



HARTVILLE LIONS CLUB

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"We Serve"

Minutes of the meeting dated 12/14/09



**The next meeting of the Hartville Lions Club is Monday,
January 11, 2010, at the Hartville Kitchen.
Speaker: Jeff Snyder, 1st Vice-Governor, District 13-D.**

MINUTES OF HARTVILLE CLUB BUSINESS FROM THE 12/14/09 CLUB MEETING:

- 1) ATTENDANCE – twenty three Hartville Lions Club members and ten guests were present.
- 2) 50/50 WINNER – Lion Anna Erb won, but was not present. Her money went back into the pot!
- 3) TREASURER REPORT – A major portion of the current balance will be needed to cover expenses for the next two years.
- 4) MEALS ON WHEELS – Any Club members interested in participating, or those with scheduling questions, should contact King Lion Dave (877-6310).
- 5) EVENING IN THE VILLAGE – Thanks to all who participated in serving free popcorn, and helping to decorate our tree for the auction, with special thanks to Lion Rand and Laura Luckner, and to Lion Russ Koch.
- 6) PHONE BOOK – See the Hartville News or www.hartvillelions.org for distribution details.
- 7) LOW VISION READING MACHINE – The Club members gave unanimous support to a motion to cooperate with the Uniontown Lions, the Lions Eye Foundation and the Lake Community Library in obtaining a "Smart View" or "Synergy" Low Vision Scanner.
- 8) ACKNOWLEDGMENTS – King Lion Dave acknowledged and thanked those Lions who have given so much of their time and effort thus far this year to carry out the fundraisers and projects of the Hartville Lions Club.
- 9) ENTERTAINMENT – outstanding performances by the Lake High School *Reflections!*

See you at "The Kitchen" on January 11th!

Dave Lawson

HUMOR

Idabelle's husband had been slipping in and out of a coma for several months. Things looked grim, but she was by his bedside every single day. One day as he slipped back into consciousness, he motioned for her to come close to him. She pulled the chair close to the bed and leaned her ear close to be able to hear him.

"You know" he whispered, his eyes filling with tears, "you have been with me through all the bad times. When I got fired, you stuck right beside me. When my business went under, there you were. When we lost the house, you were there. When I got shot, you stuck with me. When my health started failing, you were still by my side. "And you know what?"

"What, dear?" she asked gently, smiling to herself.

"I think you're bad luck."

SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD MEETING OF 12/21/2009:

ATTENDANCE – King Lion D. Rennels, Lions B. Green, D. Green, C. Koch, R. Koch, Lawson, Procaccio, S. Rennels, Wall.

SECRETARY – Lion Dennis Middleton resigned in good standing, citing conflicting commitments.

LOW VISION READING MACHINE – The Board agreed to contribute up to \$500, with a stipulation that the machine remain in the community should the Lake Community Library close. King Lion Dave is following up with Bob Tornow of the Uniontown Lions.

EYE SCREENING – Consensus to have adult screenings in Spring, and in the Fall for pre-schoolers.

TAX-EXEMPT STATUS – Dave R. and Harry will talk with Bob Moffatt re: Uniontown's experience.

FUNDRAISERS – Entertainment Book sales made about \$241. Other potential opportunities sought: a) Lion Russ to look into poinsettias/roses; b) Lion Bev to check farmer's market & chicken barbeque.

MELVIN JONES AWARD – Lion Harry looking into status for another award this year.

NEW MEMBERS – Several candidates have been identified, and will be invited to upcoming meetings. Club members should nominate other prospective candidates.

INCORPORATION ASSESSMENT

If you haven't done so already, please send your \$14 fee to Lion Mel

CALENDAR (please note new program details in BOLD print):

- 1/11/10** Dinner Mtg, Hartville Kitchen, 6:30 pm, Jeff Snyder, 1st V-DG of District 13-D
- 1/15-17/2010 Leadership Retreat, Mohican State Park
(for details, see <http://www.ohiolions.org/winterretreat.htm>)
- 1/25/10** Dinner Mtg, Hartville Kitchen, 6:30 pm, video presentation: "*The History of the Flag*," spouses and guests are invited to attend
- 2/8/10** "*Valentine's Dinner at the Hollow*," Stewart Manor House, Quail Hollow State Park, Entertainment by Lake HS Orchestra (call King Lion at 877-6310 for reservations)
- 2/22/10 Dinner/Business Mtg, Hartville Kitchen, 6:30 pm (program TBA)
- 3/8/10 Dinner/Business Mtg, Hartville Kitchen, 6:30 pm (program TBA)
- 3/22/10** Dinner Mtg, Hartville Kitchen, 6:30 pm, "*Safety and Law Enforcement in Stark County*," Timothy A. Swanson, Sheriff of Stark County
- 4/9-11/10 District 13D Convention, Clarion Hotel, Hudson, OH
- 4/12/10 Dinner/Business Mtg, Hartville Kitchen, 6:30 pm (program TBA)
- 4/24/10 Spring Conference, Alliance Middle School
- 4/26/10 Dinner/Business Mtg, Hartville Kitchen, 6:30 pm (plan Herb Fair & summer projects)
- 5/1-2/10 Craft and Herb Fair, Quail Hollow SP
- 5/10/10 Dinner/Business Mtg, Hartville Kitchen, 6:30 pm (program TBA)
- 5/21-23/10 State Convention, Embassy Suites Hotel, Dublin, OH (volunteers are needed)
- 5/24/10 Dinner/Business Mtg, Hartville Kitchen, 6:30 pm (program TBA)
- 6/14/10 "*Springtime Dinner at the Hollow*" (Installation Meeting), Stewart Manor House, Quail Hollow SP (tentative)
- 8/11-14/10 Dunk Tank at Uniontown Lions Festival
- 8/23/10 Steak Cookout -- Kickoff Meeting
- 10/16/10 "*Hartville's MAJOR Day*"

**Note: Dinner to benefit "Hartville's MAJOR Day" - Congress Lake Club,
Friday, January 15. Tickets \$40, \$75/couple.
Call 330.699.3587 Mon-Thurs, 8:30am-4:00pm**