

THE MANE TALE

The monthly newsletter of the Norwalk Lions Club

JANUARY 2019



Norwalk Lions Club, Inc.

Meetings: 6:00 PM on 2nd & 4th Tuesdays
at Berry's Restaurant, Main Street, Norwalk
P.O. Box 92, Norwalk, Ohio 44857

Board and Officers:

President: Ken Leber

First Vice President: Jim Maul

Second Vice President: Cindy Penza

Past President: John Flickinger

Secretary: Dick Boose

Treasurer: Carole Babcanec

Lion Tamer: Diana Slauterbeck

Tail Twister: Jim Maul

Membership: Jon Ewell, Bob Slauterbeck,
Bob Berry

Beer Sales: Jay Ewell, Jon Ewell, Ed Leroux

Sight & Hearing: Carol Hartzell, Jim Maul,
Jon Zahler

Lion's Park: Ken Leber

Programs: Keith Kovarik

Parade: John Flickinger

Two Year Directors: Arthur Pember, Jeff
Little, Ed Leroux, Wayne Babcanec

One Year Directors: Carol Hartzell, Bob
Slauterbeck, Doug Gates, Bob Berry

Newsletter: Amy Little

Scholarships: Wayne Babcanec, Jim Hage-
meyer.

Budget and Finance: Linda Bersche, Carole
Babcanec, Wayne Babcanec, Ken Leber

Projects: Jay Ewell, Arthur Pember

Nicaragua: Jonathan Christman, Art Pember,
Jim Maul

Audits: Doug Gates

Dropoff Eyeglass Boxes: Dick Boose

UPCOMING MEETINGS

January 22: Norwalk Mayor, Rob Duncan will speak about the "State of the City."

February 12: Jay Gray from "Pilot Dogs" will be coming from Columbus.

February 26: Carolyn Brook from District will be visiting. (We are part of District 13-OH2 in Ohio.)

March 12: Jane Daniels from Stampede of Dreams.

March 26: Officer of the Year Awards

April 9: Dennis Doughty from St. Paul Catholic Schools.

April 23: TIPS Training: If you work the beer booths at Summit Motorsports, PLEASE be sure to attend the TIPS training.

Have an idea for a program? Contact Keith Kovarik at keith.kov@hotmail.com

We have FOUR reading machines available for people who might benefit from having them. Talk to Carol if you know anyone.

Mission statement: To empower volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions clubs.

Vision statement: To be the global leader in community and humanitarian service.

Organizational statement: We Serve. We have more volunteers in more places than any other service organization in the world. We are friends, neighbors and leaders ready to help our communities grow and thrive.



WE SERVE

BOARD APPROVED FUNDING

At the January 8th Board Meeting, several projects were approved for funding:

- St. Paul School “Friends for the Future”: \$200.00
- Abigail Ministries (in 2019 budget): \$100.00.



Find us on **Facebook** at Norwalk Ohio Lions Club! Like us and help spread the word as we continue to serve the Norwalk area for the past 73 years!

“The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others.”
- Mahatma Gandhi

ARE YOU INTERESTED?

We have received invitations for some upcoming events. Talk to Dick Boose if any of these opportunities seem like something you would enjoy doing:

- The United Fund’s Annual Steak Feed & Auction: February, 14, 2019. Cost is \$40.00 per person / \$75.00 for two at the Bronson-Norwalk Conservation Club. RSVP by February 1st to by calling 419-668-0269.
- Huron County Community Foundation Grants Event: Thursday January 24th from 4:30-6:00 PM @ 16 West Main Street (Uptown Norwalk). RSVP BY January 20th to [mskinn@peoplewhocare.org](mailto:mस्कinn@peoplewhocare.org).
- Savannah Lions 75th Charter Night: February 16th at 5:00 PM.



Did you happen to see this stamp from India that commemorates 100 years of Lions Clubs International?

Namaste!

Below: The Centennial Service Challenge was to reach 100,000,000 people! Check out how many were served!

