

LAKEVILLE LIONS CLUB

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Message from the President

We have had a busy summer and I would like to thank all the Lions, family members, and friends who worked at the Potato Creek and Strawberry Festival, our food booth at the St. Joseph County Fair and the Michiana Kennel Club Dog Show, the Picnic in the Park, the Flea Market, and other events. We could not have done these projects without your help.

Yours in Lionism, Lion Jim Tillman, President Lakeville Lions Club

LaVille Leo Club: At the last dinner meeting on August 25th, we had a presentation about Leo Clubs. Lion Alan Earl from Argos Lions Club was the presenter. He gave us a pretty positive view on what benefits a Leo Club would have on our community and our club. He explained some of the things that would need to be done for this to happen. The superintendent and high school principal from LaVille High School were both in attendance. Their reaction was pretty positive. A Leo Club would be another way we can help our community. If you are interested in being a part of exploring the possibility of our club setting up a Leo Club, please let me know. We will then set up meetings with the school corporation and invite Lion Alan Earl to help us walk through the steps. See you at the September 22nd dinner meeting. Yours in Lionism, Llon Bob Court

Dictionary Project: Lion Howard Heines reports that 92 dictionaries were distributed to third-graders at LaVille Elementary School by the Lakeville Lions Club and the Lapaz Lions Club. He also reported that the Lakeville Lions Club distributed 87 dictionaries to third-graders in four private and parochial schools on the south side of South Bend, and provided 24 dictionaries to the Union Township Trustee for distribution to home-schooled children in our community.

Flea Market: The old Lakeville 84 Lumberyard on Saturday, Sunday and Monday of Labor Day Weekend, 2015, was the site of a Flea Market. Almost 30 vendors participated with many antiques and gently used items too numerous to count. Lions Club members and non-members, as well, donated hundreds of items. Scout Hall was utilized to store, sort and tag all of the donations before going to the sale. Eight tables were set up during the sale, as well as, a lot of floor space. It was a very hot and muggy time to sort, sell and pack up afterward. A vendor who participated only for a day generously gave us their leftovers so we sold and acquired more items! Thank you to each and every one of you who gave your time and effort to make the sale so successful. We raised just over \$500 thanks to all of you.

The unsold items were boxed up and are being stored for the fall sale at the United Methodist Church in October.

Lion Dee Milzarek

Indiana State Fair: On behalf of the Indiana Lions Foundation, Lion Rose Russell would like to thank the following members of the Lakeville Lions Club who worked as ticket sellers and ticket scanners at the 2015 Indiana State Fair: Lion Bob Court, Lion Bob Feitz, Lion Max Feitz, Lion Sharon Feitz, Lion Jim Foster, Lion Darcy Gardner, Lion Jennifer Gardner, Lion Mike Johnson, Lion Larry Ort, PDG Paul Russell, Lion Jim Tillman, and Lion Anne Weber. The funds raised by this project are used to provide matching grants of up to \$750 to Lions Club throughout the state of Indiana to support their local community service projects. The Lakeville Lions Club received a \$750 grant from the Foundation which was used for the recent project to replace a picnic pavilion in Culp Park.

Address Change: Lion Ruth Whaley has moved to Bremen. Her new address is: 515 S. Whitlock, Apt. N-1; Bremen, IN 46506. Her new phone number is 574-546-3330.

Mark Your Calendar

Sep 17-19		USA/Canada Lions Leadership Forum	Grand Rapids, MI
Tue, Sep 22	6:30 pm	Dinner Meeting	Newton Center, Lakeville
Mon, Oct 5	6:00 pm	Cub Scout Raingutter Regatta	Lakeville Fire Station, Lakeville
Tue, Oct 13	7:00 pm	Board Meeting	Scout Hall, Lakeville
Tue, Oct 27	6:30 pm	Dinner Meeting	Newton Center, Lakeville
Sat, Nov 7		Indiana Lions Fall Conference	Plainfield, IN
Tue, Nov 10	7:00 pm	Board Meeting	Scout Hall, Lakeville
Fri, Nov 13		Spaghetti Dinner	Newton Center, Lakeville
Sat, Nov 21		District Meeting	
Tue, Nov 24	6:30 pm	Dinner Meeting	Newton Center, Lakeville

September Dinner Meeting: The September Dinner Meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, September 22nd, at the Newton Center. If you are planning to attend this meeting, but are not on the permanent dinner list, please call Lion Jean Barlow (574-291-0680 or 574-514-6310) by Sunday, September 20th to make a reservation. If you are on the permanent dinner list, but will be unable to attend, please call Lion Jean Barlow by Sunday, September 20th to cancel your reservation.

Cub Scout Raingutter Regatta: Volunteers are needed to serve as judges for the Cub Scout Pack 247 Raingutter Regatta on Monday, October 5th. If you can help, or if you need more information, please call Lion Jim Tillman (574-291-6437 or 574-360-5705).

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