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February 2012

# LIONS CLUB OF ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

*The official newsletter of the Lions Club of Arlington Heights  
Arlington Heights, Illinois, USA  
District 1-F Chartered September 5, 1925*

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## MEETINGS

### PROGRAM MEETING

February 7, 2012

**CLEMENTI'S in Arlington Heights**

### BOARD MEETING

February 14, 2012

### GENERAL MEETING

February 21, 2012

**CLEMENTI'S in Arlington Heights**

### UPCOMING MEETING

6:30 PM, February 21, 2012

**CLEMENTI'S in Arlington Heights**

## Program Meeting, January 3, 2012

The meeting started at approximately 6:50PM. In attendance at tonight's meeting were Lions Ron Niemaszyk, Betty Stoehr, Mike Clements, PDG Bill Jordan, Marianne Bailey, Greg Andejaski, Dave Aldrich, Barb and Carl Scalet, Kristen Bonham, Bill Lussow, Linda McGill and John Glueckert.

Guests at tonight's meeting were our speaker, Carol Jancek, Aya and Toshie Andejaski, Robert Dickens and Bridget Christophersen.

Carol Jancek reported that many families were helped during the past Christmas season and thanked us for our participation. We helped 30 children and five elderly persons.

Future Lions Aya, Toshie, and Robert each gave us a short bio of themselves and why they're becoming Lions.

Lion PDG Bill Jordan installed our new members. Congratulations to all three.

No fines Lion Al was bid on for January; the highest bid was Lion Marianne.

Lion Ron reported that the minutes of the past meeting are printed in our monthly newsletter.

Lion Barb had no formal treasurer's report.

Lion Betty reported on the upcoming Quad Club meeting, which our club will be hosting at Clementi's on Monday, January 23, 2012.

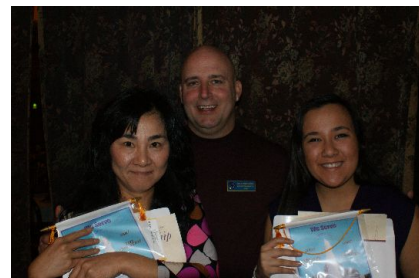
Lion Mike C reported on the upcoming chili cook-off to be held at Clementi's on February 19, 2012. He asked for volunteers to help coordinate the event

Jackpot was won by Lion Richard Stanton, who was not present.

The meeting ended at 8:50PM.

*Submitted by Ron Niemaszyk*

Lucky Buck was won by Lions Betty and Dave.



## **Board Meeting, January 10, 2012**

The meeting started at approximately 6:55PM. In attendance at tonight's board meeting were Lions Dave Aldrich, Ron Niemaszyk, Greg Andejas, Betty Stoehr, Barb Scalet and Bill Lussow.

Lion Barb presented the December financial report. MOTION to file for audit, PASSED.

The board spoke about the style of entrance tickets and raffle tickets for the chili cook-off. Lion Betty will handle the entry tickets and Lion Ron will

print off the raffle tickets. Prices, prizes and a list of participating restaurants were discussed.

Lion Betty reported on the Quad Club meeting. Everything is moving along well but she would like to see more replies from the guest clubs.

Lion Ron mentioned the district convention and is looking to share the room table with another club. So far the club he asked has not responded. With PDG Lion Bill J's announcement to run for District Trustee for the Lions of Illinois

Foundation, Lion Ron recommended that the convention committee buy a full-page ad in the convention book. He presented a copy and said Lion Bill would make the final decision. Lion Ron also presented a sample of an ad for the district convention ad book for the club's bingo sessions.

Lion Ron reported that Lion Bill J was working on the tax reports for the bingo project for the last quarter. He also reported that last Saturday's session showed a loss that everyone present was

unpleasantly surprised by. Lion Ron will take the report and further discuss it with Lion Mike C. It was urged that the bingo committee get a better handle on this event.

Lion Barb gave us a quick status report on the Arlington Heights Foundation.

The meeting ended at 8:50PM.

*Submitted by Ron Niemaszyk*

## **Quad Club Meeting, January 23, 2012**

The meeting started at approximately 7:30PM. In attendance at tonight's meeting from the Arlington Heights Lions Club were Lions Greg and Toshie Andejas, Barb and Carl Scalet, Mike Clements, Betty Stoehr, Marianne

Bailey, Dave Aldrich, Linda McGill, Ron Niemaszyk, Bill Lussow and Kristen Bonham. There were also members present from Elk Grove Village, Mt. Prospect and Prospect Hts. Lions Club.

Guests at tonight's meeting were Diane Kroll, DG 1H; Phil Tom, PID; Walter Holden, DG 1F; Wes Salsbury, DG 1A and many others.

Lion Greg welcomed everyone and PID Lion

Tom wished all a Happy Chinese New Year, Year of the Dragon.

PDG Lion Bill Jordan introduced international and district guests and the clubs' members were introduced by their respective presidents.

DG Lion Walter Holden presented Lion Marianne Bailey with the district's Club Excellence Award and Lion Bill Jordan with his Guiding Lion Plaque.

ZC Lion Barb Lahtinen reported on the upcoming district convention.

All club presidents were allowed time to give their reports along with the EGV Lioness and Leos.

DG Lion Diane Kroll presented a great new game about how much members know about Lionism; a fun way of presenting questions to Lions regarding the international, district and club levels. The Prospect Heights members were the winners and a \$25.00 donation was made to LIF in their name.

Lion Greg Andejaski presented our club banner

and pin to the guest club presidents.

The secret tail twister, Lion Bill Butchert, collected fines and they were given to Lion Leo advisor Beth Kaim.

Door prizes and 50/50 raffle were announced.

The meeting ended at 9:30PM.

*Submitted by Ron Niemaszyk*

*"When it comes to meeting challenges, our response is simple: WE SERVE."*



PID Phil Tom, Lion Betty Tom, DG Walter Holden, DG Diane Kroll, DG Wes Salsbury, PDG Bill Jordan



Club Excellence Award for last year presented to PP Lion Marianne Bailey by DG Walter Holden



Guiding Lion plaque presented to PDG Lion Bill Jordan by DG Walter Holden



Lions Trivia game hosted by DG Diane Kroll and board keeper, Lion Betty Stoehr.



Evening tail twister, Lion Butchert collecting a fine from PDG Lion Jordan



Smiling Susan Clements with the winning 50/50 raffle ticket.

## Upcoming Events

### District 1-F Bowling Tournament

On Sunday, February 12, 2012 from 10:00AM to 1:00PM, the district will be hosting their annual bowling tournament. It will be held at Bertrand's Bowling Lanes in Waukegan. The cost is \$25 per person and registration deadline is February 10, 2012. Please see attached flier for more information.

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Clementi's Chili Cook Off

On Sunday, February 19, 2012 from noon to 4PM, Clementis will be hosting their annual chili cook off. Advance tickets for \$10 and \$15 at the door. There will be raffle prizes and all you can eat chili. Please see flier below for more information.

### 2012 District Convention

The weekend of March 2-4, 2012 the lions will have their annual district 1-F convention. The even begins Friday evening and ends Sunday morning. Our own Lion Bill Jordan will be running for Trustee of the Lions of Illinois Foundation, so please show your support to him. Please see registration form below for more information.

## Happy Birthday!

Happy February Birthdays to the following club members:

Debbie Deuter – February 8  
Mike Clements – February 12  
Rick Tejan – February 14



## Melvin Jones Fellows

Lion Dr. Ian W. Taylor  
PDG Lion Jack D. Anderson  
Lion Carl Weinrich  
Lion Dave Aldrich  
Lion Warren Lattoff  
Lion Helen Horath  
Lion Bill Cortis  
Lion Helen Anderson  
Lion William Jordan  
Lion Robert Zember  
Lion John Albert  
Lion John Glueckert  
Lion Ron Niemaszyk  
Lion Betty Stoehr  
Lion Doug Tolman

Lion Bill Lussow  
Lion Al Smith  
Lion Judy Tolman  
Lion Elliot Hamilton  
Lion Francis Hennessey  
Lion Carl Scalet  
Lion Marianne Bailey  
Lion Barbara Scalet  
Lion Gene Roth  
Lion Tanja Hamilton  
Lion Richard Stanton  
Lion Gary Welch  
Lion Carole Frank

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*“Great opportunities to help others seldom come, but small ones surround us daily.”*

## 2010-2011 Club Officers

Lion Greg Andejaski – President  
Lion Bill Lussow – 1<sup>st</sup> VP  
Lion Kristen Bonham – 2<sup>nd</sup> VP  
Lion Debbie Deuter – 3<sup>rd</sup> VP  
Lion Ron Niemaszyk – Secretary  
Lion Barb Scalet – Treasurer  
Lion Mike Clements – Membership  
Director  
Lion Betty Stoehr – Tailtwister  
Lion Bev Korstanje – Lion Tamer

Lion Mike Pawelko – Lion Tamer  
Lion Dave Aldrich – Board of Directors  
Lion Bill Jordan – Board of Directors  
Lion Marianne Bailey – Immediate  
Past President

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### Editor's Notes

Although I don't want to jinx it, what a great winter it's been! Hopefully it will last and before we know it, spring will be upon us again.

The district convention is fast approaching and I know that the committee

could use all your help and support for this event. We also want to show our support to Lion Bill who will be running for Trustee. Let's make sure we give him and our club the best turn out possible.

Also don't forget to come

out every Saturday for Bingo in Addison. It's a really fun time and you can walk out with some money; it's a win-win so check it out! Hope to see you there.

All the Best,

Kristen

### ***About Our Organization...***

*The Lions Club of Arlington Heights is dedicated to helping people to see a better tomorrow. That's why we support sight programs, and provide vision*

*screenings, eye banks and eyeglass donations. We also dedicate ourselves to helping people with hearing loss and improve the health of children and adults around*

*the world. Our motto is:*



**We Serve**

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We're on the Web!  
Visit us at  
[www.ahlions.org](http://www.ahlions.org)



# THE LIONS CLUB OF ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

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# Lions District 1-F Bowling Tournament



**Sunday, February 12, 2012**

Squad Times: 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

## **BERTRAND'S BOWLING LANES**

2616 Washington Street  
Waukegan, IL 60085

**\$25 per person / \$125 per team of five**  
**(Early bird discount of \$20/person if postmarked by 2/5/12)**  
**\$10 per student 18 years and younger (student ID required)**

Last Year's Averages will be used, or you can bowl for your average

There will be a 50/50 raffle and a gift basket raffle

Registration Deadline: Thursday, February 10, 2012  
Checks payable to: District 1-F Lions

Registration should be sent to Bertrand's Bowling Lanes

### **Questions?**

#### **Contact:**

Lion Jim Jerousek -- 224.622.1418 (leave message)

or

Brenda Cornell, Bertrand Bowling Lanes -- 847.244.1300

**Walk-ins will be allowed if lanes are available**

**NO OUTSIDE BEVERAGE OR FOOD ALLOWED**

Arlington  
Heights  
Lions



2nd annual

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OFF

SUNDAY

Feb. 19, 2012

12 - 4 p.m.

CLEMENTI'S

602 west Northwest Highway  
Arlington Heights, Illinois 60004

847-253-3544

\$15.00

DONATION

Proceeds go to Arlington Heights Lions Charities

*Participating Restaurants:*

Birch River Grill      Clementis      Gatsby's  
Mago      Peggy Kinnane's      Salsa 17

IRISH PUB AND RESTAURANT



# REGISTRATION FORM

District 1-F Lions Convention  
March 2, 3 & 4 2012



Name of Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Please print clearly and check <b>ALL</b> boxes that apply. <b>All Meals <u>MUST</u> be pre-registered. <u>No meals can be purchased at the door.</u> <b>Please note any special dietary needs on back of form or attached to the form.</b></b>	<b>Registration Fee \$15 (Required)</b>	<b>Meal Package Price \$54*</b>	Saturday Lunch \$16	Banquet & Governor's Reception \$35	Sunday Breakfast \$15	Total
<b>Name:</b> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Lion <input type="checkbox"/> Lioness <input type="checkbox"/> Leo <input type="checkbox"/> Guest <input type="checkbox"/> 1st Convention <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Under 21 Years Of Age</b> Banquet: <input type="checkbox"/> Salmon <input type="checkbox"/> Steak <input type="checkbox"/> Chicken <input type="checkbox"/> Special Diet (Describe on back)	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
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<b>Sub Totals</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Check District 1-F Web Page for registration and registration confirmation - <a href="http://www.district1flions.com">www.district1flions.com</a>	<b>*"Meal Package Price"</b> includes all three meals <b>ONLY</b> and a special neck wallet, not registration.					<b>Total Enclosed</b> \$

Make checks payable to: **District 1-F Lions**  
 Mail to:  
 Lion Bob Surovitz, 2VDG  
 Registration Chairperson  
 21337 W. Stary Lane  
 Lake Zurich, IL 60047-8702

**Registration must be post marked by February 28, 2012**

**REGISTRATION INCREASES TO \$20 AT THE DOOR**

Refunds issued on a case by case basis only

**Convention Hotel**  
 Renaissance Chicago North Shore  
 933 Skokie Boulevard  
 Northbrook, IL 60062  
 (847) 498-6500

Convention Room Rate is \$79 + Tax (avail 3/1-3/4/12)  
**CONTACT THE HOTEL FOR ROOM RESERVATIONS**  
 or reserve your room on the hotel website:  
[www.renaissancechicagons.com](http://www.renaissancechicagons.com) - **enter group code LD1LD1A**  
**Special room Rate available until 2/16/12**