



# LAKEVILLE LIONS CLUB



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LAKEVILLE, INDIANA

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## Letter from the President

Greetings Fellow Lions

The scoop for the Group

Halloween has come and gone and it's on to Thanksgiving. Turkey and all the trimmings; I can't wait. Our Lions Club Halloween party was a great success again this year. The Newton Center auditorium was full, even to the point of being overcrowded. A big "Thank you" goes to Lion Larry Ort for emceeding the program again this year and his committee for doing another outstanding job. Thank you, fellow Lions.

Our club still has "growing pains". We have another new member. Please welcome Lion Jean Barlow the next time you see her. Jean knows all about Lionism, having been married to Lion Dick Barlow and having accompanied Lion Dick as he worked on our various projects. Lion Jean, I'm sure, will become another faithful Lion and thanks to her sponsor, Lion Larry Ort, for asking her to join our club. How about you; how many friends, neighbors, or fellow workers do you know who would make good Lions? All you have to do, IS ASK. WE HAVE ROOM FOR MANY MORE. Remember, the more hands we have helping, the easier it is and the more we can accomplish. WE SERVE.

Sadly, I have to report the passing of Lion William H. Worm on Oct. 25, 2005. "Willie", formerly of Lakeville, resided in Venice, Fla. at the time of his passing. He was a longtime member of the Lakeville Lions; one of the foundations of this club, to which we who are members today owe so much. Our condolences go out to the family and friends of William H. "Willie" Worm.

**HELP HELP DUES DUES** It has been brought to my attention that quite a few Lions have not paid their dues. **PLEASE, PLEASE**, bring your membership up to date; the club should not have to beg you to keep up your membership obligation, this should be your responsibility without having to be reminded. Dues per member for 2005 – 2006 are: \$39.00 per year for LCI (international), \$9.90 per year (state), ??? per year to our own district (MD-25), plus (is there anything left) for the Lakeville Lions Club, to which you belong. How do we pay for postage, guess speakers, etc ??? We have a real bargain for \$40.00. So, look for your current membership card, or contact Lion Rob (treasurer) or Lion Don (secretary) and bring your dues up to date.

We are again participating in the Christmas Walk program at Newton Park with a display. Last year our display was organized by new Lion Jennifer Davis; this year's chairman is new Lion Adam Morehouse. He has a committee and has started working already.

Remember to give your choice for a new Melvin Jones recipient to any of the vice presidents to be included for the next consideration. At the November dinner meeting would be a good time. We need to get this done so that we have ample ordering time. I hope to award this honor at our January meeting when Governor Nelson Nix will be our guest.

Be sure to mark your calendar for Tuesday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> for our Christmas Party. 6:30 for snacks and goodies, 7:00 o'clock dinner, followed by some special musical entertainment.

Our November program will be Detective Mark Senter of the Indiana State Police.

In closing, Betty and I wish you a happy Thanksgiving and be thankful that we don't have any tsunamis, hurricanes or tornadoes that directly affect our lives. Take a moment to think of those that did.  
Yours in Lionism Lion Howard

Trains don't wander All over the map 'Cause nobody sits In the engineers lap Burma Shave

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## Mark Your Calendar

Tuesday	Nov 22, 2005	Lakeville Lions Dinner Meeting Speaker: Det. Mark Senter, Indiana State Police
Saturday	Dec 10, 2005	Toys for Tots "Blitz" Day
Tuesday	Dec 13, 2005	Lakeville Lions Christmas Party
Saturday	Dec 17, 2005	Community Christmas Food Basket Distribution

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## Lakeville Lions Community Halloween Party



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# **Community Christmas Food Basket & Toys for Tots Projects – 2005**

## **Community Christmas Food Basket**

- Laville Elementary School will collect the food again this year.
- Lakeville Lions will pick up food at the school on November 18 at 9:00 a.m.
- Food will be taken to the Union/North EMS Building to be sorted.
- Distribution of food and toys on December 17 from 8:00 a.m. – Noon.
- Lakeville Lions will provide half a ham with each basket.
- In 2004, we gave out 31 baskets and about 110 toys.
- The Laville Schools and the Union Township Trustee will provide the family names.

## **Toys for Tots**

- Toys for Tots drive from November 14 to December 18.
- Lakeville “Blitz Day” on December 10 at Lion Dave Grenert’s garage from 7:30 a.m. to Noon.
- Toys for Tots boxes will be at: Gift Basket Express, Dave Grenert’s garage, Newton Center (Old Lakeville School).
- The Marine Corps will bring extra toys to add to the toys we collect, so we can give each child 3 or 4 toys this year.