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# LAKEVILLE LIONS CLUB



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LAKEVILLE, INDIANA

APRIL 2009

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## A Message from the President

Greeting Fellow Lions,

Another successful Good Friday Fish Fry is history, the new playground equipment we helped purchase is being installed in the town park on Main Street, our Scholarship Committee is reviewing applications from college-bound LaVile High School seniors, and other committees are finalizing plans for several upcoming events. The spring and summer months will offer many opportunities for us to demonstrate the Lions motto: "We Serve".

We are honored to welcome International Director Douglas Lozier and Lion Kathy, of Indianapolis, to our April dinner meeting, Tuesday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at the Newton Center. Join us for appetizers and conversation at 6:15 p.m., followed by a buffet dinner at 7:00 p.m.

Director Lozier has been a Lion since 1976 and a member of the Carmel Lions Club since 2000. He was elected to the office of International Director at the 2008 International Convention in Bangkok. Prior to his election as International Director, Director Lozier served as a club president, zone chairperson, deputy district governor, and district governor. He also served as a leadership chairperson, and a trustee of the Indiana Lions Foundation. Director Lozier is a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow, and his wife, Lion Kathy, is a Melvin Jones Fellow.

Yours in Lionism,  
Lion Paul Russell

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## Mark Your Calendar

Fri-Sun	Apr 17-19		Indiana Lions State Convention, Merrillville
Tuesday	Apr 28	6:15 pm	Dinner Meeting, Newton Center Speaker: International Director Douglas Lozier
Saturday	May 2	11:15 am	District Cabinet Meeting, Quaker Haven, Syracuse, IN
Tuesday	May 12	7:00 pm	Business Meeting, Scout Hall
Saturday	May 16	All day	Lakeville Town-Wide Garage Sale
		10:00 am	Lakeville Lions Port-A-Pit Chicken & Pork Chop Sale
Tuesday	May 26	7:00 pm	Dinner Meeting, Lakeville United Methodist Church

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## Winter 50-50 Contest: The Snow Is Right

We had only a trace of snow in March, but rumor has it that there might have been a winner in the March "The Snow Is Right" contest. The winner, if there is one, must be present at the April dinner meeting to collect the prize.

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**April Dinner Meeting**  
**International Director Douglas Lozier**

International Director Douglas Lozier, and his wife, Lion Kathy, will be our special guests at our April dinner meeting on Tuesday, April 28<sup>th</sup> at the Newton Center. Join us for appetizers and conversation at 6:15 p.m., followed by a buffet dinner at 7:00 p.m.

**Menu**

Chicken Cordon Bleu  
Carved Beef  
Roasted Red Potatoes with Red and Yellow Peppers  
Asparagus  
Seven-Layer Salad  
Dinner Rolls & Butter  
Cheesecake  
Beverages

The cost will be \$8.50 per person, and reservations are required. If you plan to attend, but are not on the permanent dinner list, please call Jean Barlow (291-0680) by Sunday, April 26<sup>nd</sup> to make reservations. If you are on the permanent dinner list, but will be unable to attend this meeting, please call Jean Barlow (291-0680) by Sunday, April 26<sup>nd</sup> to cancel your reservation. If you fail to cancel, you will be expected to pay for the dinner that was ordered for you.

Please bring a donation of canned goods or other nonperishable food items for the food pantry at the Lakeville United Methodist Church.

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**Election of Officers for 2009-2010**

The election of officers and directors for the 2009-2010 Lions program year will be held at the April dinner meeting. The following individuals have been slated for election for the coming year.

Lion Dave Grenert	President
Lion Mike Wozny	1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President
PDG David Court	2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President
Lion Sharon Feitz	3 <sup>rd</sup> Vice President
Lion Rose Russell	Secretary
Lion Rob Hochschild	Treasurer
Lion Jim Foster	Membership Chairman
Lion Don Milzarek	Lion Tamer
Lion Ed Gorka	Tail Twister
Lion Arden Balmer	Director (3 years)
Lion Max Feitz	Director (3 years)

The following individuals were previously elected to multi-year terms as Directors, and have at least one year remaining on their terms.

PDG David Court (1 year)	Lion Don Milzarek (2 years)
Lion Howard Heines (1 year)	Lion Anne Weber (2 years)

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### **Port-A-Pit Chicken & Pork Chop Sale**

The Lakeville Lions Club will hold a Port-A-Pit Chicken & Pork Chop Sale on Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, in conjunction with the annual Lakeville Town-Wide Garage Sale. Profits from this event will be donated to the Lakeville Park Board to be used for park improvements. For more information, contact Lion Howard Heines (784-8666).

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### **Recognizing Those Who Serve**

As we approach the end of this Lions' year, we want to recognize those individuals who have contributed to the betterment of our community. PDG David Court has agreed to chair a committee which will review nominations for Melvin Jones Fellowships and W.P. Woods Fellowships. If you know someone who deserves special recognition, please contact PDG David Court (784-8242).

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### **Help Wanted**

Cub Scout Pack 247, sponsored by the Lakeville Lions Club, is in need of a volunteer who is willing to serve as the Den Leader for a Wolf (2<sup>nd</sup> grade) den. There are 9 boys in the den. The den should meet 2-4 times per month, the pack meets once a month, and the pack leadership meets once a month. Training and support are available. For more information or to volunteer, contact Lion and Cubmaster Dwight Noble at 784-3639.

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### **Lakeville Library Programs**

Are you looking for new hobby, or an excuse to get out of the house? You just might find something interesting in these upcoming programs at the Lakeville Library.

Herb Container Gardening	6:30 pm	April 20
South Bend Symphony woodwind ensemble	4:00 pm	May 1
Summer Reading Program		May 29 through July 31

For more information, call or visit the Lakeville branch of the St. Joseph County Public Library. The library is located at 120 N. Michigan St. in Lakeville; the phone number is 784-3446.

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### **Thought for the Month**

Behold the turtle. He makes progress only when he sticks his neck out. – James Bryant Conant

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