



# LIONS CLUB of BLOOMINGDALE

## Lions Tales - May 2007

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Lion Warren Prescott Jr., President

Lion Wayne Murphy, Secretary

### **Next Business / Dinner Meeting**

The monthly Business / Dinner meeting will be held at the Bloomingdale Golf Club on Thursday, May 03, 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 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month.

### **Next Board Meeting**

The monthly Board Meeting will be held Thursday, May 17, 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month.

### **Upcoming Events**

- May 03: Business/Dinner Meeting at Bloomingdale Golf Club 7:00 p.m.
- May 11: Steak Fry at Bloomingdale Golf Club
- May 11: Vidalia Onion Pick Up Noon – 5:00 p.m.
- May 12: Vidalia Onion Pick Up 8:00 a.m. – Noon
- May 17: Bloomingdale Board Meeting at Starck Realty 6:30 p.m.
- May 17: State Convention, Peoria May 17 – 20
- Jun 03: 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Night-Walk at Danada Equestrian Center 6:30 p.m.
- Jun 07: Officer Installation Dinner
- Jun 08: Relay for Life at Lake Park West 6:00 p.m.
- Jun 15: Hearing Bus at Medinah Banquets 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
- Jul 02: 90<sup>th</sup> Annual Lions International Convention July 2-6 at McCormick Place
- Aug 03: 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing at Bloomingdale Golf Club
- Aug 27: Lions Night at the Kane County Cougars

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

### **May Birthdays**

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

- May 01: Colleen Fuchs
- May 06: Warren Prescott
- May 11: Bob Schoen
- May 15: Kay Markham
- May 19: Eileen Bousquet
- May 19: Michael J. Morrisroe
- May 22: Linda Bertrand
- May 29: John Argyrakis

**Bloomingtondale Lions Club Officers for 2007- 2008**

The Bloomingtondale Lions Club Officers were elected during the April business meeting. Congratulations and thank you to the following Officers.

President	Lion Mark Bousquet
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	Lion Dan L. Davis
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	Lion Kelly Gits
3 <sup>rd</sup> Vice President	Lion Jerry Markham
Secretary (2 Year Term)	Lion Wayne A. Murphy
Treasurer (2 Year Term)	Lion Rob Pauling
2 Year Directors (2007-2009)	Lion Joseph G. Salerno
	Lion Claudia Ong
1 Year Director (2007-2008)	Lion Cory Viger
	Lion Bob Vuglar
Tail Twister	Lion Larry Kowalski
Lion Tamer	Lion Kevin Jordan
Leo Club Advisor	Lion Mandy Bertrand
Immediate Past President	Lion Warren P. Prescott, Jr.

**Vidalia Onion Sale – Pick Up Information**

Location – Stark Realty 181 South Bloomingtondale Road, Bloomingtondale

Pick Up Day 1 - Friday, May 11, Noon – 5:00 p.m.

Pick Up Day 2 - Saturday, May 12, 8:00 a.m. to Noon.

For more information, contact Lion Walt Cropper at 630-894-2113 or LionsOnions@yahoo.com

**Lions of Illinois Foundation 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Night-Walk**

Walkers and donations needed! The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Night-Walk will be held Sunday, June 3, 2007. Invite your friends and family for a 3-mile walk to raise funds to benefit the visually impaired. This event will be held at the Danada Equestrian Center and the Danada Forest Preserve located at 3S 501 Naperville Road, Wheaton IL 60187.

Please see Chairperson Lion Dan L. Davis for additional details.

**Bloomingtondale Lions Vest**

Lion Murph has received 3 requests for Bloomingtondale Lions Vests. We need a minimum of 6 vests to receive the discounted rate of \$30 each. The \$30 includes Bloomingtondale custom lettering, tax and shipping costs.

If you are interested, please let Lion Murph know by the May 03 business meeting. Please give Lion Murph your size (S, M, L, XL, XXL, etc.) and your check (payable to Bloomingtondale Lions). Lion Murph recommends going a size larger since you never know what you'll be wearing it over.

**District 1- J Convention**

It's unanimous! Congratulations to District Governor Elect Ron Fangusaro.

The hospitality room was a great success. Thank you to all the volunteers for their time and support. A special thank you to Bloomingdale Lion Jerry Bertrand and Richmond Lion Donna for all of the hard work they put in. The room looked great and the food was fantastic.





### **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.

### **Relay for Life**

Lion Sue Crosson-Knutson is chairing the Relay for Life event. The American Cancer Society fundraiser will begin at 6 p.m. on Friday, June 8 at the Lake Park West Campus football stadium. This is the Bloomingdale/Itasca/Roselle relay. We are looking for 10 additional team members for this event. We've have a minimum \$1,200 goal so your donation is greatly appreciated.

Please see Lion Sue for additional details or check out the website:

**<http://www.acsevents.org/faf/search/searchTeamPart.asp?ievent=191181&lis=1&ntae191181=BFA4D9046C614CD6845C6262102335DE&team=1804582&tteam=0>**

### **Leo's Update**

The Leo's will be having an Ice Cream Social at the Lexington Home on Friday, April 27. The Social will be held from 5:30 – 7:30.

The Leo's final meeting will be held on May 16. This will be a busy meeting with 2007-2008 officer elections and an end of the year party. In addition, Leo Advisor Mandy Bertrand will distribute the Leo awards.

### **Installation Dinner**

The installation dinner will be held June 07. Invitations will be mailed this week. Please plan on attending this event.

Please see Lion Mark Bousquet for additional details.

## **Easter Egg Hunt**

This year's hunt was a great success. This community event was held on March 31 and brought together approximately 100 kids and family members and the Easter Bunny. Thanks to Co-Chairs Lion Cory Viger & Claudia Ong, the Leo's and to all volunteers.



### **Hello from Germany**

Lion Kelly's brother (Tim Gits) stopped to take a picture in front of the Lions International banner in Rothenburg ob de Tauber Germany!



### **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 [bloominglelionkelly@yahoo.com](mailto:bloominglelionkelly@yahoo.com). Please let Lion Kelly know if you prefer to receive the newsletter by email.

For additional information about the club please see our web site at <http://www.bloominglelionsclub.org/>.

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