



LAKEVILLE LIONS CLUB



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A Message from the President Lion Sharon Feitz

*Life is a series of challenges,
how you will face them is how
you will live your life.*

Please remember the family of **Lion Robert Newton**, who passed away on September 26, 2012. Our club is making a donation to **Newton Park** in his memory.

Please remember the family of **Lion Patricia Clark**, who passed away on October 13, 2012. Funeral arrangements are pending at Johnson-Danielson Funeral Home in Plymouth.

In the past month, our **Operation KidSight** vision screening team, assisted by Lions from other Lions Clubs in St. Joseph County, has provided free vision screenings for more than 700 children at Head Start programs in South Bend and other locations, at several area schools, and at two special events in South Bend. More than 80 of these children - nearly 12% - will be referred for follow-up exams. At some locations, the referral rate was nearly 18%. State-wide, the referral rate is 5-6%, so we apparently have many children in St. Joseph County who have vision problems. Check our **Operation KidSight** calendar <<http://lakevillelions.org/kidsight-calendar.html>> for upcoming screening sessions, then call **Lion Jean Barlow** (291-0680) to volunteer to work on the vision-screening team.

At the October board meeting, **Dictionary Project Chairman Lion Howard Heines** reported that the **Lakeville Lions Club** and **Lapaz Lions Club** distributed dictionaries to 90 third-graders at **LaVille Elementary School**. Lion Howard shared some of the "Thank you" letters which the club received. Lion Howard will be sharing these letters with the Lapaz Lions Club at their monthly dinner meeting on Thursday, November 1st. If you are interested in participating in this visitation, please contact **Lion Sharon Feitz (784-8989)**. Our club distributed an additional 94 dictionaries to third-graders in four private schools on the south side of South Bend. These schools were previously served by the Center Township Lions Club, before that club folded. So far this year, approximately a dozen clubs in our district have distributed dictionaries to nearly 1200 third-graders.

Zone Chairman Lion Vic Fischer will hold a **zone meeting** at the **Madison Township Lions Club** on **Wednesday, October 17th**. If you are interested in attending this meeting, please contact **Lion Sharon Feitz (784-8989)**.

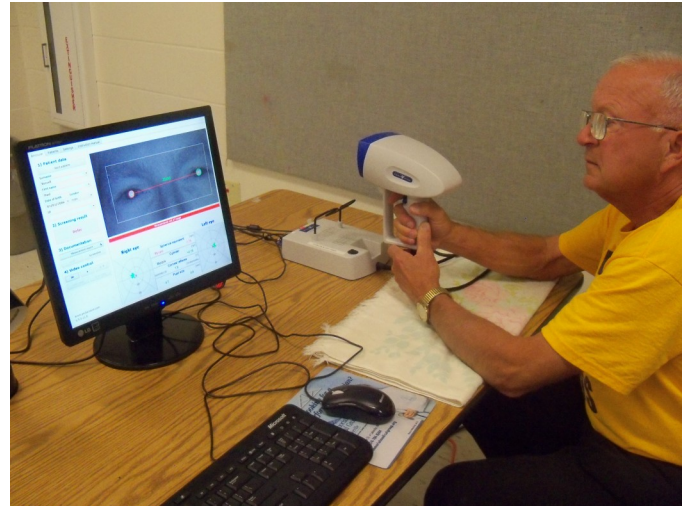
The **October Dinner Meeting** will be held at the **Newton Center** on **Tuesday, October 23rd**. Our guest speaker will be **Mr. Nathan Hooley** with the **Indiana Department of Natural Resources**. If you are planning to attend but are not on the "permanent dinner list", please call **Lion Jean Barlow (291-0680)** by **Sunday, October 21st** to make your reservation. You should also call Lion Jean if you are on the permanent dinner list but will be unable to attend.

We will present a check to **Camp Millhouse** at the **Greene Township Lions Club** dinner meeting on **Thursday, October 25th**. If you are interested in participating in this visitation, please contact **Lion Sharon Feitz (784-8989)**.

Dues are due! If you have not yet paid your dues for the 2012-2013 Lions year, please do so. Dues are \$60 per year for regular members and \$40 per year for family members (members of the same family in the same household). If you have questions about your dues or need to make arrangements for a payment plan, please contact **Secretary-Treasurer Lion Rose Russell** by phone (784-9094) or email (RoseWRussell@gmail.com).



The Lakeville Lions Club provided dictionaries for classroom use for the Special Needs / Life Skills class at Northwood High School. Teacher Debbie Barkey is pictured here with one of her students.



Lion Mike Johnson checks out the equipment prior to a vision screening session for students in the Head Start program at Twin Branch Elementary School in Mishawaka.



Dictionary Project Chairman Lion Howard Heines displays a dictionary for third-graders at one of several private schools on the south side of South Bend.



Thanks to the generosity of Lions Bob and Sharon Feitz, the Lakeville Lions Club planted 22,700 trees, placing the club in the Top 100 Clubs in Planting.

Lakeville Lions Club Blue Polo Shirts

Medium, Large, Extra Large	\$20.00
XX Large	\$22.00
XXX Large	\$24.00

To order shirts, please contact PDG David Court (784-8242).

District 25-G Cabinet Meeting

Hosted by the New Paris Lions

All Lions are Encouraged and Welcome to Attend!

Where: New Paris Sunnyside Park
68546 Clinton St.
New Paris, IN

When: Saturday, October 27

Time: Registration: 11:15 a.m.
Call to Order & Meal 12:00 noon

Menu: Perfection Jello Salad
Pork Medallions
Mashed Potatoes & Gravy
Buttered Green Beans
Dinner Roll
Sunshine Cake
Iced Tea & Coffee

Price: \$10.00 until October 19
\$11.00 October 20-23
\$12.00 at the door
Late reservations or walk-ins only as food is available



Directions: Turn east off SR 15 in New Paris on CR 46 (Market Street.) Turn south on Clinton Street to Sunnyside Park.

Please bring items for a Silent Auction. This helps raise dollars for the District to offset costs. Your help is always appreciated!!!!

Reservations:

Mail your reservations to: DG Ann Haffner
11268 N. State Road 13
Syracuse, IN 46567

1-574-457-3054
ahaffner@kconline.com

Make checks payable to: District 25G

Lions from the _____ Lions Club _____ Enclosed

Lions & Guests Names:

Mark Your Calendar

Wednesday	October 17	7:00 p.m.	Zone Meeting	Madison Township Lions Club,
Tuesday	October 23	6:30 p.m.	Dinner Meeting Guest Speaker: Nathan Hooley Indiana Dept. of Natural Resources	Newton Center
Thursday	October 25	7:00 p.m.	Visitation to Greene Township Lions Club Lion Sharon will present a check to Camp Millhouse	Greene Township Community Center
Saturday	October 27	12:00 p.m.	District Cabinet Meeting	New Paris, IN
Saturday	October 27	7:00 p.m.	Halloween Walk	Newton Park
Wednesday	October 31	7:00 p.m.	Lakeville Lions Club Community Halloween Party	Newton Center
Thursday	November 1	6:30 p.m.	Visitation to Lapaz Lions Club	Lapaz Lions Den
Tuesday	November 13	7:00 p.m.	Board Meeting	Scout Hall
Tuesday	November 27	6:30 p.m.	Dinner Meeting	Newton Center
Saturday	December 1	8:00 a.m.	Toys for Tots Blitz Day	Dave's Garage
Saturday	December 8	10:00 a.m.	Pictures With Santa	Lakeville Library
Saturday	December 15	8:00 a.m.	Toys for Tots Distribution Day	Newton Center

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