District 11 - A2

District Governor Rhonda Furby

Official Theme: "Serve to Live, Live to Serve"

1st VDG Mark Scicluna 2nd VDG Jamie Lucero

Region Chairperson Jim Lykins Zone Chairperson Richard Rhoades

International President Fabrício Oliveira – Official Theme "Make Your Mark"

Lake Orion Lions Club Lake Orion, Michigan President Pam Kline

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LAKE ORION LIONS NEWSLETTER



OUR NEXT MEETING WILL BE THE JULY BOARD MEETING ON JULY 17th, AT PRESIDENT PAM'S HOUSE. SEE BELOW FOR DETAILS



OUR PREZ SEZ:



I am both honored and excited to be your new president. We are starting a new year with an amazing group of Lake Orion Lions Club members. Many of you are old-timers with years of history and experience to share and many of you, I am excited to say, are newer members willing to make our club shine brighter with your enthusiastic desire "To Serve." One of the important traits that contribute to our success as a club is our effective communication. I would like to see us continue to strive to improve and grow our club. We need to share with all our membership and the community what we do and why we do it. One way you as

members you can help, even those unable to attend many meetings or events, is to share our lions club information whenever possible. It could be as simple as sharing a Facebook post about an upcoming or recent event or identifying a friend or acquaintance that might make a good Lions. Have them attend a meeting or check out our website.

We just had another successful Jubilee. I want to especially thank the Jubilee event chairs, Dan Hartwell, Chris Ophus and Roger Brodeur, who not only took time off work to manage the Jubilee and beer tent, but they nearly lived in the Village of Lake Orion from Thursday through Sunday, to pull off the event. I was delighted to see so many of our Lake Orion Lions Club members, especially many of our newer ones, show up providing the necessary support to make the entire event the perfect way to kick off the summer and help the club raise money for our charities.

I am looking forward to kicking off my new year as president with a pot-luck picnic at the first regular meeting on September 4th in the pavilion of the Orion/Oxford Fraternal Order of Eagles located at 317 W. Clarkston Road in Lake Orion. We will send out more information as we get closer to event.

Yours in Lionism President Kim

CLUB NEWS & INFORMATION:

July Board Meeting: Our July Board Meeting will be held on the beautiful shores of Lake Orion! President Pam is hosting the meeting at her house. The address is 155 Park Island Drive. Here are some key details as parking is a little tight and spots are at a premium. Her driveway can accommodate approximately seven cars. Parking is also available on the north (right) side of Park Island Dr. in front of other residents after you go over the bridge near Rick and Pam's house. Overflow parking also at Steve Drakos Law Office, 334 S. Broadway St, which is accessible from either S. Broadway (Lapeer Rd) or from Park Island Dr. It is 0.2 miles to her house from there. If at all possible, attempt to carpool, even if just from Drakos parking lot. To help plan for the necessary setup for seating for the meeting please RSVP directly to Steve Tobias at 719.313.7128 or email Steve at stobias317@gmail.com by 8pm on Tuesday July 16th. Feel free to show up any time after 6 pm for social hour.

<u>Jubilee:</u> Word on the street is everyone who attended had a wonderful time! The Beer Tent was the place to be on Friday & Saturday night. Bands sounded fantastic and people were dancing everywhere. The weather was on the hot side, which affected carnival sales. All, in all, we made money, and this was another great community event.

<u>Flare Night:</u> Talk about another great community event!! This was the 79th year for this event and it gets better every year. The entire lake was aglow in red on the night of July 5th. Despite the weather not completely cooperating, flares did go off. Fantastic job by the entire flare selling crew. I think we had record profits this year for sure, over \$5,000! Cannot wait to see what they have planned to celebrate the 80th anniversary of this wonderful tradition next year.

Lake Orion Lions Charity Car Show: Come out and be part of history as we put on the first ever Lake Orion Lions Car Show! It will be on Sunday, September 1st at Canterbury Village. The car show is from 8am-3pm but car people tend to show up much earlier than that. Co-Chairs Joe Hildebrand and Mike Pikelis have been working extremely hard on this event to make sure it is a success. They have been able to get a few big sponsors already, so everything is going well there. They will have another committee meeting soon so if you want to help and get involved, please plan on attending.

Christmas Auction: After over 20 years of chairing the club's biggest fundraiser, it was definitely time to let another member take this over and make it their own. I am so happy to say Lions Cathi Williams and Barb English have come forward and I know this will be even better than it has. The winds of change are continuing to blow as they were informed that our home for the auction since 2009, the Chrysler Palace Dealership, will not be able to accommodate us this year. I am sure there will be some news and information at the Board meeting about a new location. This will be a fantastic event and we will need as many members as possible to make sure it is successful again this year. The money raised at this event funds our Christmas Basket program every year.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

<u>District Installation Picnic:</u> Come celebrate the incoming District Officers as they are installed for the year including our very own, Region Chairperson, Jim Lykins! This will be held on Sunday, July 21st at the Romeo Lions Den which is located at 269 E. Washington St. Romeo Mi. 48065. This is a potluck type of picnic. Doors open at noon; food starts at 1 and installation starts at 2. Please see flyer included in newsletter for more information.

Baseball Game at Jimmy John's Field for Bear Lake Camp: Jim Lykins has this fun family outing scheduled for Sunday, July 28th at Jimmy John's field in Utica. Tickets cost \$38 with \$10 going to the camp. Ticket includes buffet lunch, two drink tickets, unlimited pop, and much more. Please see flyer included in newsletter for more information.

<u>August Board Meeting:</u> Regularly scheduled Board meeting will be held on August 21st at Johnny Blacks starting at 7.

Welcome Back Picnic and Club Meeting: This will be held on September 4th in the pavilion of the Orion/Oxford Fraternal Order of Eagles located at 317 W. Clarkston Road in Lake Orion, more info coming up.

Well, that is all I have for this Issue. See you at the Meetings. If you have any questions, comments or suggestions, please let me know. This is your newsletter and if you want to see something in here, I need to know about it!

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DISTRICT 11-A2



District Picnic and Cabinet Installation

Serve to Live, Live to Serve

Sunday July 21st 2024

Hosted by DG Rhonda Furby & The Eastpointe Lions Club

Location: Romeo Lion's Den

269 E. Washington St. Romeo Mi. 48065

Doors open at Noon Lunch at 1:00 Pm Installation at 2:00 Pm

Potluck, please bring a dish to pass

A thru H Salads and Vegetables

I thru P Desserts
O thru Z Appetizers

Meat, Beer, Wine and Soda compliments of the Eastpointe Lions



Join us for a night of fun, entertainment & baseball at Jimmy John's Field!



LIONS BEAR LAKE CAMP FUNDRAISER

\$10 per ticket donated back to our organization!

BEAVERS VS. HOPPERS SUNDAY, JULY 28 - 1:05 PM GATES OPEN 12 PM

Group Perks Include:

- Game seating in party patio area
- Group photo on the field
- Welcome message on the scoreboard
- Kids Run the Bases after the game
- Meet JJ the Field General, the bat dog
- Meet & Greet with a team mascot
- Free Parking

Enjoy an All American BBQ!

Premium Hot Dogs, Slow Roasted BBQ Pulled Chicken, Fresh Pasta Salad, Coleslaw, Baked Beans, Potato Chips, and Cookies. Food is served starting when the gates open for 90 minutes. Each guest will receive unlimited soft drinks, lemonade, iced tea, and water.

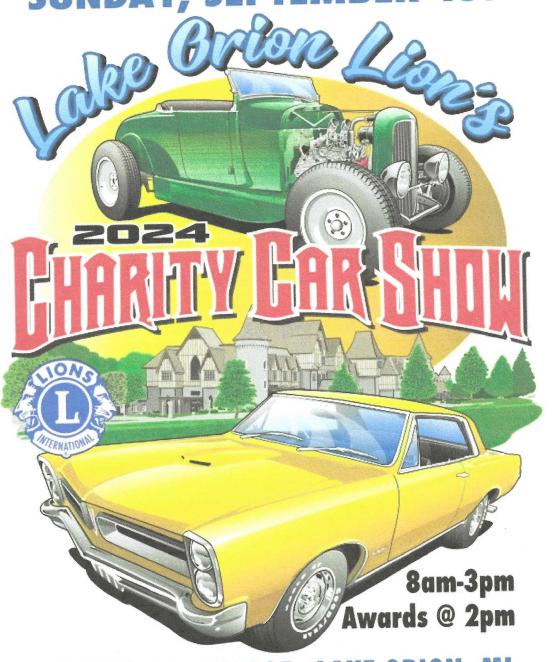
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST



CANTERBURY VILLAGE - LAKE ORION, MI

Presented By

SKALNEK



2325 JOSLYN CT., LAKE ORION, MI \$20 Preregistration • \$25 Day of Register at www.lakeorionlions.org



Questions email streetsignjoe@gmail.com

Registration Form

Lake Orion Lions Charity Car Show

Presented by

SKALNEK

Sunday, September 1, 2024 Canterbury Village 2325 Joslyn Ct, Lake Orion MI

Name:				
Address:				
City:	_St.:	_Zip:		
Email:				
Phone:				
Mail completed form to:				

Mail completed form to:
Lake Orion Lions Club Car Show
P.O. Box 255
Lake Orion MI 48361

Year	Make	Model	Class	
			1930's & earlier	
			1940's	
			1950's	
			1960's	
			1970's	
			1980's	
			1990's	
			2000's	
			2010's	
			2020's	

Register online @ www.lakeorionlions.org or scan the QR code.

Deadline for pre-registration is August 26, 2024.

Judging will be by show participants.

Voting ends at Noon. Awards will start at 2pm.



I accept and assume full liability for any injury or loss to me or my property, agents or employees at any time and from any cause on the premises of the show. I expressly release the management from any liability for such loss or injury and agree to pay for my own insurance. Lake Orion Lions Club, Canterbury Village and any other show sponsors assume no responsibility for injury or loss to me or my property at the Lake Orion Lions Charity Car Show.
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Contact Joe Hildebrand with any questions at streetsignjoe@gmail.com or 248-762-1393