



The Head Lioner



Issue 8

Meadville Lions Club

August 2009

*Bi-Monthly Meetings: 1st & 3rd Thursdays * 12:00 p.m. * Wesbury United Community*

August Birthdays
(Let's Give a Lions Roar for)

Brian Jensen,
8/4/09

Henry Miller
8/31/09



August Meetings 2009

8/6/09
Regular Meeting
Wesbury at Noon

8/13/09
Board Meeting
Vietnam Vet Post 52
Dinner 5:30

8/20/09
Regular Meeting
Wesbury at Noon

Upcoming Social Events

A Day at the Races



Come join the Meadville Lions on 8/20/09 at Erie Downs for a evening of fun. Details to follow.



MOVE TO GROW

<http://www.lionsclubs.org/EN/common/pdfs/intprogram.pdf>
(Copy the above link into your web-browser to learn more)

“Many persons have a wrong idea of what constitutes true happiness. It is not attained through self-gratification but through fidelity to a worthy purpose”

Helen Keller

Lions
We are global.
We serve where we live.
We give 100 percent.
We do it ourselves.
We are rich in heritage and pride.
We are in good company.
We're open.

King Lion's Page (Barb)



WELL FELLOW LIONS WE MADE IT THROUGH THE RAINY MONTH OF JULY!! WHEW, LETS TAKE A DEEP BREATH FOR A MOMENT.

BOY WAS THE WESBURY CHICKEN BBQ FUN OR WHAT?? THE DAY WAS A SUCCESS WITH THE RAIN HOLDING OFF FOR ALL TO ENJOY. A BIG "THANK YOU" GOES OUT TO ALL THE LIONS AND LION FRIENDS THAT HELPED WITH THE PARKING OF CARS, DIRECTING TRAFFIC, AND SHUTTLING OF PEOPLE BACK AND FORTH. WE ALSO HAD A LIONS BOOTH SET UP TO SELL FAIR & HARLEY TICKETS. A VERY BIG THANKS TO DAVE HOLLERN FOR ORGANIZING US ALL FOR THIS LARGE ENDEAVOR. ANOTHER LIONS JOB WELL DONE.

NOW WE HAVE A VERY BUSY AUGUST WITH RIGHT OFF THE BAT ON AUGUST 1ST WE HAVE PARKING CARS FOR REC AND THE FOLLOWING WEEK-END HELPING AT MMC PICNIC (AUGUST 7TH & 8TH). THEN OFF TO THE FAIR!! LION MISSY HAS THE FAIR AND HARLEY TICKETS IF YOU NEED THEM. THIS IS ONE OF OUR BIG FUND RAISERS AND WE NEED ALL LIONS TO HELP SELL THE TICKETS IN THIS TRYING ECONOMY.

HAVE A GREAT MONTH AND I WILL SEE YOU AT THE MEETINGS. I JUST WANT TO SAY ONE MORE TIME "GREAT JOB" AND "WELL DONE" AND FINALLY "A BIG THANK YOU".

SERVING YOU IN LIONISM,
KL BARB



Our Lions Activities



International Convention

PDG Scott, and Joyce Ladner, Lions Dave & Sharon Hollern joined 13,000 Lions in Minneapolis this year to celebrate the new IP Eberhart Wirfs' theme of Move to Grow, and move we did to the beat of the Beach Boys in concert.

South Pacific

14 Lions joined Lion Joyce and PDG Scott Ladner at the Academy Theaters to see the play South Pacific on the 17th of July. It was a great play and fun outing. Come join us for next month's outing.

Wesbury Anniversary and BBQ

I want to personally take a moment and thank all club members, family, and friends who worked so hard on this project. From our parkers at Robertson Field and our traffic directors, to our shuttle drivers and booth attendants it was 100% effort and a fine job from all. Over 2,500 meals were served that day and from what I understand the Lions were a critical cog in a successful project. Thanks again to you all. Lion Dave

Pass the Banner

Eight Meadville Lions were in attendance at the District's Pass the Banner Ceremony at Green Acers Golf Course on the 27th of July. For our new members the Pass the Banner Ceremony is the ceremonial handoff of the district's management from our outgoing District Governor to the new Governor. This year the banner was passed from PDG Becky Eldridge to DG Scott Preston. Next year our club will get a front row seat at this ceremony. Hope you can all make it. Lion Dave





UPCOMING MEADVILLE
LIONS PROJECTS
AND EVENTS



REC Board Meeting Parking
8/1/09

At the Crawford County Fairgrounds
We will need help for this fund raising project

Meadville Medical Center Picnic Support
8/7-8/8/09

We will need help for this fund raising project

District 14-F Summer Cabinet Meeting
8/16/09

Vernon Central Fire Hall
Hosted by the Meadville Lions Club

Edinboro Lions Club Annual Steak Fry and Corn Roast

Wednesday, August 19 6:30 p.m.
Wooden Nickel Buffalo Farm

\$15 per person for filets, corn on the cob, BBQ pork, salads, rolls and dessert. Also adult beverages and soft drinks.
White Elephant auction afterwards. Donations needed for the auction. And, of course, buyers. Also a 50/50 raffle.

Crawford County Fair Booth and Raffle
8/22-8/29/09

We will need help for this fund raising project
Lion Missy has Fair and Motorcycle tickets if you need them.

Lions US/Canada Leadership Forum
In Memphis TN
9/24/09-9/27/09

Major Garth Faulds wanted to send a thank you to the club for his nomination to the Pennsylvania Fellows. He is very proud of the recognition and will carry on his work with the Conneaut Lake Lions.



Let's All Step Back

Take a Deep Breath And Celebrate the End of the
Crawford County Fair & A Long Hard Summer
(It's Party Time)



DATE: August 30, 2009

TIME: 3:00 p.m. Until ??

DINNER: 5:00 p.m.

LOCATION

Florence & Arden's Place

10995 Livermore Road

*Please Bring Your Favorite Dish
(With something in it)*

Rolls, Salad, Casseroles, Desserts



Beer, Mix & Pop Provided

(You may bring your own
bottle also)

“Arden will do a Ham on the Grill”

Bring a couple of lawn chairs



**PLEASE RSVP at 724-7098
SO THAT
WE HAVE ENOUGH HAM
AND BEER**

Do Your Part For the After Party Cleanup!
PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN TABLE SERVICE





Lions International



EBERHARD J. WIRFS INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT

Eberhard J. Wirfs, of Kelkheim am Taunus, Hessen, Germany, was elected president of The International Association of Lions Clubs at the association's 92nd International Convention, held in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA, July 6-10, 2009. Lions Clubs International is the world's largest service club organization and the global leader in humanitarian and community service.

President Wirfs, an entrepreneur and retired CEO of his own company, is a pioneer in the marketing of frozen food specialties across Europe.

Using as his presidential theme **Move to Grow**, President Wirfs plans to build momentum or movement and "grow" association membership in order to meet the increasing needs for community service around the world.

President Wirfs is an experienced and effective leader with particular strength in membership development and extension and leadership training, and in combining service and fellowship.

A member of the Hofheim am Taunus Lions Club since 1985, President Wirfs has held many offices within the association, including club president; district governor; council chairperson; faculty group leader for the District Governors-elect Seminar, which trains incoming governors; and international director. He served as CEO of the German Lions Foundation, Deutsches Hilfswerk. In addition, he systematically implemented Lions Quest, a mentoring program for young people, in Germany. He is an honorary member of the Kelkheim am Taunus Lions Club.

In recognition of his service to the association, President Wirfs has received numerous awards, including the Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association bestows upon its members. He is also a Progressive Melvin Jones Fellow.

President Wirfs and his wife, Margit, also a Melvin Jones Fellow, have two sons. Oliver and daughter-in-law, Sandra, have one daughter, Hannah-Carlotta. Marcus is married to Pauline, who is from France.

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S Ladner, D Nola & J Lynch

Convention, Constitution & Bylaws

D Hollern & S Ladner

Sight Conservation—Eye Screening

K Faivre, J Ladner, J Shumaker & B Jensen

Social- Recreation

J Ladner S Ladner & Everyone

Publicity

C Fiorillo & B Heintz

Fair Booth

Barb Lucas, L Mineweaser, A Hughes & C Fiorillo

Under 2nd Vice President Doug Nola**Attendance & Visitation**

S Ladner

Music & Jestng

J Weber

Ways & Means

S Hollern & Missy Woodworth

Greeters

S. Hollern & J. Ladner

Civic Improvements

K Faivre, R Collins & A Hibbard

Under 3rd Vice President Cindy Fiorillo**Programming**

C Fiorillo & E Mineweaser

Environment

J Salak

Membership/Retention

D Hollern & R Sharp

Good Will

Florence Hughes & S Hollern

PROGRAM ASSIGNMENT SCHEDULE***For July 2009 through June 2010*****JULY 2****JULY 16****DAVE HOLLERN****SHARON HOLLERN****AUGUST 6****AUGUST 20****MARTHA CONSOLA****JOHN SALAK****SEPTEMBER 3****SEPTEMBER 17****RICH SWAVEY****JEAN WEBER****OCTOBER 1****OCTOBER 15****ARDEN HIBBARD****MARJORIE LOEPP****NOVOMBER 5****NOVEMBER 19****JUDY SHUMAKER****THANKSGIVING****DECEMBER 3****DECEMBER 17****JOYCE LADNER****CHRISTMAS****JANUARY 7****JANUARY 21****JEFF DAVIS****OPEN****FEBURUARY 4****FEBURUARY 18****BETSY HEINTZ****ROB SHARP****MARCH 4****MARCH 18****BOB STAINBROOK****DONNA STIMPSON****APRIL 1****APRIL 15****BONNIE VANNORT****DOTTIE SWAVEY****MAY 6****MAY 20****FLORENCE HUGHES****CHERYL DONNELL****JUNE 3****JUNE 17****ROB COLLINS****ELEANOR MINWEASER**



*Meadville Lions Club
Officers
2009—20010*

President	Barb Lucas
1st Vice President	Melissa Woodworth
2nd Vice President	Doug Nola
3rd Vice President	Cynthia Fiorillo
Secretary	Karen Faivre & Joyce Ladner
Treasurer	Jeffrey Davis & Larry Mineweaser
Tail Twister	Jean Weber
Lion Tamer	Florence Hughes & Mindy Cole
1st Year Directors	Arden Hughes Rob Sharp Dave Hollern
2nd Year Directors	PDG John Salak Martha Consla Sharon Hollern
3rd Year Directors	PDG Scott Ladner Jean Weber Judy Shumaker
Newsletter Editor	Dave Hollern
Immediate Past President	Karen Faivre

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Kelkheim am Taunus,
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