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Fellow Lions,

Although you can't really tell by the weather it is finally Country Fair Season!! A years' worth of planning and hard work come together in one weekend of Food, Fun and Service. Volunteers are still needed in several booths and if you are still available please plan on coming to the Fairgrounds and helping out wherever needed. The set-up of the Fair will begin at 6:00 Monday 8/10/09 and will continue every night at 6:00 until 8/15. Please come to help out with set-up and spend a few hours with your fellow Lions. The Fair is the biggest single fundraiser for the Club and all Lions should plan on working at least a 4 hour shift both days of the Fair 8/15 and 8/16. Several booth Chairs have sent e-mails asking for help, please reply to them if you can help.

As some of you may already know the renovations to the Loan Closet have been completed. Future Eagle Scout Justin Montagno has been supervising the job as part of his Eagle Scout Project and his crew of Scouts and Volunteers finished it up last week. Lion George Beldue gave the renovation high marks and said "there is even wall to wall carpeting". The project came in under budget, thanks to all the material donations secured by Justin, and ahead of the original Sept. 1st deadline. Thanks go out to Justin, and Troop 133, for a job well done.

The Eagle Project at Sprucewood Nature center is also progressing very nicely. Life Scout Ben Maysick is renovating the planting shed and gardens at Sprucewood. Work includes a new roof, new steel entry door, and a new paint job. This project will enable the Nature Club from the Elementary School to once again use this building for storage of their gardening tools and supplies. I look forward to seeing both of these fine young men achieve the rank of Eagle Scout.

As in years past our August meeting will be a Clambake, it will be 8/25 at 6:00 at the Maher Lodge on Sanford Rd. If you are interested in attending please contact Lion Guy.

The Country Fair Cash Drawing tickets that each Lion received should have been sold or turned back into Lion John by now. If you still have tickets left or money that has not been turned in please bring it to Fair set-up or make arrangements to get it to Lion John by 8/11.

Although the next couple weeks may be stressful and tiring try not to lose focus on why we work so hard on the Fair. Try to remember all the good things our Club does for The Community and how the money we raise at The Fair makes a difference in so many lives. We may have differences of opinion sometimes but they must be put aside for the good of the Club and the Community. Hope to see all of you at The Fair.

Lion President Bill

FAIR NOTES:

It's here, time to give it up for the Club, this is the BIG event, this is when we pull together and do what Lions do. Ask where you can help!!!!

Hello, Everyone!

I am looking for help with staffing the Lions Brownie Booth for Saturday and Sunday. If you have a little time to spare, we would love your help! If you are interested, please call me (293-1906) or respond to this e-mail. Let me know which day and time you would be available.

Thanks a bunch!

Lion Lorrie Dombrowski

Hello All,

Brad and I will be working the kid's games this year. We are looking for helpers....anytime and day are available.

Thanks--

Lions Alicia and Brad 293-3608

TIME TO GET ER DONE!

CLAM BAKE

This years Clambake is at Maher Lodge on Tuesday, August 25th 6pm for Clams, chatting, cocktails and munchies.

Dinner will be 7 or 7:30 and consist again this year Nick's homemade Italian sausage, salad, and couple sides.

Clams will be charged at market value, around \$3.00. per dozen, NO CHARGE for dinner, clams will need to ordered.

Please reply here or sign up at the information booth at the fair. So I have a count for dinner and clams

I am not going to have corn or salt potatoes this year so all the Lions can enjoy the party and not have to cook. **Due to that I could use a couple sides.**

Right now we have a zucchini & onion side & Salad, I could use another side dish and couple deserts if I have any volunteers let me know

Could use a cheese and or veggie tray for cocktail hour, one side without mayo (hehehehe)

Thanking in advance, Lion Marsha Clark for bringing a dessert & Lion Jim E. for the salad.

Any questions, comment, call or reply.

Lion Guy Pugliese C U at the FAIR

POLICY MANUAL

Fellow Lions.

The Club has updated our Policy Manual. If any Lion would like a copy, I will email you one upon request. To those of you who do not have email or printing capabilities, contact me and I will provide you with a hard copy.

Lion Bill Keidel

BY LAWS

Fellow Lions,

The Board of Directors, on submission from the Constitution & Bylaws committee, has accepted the following proposed Article XV. The article is being added to the "Bylaws" of the Constitution of the Churchville Lions Club. Please read and direct any questions to Lion John Rabideau or Lion Bill Keidel.

At a time two weeks minimum after the notification of the club, a vote on the Bylaw will take place at a meeting and time determined by the President.

Thank you

Lion Bill

DUES

Fellow Lions,

The Treasurer has brought it to the Board's attention that only a small portion of the membership have paid there dues at this point. We realize that due to a change in the position of Financial Secretary, the dues were invoiced late and this has placed a financial burden on our Club Account. We have had to borrow funds from the savings account to handle our commitments to Lions Club International the New York State Multiple.

We would appreciate prompt payment of your dues. It would help us greatly.

Thank you,

FRESPA

The Frespa picnic will be Sept. 17th, Lion Joe Deleo will be looking for help at the event.

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SELL, BUY, PROMOTE!!!!