

Lions Roar

Fenwick Island Lions Club Newsletter A Great Team in Action... We Serve!



June 2005-2006



Prez Sez By King Lion Sam

Summer is here and we started June with our Annual Pancake Breakfast at Harpoon Hanna's. Again this year Lion James (Luke) Lucas the restaurant manager was great to work with and our club applauds all he has done to help with this important fund raiser/social event. The participation was wonderful with about 49 Lions turning out to assist and many other Lions turning out to support our club and of course the Indian River Leo Club. Thanks to all of our club members for their support either by working, attending or through the purchase of tickets and our Leo club, it was truly a team effort. At the June board meeting we were told to date we made almost \$2,500.00. We also received many compliments about the food and service.

• Two days later on June 5, we had our Ladies day Lions meeting which had a great turnout of about ninety people including the Friends of Lions and District 3 Region Chairperson Lion Rich Holt. Entertainment by "Imagine", flowers for the ladies and an opportunity to recognize many of

our Lions. A great meal by Harpoon Hanna's was enjoyed and a great time to fellowship.

- June 13, we had a reception at our house for the (Environmental Specialist). We had great attendance by all the can collectors and their spouses. I would like to thank my wife Muriel and all those that prepared snack foods for us to enjoy, we had a great time. Thanks to all that attended and special thanks for all the hard work that goes into this great fund raiser.
- June 19, we had our regular Lions meeting at which time we presented the final budget for the membership's approval. We enjoyed our special guest PDG Charles Covington Sr. (A member of the Georgetown Lions Club) who installed our new officers for the year 2006-2007. Congratulations to all our new officers and a big thanks to PDG Charles Covington Sr. for making the trip from Georgetown and doing a great job.
- We received a request to help a lady with the purchase of glasses which she would not be able to purchase without our help. We received a bill for \$99.00 from Sussex Eye Center and sent a check. We also were able to assist one of our own Lions Jack Coxe. With the help of a matching grant from the Delaware Lions Foundation we purchased a special program called Jaws for his computer along with some computer upgrades.

Due to a couple of great fund raisers, one during my predecessor IPP Bob Pretty's term. (Delmarva Chicken Festival) and of course the recent (Gerald Hocker's Jamboree) in addition to our annual fund raisers we have been able to **Serve** our Community well, with meeting many needs.

We also supported the Lions Club International and the many programs on a national level. We were able to give Melvin Jones awards to five of our members and designate \$5,000.00 in funds to assist the Gulf area disaster through the Lions Club International. Thanks to everyone for a Job well done and living up to the Lions Motto, **We Serve.**

Thanks for all the support that has been shown me during my term as your president. I was truly honored to represent this great club. I look forward to supporting our new President Robert (Bob) Schlauch

Yours in Service, King Lion Sam

My grandkids believe I'm the oldest thing in the world. And after two or three hours with them, I believe it, too. ~ Gene Perret

Calendar Of Events



Monday July 17 District 22D Banner Transfer

Monday July 24 FILC Board Meeting Saturday Aug 12 Shorebirds Game (Fireworks Night). See Below:

Monday August 28 FILC Board Meeting

During <u>Jul—Aug</u> **Please Recall...** FILC Does not hold Regular Meetings.

Tuesday September 5 FILC First Regular Member Meeting of 2006-2007 Lions Year.

Monday September 11 FILC Club Picnic @ Holts Landing.

Monday September 18 FILC Regular Member Meeting

Monday September 25 FILC Board Meeting

See These Web Site's for additional schedule & Info.: www.filc.us & www.lions22d.org D-22 and Team Boston site for LCI Int'l Convention (June 30 to July 4th):

www.intconvmd33-2006.com/index.html

News from the Lions Den

ILLions:



Come-On Lions, we suspect our normal unnamed "walking wounded Lions" are out there going through life's changes, as we create this note. But we haven't heard of any... so let's put a

Happy Face on the day and keep all those we know of, who are associated with our Club, in your prayers.

We continue to note: Please let PDG Lion Noble Simpson (539-3734) know of any Lions or family that could use a "thinking of you, please get well" or a little pick me up card nudge to remind them we

are thinking of them. Our sick members appreciate your thoughtfulness, as does your editor. Thank you so much!

Shorebirds Baseball Outing Again This Year: Fellow Lions, We are going to the Shorebirds Game on Saturday, August 12, 2006. Listed below are those planning on attending this years outing, as of June 27, 2006. Please let Jim Stone know by July 10 if you will go. He needs time to purchase the tickets.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12, 2006 FIREWORKS NIGHT GAME STARTS AT 7:05PM COST: \$8.00 FOR BOX SEAT

AGAIN:

JIM, WILL BE BY THE WILL CALL WINDOW WITH YOUR TICKETS.

IF THE GAME HAS STARTED WHEN YOU ARRIVE YOUR TICKETS WILL BE AT THE WILL CALL WINDOW AT THE SHOREBIRD STADIUM.

JIM WILL COLLECT THE MONEY AT THE GAME (SAME AS LAST YEAR). NO SHOWS MUST PAY FOR THEIR UNUSED TICKETS!

Name	Number	Name	Number	Name	Number	Name	Number
STONE	2	COOK	2	POPOLO	2	SCHLAUCH	2
MOONEY	2	SELIG	2	MORISON	2	NEIMILLER	2
STAMP	Wants to Go	WINSTEAD	2	PRETTY	2	PITMAN	2
FEEHELEY	4	CARL	2	MARTIN	2	WAUGHTAL	2
HILL	2	HOOK	2	SCHOONOVER	2	HUDSON	2
LYON	2						

"Doc, I can't stop singing 'The Green, Green Grass of Home."

"That sounds like Tom Jones Syndrome." "Is it common?" Well, "It's Not Unusual."



Meals On Wheels Report: Report: By Lion John Carl; Chairman

Meals On Wheels, like the Lions, does not take the summer off; we operate five days a week, year round through rain and snow.

As I enter into my fourth (4) year as Chairman I look back at some very rewarding times in delivering meals to the shut-ins. You make friends with these people, talk to them and try to brighten their day. There are, of course, some places you don't want to go into, that's when you count your blessings.

The driver scheduling is done by yearly quarters, the third quarter (July, August and September) schedules have been sent out to all drivers. We have a very dependable crew now and until the "Snow Birds" head south for the winter, then we depend on our alternate drivers (currently down to one) or we "double-up".

Thanks go to our current stable of drivers: Dave & Kay Crum, John & Barbara Carl, Mary Jean Diehl, Larry & Ann Kovacs, Cal Hook & Naomi Popolo, Jim & Carolyn Miles, Sam & Muriel Mooney, Bob Pretty & Cal Denis and Jim Stone. Our one non-Lion members Pat & Una Carew drive every Wednesday.

With that in mind, I'd like to acknowledge Lion Bruce Schoonover and wife Sharon for filling in on short notice for my wife last month! Sharon is on the Meals On Wheels schedule as a "willing to assist" driver. Some days you just need help and this was one of them (Friday is soup day). Monday is milk day (half gallon) and that can be a handful. Any other driver that needs help should call her... she did a great job!

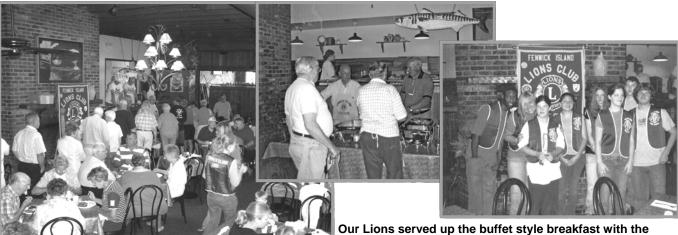
I am proud of the "Outstanding Meals On Wheels" award our Club was given at the Annual Recognition Dinner held at Georgetown's Cheer Center! I could not attend due to a conflict with our "Hockers Jamboree" project.

However, it was an honor to accept this award which was presented to me at a later date at the Pyle Center Volunteer Recognition Dinner.

If you have interest in participating, in whatever, capacity please get in touch with Chairman Lion John Carl (302-436-0136).

Annual Pancake Fund Raiser a Big Success!

The FILC pulled off another great Pancake Breakfast that was widely hailed by the public who came to this event. In addition, as King Lion states in "Prez Sez" we made a good return for use in our charitable giving programs for the needy. Pictures below:



The lines were never long, the pancakes always hot and the bacon, sausage, eggs and orange juice were excellent!

Our Lions served up the buffet style breakfast with the casual effort of seasoned restaurant employees which they are! Out-front & in the HOT kitchen!

Our IRHS Leo's were absolutely great in helping with table bussing, serving coffee and just generally doing their thing! We couldn't do it without them.

A man walks into a bar with a slab of asphalt under His arm and says: "A beer please, and one for the road."



Aluminum Drink Can Collection Program: Single Largest Fundraiser for our Club!

The Fenwick Island Lions Club "Environmental Specialists" (in reality, aluminum can collectors) met recently to celebrate another successful year.

Believe it or not, the single largest, year around, fundraiser for the Fenwick Islands Lions Club is collecting and recycling aluminum drink cans. This past year, twenty plus members of the Club picked-up the equivalent of 8-48 foot long tractor trailer loads of cans from 15 locations scattered around the area, from Fenwick Island and Selbyville in the South to Bethany Beach, Ocean View and Millville in the North.

This program alone enabled the Club to donate just shy of \$9,000 to local charities, support its and the International Club's sight programs and help fund a college scholarship program that is awarded each year to Indian River High School seniors. Sam Mooney, President of the Fenwick Islands Lions Club recently commented that "I am very proud of the individuals who participate in this program. It is a lot of work and it is a dirty job, but over the years it has been a real success story for our Club. We have been collecting and recycling aluminum cans since 1987, when members Calvin Denis and Jay Downing began the program."

Please help the Fenwick Islands Lions Club reduce the amount of garbage going into our landfills, and at the same time, help others in the community and worldwide by contributing to its recycling efforts. Collection stations (lattice bins with the familiar Lions Club logo) are located at Fenwick Island Town Hall and Lighthouse Liquors in Fenwick Island, Marvin's Market and Willie's on Rte. 54, G & E in Ocean View, Grotto Pizza, Food Lion and Hocker's on Rte 26 (and hopefully soon at the new Giant shopping Center in Millville.) And please, no glass, plastic or other household trash!



Fenwick Island Lions Club- "Environmental Specialists" (Aluminum Can Collectors) (Pictured L. to R.) Jim Miles, Ray Spence, Nick Bartolomeo, Don Stewart, Larry McDonald, Carolyn Miles, Larry Kovacs, Jim Stone, Sharon Schoonover, Sam Mooney, Bob Pretty, Larry Feeheley, Bob Schlauch, Bruce Schoonover, Bill Morison, David Crum and Cal Hook... Missing, Mickey Cook, Bob Cummings, Joe Diehl, Russ Melrath, Dan Mihalisin and John Pitman.

Two antennas met on a roof, fell in love and got married. The ceremony wasn't much, but the reception was excellent.

Ladies Day 2006: Ladies Day this year involved outstanding fellowship (including the attendance by our FILC Friends of Lions Ladies), great entertainment with the music of "Imagine" our usual super food at Harpoon Hanna's by Lion Luke Lucas and special Awards given out by King Lion Sam Mooney and Region Chair Lion Rich Holt, Many deserving Lions who supported King Lion in all his many projects were awarded the following awards: Delaware Lions Foundation Ralph Helm & James A. McCarty Fellow, Melvin Jones Lions International Fellow and FILC Lion of the Year. (Listing and Pictures below).

Also, King Lion recognized our Annual Scholarship Awardees: FILC Lion John Furlow 4 year Scholarship (Lauren Cook*), Lion Dominick (Nick) L. Alberti Memorial Scholarship (Jennifer Conroe*-President of Leo Club), Lion Robert (Bob) Insley Memorial Scholarship (Ashley Hudson), Lion Hugh (Skip) Higgins Memorial Scholarship (Andrew Cordell Carey) & Lion Harry Kaley Memorial Scholarship (Shardee Wise). On May 18 Lion John Furlow awarded the following scholarships at Indian River High School.

JAMES A. McCARTY FELLOW

PDG NOBLE SIMPSON **BRONZE** IPP ROBERT PRETTY **BRONZE** PP JAMES STONE BRON7F PP JOHN PITMAN **BRONZE** LION WILLIAM NEIMILLER **BRONZE** LION WILLIAM MORISON **BRONZE** PP DICK WAUGHTAL **AWARDED** BRONZE BY DG RALPH SCHIEFERSTEIN APRIL 30, 2006.

RALPH HELM FELLOW

1ST VP BOB SCHLAUCH	SILVER
LION JOSEPH DIEHL	BRONZE TO SILVER
LION DAN MIHALISIN	BRONZE TO SILVER
LION BRUCE SCHOONOVER	BRONZE TO SILVER
LION CAL HOOK	BRONZE TO SILVER
2ND PEGGY BAUNCHALK	SILVER TO GOLD
LION ROSS LYON	SILVER TO GOLD
LION ROBERT BERTRAM	SILVER TO GOLD

PRESENTATION OF MELVIN JONES FELLOW AND FILC LION OF THE YEAR AWARDS

BY REGION 3 CHAIR LION RICH HOLT

JAMES MILES, LARRY KOVACS, HAROLD RABINOWITZ, CLYMONT RANKIN, WILLIAM WINSTEAD

LION OF THE YEAR -------- PDG NOBLE SIMPSON







It's unfortunate but true, we don't have pictures of all that transpired and we didn't have enough space to put them all in even if we'd had enough. Our sincere apologies to all not included for this dilemma.

Induction of New Board: Our new 2006-2007 Board of Directors were inducted by PDG Charles E. (The Rev) Covington from the Georgetown Lions Club at the June 19th Meeting. The "Rev" swore in the new Board and stipulated to them their respective duties, which they readily agreed to perform. Pictures below:







Stipulations made, Induction Complete

Outgoing Welcomes Incoming

Achievement Plaque By PDG Noble

Fenwick Island Lions Club, Box 732, Bethany Beach, DE 19930 Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays, Noon - Harpoon Hanna's - September through June PP Lion Dick Waughtal-Bulletin Editor (Photos by Lions Sam Mooney & Dick Waughtal)



Pray for our Troops

The Board of Directors meets the fourth Monday of the month at 4:00 pm in Fenwick Island Town Hall—all members are welcome and encouraged to attend.

