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WAUWATOSA LIONS CLUB . ESTABLISHED 1938
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THE TOSA LION

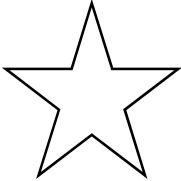
SPRING HAS SPRUNG???????

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The following Lions were nominated for office for the Lion year 2007-08:

President	Lion Karen Arbour-Brey		
President Elect	Lion Barry Wormington		
V.P. Membership	Lion Tom Wilhelm		
Secretary	Lion Jim Boyle		
Treasurer	Lion Dean Redman		
Past President	Lion Pam Tatarowicz (no vote; not an elected position)		
1 yr. Direct	Lion Marcia Redman (no vote; automatic succession)		
2 yr. Director	Lion Tony Gregovich		

Non-Board Officers:

Tail Twister	Lion Marcia Redman	
Lion Tamer	Lion Faye Mirr	
Safety Officer	Lion Dean Redman	

Fellow Lions:

At our meeting of March 5, 2008 the persons listed agreed to be candidates for club offices next year. Nominations from the floor were entertained at our meeting of March 19, 2008 and elections will occur at our meeting of April 2, 2008. Installation of the new officers will occur at our meeting of June 4, 2008.

Lion Jim Boyle, Secretary

THANK YOU TO LION BUD ENGLAND 27- A2 LEADER DOG CHAIRPERSON for his presentation of the Leader Dog program in Lions. He gave a very informative presentation on how leader dogs are obtained, trained and then assigned to a client. To be successful, the training process of the both the dog and the client is very rigorous.

CONGRATULATIONS to Wauwatosa West High School in their winning the state competition "We the People" public policy contest. They will compete in the National competition in Washington, DC, in May. Wauwatosa Lions, on the recommendation of the Philanthropic committee, has donated \$100.00 to their trip! Tosa West we are proud of you!

THE PANCAKE BRUNCH IS APRIL 13.

CALENDAR

2008

April	2	General membership meeting/board meeting Dinner is PIZZA night Kitchen clean-up <u>help needed</u>	
	13	Pancake Brunch *** Note date change	ART
	16	Program meeting Program provided by Lion Don Horaitis Kitchen clean-up by	AUCTION
			Coming in
May	7	General membership meeting/board meeting Dinner provided by Chef Lion Pam Kitchen clean-up by Lion Bob and ????	October
	21	Program meeting with Scholarship winners Kitchen clean-up by Lions Bob, Marcia	
June	4	Installation meeting/board meeting Kitchen clean-up <u>help needed</u>	

MEMBERSHIP NEWS:

Happy April 2nd Birthday to Lion Dean!
Happy April 3rd Birthday to Lion Clarence!

APRIL MENU

APRIL 2 Pizza night
April 16 Baked chicken, beef rollups, twice

PANCAKE BRUNCH This is our last fundraiser of the year. Everyone is **NEEDED** to help with ticket sales and manpower the day of the brunch!!!! Also, each club member is asked to contribute a \$15.00 item for the 1/2 hour raffles. If you do not want to purchase something, Lion Marcia will accept your money to make a purchase for you—please contact her.



The Lions motto: We Serve

THANK YOU for your financial support of \$50.00 to the Girl Scouts of Wisconsin Southeast. Your support of girls in our community through Girl Scouting helps girls gain the skills they need to provide for themselves and their future families.

Jennifer Charpentier
Director of Annual Giving

THANK YOU for the generous contribution of \$100.00. Your gift will have a positive impact on thousands of people who come to the Badger Association for help and hope when they experience vision loss.

Kathy Zeit, Development Associate

THANK YOU to Lion Shirley who is contributing Beanie Babies for the children at the pancake brunch! You will make many little ones happy, Lion Shirley!

THANK YOU

Visually impaired persons thank you verymuch for your generous donation of \$200.00.

Lion Hans Tietgen, BOLD Secretary

WAUWATOSA LIONS CLUB
OFFICIAL MINUTES OF REGULAR CLUB MEETING

The regular meeting of the Wauwatosa Lions Club of Wauwatosa, Wisconsin was called to order at 7:04 p. m. on **Wednesday, March 5, 2008** by the President, Lion Pamela Tatarowicz, with those members in attendance as shown on the Attendance Record.

Guests: 0 At Large Members: 0 of 1 Active Members: 17 of 25 = 68 %

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lion Jim Morgenroth; Song was led by Lion Karen Arbour-Brey; Invocation was provided by Lion Don Grebe; Birthday Acknowledgement given to Lion Tony Gregovich.

Recessed for Dinner at 7:10 p.m.; Resumed Meeting at 7:37 p.m.

Treasurer's Report: Project Fund = \$10,232.64; Admin. Fund = \$ 10,122.71 (including Tail Twister account = \$2,317.28, De Blaey account = \$ 382.30, West account = \$ 255, Barkow account = \$ 240.)

Secretary's Report-upon motion of Lion Dean Redman, second by Lion Don Horaitis and unanimous vote, approved minutes from meeting of 2/20/08.

Announcements:

Pancake Brunch (4/13/08)-Lion Faye Mirr distributed tickets and flyers; Lion Pam Tatarowicz noted prizes needed for raffles, help needed, placement ads needed, ticket sales urged. Lion Dean Redman indicated consideration is being given by Board to drop brunch next year due to declining attendance and replace it with shrimp boil in spring and art auction in fall.

International Convention (6/23-27/08 in Bangkok)-club entitled to one delegate & one alternate; interested parties to contact Secretary; 5/1/08 is deadline to register.

Stamps for Wounded Veterans-Lion Tom Wilhelm received thanks from VA for last shipment; Lion Norm Moore acknowledged for work on the project.

Longfellow Scout Troop-inquiry from school of club's willingness to sponsor troop; referred to Board for review.

Resignation-Lion Alan Romain has written club indicating he is resigning from club and as Zone Chairman for personal reasons.

Nominating Committee-Lion Dean Redman moved, Lion Tony Gregovich seconded, and it was unanimously voted to close nominations for club offices next year as indicated below:

- i. President Lion Karen Arbour-Brey
- ii. President Elect Lion Barry Wormington
- iii. Past President Lion Pam Tatarowicz
- iv. Vice President Membership Lion Tom Wilhelm
- v. 1 yr Director* Lion Marcia Redman
- vi. 2 yr Director Lion Tony Gregovich
- vii. Treasurer Lion Dean Redman
- viii. Secretary Lion Jim Boyle
- ix. Lion Tamer** Lion Faye Mirr
- x. Tail Twister** Lions Clarence Graff & Marcia Redman

[note: *automatic succession]

[**not Board members]

Nominations from the floor will be entertained at the March 19th meeting; elections will occur at the April 2nd meeting; Secretary to notify all members in writing of slate.

Next Board of Director's Meeting to follow 4/2/08 General Membership Meeting.

Tail Twister Drawings won by Lions Jim Morgenroth, Don Grebe, Shirley Gregovich.

Adjournment occurred at 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by: Lion Jim Boyle, Secretary – 3/10/08

PANCAKE BRUNCH IS APRIL 13

WAUWATOSA LIONS CLUB
OFFICIAL MINUTES OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

The regular Board of Directors meeting of the Wauwatosa Lions Club of Wauwatosa, Wisconsin was called to order at 8:25 p.m. on **Wednesday, March 5, 2008** by the President, Lion Pam Tatarowicz, with the following members in attendance: President Lion Pam Tatarowicz, Vice-President Membership Lion Barry Wormington, 1 yr Director Lion Faye Mirr, 2 yr Director Lion Marcia Redman, Treasurer Lion Dean Redman, Secretary Lion Jim Boyle. Excused: President Elect Lion Swami Begur, Past President Lion Alan Romain. Also present: Lion Don Grebe, Lion Pete Brey & Lion Karen Arbour-Brey.

Approved minutes from meeting of 2/13/08 upon motion of Lion Dean, second of Lion Marcia and unanimous vote.

Treasurer's Report:

Accounts Status-same as reported at Gen. Mbrshp. Mtg.
Dues Status-Lion Jim (all members have paid up)
De Blaey Fund [per Board action 11/1/06, fund balance of Ladies Room renovation]
Dave West Memorials [per Board 11/1/06, fund to be liquidated for Ladies Room renovation]
Bert Barkow Memorials-\$240

Committees, Projects & Activities Reports:

Scholarships-lengthy discussion with scholarship chairman Lion Don Grebe to refine criteria giving preference to students with disabilities; for 2009, scholarships will not be named after individuals but only club.

Nominating Committee-slate created earlier at Gen. Mbrshp. Mtg.

Pancake Brunch-same as reported at Gen. Mbrshp. Mtg. + Lion Karen to contact Key Clubs at high schools to help at event.

Art Auction-Lion Dean offered to chair the event; date to be late October, 10/25-26.

Philanthropic Committee-Lion Don noted Tosa West High School students seeking support for Washington, D.C. trip for "We The People" public policy contest. The students previously won state competition to earn the right to compete nationally in May. It was moved by Lion Dean Redman, seconded by Lion Faye Mirr and unanimously voted to accept the recommendation of the Philanthropic Committee and send \$100 to TWHS for the trip. Lion Don also noted that the committee is evaluating requests for support from Global Youth Leadership and the Senior Meal Program. Lion Don indicated that the winner of HOBY scholarship intends to attend a future meeting club meeting to share his experiences.

Civic Alliance Luncheon-Lion Karen indicated there would not be a luncheon this year and it is possible that the Post Prom Party for the high schools historically sponsored by the Civic Alliance may not be held either. Lack of interest and manpower are likely causes.

Other Business:

Membership-

- i. Applications-Lion Barry indicated Terry Winkler has submitted an application for membership.
- ii. Approval of Joanne Van Der Zee for membership upon motion of Lion Barry, second by Lion Dean and unanimous vote. Secretary to notify Joanne.
- iii. Honorary Membership-Alderman Grimm has agreed; will be honored with plaque at installation meeting, 6/4/08.
- iv. Resignation of Lion Alan Romain-impact discussed; unknown as to his future involvement in club events; unknown as to status of Jean Romain so assumption is that she still intends to remain a member; Secretary to write Lion Alan offering alternatives to resignation.

WALICO-

- i. Clubhouse Accessibility-item being researched.
Zone Meeting-no report
Tail Twister Outing Planning Committee-Lion Pete sought date so as to plan golf outing; Lion Karen to check Brewers schedule and contact Saz's for tailgate/ticket package.
Job Descriptions for Officers-Secretary to update over the summer and present to Board in fall.
Longfellow Scout Troop-moved by Lion Marcia, seconded by Lion Barry and unanimously voted to defer decision on whether or not to charter pending visit from scoutmaster at 3/19 meeting to discuss details.
Mayfair Lions Club-noted that there are still web sites and phone numbers listing the Mayfair Club which has been disbanded for several years. Lion Pam offered to do some follow-up.

Next Board Meeting: Brief special meeting March 19th to consider sponsoring scout troop; next regular Board Meeting April 2nd.

Adjournment occurred at 10:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by: Lion Jim Boyle, Secretary – 3/10/08

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Happy 70th Birthday to the Wauwatosa Lions Club! Our Club was chartered on April 5, 1938. There will be a special observance at the June Installation meeting.



Notes from the Past

From the club minutes of September 12, 1938: "Secretary was instructed to ...file an application to hold a poultry raffle and dance..." From the minutes of November 28, 1938 (summarized): Receipts = \$219.55; Expenses = \$158.72; Profit = \$60.83. Chicken feed?

From the minutes of January 4, 1939: "Upon motion by Lion Schmidt and seconded by Lion Moran, that a Washington's Birthday party be held in February, and on the last Thursday nite of this month, our social nite, a necktie party be held at the time and place to be designated later." No further references as to where the "party" was held, who was hung, or what was the offense.

From the minutes of March 1, 1939: "President also announced that the blind women were working on the quilt of ties and there was quite a bit of enthusiasm over the fact that blind women were doing this work."

From the minutes of March 15, 1939: "We are to make an appeal for ties at each meeting. Ties to be left whole."

From the minutes of May 3, 1939: "The Secretary then read a letter from the Shell Corp. and made a statement that we would have them show a sound picture..." Also, "the Secretary was instructed to visit the lion club at Washington Park and get data as to his [Lion Bill Pietsch] age and advisibility of entering him in the lion contest for MGM pictures." [Lion Bill was in his nineties when I joined the club in 1968. He passed away following a deer hunting trip in 1977.]

Lion Jim Boyle, Secretary

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Guests: 3 At Large Members: 0 of 1 Active Members: 20 of 25 = 80%

1. Guests: JoAnn Van der Zee, Terry Winkler, Lion Bud England.
2. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lion Tom Schuettig; Song was led by Lion Karen Arbour-Brey; Invocation was provided by Lion Tom Wilhelm; there were no Birthday Acknowledgements
3. Recessed for Dinner at 7:07 p.m.; Resumed Meeting at 7:33 p.m.
4. Program was provided by Lion Bud England, 27-A2 Leader Dog Chairman, who described how Leader Dogs are obtained, trained and assigned. The club was encouraged to continue its support of LD.
5. Treasurer's Report-deferred to next meeting.
6. Secretary's Report-Approve minutes from meeting of 3/5/08-deferred pending distribution.
7. Announcements & Other Business

Pancake Brunch (4/13/08)-Lion Pam circulated a worker sign-up sheet, noted need for raffle donations, noted need for placemat ads, discussed details of obtaining and preparing scrambled eggs for the event. It was also suggested that each member provide cash or a prize worth \$10-15; Lion Marcia offered to purchase the prizes for those who contributed cash. Unanimous consensus via voice vote to do so.

State Convention (5/15-17/08 in La Crosse)-club entitled to two delegates & two alternates; those interested are to contact the Secretary.

International Convention (6/23-27/08 in Bangkok)- club entitled to one delegate; anyone interested is to contact the Secretary.

Nominating Committee-the proposed slate of officers for next year was read to those present; nominations from the floor were invited but there were none; Lion Clarence withdrew his candidacy for Tail Twister; it was moved by Lion Tony Gregovich, seconded by Lion Don Grebe, and unanimously voted to close nominations; elections to be held at the April 2nd meeting; slate of candidates is listed below:

- i. President Lion Karen Arbour-Brey
- ii. President Elect Lion Barry Wormington
- iii. Past President Lion Pam Tatarowicz
- iv. Vice President Membership Lion Tom Wilhelm
- v. 1 yr Director-automatic succession Lion Marcia Redman
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- viii. Secretary Lion Jim Boyle
- ix. Lion Tamer-not Board mbr. Lion Faye Mirr
- x. Tail Twister-not Board mbr. Lion Marcia Redman

Art Auction-Lion Dean Redman reported the plan is to hold the auction in the fall at Hart Park; the Shrimp Boil could be shifted to spring and the Pancake Brunch eliminated.

4th of July Beer Tent-Lion Dean Redman offered to organize the project but will be unavailable to staff the tent; Lion Barry Wormington & prospective member Terry Winkler agreed to work the event.

8. Next Regular Board of Director's Meeting immediately following 4/2/08 meeting; Special Board Meeting tonight after regular membership meeting to discuss club sponsorship of scout troop.
9. Tail Twister Drawings were won by Lions Clarence Graff, Shirley Gregovich, Bud England.
10. Adjournment occurred at 8:36 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by: Lion Jim Boyle, Secretary

WAUWATOSA LIONS CLUB
OFFICIAL MINUTES OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

A Special Board of Directors meeting of the Wauwatosa Lions Club of Wauwatosa, Wisconsin was called to order at 8:40 p.m. on **Wednesday, March 19, 2008** by the President, Lion Pam Tatarowicz, with the following board members in attendance: President Lion Pam Tatarowicz, President Vice-President Membership Lion Barry Wormington, 1 yr Director Lion Faye Mirr, 2 yr Director Lion Marcia Redman, Treasurer Lion Dean Redman, Secretary Lion Jim Boyle. Excused: Elect Lion Swami Begur, Past President Lion Alan Romain. Also in attendance: Lion Pete Brey.

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New Member Application: upon recommendation of the Membership Committee, it was moved by Lion Dean Redman, seconded by Lion Faye Mirr and unanimously voted to approve Terry Winkler for membership. Installation of Terry and JoAnn van Der Zee is planned for the General Membership meeting of April 2nd. The Secretary is to contact the Region Chairman to perform the installation ceremony and is to notify both candidates.

Resignations: Board discussed the pending resignations of Lion Alan Romain and Jean Romain. Since both the President and Secretary have written the Romains about other options but have not yet received a response, it was decided to delay accepting their resignations and reporting same to International for the time being. If no response is received by the time the May MMR is to be submitted to International, they will be officially reported as dropped.

Tail Twister Outing: Lion Pete Brey reported on his research of a possible tailgate party preceding a Brewers game. The game he is considering would be on June 19th. All options to date are quite expensive so additional research is being done for alternatives.

70th Anniversary of Club: noted that club was chartered on April 5, 1938; consensus was to acknowledge same at the Installation Meeting for incoming officers at the June 4th meeting.

Scout Troop Sponsorship: the Special Board meeting was originally called to consider sponsoring a new scout troop at Longfellow School. However, the decision to do so was deferred pending an appearance of the scout master to describe expectations and obligations involved in sponsorship.

Adjournment: occurred at 9:19 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by: Lion Jim Boyle, Secretary

THANK YOU Tosa Community Food Pantry acknowledged the donation of \$250.00.

Funds will be used to purchase necessary food items for clients who turn to the Tosa Community Food Pantry for help. Our mission is to provide healthy food choices to low income families in our community. It's a challenge to keep the shelves filled with nourishing food but your donation will help in our efforts.

Mary Ann Hamill
President

THANK YOU to Lion Tom Wilhelm from the Wounded Veterans for the donation of stamps. Lion Tom thanked Lion Norm for the work of sorting and cutting stamps from cancelled mail.

PANCAKE BRUNCH

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APRIL 13

MANY HANDS ARE NEEDED!