

November 10: Oscoda Methodist Church Fellowship Hall – 6:00 p.m.

Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings is being prepared by Lions Kay and Andrea and lots of help with accompanying dishes furnished by Lion members. Club members and guests will enjoy this delicious meal that will include all of your favorite Thanksgiving dishes. The price of the meal is \$15.00. <u>Reservations need to be made to Lions Connie – 739-4459 or email pappaeddie@charter.net</u> - if you haven't already indicated your attendance. Special guests will attend and special awards will be presented. Lion Wayne will enjoy the free meal.

Members are asked to bring items to support the Free Pantry at the Methodist church. Much needed items include personal care items such as bath and shower soap, deodorant, shampoo, other personal hygiene products along with household goods including detergent, toilet paper, paper towels and dish detergent.



December 8: Lions / Rotary Christmas Gala – Lakewood Shores Beach Club

This year's Christmas celebration will be a combined gathering of Lions and Rotary club members and guests. We look forward to a joyous evening of fun and celebration. Social hour will be held from 5:30 – 6:30 with dinner being served buffet style at 6:30. The cost of the dinner is \$27.00 with drink tickets sold at the bar with the prices of beer \$3.00, wine and mixed drinks \$5.00 and soft drinks \$2.00. Coffee will be available. Dinner will include tossed salad, carved roast sirloin, garlic potatoes and gravy, fresh green beans, rolls with butter and dessert. Each club will provide desserts.

Directions to Lakewood Shores Beach Club: Take U.S. 23 north (4.5 miles north of the Catholic Church). Turn west on Aaron Drive. Follow Aaron Drive to the Beach Club entrance. The parking lot is left upon entry and there is parking by the Beach Club.

Children's Christmas Party

The Lions Club Children's Christmas Party will be held at the Oscoda United Methodist Church on December 3. Santa will be there between 4:00 - 5:30 to spend time with the children. Each child will receive a Christmas stocking filled with lots of goodies. Children will each have time to visit with Santa and share their secret wishes with him. Lion Andrea is organizing Santa's visit and will be asking for your help in several ways. Gift bags will need to be prepared prior to Santa's visit and Lion elves will be needed to set up before the party and supervise the kids as they wait to see Santa. Lion Andrea will have a sign-up sheet available. Additional groups will be providing crafts and activities for the kids in the church fellowship hall. Santa encourages you to join the fun.



Northern Lights Parade

The Lions Club float will once again provide Santa's transportation through Oscoda on the evening of December 3. The Northern Lights Parade begins at 6:00 with lots of brightly lighted floats and festive walkers to welcome the holiday season to our community.

Blood Drive Thursday, December 1st Oscoda United Methodist Church Noon – 5:45

Members are needed to help set up at 10:30 a.m. and to help disassemble and pack up the equipment at 6:15. Donors are always welcome. Appointments can be made with the Red Cross.

Save a life – Give Blood

We return to Eastern Standard Time on Sunday, November 6th. Remember to FALL BACK!!

Veterans Day – Friday, November 11th

Originally designated as Armistice Day by Woodrow Wilson in 1919 to commemorate the signing of the treaty ending World War I, it was made a legal holiday by an act of Congress on May 13, 1938. President Eisenhower requested that the name be changed to Veterans Day to recognize all members of the armed services.

Celebrate the millions of veterans for their patriotism, love of country and willingness to serve and sacrifice for the common good.



Handicap Ramp Project

On Wednesday, November 2nd Lions Tony, John, Ann and Chuck built a 5' X 10' platform and a 22' ramp for a veteran and his wife. The crew tore off an old ramp and steps that had become very unsafe and the homeowners had trouble using them to access their home. The losco County Veterans Assistance office paid for the materials for the project. The homeowners were very appreciative of the work that was completed.



Nov. 6: Return to EST – Fall Back

Nov 10: Club Thanksgiving – 6:00 Methodist Church

Nov. 15: Happy Hunting



Dec. 1: Blood Drive – Methodist Church

Dec. 3: Kids' Christmas Party - 4 – 5:30 Methodist Church

Dec.3: Northern Lights Parade – 6:00

Dec. 8: Lions/Rotary Christmas - 5:30

Dec. 25: Merry Christmas

Nov. 24: Happy Thanksgiving