

P.O. Box 84 • Brownsburg, IN 46112



In June Maci Tetric, Miss Hendricks County 2015-2016 visited the Brownsburg Lions. She is scheduled to ride in the 4th of July Parade, and she will be at the Lions' dining room and corn tent on the 3rd and 4th of July.

# **July 2016 Newsletter**

#### **MEETINGS**

July 20 at 6:30; Board Meeting:.

*July 27 at 6:30*: Regular Meeting: July 27 is volunteer recognition night. Officers will be installed, and the Lion of the Year will be announced.

"If it is to be, it's up to me."

### **New district Governor For 2017**

Our new District Governor is Ross Draplick from Martinsville. He plans to visit us later in the year.

# **Police Night Out**

Police Night Out against Crime will be on August 2. Contact Lion Gretchen Xinopoulos for details.

# The Lunch Bunch

The Lunch Bunch serving was a success. It occurred on June 21 on the Town Green and was served by Lion Elaine Harrity, **Lidija Rideout**, Angie Ratermann and Lion Tammy Bray. Approximately 300 children received a lunch of chicken nuggets, a cool drink and a book. Thank you Lions for that service.

# **New Club Officers**

Welcome to our newly elected officers, who will be installed on July 27.

President Gretchen Zentz 1st VP Thomas Campbell 2nd VP Steve Renzi 3rd VP Gerald Mozingo Secretary Gretchen Xinopoulos Treasurer Elaine Harrity Lion Tamer Joe Szentivanyi Board Member Paul Morrison Board Member Nick Xinopoulos Board Member Tammy Bray Immediate Past President Larry Whitmore Membership Chair Ray Furner

### **Club Information**

The brochure for the Brownsburg Lions Club is under revision and review. If you have thoughts about how the Brochure should look, make them known to President Larry or Lion Ray.

# Current Club Officers 2015 - 2016

President – Larry Whitmore …1st VP – Gretchen Zentz…2nd VP Dickie Hartley, 3<sup>rd</sup> VP Clayton Smith …..Secretary - Gretchen Xinopoulos…Treasurer - Elaine Harrity…Tail Twister - Denise Mozingo…Lion Tamer - Joe Szentivanyi… Membership chair - Ray Furner…1 year Director Tom Campbell…2 year Director Nick Xinopoulos…3 year Director - Paul Morrison

### **Brownsburg Website**

There is a new events calendar on the Brownsburg Website. This will allow members, and the general public to see what we have planned for the future. Check it out. Go to <a href="www.brownsburglionsclub.org">www.brownsburglionsclub.org</a> and when the home page opens scroll down to the Brownsburg Lions' Calendar and click on it. New events will be added as they become available. Lion events for the next year will soon be available online. If you have an event that should be noted, please send it to Ray Furner, <a href="mailto:furner@ameritech.net">furner@ameritech.net</a>.

#### **Don Acton**

Lion Don Acton is at Manor Health Care in Avon. His room is # 609, Phone # 386-6153. He enjoys hearing from you. Pay him a visit, and take along a package of M&Ms. You'll be glad you did.

### **Cell Phones/Eyeglasses/Hearing Aids**

Brownsburg Lions are still collecting cell phones, chargers and ear-buds. We have found a way to distribute the chargers and ear-buds to service members and to other persons and organizations who need them. The Lions are also sharing in the credit for this distribution. Bring your old phones to our next meeting—even if they are broken, they are still worth \$\$\$ to Lions. We are also collecting hearing aids. Contact Lion Ray Furner for details. Eyeglasses and hearing aids may be deposited in one of the many collection boxes in Brownsburg. Thanks for your help.

### The following Brownsburg Lions hold district or state offices.

Nick Xinopoulos, Chairman of the Board of the Indiana Lions Eye Bank, Inc.

Gretchen Xinopoulos, District 25 C Secretary

Paul Morrison, Sargent at Arms District and State

Billy Chastain, Lions Foundation Trustee and District Nominations and Elections chair.

Ray Furner, Speech and Hearing Trustee

Gretchen Zentz, Administrative Assistant to State Secretary

Larry Whitmore, Reading Action Program Committee Chairman District 25C

These Lions represent incredible diversity and commitment to service. All of Brownsburg should be proud.

### **Dues are Due**

Please remember to pay your dues in a timely manner.

### **Quick Notes**

Please remember to RSVP if you are going to attend a function requiring advanced seating and food ordering. Also check out the Brownsburg Lions Web site at <a href="https://www.Brownsburglionsclub.org">www.Brownsburglionsclub.org</a>. The web address for District 25C is <a href="https://www.IndianaLionsDistrict25C.org">www.IndianaLionsDistrict25C.org</a>.

#### In The News

We would like to recognize our member's birthdays and anniversaries in the newsletter. No ages please, just the month or month and day. If you are having an anniversary and would like it mentioned here call John at 299-6205 with the information or send an email to johns-sueco@sbcglobal.net.

In the case of an illness, surgery, accident or wedding we would like to send a card. This information will not be in the newsletter unless requested.

In the case of the death of a member or spouse, or extended hospital stay we will send flowers. Call Angie at 858-8617. For deceased members "A Lions' Memorial Service" will be provided just contact Angie or the current Lions' president.

The Lions not only help others, we help each other. **WE ARE FAMILY.** If there is a need such as lawn mowing, snow shoveling, bringing in food due to illness, transportation or something else contact Lion Ray at 852-8087.

#### The Leo Club

The Leo Club is accepting recycled aluminum. It can be the pop tabs or complete cans. If you can, please rinse and crush any items you save. If you would like to attend a Leo Club meeting they are held at St. Malachy School. Contact Elaine Harrity.

#### **Mears Automotive**

Remember if you have auto repairs done at Mears, mention that you're a Lion. The club will get a 10% donation based on the cost of your repairs. I understand they do very good work, and it's guaranteed. We received \$1400.00 in donations last year.

## **Bundy Lodge Rental**

Just a reminder, anyone interested in renting Bundy Lodge for a meeting or party should contact Denise Mozingo 317-697-5671, or send an email to <a href="lionsbundylodge@yahoo.com">lionsbundylodge@yahoo.com</a>. Rates are \$100 for the first 4hrs then \$30 for each additional hour. \$300 for weddings. Security deposit required. Club members can rent the hall for a half day for \$50.

**Birthdays** 

**Anniversaries** 

Susan Sabol Doug Ratermann

Do you have information that should be included in the newsletter?

Contact John Sabol 299-6205 or E-Mail Johns-sueco@sbcglobal.net