

Lions' Lines

Grayslake Lions Club

November 2012

P. O. Box 201, Grayslake, IL 60030

President

Karl Molek

1st Vice President

Mary Dietz

2nd Vice President

Jerry Morgan

3rd Vice President

Sheila Vleck

Secretary

Jim Rockwell

Treasurer

Cynthia Lee

Lion Tamer

Joe Kane

Tail Twister

Darlene Dorfler

Directors

Patti Jarvis

Don Dietz

Keith Bitzinger

Terry Rockenbach

Past President

Chris Brenner

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Prez Sez:

October was a busy month for many Grayslake Lions... Candy Day collections totaled over \$1,800. Thanks to Lion Rich who managed to organize and administer the schedule from far far away. Thanks also to all who participated in this important effort which provides funding for our own Lions Foundation activities as well as for some of our local projects.

A very good time was had by the many Lions and partners who attended The Kirk Players production of Agatha Christie's "The Moustrap" at Mundelein High School. We were there for Opening Night and were made to feel like very special guests. Thanks to Lion Tim Keefe for putting it together and pulling it off so smoothly; we'll be looking forward to our next adventure.

The Gurnee Lions sponsored our Annual 3G's Meeting at Risotto's in Gurnee, with some "magical" entertainment being served along with our desserts. Our Club was well represented, and we all very much appreciated the opportunity it provided to interact with our neighboring Lions Clubs.

Please be sure to 'save the date' for our Lions Holiday Party and Installation Dinner to be held on December 11 at Parkway by the Lake in Ingleside. I do hope to see everyone there to share a bit of Holiday Cheer...

General Membership Meeting: November 13, 2012, 7:00 pm @ Whitney Street Restaurant

Your Lions Board meets there at six o'clock; all Lions are welcome at both Meetings.

Housekeeping: Poker Practice/Training are being held monthly on third Tuesday evenings at the Antioch Moose Lodge. Please plan to attend at least one training session to familiarize yourself with the procedures that we will use to run our own Texas Hold 'Em Tournaments in 2013. No experience? No worries... just ask Lions Darlene and Cynthia how well they did at their very first practice session! I plan to attend all trainings and will be happy to provide a ride; just call me to arrange it.

Last but not least, a hearty *Welcome Back!* to Lion Matt Gore. Matt is back to serving our Community, both on the job and with the Lions. Glad to have you with us again, Lion Matt.

Coming Soon:

November 20 - Poker Practice/Training, Antioch Moose Lodge

December 8 - Christmas Basket Delivery Day

December 11 - Lions Holiday Meeting @ Parkway by the Lake

Lion Karl

Candy Day Report from Lion and PDG Walters: Candy Day supports the Lions of Illinois Foundation with 60% of the money collected going to the Foundation, and 40% remaining with the Club. Since these donations are solicited from the public, **the money is RED or Restricted money** that must be used to support our primary missions. Over two days, we collected **\$1,864.99**. Some notable collections: Lion Jarvis, \$204.73; Lion Rockwell, \$152.67; Lion Dietz (D), \$117.53; Lion Rockenbach, \$116.23; and Lion Powell, \$113.85. This was a good effort, although down compared to prior years: 2010 - \$2443.04; 2011 - \$2045.66. Lion and PDG (Past District Governor) Rich thanks all for their efforts.

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Candy Day was dry, but seasonal in temperatures. Pop quiz – Do you think Lion Dietz (M) had an early shift or a late shift? Lion Vleck and her buddy also work the Post Office. Dog's collection total - \$0.00.



A variation of the nightmare of going to a dance and seeing your dress on another - 2nd Vice District Governor Molly Penny (Waukegan Uptown) and Lion Carole go "Miss Piggy" at the Pig Races. On the right, Lion Brenner is depicted before he won a basket of chocolate and \$140.00 – happier then.



Three Gs dinner meeting, October 29th, was hosted by Gurnee (Grayslake is up to bat in 2013). Lion and President Mick Byrne (Gurnee) presided. Depicted left, Citizen Marge Rockenbach is the better looking of the three. To the right, Lion Rockwell and Walters (M) are shown being polite to Joyce and Jim Beverly (Gurnee). Rockwell was the only person present who could not figure out how the magician was doing his tricks.

REMINDER: Lion President Molek will call the question of election of the 2013 Club and Foundation officers at the November meeting. Be there or be square.

**Grayslake Lions Club
BOARD MEETING
October 6, 2012**

Board Members present: Lions Molek, Rockwell, Lee, Jarvis. Also present, Lions Patterson, Revell, Depke. There were insufficient members to constitute a quorum. Lion President Molek called the meeting to order at 9:12 AM.

Treasurer's Report: Made but not filed.

Received thank you notes from the Zone Chairman, Helping Hand, Pediatric Brain Tumor Association. There was a discussion of what the policy should be when a member fails to pay dues. There was no decision.

Lion President Molek announced that the Christmas and Installation dinner would be at Jerry's Parkway Banquets on the second Tuesday of December and that the State had not yet taken action on our request for a poker license. Lion Vleck presented a request for eyeglasses from a CLC student. Action deferred. A request for support was received from Guide Dogs. Action deferred. In the absence of a quorum, no actions were taken and the meeting adjourned at 9:50 AM.

**Grayslake Lions Club
GENERAL MEETING
October 26, 2012
(Three Gs Dinner)**

Lion President Mick Byrne (Gurnee) called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM and reported on recent club activities. Lion President Mary Reading (Gagewood) reported on recent club activities. Lion President Molek (Grayslake) made a report on recent activities. He called the Grayslake Club General Meeting to order at 7:17 PM and announced that the Nominations Committee nominated the following Lions as officers for 2013: Mary Dietz, President; Sheila Vleck, First Vice President; Joe Kane, Second Vice President; Tim Keefe, Third Vice President; Cynthia Lee, Treasurer; Jim Rockwell, Secretary; Darlene Dorfler, Lion Tamer; Rob Depke, Tail Twister; Ruth Patterson, Director; Keith Bitzinger, Director; Patti Jarvis, Director; Tim Powell, Director; and Karl Molek, Past President and Steer Roast Chairman. On motion by Lion Rockwell, Lion Walters (M) seconding, the general meeting was adjourned at 7:21 PM.

There followed dinner and a magic show, Lion President Byrne adjourning the Three Gs dinner and meeting at 9:09 PM