



LIONS CLUB of BLOOMINGDALE

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Lion Warren Prescott Jr., President

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Next Business / Dinner Meeting

The monthly Business / Dinner meeting will be held at the Bloomingdale Golf Club on Thursday, February 1, 2007. Social time kicks off at 6:30 p.m. and the meeting begins at 7:00 p.m. Reminder – Business meetings are held the 1st Thursday of the month (Feb. 01, Mar. 01, Apr. 05).

Next Board Meeting

The monthly Board Meeting will be held Thursday, February 15, 2007 at Starck Realty at 6:30 p.m. All officers and directors should attend and all members are welcome to attend. Reminder – The Board meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of the month (Feb. 15, Mar. 15, Apr. 19).

Upcoming Events

- Jan. 31: Eastern Region Zone Meeting at Bloomingdale Golf Club 7:00 p.m.
- Feb. 01: Business/Dinner Meeting at Bloomingdale Golf Club 6:30 p.m.
- Feb. 04: Super Bowl Party at Lion Perry & Sue's house 5:00 p.m.
- Feb. 09: Spaghetti Dinner at Bloomingdale Golf Club 5:00 p.m.
- Feb. 15: Bloomingdale Board Meeting at Starck Realty 6:30 p.m.
- Mar. 01: Business/Dinner Meeting at Bloomingdale Golf Club 6:30 p.m.
- Mar. 14: Dist.1-J Roar for Lion Ron Fangusaro at Bloomingdale Golf Club 6:00 p.m.
- Mar. 15: Bloomingdale Board Meeting at Starck Realty 6:30 p.m.
- Mar. 31: Easter Egg Hunt at Circle Park 11:00 a.m.
- Apr. 05: Business/Dinner Meeting at Bloomingdale Golf Club 6:30 p.m.
- Apr. 13: Dist. 1-J convention at the Hilton in Lisle/Naperville, Apr. 13-15
- Apr. 19: Bloomingdale Board Meeting at Starck Realty 6:30 p.m.
- May 11: Steak Fry at Bloomingdale Golf Club
- May 17: State Convention, Peoria May 17 – 20

If you have knowledge of other upcoming events, please let me know so I can incorporate them into the next issue.

District 1- J Convention

At the Dist. 1-J convention at the Hilton in Lisle/Naperville on Apr. 13-15, the Bloomingdale Lions will host a hospitality room in honor of Ron Fangusaro as 2007-08 District 1-J Governor. Volunteers are needed to help with the hospitality room. Lion Warren started a volunteer list so please let him know if you're interested.

February Birthdays

A BIG Happy Birthday to the following Lions & partners in service:

Feb. 03: Bob Cywinski
Feb. 04: Larry Kowalski
Feb. 09: Nancy Viger
Feb. 24: Andreas Ong
Feb. 24: Karen Roehlke

Happy Belated birthday to Lion Claudia Ong (Jan. 19)

Easter Egg Hunt

This year's Easter Egg hunt will be held Saturday, March 31st at 11 a.m. in Circle Park.

Lions Cory and Claudia will be running this event this year. Lion Perry after five years is stepping down, thanks Lion Perry for five great years.

Holiday Decorating Awards Announced

The Daily Herald recently announced the winners of their Annual Home Holiday Decorating contest. The top winner was the home of our very own Lion Joe Salerno and his wife, Donna. The winning photograph showed their beautifully decorated home reflected in the adjoining pond. Congratulations to the Salerno's for sharing their holiday spirit with all viewed the sight. We always knew that Lion Joe was one of the brightest bulbs in the club!

Spaghetti Dinner

The next Spaghetti Dinner will be held February 9, 2007 at the Bloomingdale Golf Club. Tickets are **\$10.00** and children under 8 are free. Your help during the event is greatly appreciated.

Santas Visits Update of Visits and Donations

Santas (Lion Jerry, Lion Perry & Lion Jim) visited **16 homes** in the area. This team of Santa's raised **\$1,009** which will be donated to the Bloomingdale Food Pantry. Great job Santas!

Lions Roar

Wednesday, March 14th starting at 6 p. m. will be a Lions Roar (roast/fundraiser) for (soon to be) District 1-J Governor, Lion Ron Fangusaro. A spaghetti dinner will be served at the Bloomingdale Golf Club. All Lions are invited to join the celebration.

Rumor has it there will be raffle tickets for sale for a 42" plasma TV!

Super Bowl Party Update – Change of Time

The Super Bowl party will be held at the Knutson's, 1005 Summerfield Drive, Roselle, IL 60172 starting at **5 p.m.** (630-894-7394). Game time is 7 p.m. (6 p.m. EST). Please bring a dish to pass (beer, wine and soda provided). Lion George will be handling the Super Bowl squares. Lions family are all invited.

Annual Lions International Convention

From July 2-6, the 90th Annual Lions International Convention will be held at McCormick Place. Volunteers are needed to meet and greet these Lions from around the world.

Jerry Markham's a Grandpa X 2!

Lion Jerry traveled to China with his son Pat and daughter-in-law Sherry to meet their new daughter, Elizabeth TingMei (Ellie). Ellie is 13 months old, beautiful and brilliant! Unfortunately Lion Jerry's wife, Kay wasn't able to make the trip because their daughter Michelle's baby was due within a few days for their scheduled return. As luck would have it, Lion Jerry's daughter Michelle and son-in-law Bill welcomed their daughter Katherine Virginia (Katie) while Lion Jerry was in China. Of course Katie is beautiful and brilliant as well!

Congratulations to Lion Jerry and his family.



Editor's Corner

Thanks to all who submitted an article and/or pictures. If you have any newsletter ideas, pictures or stories, please send them to bloomingtondalelionkelly@yahoo.com. Please let Lion Kelly know if you prefer to receive the newsletter by email rather than by "snail mail".

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