

LAKEVILLE LIONS CLUB



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A Message from the President

Greeting Fellow Lions,

February is Scout Month. Scouts and Lions share a commitment of service to others, and Lions Clubs across the nation sponsor more than 2,600 Scout units serving more than 72,000 youth. The Lakeville Lions Club sponsors Cub Scout Pack 247 and Boy Scout Troop 247, and we celebrate Scout Month by recognizing Robert Dieterly and Nathaniel Miller, who completed the requirements for the rank of Eagle Scout this past year. We have invited these young men, their parents, the Scoutmaster, and the Troop Committee Chairman to join us for dinner on Tuesday, February 24th. Please join us as we celebrate the achievements of these outstanding members of our community.

The 2009 District Convention will be held Saturday, March 7th, at Christo's Banquet Center in Plymouth. District officers and district trustees for Indiana Lions state projects will be elected at the convention. PDG David Court is running for re-election as trustee for the Indiana Lions Speech and Hearing Project. I am running for re-election as trustee for the Indiana Lions Cancer Control Fund. I am also running for Vice District Governor. PDG Dave and I hope you will come out and support us at the District Convention.

Yours in Lionism, Lion Paul Russell

February Dinner Meeting

The February dinner meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 24th, at the Lakeville United Methodist Church.

<u>Menu</u>

Baked Potato Bar Hot Dogs Smoked Sausage Home-made Chili Sour Cream & Cheddar Macaroni Salad Apple Crisp Beverages

Reservations are required. If you did not sign up for the permanent dinner reservation list, please call Lion Jean Barlow (291-0680) by Sunday, February 22nd to make reservations.

Please bring a donation of canned goods or other nonperishable food items for the food pantry at the church.

Winter 50-50 Contest: The Snow Is Right

Bob Feitz was the winner of the December contest, and collected \$22. Lion Dave Grenert will announce the winner of the January contest at the February dinner meeting, and the winner must be present to collect the prize.

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| Tuesday | Feb 24 | 7:00 pm | Dinner Meeting, Lakeville United Methodist Church |
| Saturday | Mar 7 | | District Convention, Plymouth |
| | | | Lapaz Lions Fish Fry, Lapaz |
| Tuesday | Mar 10 | 7:00 pm | Business Meeting, Scout Hall |
| Tuesday | Mar 24 | 7:00 pm | Dinner Meeting, Lakeville United Methodist Church |
| Friday | Apr 10 | | Lakeville Lions Fish Fry, Newton Center |
| Tuesday | Apr 14 | 7:00 pm | Business Meeting, Scout Hall |
| Fri-Sun | Apr 17-19 | | Indiana Lions State Convention, Merrillville |
| Tuesday | Apr 28 | 7:00 pm | Dinner Meeting, Lakeville United Methodist Church |
| Saturday | May 2 | | Lakeville Town-Wide Garage Sale |
| | | | District Cabinet Meeting, Syracuse |
| Tuesday | May 12 | 7:00 pm | Business Meeting, Scout Hall |
| Tuesday | May 26 | 7:00 pm | Dinner Meeting, Lakeville United Methodist Church |

Lakeville Lions Fish Fry

Our annual Good Friday Fish Fry will be held Friday, April 10th, at Newton Center. PDG Dave Court is the chairman for this year's event. Watch for more information in next month's newsletter.

District Convention

The annual District Convention will be held Saturday, March 7th, at Christo's Banquet Center in Plymouth. District officers and district trustees for state projects will be elected at the Convention. Please use the enclosed registration form to register for the District Convention.

State Convention

The Indiana Lions State Convention will be held Friday-Sunday, April 17th – 19th, in Merrillville. Registration forms are available on the Indiana Lions web site, or at the February dinner meeting.

Lakeville Library Programs

Are you looking for new hobby, or an excuse to get out of the house? You just might find something interesting in these upcoming programs at the Lakeville Library.

Beginning Crochet Spring Break Crafts & Games Herb Container Gardening 4:00 p.m. 11:00 am – 1:00 pm 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm March 4, 11, 18, & 25 March 23 & 27 April 20

For more information, call or visit the Lakeville branch of the St. Joseph County Public Library. The library is located at 120 N. Michigan St. in Lakeville; the phone number is 784-3446.

Thought for the Month

The most worth-while thing is to try to put happiness into the lives of others. -- Robert Baden-Powell

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