



## LAKEVILLE LIONS CLUB

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Hello Lions and friends,

There is always something to report, applaud and appreciate. The joint fish fry with the Lakeville Fire Department held April 15th has concluded with a net income of \$1,656.58. Each group received \$828.25. Kudos goes to Lion Tiffany Schieber for chairing this project. Thanks Tiffany for stepping up. You sure know how to "SERVE".

The new cooler at the fair booth is assembled, in place and functional. Thanks to Max Feitz, J.D. Ort, and Dennis Feitz (Max's grandson) for all their hard work and efforts to make this project complete. It sure was a pleasure working with the two younger lads to help with the heavy work. Interestingly our out-of-pocket expense for the cooler update has only amounted to \$173.10 due to recycling the aluminum from the old cooler along with scrap metal. Known replacement costs at this time equal \$582.44 minus scrap sales of \$409.34; expenditure to date \$173.10. We still have electrical hookup and freezer checkout/inspection expenses to incur. GREAT JOB everyone.

I had the pleasure of attending the Indiana Lions State Convention in Indianapolis along with Lakeville Lions Rose and Paul Russell. District 25-G came away with honors for three of its members. Mishawaka Lion Dave Eisen was the recipient of the Distinguished Lion Award from the Indiana Lions Foundation. Madison Twp. Lion Alan Beehler received the International Leadership Medal (Lions Club International's 3rd highest award), and Lakeville Lion Paul Russell was the recipient of the International President's Medal (LCI's 2nd highest award). Congratulations Paul!

Sarah Noble of our own Scout Troop 247G has achieved the rank of EAGLE SCOUT. She is the second young lady to achieve this rank within the LaSalle Council. The mountain is never too high to climb.

The Tuesday May 24 dinner meeting will be held at the Palmer Community Complex at 6:30 pm. Lakeville Lion Rose Russell will talk about the good works of the Indiana Lions Foundation.

### **Upcoming events: PLEASE SIGN UP TO HELP**

**Strawberry Festival at North Liberty Friday June 10 and Saturday June 11.**

Lions Darlene Shock and Jim Tibbs are sharing the chairman duties.

### **4-H Fair Food Booth events:**

**Relay for Life on Saturday June 11 at the Fairgrounds.**

**4-H Fair Friday July 1 thru Saturday July 9 at the Fairgrounds.**

**Jim Tillman is one of the chairpersons for Food Booth events**

I still need members to step up and take officer positions for the 2022 – 2023 calendar year.

I leave you with this reminder.

“KINDNESS is the language which the deaf can hear and the blind can see”. Mark Twain

Lion President Larry Ort



## **A MEAL RESERVATION IS REQUIRED FOR EVERY DINNER MEETING**

*Please call Lion Jean DuFord at 574-291-0680 by Sunday 5/22 to make your MAY dinner reservation!*

If Jean doesn't answer when you call her, please leave a message that includes your name, phone number and the number of people attending the dinner. Spouses, children, and friends are always welcome at the regular 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. 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, please consider paying the Club for the reservation(s) you made. The cost of each meal is \$10.

### **MARK YOUR CALENDAR:**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>WHAT</u>	<u>WHEN?</u>	<u>WHERE?</u>
Tues. May 24	Dinner Meeting	6:30 pm	Palmer Community Complex
<b>Fri. June 10 &amp; Sat. June 11</b>	<b>Mobile Food Trailer at the Strawberry Festival</b>	Fri. 11 am – 10 pm Sat. 9 am – 8 pm	North Liberty, IN
<b>Sat. June 11</b>	<b>Food Booth at the Relay for Life</b>	Serving food from 10 am to 8 pm	St. Joseph Co. 4-H Fairgrounds
<b>Tues. June 14</b>	<b>Board of Directors Meeting</b>	7:00 pm	Scout Hall
<b>Tues. June 28</b>	<b>Dinner Meeting</b>	6:30 pm	Palmer Community Complex
<b>Fri. July 1 – Sat. July 9</b>	<b>Food Booth at the 4- H Fair</b> Each day – 3 shifts per day; breakfast, lunch, and dinner		St. Joseph Co. 4-H Fairgrounds



Lion William "Bill" Weber passed away on April 18<sup>th</sup>, just a few days shy of his 81<sup>st</sup> birthday. We extend our deepest sympathies to his wife, Lion Janet (pictured with Bill), and his daughter, Lion Anne Weber. Bill battled Parkinson's Disease for many years. Bill served our Club, other community organizations and his country with honor. He also loved spending time with his family.



<https://www.hahnfuneralhomes.com/obituary/William-Weber>

**Lions Darlene Shock and Jim Tibbs need your help at our Mobile Trailer Food Booth.** Our Club will be selling 4 or 5 different varieties of baked potatoes, cheese curds, bottled water, and sodas. Lion Darlene will tell you more! Please call her cell phone to volunteer. **Darlene cell # (574) 386-5695**

**Fri. June 10<sup>th</sup> - 11 am to 10 pm      Sat. June 11<sup>th</sup> - 9 am to 8 pm**



**Saturday June 11<sup>th</sup> at the St. Joseph County 4-H Fairgrounds!**

***Our Food Booth will be open from 10 am to 8 pm to serve the people participating in the Relay for Life Event.***

The limited menu will feature lunch and dinner items.

Lion Jim Tillman is one of the Food Booth chairpersons – please call him to find out about all Food booth service opportunities.

**Jim cell # (574) 360-5705**

**Yes, Lions that's correct – two events on the same weekend in June! WE CAN DO IT!**

## St. Joseph County 4-H Fair



**Fri. July 1 – Sat. July 9, 2022!**

**Please look at your calendar and make a commitment to help our Club on one or more days of the Fair. Bring your family, friends, neighbors, and anyone over the age of 18!**

**It's a great feeling and sense of pride when LIONS ROAR together!**

**THE FAIR IS OUR SINGLE BIGGEST FUNDRAISER! WE WILL PAY A NON-PROFIT GROUP TO BRING 10 VOLUNTEERS (AT LEAST 9 MEMBERS OF THE GROUP MUST BE 18 OR OLDER) TO WORK A SHIFT! IT'S AN EASY WAY FOR A GROUP TO MAKE MONEY!**

Lakeville Lions Club Online Home page: <http://www.lakevillelions.org/>

Club calendar: <http://lakevillelions.org/calendar.html>

District 25G website: <http://lions25g.com/>