



Rochester Lions Club

Home Club of Leader Dogs for the Blind
www.rochesterlionsclub.org

November 2010

Club Meets 6:30 pm-1st & 3rd Mondays of Each Month at the Rivercrest Banquet Facility



The President's Message

It is November already and we are looking forward to a lot of work that is coming up as we work towards Christmas.

First I want to say a word about the Rochester Lions Memorial Golf Outing. This was an outstanding event and I sure want to thank Lions David McKenzie and Celia Domalewski along with their committee and the members that worked on the project. What a DAY OF FUN for all that took part in this golf outing. Lion Dave sure did pick a great day and this was something to consider with the late September date. We also had an outstanding

place to hold the outing and they did everything they could to help us. A full report will be given at the Board meeting on the 8th.

The Brookside Way 1/2 Marathon was held and I again want to thank Lion Dave McKenzie for all of his work to set this project up for us to work. As it turned out, we had a lot of help, it did look kind of slim after our regular meeting but our Club pulled together and we did the job. We sure did get a lot of Thank Yous from the runners. This was just another GOOD JOB done by the Rochester Lions Club.

Again, I am asking all of the membership to attend the Board meeting of your Lions Club. It is held at 7:00PM at Leader Dog School. This is the time for the business part of the Club to take place. We try and save the regular meetings for fellowship and fun with our members. The Board meetings are NOT secret and for the Board Members ONLY. This is a good way to learn if you are looking forward to stepping up into the leadership role of our Club. We try and keep the meetings short but we do our work so plan on being in attendance.

The letter is out and EVERY Rochester Lion Member can be very proud. Leader Dogs for the Blind put out their news letter and the Rochester Lions Club is the TOP Club in the World to give to Leader Dog School. HOW GREAT IS THAT? We are #1 and we have to work hard so that we can stay on top. Give yourself a pat on the back and be proud of the job that we are doing. Thanks to each one of our members for the hard work that they do and prove that WE SERVE.

Last Thursday, I, as your president went to the Rochester Regional Chamber of Commerce 2010 Sunrise Pinnacle Awards and was given the Award for the Nonprofit Achievement Award for the Rochester Lions Club. This is a beautiful award and we also received a, "Certificate of Special Congressional Recognition" from the United States Congress. This was a large event and there were about 500 in attendance with Dave LewAllen from WXYZ-TV as the Master of Ceremonies. I was very proud to stand up on the stage and have Dave LewAllen explain to all 500 in attendance just how much work the Rochester Lions Club does and the service that we give. Thank you for allowing me this honor.

We all want to thank Dave Bates for all of the outstanding programs that he is getting for our meetings. If you have not been at the meetings, you have missed a lot of fun. That program with that OLD GUY (same age as I am) talking about his years playing Pro Football and Football with Michigan State University was just GREAT. Thanks Dave for all of your work.

I received a telephone call last week about programs for the Rochester Lions Club. DON'T FORGET that if you have a program or project that you want to put on for the club, that the Board has voted that they must be advised before this program takes place. This will protect all of the members, Club, and you from any problems that may come up after the program is done.

I want to thank First Vice President Glenn Sattelmeier for taking over at the regular meetings in November for me. I will be at the Region meeting on Monday, November 1st giving a report for our Club. On the November 15th Regular meeting, I will be up north hunting. Please give your full support to Vice President Glenn at these meetings.

Yours in Lionism
Your President
Jim Leach Sr.



November Meeting

Club News



Happy Birthday to You!

The following Lions have birthdays in November

- Fred Landry—Nov 16
- Lowell Gladd—Nov 21
- Mike Meagher—Nov 16

Upcoming Meetings

- **November 1** - Oakland County Sheriff Mark Hickson - "How to Protect Your Home Against Breakins"
- **November 15** - Jaymes Vettraino, Rochester City Manager - "The Challenges Facing the City of Rochester"
- **December 6** – Rochester Lions Christmas Party 6pm Rivercrest See page 5 for details. RSVP to Lion Celia or Lion Lowell.

The canister collection for October was \$160.00

11-A2 ROCKS!





Rochester Lions comes in as the top club in the world in donations to Leader Dogs for the Blind for 2009-2010 with \$20,237. District 11-A2 dominates the rest of the chart with 12 clubs on the list. Michigan Multiple District SD10/MD11 were at the top of the multi-districts with \$369,997,

The other 11-A2 clubs on the list were: Birmingham, Clawson, Shelby, Romeo, Rochester Hills, Centerline, Bloomfield, Royal Oak, Macomb Twp., Armada, Hazel Park and Novi

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Rochester Lion's Serve at Brooksie Way



Paint Creek Trail sign



Sue Treppa & Lion Jim Leach Sr. pouring water for the marathon runners



John Benzczik, Jim Leach Sr. & Dave McKenzie



Lions Dave McKenzie, Bob Treppa, & Arnold Sell prepare for the marathon runners



Lions Rod Bunia, Larry Cole, Lion Jim Leach Sir's daughter Lorie, Lion Jim Leach Sr., & Sue Treppa



Lion John Benzczik watching "Mr. Coffee" Dave McKenzie getting



Lions Larry Cole & Rod Bunia



First marathon bike riders



Lions Jim Kemler & Eric Lewis looking for the first runners



Lions Jim Kemler, Ken Bilodeau, Arnold Sell, Glenn Sattelmeier, & Dave McKenzie



Lion Arnold Sell Takes a well deserved break.



Lion Dave McKenzie & the first marathon runner



Lion Ken Bilodeau



Lions Jim Leach Sr. & Eric Bothwell



Lion "Officer" Jim Leach and Officer Mel Schettenhelm



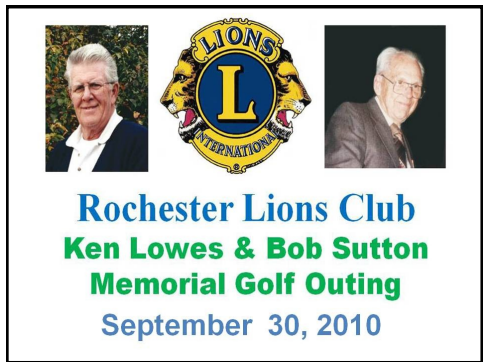
Prez Jim and daughter Lorie



Lion Eric Lewis, Sue Treppa and Lorie



The "Crew"



Ken Lowes' Daughter Marney Lowes-Kickbush



The Leach Clan



Door prizes



Lions John Cadieux, George Newton & Al Lucas



John Desmond, Kyle Desmond, Ronda Panczyk, Lion Steve Rapotec & Lion Arnold Sell



Lions Arnold Sell, Dave McKenzie & Frank Cosenza



Lion Arnold Sell selling Mulligans



They're off to a shot gun start



Lion Dave Bates watching a great putt going in



Lion Jim Leach Sr., Grandson Jake, Lions Jim leach Jr., & Keith Pasternacki



Lions Ken Bilodeau, Arnold Sell, & Dr. Dave Smith



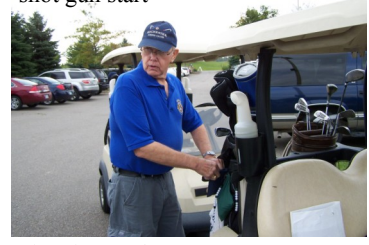
Golfers getting ready for the shot gun start



Lion Frank Cosenza



Lions Dave McKenzie, Dave Bates, & Celia Domalewski



Lion Jim Leach Sr.



Join the Festivities

Rochester Lions Club
Christmas Party

At the **RiverCrest**
Avon at Liverpool, Rochester Hills

Social Hour 6:00 P.M.
Dinner 7:00 P.M.

Musical Entertainment

\$27.50 per person

cash bar (pop is free)

r.s.v.p. by November 28

Rochester
Lions Club



2010

Christmas Party

Monday
December 6, 2010
6:00 P.M.

RiverCrest

Menu

Caesar Salad

Bowtie Pasta with Alfredo Sauce

Choice of Entree`:

Prime Rib

Grilled Marinated Chicken Breast

Eggplant Parmesan

each entree` served with Green Beans Almondine & a Twice Baked Potato

Chocolate Fountain for Dessert



Did you know?

The Name

The proper name of the association is "The International Association of Lions Clubs." Many Lions, however, prefer the use of the shorter form of "Lions Clubs International."

The Emblem

Throughout the world, Lions are recognized by the emblem they wear on their lapels. It consists of a gold letter "L" on a circular purple field. Bordering this is a circular gold area with two lion profiles at either side facing away from the center. The word "Lions" appears at the top, and "International" at the bottom. Symbolically, the lions face both past and future -- proud of the past and confident of the future. Lions wear their emblem with pride.

The Motto

The motto of every Lion is simply "We Serve". What better way to express the true mission of Lionism?

The Slogan

The slogan of the association is "Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nation's Safety (LIONS).

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