setting this up and making it an evening to remember.
We also had **Tom Laabs** join us from Madonna University. Tom is the Assistant Director of Development at Madonna University. The Lions Clubs have donated well over $800,000 to a Lions Endowment Fund! Truly amazing! Madonna University offers students an opportunity to develop American Sign Language skills.

Evening with the Starz. WOW!!! So much fun. So much laughter. Everyone did a fantastic job.Thank you to **Lion Ron Papa** and all his crew who lite up the stage. We even had Elvis in the club.

1ST Annual Tom Klingensmith Memorial Golf Outing. ***SUCCESS***
No other word for it. The weather was remarkable, the golf course was beautiful, everything went amazing. So many people to thank who made this day possible. Thank you **Lion Chuck Mcallister** and your crew for all you did. You know Tom was there in spirit. Below you will see the picture and easel that was presented.

When any money needs to be spent for the club, we must go through the President first to approve.
The cost of our rental hall has increased.
We now will have our dinners from Chef Ramon. Thank you **Lion Lorie Papa** for researching and finding Chef Ramon.
Poker was a success. Thank you to all who helped out.
September 28th Meeting. We had a guest join us. **Chris Winter.** Chris helps with non-profits and does production for his church. Chris was a guest of **Dr.Mary Welsh**. He attended our meeting to see what the Lions are all about. Chris also will be looking at our over all video, audio system. He will give us any feedback, suggestions if changes need to be made.
We had two members share information on themselves. Thank you for sharing to **Lion Mike Digregorio and Lion Karleen Sinelli.**
Lion Joe Welsh spoke about Clubhouse Maintenance. He is getting three quotes for new floring in the clubhouse. More to follow.
We did very well with Canisters last month. Thank you **Lion Joe Croke.**
We had great discussions Brainstorming on service and fundraising projects in the future**. A lot of great ideas were shared.**

LIONESS LIONS

Thank you so very much for the outstandiing attendence of Lioness Lions we had at our September 14th, Lions meeting. This was the Gift of Life and Madonna University speaker night. ***It was so good to see all of you.***

Upcoming events:

October 1st, Annual Scrapbooking and Crafting.

October 5th, Abigayle Ministries Annual Banquet@6:00pm

This will be at Palazzo Grande

October 9th, PDG Jim Leach Appreciation Dinner at Bear Lake

Camp in Lapeer. 1:00pm cost is $30

October 18th, White Elephant with a Twist. Starts at Noon. $20

Donation. Food, fun, games, etc. Bring a

Wrapped gift and some $1 bills for a Twist.

October 20th, Packages for the Military. This will be held at Freedom Hill.

ONGOING COLLECTIONS

Nancy Fantene - Toiletries & items for Christmas boxes

Val Gach/Marilyn Winter - New/used greeting cards

Lorie Papa - New or slightly used stuffed animals

Grace Shalawylo - Used stamps

Lions Club - Used eyeglasses and Hearing Aids

Cynthia Coraci - Can tabs, tennis shoes, any condition

Pat Meadows - Plastic lids and caps-please deposit in the bin in the back room

SUE'S TEAM WORK QUOTE:

VERA LUCKENBACHER

BARB MCALLISTER

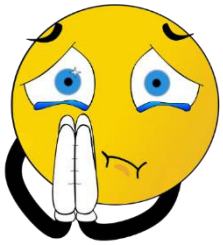
FRANK SINGER

KAREN JOYCE

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY:

BOB VARTO **RICH BRACCI** **RAY HARRISON**

PLEASE PRAY



CINDY KLINGENSMITH

LION HANK CARROLL

LION ROY CECI AND FAMILY

LION MIKE DIGREGORIO

LL DEBBIE BODANYI'S HUSBAND

LL CATHY RIGGS & MOTHER

LION BILL GATTLE

GARY LOOPER (VERY GOOD FRIEND OF LL PAT MEADOWS)

LL PHILLIS WEXLER

LION LORE QUANDT

LION JOE WUNCHEL

LION JIM HARTENS WIFE CORA

LION ROBERT VARTO

******** ALL LIONS AND THEIR FAMILIES ********