



Rochester Lions Club

Home Club of Leader Dogs for the Blind
www.rochesterlionsclub.org

September 2012

Club Meets 6:30 pm-1st & 3rd Mondays of Each Month at the River Crest Banquet Facility



Presidents Message September - A Wild Ride

Whew! Let's all take a deep breath to stop and smell the roses...or footballs as that season is here again.

What a summer we had and all of you are to be congratulated for our successes.

Let's look back at what we've accomplished...The food wagon was in heavy use with 6 movies, 3 car shows and 2 Leader Dog events. Lion Steve Rapotec, Chris DeVilling and the rest of the brave souls that manned the food wagon did a great job! We made a net profit of \$2,659.09!

Next, Rock n' Rods...What a GORGEOUS Day! We had a heavy turnout of cars and people. Lion Dennis and team did a great job. We sold 686 raffle tickets and 78 the day of the show. We have some great salesmen.

Lion David McKenzie assisted with the "Kids Bonanza" program held at the Congregational Church. They screened 70 children for eye problems with the Lions camera and 14 were referred to their eye Doctor for Further examinations. The children also received a physical exams and clothing.

We're not done yet...We have our annual golf outing on the 27th at Bald Mountain. See Lions Dave McKenzie or John Cadieux if you can help. We hope to have pictures in next month's newsletter.

Coming up on September 12th several members of the club and I will be attending the District 11 A2 Region 1 meeting where I will give a report on our busy summer activities. We are a great club and I am proud to represent each and every one of you. I will be reporting back to you anything that affects our club.

If you wonder how the region and district affect you as Rochester Lions, attending one of the region meetings will get you informed. You can also ask any one of the current or past district officers in our club. I would be more than happy to point them out if you don't know who they are already.

Finally, keep your fellow Lions and their families in your thoughts. Lion Jim Williams is recovering from a heart attack and gal bladder problems. Lions Mike Gendich ,Jerry Janabet, Dennis Amato and their continuing health concerns. If there is anyone I missed, please let Lion Lowell or I know so we can include them as well.

I look forward to this year and want to thank each and every one of you, for your ongoing support.

Lion Kathy



Club News

September Theme

(I couldn't resist even after the blowout!)

Any football is acceptable



Happy Birthday to You!

The following Lions have birthdays in September

Cole, Larry	September 7
Hansen, Bill	September 7
Newton, George	September 8
Sefcik, Bill	September 12
Treppa, Bob	September 22
Ris, Bernie	September 28

Lion Mark Mancel "Cycling for Leader dog"
New cycling total **\$94,853.18**



JDRF Walk to Cure Diabetes

Sunday, September 23, 2012

8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

General Motors Technical Center, Warren
Please register online at walk.jdrf.org.

A Reminder:

We will be collecting non-perishable food and personal hygiene items for Rochester Community House at all meetings.

**THE LIVERNOIS ROAD
BRIDGE IS CLOSED**
Please plan accordingly



Upcoming Meetings

- **September 10** Board Meeting at Leader Dog
- **September 17** Regular Meeting at River Crest. Our speaker for will be Aryn Koch. She will be describing Bear Lake Camp and what it means to those who attend the camp each year. The title of her presentation will be "Bear Lake Camp: Hope for the Disabled".
- **October 1** Regular Meeting at River Crest

Rochester Lions
Memorial Golf Outing
Annual Fund Raiser

In Memory of 3 Special Lions:

Ken Lowes - Bob Sutton - Bob Reid
Thursday, September 27, 2012

Registration - 12:00 Noon
Shotgun Start - 1:00 PM

Where

Bald Mountain Golf Course
3350 Kern Road
Lake Orion, MI 48360
(248) 373-1110

For more information contact
Dave McKenzie or John Cadieux

Date Night coming Oct 15
Stay tuned for more information



Rochester Lions Family Picnic 2012





Rock n' Rods 2012





More Rock n' Rods





Honoring a fallen hero



In our thoughts

Lion Jerry Janabet
Lion Mike Gendich
Lion Jim Williams (Heart Attack, Gal Bladder)

Lion Dennis Amato (ruptured aneurism - in rehab)

If we have forgotten anyone, please let Lion Lowell Gladd know

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