

SPRINGFIELD LIONS CLUB

Lions' Lines



December 8, 2015



KING'S KORNER

My fellow Lions:

While trying to write this issue of the Lions Lines it is extremely difficult.

I am sitting here in the sunny part of our country trying to get into the Christmas spirit.

Have any of you ever been in the south at the holiday time?

It is just not right to see Christmas decorations on a palm tree or on one of the other places you do not expect. I will be back for our next club meeting, our holiday gathering.

Listening to Christmas music down here I did hear the Twelve days of Christmas, and all I could think of was our version. Including Three hose ball bats and one stinking fruit cake in a tin box.

Oh well maybe I am starting to get the Christmas spirit down here!

From Michelle and myself along with my family to you and yours,

Here's wishing you a safe and enjoyable Christmas season and a productive and positive New Year.

Sincerely,

Jim

LIONS' CALENDAR

Dec 1 Board meeting, St. Matthews, 6:30 PM

Dec 4 Children's Christmas Party, St. Matthews, 6:30 PM

Dec 8 Annual Lions Christmas Party, 6:30 PM, SCC

Dec 12 Nelson's BBQ

Dec 22 NO DINNER MEETING

Jan 8 Dinner mtg, TBA

Jan 21 Breakfast meeting, 8AM. Speaker Bill Lavery speaking on Medicare issues. Keep your eyes opened for a possible change in venue!

Jan 22 Dinner mtg, TBA

NEXT DINNER MEETING



**December 8th,
6:30 PM
Springfield
Country Club
Cost \$25**

Dress Code Christmas Casual
**Christmas hats, sweaters, ties,
blouses, dresses, etc. are welcome.**

**No Speakers
No Business
Just Christmas Cheer**



Come and have a good time!!

Don't forget your cancelled stamps!

**IMPORTANT! NOTIFY FRANK UDICIOUS IF YOU ARE ATTENDING
EITHER BY EMAIL (mludicious@verizon.net) OR PHONE (610-328-9075)**

RECENT EVENTS



The Club donated \$1,000 to the Springfield Ministerium at their last dinner meeting. Lion Ed Rocco is shown in the middle presenting the donation to Reverend James Kutnow, pastor of the Blue Church and President of the Ministerium on the right with Father John Gabin pastor of Holy Cross Church on the left.



The Nevallaires entertained us at the last dinner meeting with a selection of Christmas songs.

CALENDARS

Don't forget to return your calendar money to Jerry McCabe (610-543-8481).

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

The children's Christmas Party will be at St. Matthews on Friday, December 4th starting at 6:30 PM.



MEMORIAL FUND

The Memorial Fund Committee will be changing the mission of the fund. Please refer to the October 27th issue of the LL if you need the current mission. Please contact Jim Cavallaro if you have any ideas.

CHICKEN BBQ 2

The Nelson's BBQ is set for December 12th from 11AM to 4 PM. The prices are \$8 for a chicken dinner and \$13 for a rib dinner. We don't need any Lions to work at the BBQ – just SELL TICKETS! Please see Kurt Schaefer at the dinner meeting for tickets or call him at 610-543-5523. All orders must be in by Wed. Dec. 8th so that Jerry knows how many to order.

HOMETOWN DAY

LensCrafters in association with the Springfield Lions provides comprehensive eye exams, vision care and customized prescription glasses to people in need. Hometown Day in Springfield is December 10th from 9AM to 10 AM. Contact John Kulp (610-566-6211) if you know of someone who could benefit from this event or need further information. And, if you would like to help, contact John also.

SUNSHINE

Lion Ron Stanchek's wife was in a serious accident but is recovering. A get well card would be appreciated.

BERTUCCI'S FUNDRAISER

Bertucci's has again proposed that we hold a fundraiser at Bertucci's Restaurant similar to the one held last February. If you present one of our coupons on the date of the event (no date is scheduled as of yet), Bertucci's will donate 15% of the bill for the table including drinks (but excluding gratuity) to our club. Stay tuned for details.

LIONS' LINES

Remember, past *Lions Lines* are available on our web site, www.springfieldlionsclub.org. Please send all material for the *Lions' Lines* to Walt Young. Email is preferred (wtcayoung@verizon.net). Material must be received no later than the Wednesday before the dinner meeting and may be edited for space and content.