

# Seymour Noon Lions

## Newsletter



November 2007

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### Mark Your Calendar...

November 22: Thanksgiving - No Meeting

November 29: Rhea Murray from Turning Point

December 6: Nancy Manuel - Family Nutrition Program

December 13: Lydi Davidson - Advocates For Children

December 17: Board Meeting

December 20: Business Meeting

December 27: No Meeting



### A Few Words From Lion President Dave Meginnis...

*Just so you know.* My campaign promise "gas will not top \$ 5 per gallon" is in jeopardy.

As consumers, we are reminded that Thanksgiving is another buying "season". As Lions, we are reminded that Thanksgiving is a time for renewing our attitude of "Thanksgiving," which knows no "season".

Many years ago, our minister's Sunday sermon was about "Thanksgiving". Giving thanks is not restricted to Thanksgiving, to Sunday morning, or to offering thanks before a meal. We can give thanks to God in all that we do by "Thanksgiving".

Through our service as Lions, we learn of the suffering of others and learn what WE can do to help relieve their suffering. A byproduct of this knowledge and OUR service is having a greater appreciation, a greater thankfulness, for what we have and what we are able to do for others. Accordingly, OUR service to others, and our "Thanksgiving" is never ending.

From everyone who has been given much, much will be demanded; and from the one who has been entrusted with much, much more will be asked. Luke 12:48 (NIV)

The Special Olympics Basketball Tourney is scheduled for  
Saturday, January 5, 2008  
Seymour Middle School



## **Member Spotlight - Lion Richard Beatty**

Birthday: July 25th

Family: Lion Richard has a son named Ben. He is the Assistant Golf Pro at Timbergate Golf Course.

Lion Richard's Hobbies: Golf, bicycle riding, and watching I.U. and High School sports, Colts & Pacers.

Favorite Books: *Golfing with God* and *Disappearance of the Universe*

Favorite Movies: Caddyshack and Hoosiers

Favorite Restaurant: Palomino Grill

Other Community Involvement: Central Christian Church Deacon, Jackson Masonic Lodge, Ex-President of Seymour Jaycees.

Other Jobs Richard Has Held: Watermelon/Cantaloupe Farm, Starve Hollow Grounds Crew, and Indiana State Highway Testing Department.

Interesting Fact Most Of Us Don't Know: Richard is a sixteen-year cancer survivor.



## **Oktoberfest Results...**

Net profit from shirt sales: \$10,827

Net profit from soft drinks: \$726

## **News...**

At our business meeting on November 15th, our club voted to sponsor a potential new Lions club in Medora. At least 20 people will need to express interest in starting the club in order for it to be chartered. Lions Sandy Ruane and Rich Steele have volunteered to serve as 'Guiding Lions' if a Medora club is established.

We also voted at the business meeting to donate \$200 toward the purchase of vision equipment. This is a district project with a goal to purchase four vision testers that will be available year-round for clubs in District E-1. We may choose to donate more money later, but we wanted to at least meet the \$200 challenge that has been issued to each club within our district.

## ***Have you invited anyone to a Lions Club meeting lately?***

Visitors are always welcome at our meetings... and that's the first step to growing our club.

## **Golf Humor...**

"Why don't you play golf with Bob anymore?" asked Joe's wife.

"Would you play with someone who curses after every shot, cheats in the bunkers, and enters false scores on his card?" Joe replied.

"No!" she said.

Joe sighed. "Neither will Bob."