

LAKEVILLE LIONS CLUB SERVING OUR COMMUNITY SINCE 1943 www.lakevillelions.org

October 2021 Newsletter

Lakeville Lions,

Good turnout for the September 28th dinner meeting (31) but it could always be better. Spread the word that we are an active club. It was great to see these new members present, Tim and Vicky Terpening, and Gary Nolen. In fact, it was a pleasure to see Lions Paul and Rose Russell back in attendance; they spent most of August in Indianapolis helping coordinate Lions working the entrance gates at the Indiana State Fair.

Past District Governor and Past Council Chair Vic Fischer inducted Christopher Cherrone as our newest member. Chris manages the Unity Garden in Lakeville. His bride, Marilyn, attended also. WELCOME Chris. Yellow Cat Cafe served a scrumptious meal of baked chicken with all the trimmings.

The program after dinner was provided by Christine Germann and Tom Edgerton representing CULTIVATE Food Rescue. The mission of this program "is devoted to organizing community resources to fight hunger and reduce food waste". As of June 2021, CULTIVATE has rescued a total of 1.8 million pounds of food and produces over 5,000 meals per week. This food is made into healthy frozen meals and given to school children in three counties. Our own LaVille Elementary school children are recipients of these meals at NO COST. Lion Robin Vater won the 50/50 drawing and donated his winnings of \$39.50 to CULTIVATE and the Club voted to give the organization \$500.

The Club also voted to provide \$250 each to the LaVille Elementary PTO to help with their Fall Family Fest fundraiser and to the LaVille Drama Club at the Jr. – Sr. H.S. for their upcoming play presentation, 'Hercules". In just one evening, we gave away a total of \$1000 to three worthy objectives.

- The October dinner meeting is Tuesday October 26th at 6:30 at the Palmer Complex. The program will be provided by Russ Hanney, new branch manager of the St. Joseph County Public Library, Lakeville Branch. Please call Lion Jean DuFord to make your dinner reservation(s).
- October is a busy month for our Club! We're co sponsoring the Tenderloin Dinner drive-thru with the Lakeville Fire Department on Saturday, Oct. 23rd. \$10 per dinner is a great price for a giant tenderloin sandwich, a pile of french fries and a cookie. Just a week later, Sat. October 30th, we'll hold the Halloween Party at Palmer Community Complex. Mark your calendar now and plan to help at one or both events. Many hands make light work. Help is another word for service! Lions WE SERVE!

Lion President Larry Ort



October 23, 2021 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Lakeville Fire Station - Drive Thru Only 117 S Main St, Lakeville, IN 46536

\$10 Tenderloin Sandwich, Fries & Cookie. First come, first serve (while supplies last). No presale tickets, cash payment during event only.



Thank you to everyone for supporting us!

LIONS, HELP IS NEEDED! CALL LION J.D. ORT 574-217-5538 OR LION TROY ROWE 574-514-7824 ASAP!

HALLOWEEN PARTY AT PALMER COMMUNITY COMPLEX

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30 Doors open to the public at 7 pm.

Lions and friends of Lions are needed to help setup, hand out refreshments, judge the costume contest, and clean up. Contact Lion President Larry Ort and he will tell you what time to report for service.

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More good news from the Lakeville Lions Club



In September the Club paid for eyeglasses for a student at LaVille Elementary School!

Here are pics of some of the Club's newest members. Please continue to welcome them the next time you see them at a meeting or event!



Lion Nicholas Amor & his wife Hope (who is the new Principal at LaVille Elementary). Nick officially joined the Club in August.

Lion Chris Cherrone & his wife Marilyn. Chris was inducted at the September dinner meeting.







Lion Katie Nolen. Katie and her husband, Lion Gary Nolen, were inducted at the August dinner



meeting.

Lions Shawn and Tricia Markin with their family. Shawn and Tricia were inducted at the August Dinner meeting.



PLEASE MAKE YOUR DINNER RESERVATIONS NOW FOR OUR MEETING ON OCTOBER 26TH!



Call Jean DuFord by Sunday 10/24 to make your October dinner reservation!

Please call Lion Jean DuFord at 574-291-0680 as soon as possible!

If Jean doesn't answer when you call her, <u>please leave a message that includes your name, phone</u> <u>number and the number of people attending the dinner.</u> Spouses, children, and friends are always welcome at the Dinner Meetings.

*A reservation means you plan to attend the dinner meeting, and when you arrive, you'll pay for the meal(s) you reserved. Each meal is \$9. This allows us to give the caterer an accurate count. Children age 12 and over are considered full paying adults. If for some reason you are unable to attend the meeting, please consider paying the Club for the reservation(s) you made.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>WHAT</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>WHERE</u>
Tues. Oct. 12	Board of Directors Meeting	7:00 pm	Scout Hall
Sat. Oct. 23	Tenderloin Dinner Drive Thru	1:00 – 4:00 pm	Lakeville Fire Department
Tues. Oct. 26	Dinner Meeting	6:30 pm	Palmer Community Complex
Sat. Oct. 30	Lions Club Halloween Party	7:00 pm	Palmer Community Complex
Tues. Nov. 9	Board of Directors Meeting	7:00 pm	Scout Hall
Tues. Nov. 23	Dinner Meeting	6:30 pm	Palmer Community Complex
Lakeville Lions Club Online Home page: <u>http://www.lakevillelions.org/</u>			
Club calendar: <u>http://lakevillelions.org/calendar.html</u>			
Facebook: <u>https://www.facebook.com/LakevilleLionsClub</u>			

It's time to think about all the various tasks that take place during November and the first two weeks of December for our traditional Christmas activities – collecting Toys for Tots donations, sorting toys, assembling boxes of food, and assisting families on the designated pick-up day. *How will you answer the call to help make someone's holiday a little better and brighter??*



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