



Lion Tracks



Peggy Clarke, President

June 2021

Mary Jo Rehberg, Editor

June Meetings

Executive Board Meeting: The board will meet at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 10th at the home of Lion President Peggy, 5604 Weir Road, Oscoda.

Club Meeting and Installation of Officers: This meeting will be held at the Oscoda United Methodist Church at 6:00 p.m. The menu will be available at a later date. The annual installation of Lions Club officers and board members will take place after the meal. Special awards will also be presented at that time.

Club Officers for 2021-2022

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| President | Peggy Clarke | At-Large Directors | Gary Rehberg, John Novak |
| 1 st Vice President | Dirk Hunt | Global Service Chair | Mary Jo Rehberg |
| 2 nd Vice President | Dustin Clare | Tail Twisters | Sue Bovan, Eileen Palmer |
| Secretary | Eleanor Hunt | Lion Tamer | Bill Gaines |
| Treasurer | Julie Burrell | Global Membership Chair | Bill Palmer |
| 2 Year Directors | Andrea McCaffrey | Programs Director | Jane Meyer |
| | Kay Gaines | Global Leadership Chair | Wayne Schultz |
| | Bobbi Kopko | | |
| 1 Year Directors | Marilyn Papworth | | |
| | Bob Visser | | |
| | Yvonne Mallak | | |



Club Dues are Due

Club dues for July 1st to December 31st are \$50 and should be submitted to Lion Eileen before the end of the month. Checks can be mailed to the Oscoda Lions Club, P.O. Box 38, Oscoda.

Sight and Hearing Sweepstakes Concludes

Another successful raffle ticket sales effort this year has resulted in 773 tickets being sold. Our club will receive \$5.50 for each ticket sold which will add \$4,251 to our treasury for use with various community projects. Thanks go to all who sold tickets and a special thanks to Lion Wayne for all of his efforts to make this a success again this year.

“Five K” Raffle Set to Begin

Our biggest fundraiser is set to begin at Art on the Beach and will conclude at 3:00 p.m. on October 2nd at the Lions Club Arts and Crafts Festival at Oscoda High School. Lion Chuck is chairing the fundraiser and will need lots of Lions to sell tickets personally and to help at the various over-the-counter ticket sales that are planned. Along with Art on the Beach ticket sales are scheduled at Neiman’s Market, Roger’s Ace Hardware, the Fourth of July picnic, at the finish line of the Canoe Marathon, Rockfest, and the Paul Bunyan Festival.

The prizes are fantastic again this year. Five \$1,000 cash prizes will be awarded. The goal is to sell all 3,000 tickets to maximize profits. Tickets for sale by club members should be available at the club meeting on June 24th.



Fourth of July Community Picnic

The Eighth Annual 4th of July Picnic at the Oscoda Beach Park is sponsored by the Oscoda Lions and Rotary Clubs. We will be selling hot dogs, chips, apple pies, Rice Crispy Treats, orange drink and pop from 5 – 7 p.m. with all items being priced at 50 cents.

There will be lots of games for the kids and free tattoos for all who attend.

Lions will be needed to work with Rotary members to serve the hot dogs, treats and drinks. There will be a sign-up sheet at the meeting on the 24th. Come to help and to enjoy the fun.

Lions Club Scholarships are Awarded

We are pleased to announce the selection of Jarod Goodson and Sophia Rayes as recipients of the Oscoda Lions Club scholarships. Jarod will attend ACC/U of M to study secondary education with an emphasis on math. Sophia will also attend U of M to study secondary education with a major in English. Lion Nancy presented the scholarships at the Senior Awards Night.

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Our ramp crew continues to do fine work. Lions Tony, Bill G. and Chuck completed this ramp on May 13 and 14 for an Oscoda resident who has suffered a stroke. The project included a 6 X 10' platform, a 4 X 25' walkway and a 4 X 16' ramp. Two veterans' organizations provided the funds for the project.

### **Oscoda Blood Drive Facts**

Between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021 Oscoda blood drives have collected 285 pints of blood. This has the potential to impact up to 855 lives as each unit is comprised of three products (platelets, plasma, red cells). One donation may touch up to three lives.

Thanks go to all the Lions who helped to make the recent drive on June 1<sup>st</sup> a success.



*River Road Trash Bash #2*

*Thursday, July 15<sup>th</sup>*

*Meet at Oscoda High School parking lot - 6:00 p.m.*

### **Notes of Interest:**

Lions Wayne and Lewis will organize and lead a leadership training session for all interested Lions Club members. More information will be available at a future meeting.

A White Cane Drive is being planned for July or August. Lion Julie will be contacting area businesses and will be organizing a schedule. Stay tuned!



June 10: Executive Board Meeting - Lion Peggy's Home - 7:00 p.m



June 14:



June 20:

and

Summer Solstice - 11:31

June 24: Club Meeting - Installation of Officers  
Methodist Church - 6:00 p.m.

June 26-27: Art on the Beach



July 4:  Parade at 1:00, Picnic at 5:00;  
Fireworks at dusk

July 8: Executive Board Meeting - 7:00

July 9-10: Ticket Sales at Roger's/Ace Hardware

July 15: River Road Clean-Up - OHS Parking Lot - 6:00 p.m.

July 22: Club Meeting

July 25: Canoe Marathon Finish Line - Ticket Sales