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PREZ SEZ: Welcome to 2015, it is a great Privilege and honor to be asked to serve as this clubs President for the following year. I will do everything I'm capable of to live up to the responsibilities that you have entrusted upon me. With the fantastic members we have in this club it most certainly will be a blast.

Blue books are ready, committees are formed and we are ready to go for 2015.

A great way to get out of the house in the cold of winter could be to enjoy and afternoon bowling at the District 1-F bowling tournament, if you haven't been it is a way to do something with other members that is really not working but goes for a good cause (maybe we could have a prize for the person that incurs the most expensive chiropractor visit afterwards).

There are a number of other club events and district events that are coming before you know it , please pay attention to the monthly Lions Lines and your Blue Book for upcoming dates and times (you may even find out in the Blue Book you are on a committee you did not even know about, funny how that happens).

We have great people in this club that put their personal lives on hold for short durations during the year to better the community as a whole through fundraising and helping others and do not ask for anything in return.

Let's do our best to keep up the tradition of serving in 2015 and have some fun doing it. Lion Tim

P.S. Thank God for spellcheck

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FIRST MEETINGS: The 2015 Board will meet at Whitney's at 6:00 PM on January 13th. The first General Meeting will be at Whitney's at 7:00 PM on the 13th. Come watch Lion President Keefe preside for the first time. A New Year's Resolution: We will all be helpful, not sarcastic or critical, and generally supportive.

DISTRICT 1F BOWLING AROUND THE CORNER. The annual District Bowling “tournament” will be on Sunday, February 8th with morning and afternoon sessions. This is a fund-raiser for the district. The cost for the afternoon session is \$26 per person. The registration deadline is January 31, so let the Club chairmen know of your intentions soonest. (The club chairs are Lions Schroeder and Kane).

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The 2015 Board



On the left, Lion Cynthia Lee displays her Lion of the Year 2014 plaque after presentation by Lion Mary Dietz. On the right, Lion Lee presents Lion Cinke trinkets of nominal value to acknowledge her service. Lion Cinke will be pursuing the new career of “retired in North Carolina” in 2015

Grayslake Lions Club Foundation
BOARD MEETING
December 9, 2014

Present: Lions Vleck, Jarvis, Mulryan, Dietz (M), Frank, Lee, Rockwell, Depke, Keefe, Kane and Dorfler.
This constituted a quorum

Lion Vleck called the meeting to order at 8:44 PM.

On motion by Lion Rockwell, Lion Jarvis seconding, the Board unanimously adopted all donations received and donations disbursed by the Grayslake Lions Club Board, as Grayslake Lions Club Foundation actions. Those actions can be reviewed in the minutes of the Grayslake Lions Club Board meetings in calendar year 2014.

There being no further business and the Foundation Board duties completed for calendar year 2014, on motion by Lion Rockwell, Lion Frank seconding, the meeting adjourned at 8:48 PM.

Grayslake Lions Club
GENERAL MEETING AND FOUNDATION MEETING
December 9, 2014

Lion President Vleck called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Lion Kane reported on the fourth and final poker tournament. The tournaments were a financial success.

Lion Walters explained the Chili's promotion for the benefit of the Illinois Foundation.

Lion and 1st Vice District Governor Marty Reading (Gagewood) presided over the installation of new officers elected at the November meeting, explaining to each their duties and receiving from each their promise to perform their duties to the best of their ability.

At 8:15, on motion by Lion Frank, Lion Townsend seconding, the meeting was suspended and Lion President Vleck called a meeting of the Grayslake Lions Club Foundation to order. On motion by Lion Rockwell, Lion Depke seconding and with no further nominations, the following officers were elected to the Foundation Board for calendar year 2015: Lions Keefe, Kane, Lee, Rockwell, Mulryan, Revelle, Frank, Runkle, Schilling, Pokela and Vleck in the same positions they serve for the Club.

On motion by Lion Rockwell, Lion Bitzinger seconding, the meeting of the Grayslake Lions Club Foundation was adjourned and the general meeting of the Grayslake Lions Club resumed.

Lion President Vleck announced that Lion Frank was awarded a membership accomplishment award by Lions International.

Lion Dietz (M) announced that Lion Lee was selected as the Lion of the Year for calendar year 2014.

A white elephant gift exchange ensued.

Lion Krohta shared two stories for the good of the club.

There being no further business, on motion by Lion Mulryan, Lion Jarvis seconding, the meeting was adjourned at 8:43 PM.