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Prez Sez: I hope everyone is doing fine as I write this. That darn Groundhog was right, but the good news is there should only be 2 weeks of winter left. I for one have had enough, bring on the Spring.

Speaking of Spring; this is the time of year for a couple of club events. Everyone should have their Sight and Sound Sweepstake tickets by now, if not you can contact Patti Jo and let her know please.

Another event coming up soon will be the PADS dinner, if you haven't participated in this yet you should give it a try you'll see some grateful people getting a great meal. I'm sure there will be a sign up sheet at the next meeting.

The committee for the 75th anniversary had their first meeting and should be able to have a preliminary report at the next meeting.

Lastly, The District Convention is next weekend it's not too late to sign up, anyone interested in going please let myself or Mr. Rockwell know.

See you all March 10th, keep the faith daylight is increasing every day.

Lion Tim

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A LITTLE HISTORY NEVER HURT. Buried in a pile of old minutes, a history of our club was found. This history concluded with the year **1966**. Lion Chris "Bless his heart" Brenner has volunteered to bring this history up to date but he needs our help. Did you ever wonder where the steer roast pit came from? It has the letters "NAS" welded onto the frame. There has been gossip and rumor that opening the club to the fairer sex caused some discord. True? And in what year. Anybody know where the trailer came from and when? And finally, we have been selling Fair tickets for a long time. Does anybody know how that came about and when. If you know, or think you know answers to these and other club questions of historical interest, please contact Lion Chris and help him out with this project. He can be reached at 223-8939 or chris.brenner@sbcglobal.net

SAVE THE DATE. May 29, 2015 will commemorate seventy-five (that is **75**) years of service to the sight and hearing-impaired and to the Grayslake community. The anniversary committee has been hard at work. **SOMETHING** will happen on that date so mark your calendars. Details will follow.

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LANE	DATE	TIME	SQUAD	DIV	TOTAL SCORE
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GRAYSLAKE LIONS #3					TEAM
B #	NAME	GAME 1	GAME 2	GAME 3	TOTAL
	ROB DEPKE	125	85	126	306
	JENNIE DEPKE	75	114	106	295
	CAROL FRANK	98	101	118	317
	CHRIS BRENNER	82	71	85	238
	JUD REVELLE	107	107	117	331
	<i>Carol Frank</i>	487	478	552	1517
TOTAL HDCCP					

On the left, Lion Rockwell can hardly contain his excitement as the Grayslake Club proves that bowling, like golf and sex, is an activity you do not need to be good at to enjoy. Lion Frank's score card proves the point



On the left, Mr. T. J. Kilcullen, a GLNHS student, used Lions to practice his speech on the Constitutional obligations of citizenship. On the right, proving he can sell anything to anybody, Lion Molek auctions off a TV to Immediate Past President and Lion Sheila Vleck. The auction garnered \$317 for the till.

Grayslake Lions Club
BOARD MEETING
February 10, 2015

Present: Lions Keefe, Jarvis, Schilling, Depke, Frank, Rockwell, Pokela, Revelle, Kane, Runkle and Mulryan.

Lion President Keefe called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

Minutes: On motion by Lion Lee, Lion Frank seconding, the minutes of the January Board meeting were approved without modification.

Treasurer's report: Lion Lee presented a written report and made an oral report on funds available and the balance of the endowment account. On her motion, Lion Revelle seconding, the report was placed on file.

Lion Holtz is again participating in Polar Plunge to benefit the Special Olympics. On motion by Lion Lee, Lion Rockwell seconding, a donation/sponsorship of \$100 was approved.

On motion by Lion Frank, Lion Schilling seconding, an expense of \$150 to provide a Valentines Day party at Winchester House was approved.

Lion Revelle reported on his investigation of what we could do to support our Fire Department. To support the Fire Department, on motion by Lion Frank, Lion Lee seconding, the purchase of two replacement, large thermos containers for use at the Pancake Breakfast and Steer Roast and for use by other organizations and the Fire Department, was approved.

On motion by Lion Revelle, Lion Kane seconding, the expenditure of \$50 to subsidize District 1F Leos attendance at the District 1F convention was approved.

In response to a request from Foundation for Fighting Blindness, it was noted that we have previously donated \$200. The request was deferred to the March Board meeting.

After discussion of our previous support, on motion by Lion Runkle, Lion Frank seconding, a donation of \$150 to the Luke commission was approved.

Lion Kane suggested we have organization presence at Grayslake Days, perhaps a table with brochures and applications to reach people currently not involved in community service. Lion Runkle proposed participation with the Exchange Club in an evening of light food at State Bank of the Lakes. The President asked for a show of hands of those who support the latter. Lion Revelle noted his support of Lion Kane's idea.

Lion Vleck has been using a cane and there was discussion of purchase of an electronic cane – estimated cost \$3000???. It was noted that she will receive a new dog in April. Action was tabled.

There was a discussion of a date for the 52nd Steer Roast. Because of the calendar the Sunday after Labor Day, the traditional date, would be late and in conflict with an Oasis food fund-raiser. On motion by Lion Rockwell, Lion Depke seconding, the date of the Steer Roast would remain unchanged – September 13, 2015.

On motion by Lion Revelle, Lion Frank seconding, the Pancake Breakfast date would remain as always.

There being no further business, on motion by Lion Frank, Lion Lee seconding, the meeting was adjourned at 6:50 PM.

**Grayslake Lions Club
GENERAL MEETING
February 10, 2015**

Lion President Keefe called the meeting to order at 7:04 PM

Lion Keefe led Lions in the Pledge.

Lion Frank shared a devotional

On motion by Lion Dorfler, Lion Schilling seconding the minutes of the January general meeting were approved without modification.

Lion Lee made an oral report of the status of finances, the written report previously placed on file.

Lion Vleck made a report on her ski trip. No snow; no skiing.

Lion Schroeder made a report on the bowling tournament. He noted it is getting very expensive and the expense could hurt attendance. District 1F should be advised of our concern.

Lion Keefe (and others) attended the District 1F membership summit and he made a report. Primary focus was on stopping the membership loss, particularly with clubs that have 20 members or fewer.

Mr. T. J. Kilcullen, a GLNHS student, gave an outstanding speech on the U.S. Constitution and the responsibilities of citizenship.

Lion Jarvis announced, that the Winchester House Valentines party would be on February 14th and help was needed.

Lion Depke said that a social event was planned for March 28, 29 – Kirk players, a Sherlock Holmes mystery and he wanted to know who was interested. A signup sheet was circulated.

Lion Salmon reported that the Boy Scouts pancake cooker was defective and that the gas connections were leaking. Lion President Keefe appointed a committee of Lion Salmon and Lion Townsend to pursue the concern and possible repair with the Boy Scout Troop.

An auction of “things” ensued, directed by Lion Molek. With his encouragement, \$289 dollars was generated for the Club.

There being no further business, on motion by Lion Vleck, Lion Frank seconding, the meeting was adjourned at 9:10 PM.