

Oscoda, MI

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Lion Tracks



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October Meetings

October 14: Club Meeting – Tait’s Gathering Room – 6:00 p.m.

Dinner at this meeting will be a half slab of ribs served with baked beans, cole slaw, potato salad and dessert. The price remains \$15.00 including tax and tip. RSVP your attendance to Lion Connie if you haven’t already done so (989-739-4459 or pappaeddie@charter.net).

This will be a business meeting for the club that will include updates on the 5K Raffle and the Arts and Crafts Festival. There will be discussion of upcoming events and a chance to ask questions. The Progressive 50/50 continues to grow. With 14 cards remaining you’ll have a chance to take home some cash if you can find the Joker when your number is called.

An Executive Board meeting will follow the regular meeting.



October 28: Club Meeting – Tait’s Gathering Room – 6:00 p.m.

Another club favorite, baked cod served with lemon herb butter, will be served along with baked potatoes, vegetables, salad bar and dessert.

Our guest will be Dee Cunningham who will share information about the Christian Women In Action and how they provide service to the community.

Lions Leadership Institute

The Leadership Institute Committee is pleased to announce that the annual Michigan Lions Leadership Institute will be held November 5-7, 2021 at the MacMullan Training Center on Higgins Lake. Why should you attend? The three day training provides an opportunity to improve your leadership skills, to engage in conversation with club members from around the state and to enjoy really good food.

The deadline to apply is October 8th. Applications will be available from Lion Peggy and Lion Ele and are accessible on the Lions of Michigan website, www.lionsofmi.com.

The Leadership Institute is well worth your time.

Five K Raffle

The Paul Bunyan “Five K Raffle” was a tremendous success with all 3,000 tickets sold. Lion members sold 717 tickets, 24% of the total and Over-the-Counter sales added 2,283 tickets sold, 76% of the total. Thanks to Lion Wayne’s cash donation jar another \$1,208.76 was added. There were a total of twenty sponsors who donated \$3,900. All of this adds up to \$18,630.78. After the prizes are awarded, over \$13,000 will be added to our activities budget to support our many community projects.

The drawing was held on October 2nd at the Arts and Crafts Festival. \$1,000 checks will be mailed to a very happy Von Mallak, Dave Hill, Tawas City, Sandra Pollis, Sterling Heights, Todd Davis, Tawas City and Stephanie Hutchinson, Louisville, Kentucky.

Thanks go to all the Lions who helped make this a super success, especially Lion Chuck who organized the event and kept us all on track. Special thanks also go to Alice and Taylor Rumsey for helping with the drawing.



Alice and Taylor drew the winning tickets.



Lion Von was a very happy \$1,000 winner.



River Road Cleanup

The final River Road cleanup of the season was held on September 16th. Eleven Lions worked to put the beauty back in the byway. Bud Light was the favorite item to be discarded along the road. Thanks to everyone for your efforts throughout the months of this project, especially Lion Tony who kept us organized.

Fall Festival Arts and Crafts

The 20th Annual Fall Festival Arts and Crafts Show on October 2nd was attended by about 900 visitors. The commons area and the gym of Oscoda High School were filled with eighty vendors offering a wide variety of crafts and foods with many non-profit groups participating. A final reporting of the event will be made at the club meeting.

Many thanks go to the many Lions who helped make this event a success – from marking booths, to assisting vendors, to staffing the kitchen, to the final clean up – all is appreciated. Special thanks go to Lion Andrea for organizing and preparing the meals and keeping the kitchen crew on task and special, special thanks go to Lion Von and Lion Jane for their year-long efforts to make this a great show.



Dick Dean's beautiful cards with stitching embroidery were sold at the Lions booth. Dick donated the sales to our club. Lions Andrea and Sarah were kept busy preparing lunches and delivering them to vendors.



The high school commons and gym were full of vendors and lots of shoppers.

Board Business

The board approved a \$50 appreciation gift to PDG Rod Leathers. Lions Wayne and Carole attended the picnic at Central Lake and delivered the gift.

Thanks to Lion Newana our club banners have all be updated and are ready to be displayed.

The “Souper Supper” is planned for February 18th at Oscoda High School.

The Lions Club will be hosting the poker room in January, February and Easter weekend. Lion Kay will do the scheduling and announce the dates of our participation.



October

October 11: Columbus Day – A Federal Holiday

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October 31:

November



November 5-7: Lions Leadership Institute – Higgins Lake

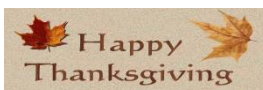


November 7: Daylight Savings Time Ends -

November 11: Club Meeting – Location to be announced.



November 11:



November 25: