



Lion Tracks



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May Meetings

May 12: Club Meeting/Executive Board Meeting – Tait’s Gathering Room – 6:00 p.m.

Chicken Especial, potatoes, vegetables, salad, bread, dessert and beverages will be our meal for this meeting. The price remains \$15 including tax and tip. RSVP your attendance to Lion Connie if you haven’t already done so. 989-739-4459. Lion Mary Jo will enjoy the free meal.

Congratulations to Lion Julie, the 50/50 jackpot winner on April 28th. She received \$524 when she found the Joker. We’ll begin a new Progressive 50/50 at this meeting. Buy a ticket, find the Joker and you can take home the cash.



May 26: Club Meeting – Tait’s Gathering Room – 6:00 p.m.

The menu for this meeting will be announced at the May 12th meeting.

Our guest will be a representative from Consumers Energy. A brighter tomorrow starts with cleaner energy today. Find out what the utility is working toward.



River Road Clean-Up Scheduled

The first River Road Trash Bash is scheduled for Thursday, May 19th. Meet at the OHS parking lot at 6:00 p.m. and Lion Tony will give directions as to the areas of the byway that will be cleaned up. If you would like to pick up trash prior to that time just let Lion Tony know the area that you have completed.

Additional dates for road pick-up are July 21st and September 15th. Mark your calendar.

Sight and Hearing Sweepstakes Concluding

The month of May began with 602 tickets having been sold. On April 22nd and 23rd the sales crew at Neiman's Market sold 120 tickets and collected \$400 in donations which added an additional 40 tickets in the club's name. This weekend, May 6th and 7th, will be the last over-the-counter sales at Neiman's Market. Thanks to everyone who has helped make the sales successful.

If you have outstanding tickets and/or money Lion Wayne will need them by May 7th in order to allow ample time to get the tickets mailed to the Lansing office for the May 21st drawing at the MD 11 State Convention.

LIONS OF MICHIGAN FOUNDATION COOKBOOKS FOR SALE

The Lions of Michigan Foundation has collected recipes from around the state, created a cookbook and is selling them as a fundraiser. Our club has twenty cookbooks for sale, each cookbook priced at \$20.00. Our club will receive \$5.00 for each book sold. Lion John Novak has the cookbooks and is looking for buyers.



Tuesday, June 7th

American Legion Hall * Noon - 5:45

Make an appointment today.

Workers are needed to help set up at 10:30 a.m. and to disassemble and pack up at 6:00 p.m. Let Lion Jane know if you can help.

Special Lion Thoughts

Expressions of sympathy are extended to Lion Ruth Grant and her family. Thom Grant passed away recently after a long illness.

Lion Gary wishes to thank everyone for the many phone calls, cards and good wishes sent to him during his lengthy illness. He looks forward to seeing you at the next Lions meeting.



OHS Scholarships Awarded

Lions Bill G., Jane, Nancy and Mary Jo have completed reviewing all of the scholarship applications and have forwarded the recipients' names to the education foundation for the two \$1,000 scholarships provided by the Oscoda Lions. The names will be announced at the school's awards program on May 18th.

******* Board Business *******

The club will make a donation to the Oscoda Education Opportunity Foundation in memory of Thom Grant, Lion Ruth's husband.

Club activities in April:

- The April 5th blood drive reached its goal.
- The Texas Hold 'Em Poker at the American Legion on April 14-16 added \$1,103 to the club activities fund.

Oscoda Township has applied for a grant to upgrade Oscoda Beach Park which would include increasing the size of the Splash Pad. The Oscoda Lions partnered with the township to build the original Splash Pad. Do we want to support this project again? If you have an opinion, share it with a board member. The executive board will discuss this proposal after the general meeting on the 12th.

The Installation of Officers for 2022-2023 club year will take place on June 22nd. Lion Connie has agreed to chair this event. She would like help with the organization of this special evening. Contact her to get involved. Information as to the location of the meeting, the meal and cost will be announced in the near future.



Do you know why there is a celebration on this day?

Cinco de Maya commemorates the Mexican army's victory over Napoleon III's French army at the Battle of Puebla on May 5, 1862. Bring on the guacamole!!!



May 6-7: Sight and Hearing Ticket Sales – Neiman’s Market



May 8:

May 12: Club Meeting – Tait’s Gathering Room – 6:00 p.m.

May 20-21: MD 11 State Convention – Auburn Hills Marriott, Pontiac

May 26: Club Meeting – Tait’s Gathering Room – 6:00 p.m.



May 30:

June

June 7: Blood Drive – American Legion – Noon-5:45

June 9: Club Meeting/Executive Bd. Mtg. – Tait’s Gathering Room – 6:00



June 19:

June 21: Summer Solstice – 5:13 a.m. Sunrise 6:24 a.m. / Sunset 8:34 p.m.

June 22: Installation of Officers and Club Meeting – 6:00 p.m.

June 24-25: Art on the Beach