

Seymour Noon Lions

Newsletter



Summer 2008

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Summer Schedule...

Thursday, July 8: We will kick-off Oktoberfest shirts sales. Lion Bill hopes to have the 2008 shirt designs available.

Monday, July 21: Board Meeting Thursday, July 24: Business Meeting

Thursday, August 14: PDG Lion Jim Brown will be our guest speaker. He will present Lions Quarterly Information.

Monday, August 25: Board Meeting Thursday, August 28: Business Meeting

NO MEETING - July 3, July 17, July 31, August 7, August 21



Lions vs. Rotary Golf Outing...
Wednesday, September 10th at Shadowwood
Lunch at Noon... Shotgun Start at 1PM

A Few Words From Lion President Dave Meginnis...

Well, my only campaign promise is threatened! I promised that during my term gasoline would not top \$5 per gallon. Incoming President Richard had best not hold out a similar promise for his term!! Perhaps he will promise a cap on earthquake insurance premiums.

In a more serious mood, I ask you to review your year as a member of the Seymour Noon Lions. *What has been your "return on involvement"?* I thought this phrase (in quotes) which appeared on a recent trade magazine appropriate for our service minded group. Unlike investments, your involvement always produces a return. Perhaps you can't measure the return, but those benefiting from your involvement certainly can measure the return. There is never a "loss on involvement". To those of you that have had a "flat line" return this past year on your involvement as a Lion, please tell me what can be done to enable you to increase your involvement in the coming year. Those who depend upon and look forward to our service need your increased involvement.

To those of you who have contributed so very much to our club's return on involvement this past year, thank you! Please continue the growth on our club's return on involvement in the coming year.

Parting thought:

"Nothing can stop the man with the right mental attitude from achieving his goal; nothing on earth can help the man with the wrong mental attitude."
-- Thomas Jefferson

Member Spotlight - Lion Fred Moritz

Birthday: September 5th

Family: Wife—Tracie, Three sons—Todd, Chad, and Brad

Fred's Favorite Movie: Old School

Favorite vacation spot: Destin, Florida

Favorite restaurant / favorite dessert: The Brick / Pecan Pie

Previous jobs include: J.C. Penney Merchandise Manager

Other Community Involvement: Seymour Main Street, Board of Elders at Immanuel Lutheran Church

Interesting fact most of us don't know: Lion Fred likes to watch Lion Nick Greemann eat peaches...???



Member Spotlight - Lion Jeff Ray

Birthday: June 1st

Family: Wife—Ruthanne, Children—Ben (25) and Cameron (23)

Current Job: Sales Manager at Dicksons

Jeff's Hobbies: Golf, Landscaping, Reading, All sports

Favorite Books / Movies: The Bible, Stephen Covey's Seven Habits, Pay It Forward, My Life

Favorite Restaurant: Bahama Breeze

Favorite Dessert: Banana cake with peanut butter icing

Previous jobs include: Sales mgmt. at DC Cook Ministries, Zondervan, Warner Press, Pfaltzgraff

We Serve...

Pictured here... Lions Dave Meginnis and Christine Nelson are assisting the American Red Cross at the 'Taste of Wines and Blues.' The event was held Saturday, June 21st.



Our next opportunity for service will be July 12th and 26th. Our club has agreed to provide volunteers for destruction at The Seymour Museum. We will be knocking out drywall and removing stud framing.

If you can help out at either of these work sessions... please let Lion Dave Meginnis or Lion Richard Beatty know. Your service will be greatly appreciated.

Highlights from Charter Night - June 12, 2008

Lion Rich Steele was honored with the prestigious 'Melvin Jones' Award



Lion Sandy Ruane presents Lion Shawn Busby with the 'Lion of the Year' Award



Lion Dave Meginnis passes the President's gavel to Lion Richard Beatty.

Painting the Porch...

A girl, wanting to earn some money, decided to hire herself out as a 'handyman' type and started canvassing a wealthy neighborhood. She went to the front door of the first house and asked the owner if he had any jobs for her to do. "Well, you can paint my porch. How much will you charge?"

The girl said, "How about 50 dollars?" The man agreed and told her that the paint and ladders that she would need were in the garage. The man's wife, inside the house, heard the conversation and said to her husband, "Does she realize that the porch goes all the way around the house?" The man replied, "She should. She was standing on the porch."

A short time later, the girl came to the door to collect her money. "You're finished already?" he asked. "Yes," the girl answered, "and I had paint left over, so I gave it two coats." Impressed, the man reached in his pocket for the \$50.

"And by the way," the girl added, "That's not a Porsche, it's a Lexus."