



## TEAM MATE

March, 2010

**MOUNT PROSPECT  
LIONS CLUB  
And  
MOUNT PROSPECT LIONS  
CHARITIES, Inc.**

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### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

2010

- Mar. 24 Program Meeting (*Wear a Rope Belt*)  
**(NOTE CHANGE IN DATE TO WEDNESDAY)**
- Apr. 4 Happy Easter  
7 Board Meeting  
8 Business Meeting-Election of  
Officers (*Wear Sox or Cubs Colors*)  
11 Easter Egg Hunt for Visually Impaired  
22 Program Meeting (*Wear a Rain Hat*)  
23-24 District 1-F Convention  
May 5 Board Meeting  
7-8 Tootsie Pop Day  
13 Business Meeting  
(*Wear A Spring Flower*)  
15 Public Works Open House  
21-23 MD-1 State Convention  
27 Fair Sign-up Meeting  
(*President Elect Roast*)
- Jun. 2 Board Meeting  
10 Installation Dinner  
24 Business Meeting (Melas park)  
29 Fair Set-up  
30 Lions 72<sup>nd</sup> Village Fair Opens
- Jul. 1-4 Lions 72<sup>nd</sup> Village Fair  
5 Fair Clean-up

### DONATIONS

- \$1200.00 Lion Illinois Foundation to send 2  
Campers to Camp Lions
- \$ 500.00 American Cancer Society Walk in  
Mount Prospect at Prospect High
- \$ 450.00 Eye Examination and Glasses for 3  
Students
- \$ 400.00 K-9 Companions

### THANK YOU

The Club received thank you notes from the following organizations for our donations: Leader Dog, and the Mount Prospect Historical Society. Also, we received a thank you from retired police officer Roscop for all the assistants the Club gave him during his year with Mount Prospect Police Department. Lion Steinmiller thanks us on behalf of Public Works for our donation toward gym equipment.

### MARCH MEETING DAY CHANGE

Our program meeting scheduled for Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup> has been changed to Wednesday, March 24<sup>th</sup>. **PLEASE CORRECT YOUR CALENDARS.** This change was made to accommodate our special guest speaker from Hawaii, Lion Maurice Kahawaii, Past International Director.

### NOMINATION OF 2010/2011 Club Officers

The nominating committee consisting of Lions Bill Steiner, Rob Habel and Barb Laz presents to the Club members the following Lions who agreed to run for offices indicated:

<b>PRESIDENT</b>	<b>Bill Steiner</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> VICE-PRESIDENT</b>	<b>Rob Habel</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> VICE-PRESIDENT</b>	<b>Barbara laz</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> VICE-PRESIDENT</b>	<b>Tom Laws, PDG</b>
<b>SECRETARY</b>	<b>Tony Baumstark</b>
<b>TREASURER</b>	<b>Rick Bowman</b>
<b>LION TAMER</b>	<b>Jessica Putra</b>
<b>LION TAMER</b>	<b>Diana Valdivieso</b>
<b>TAIL TWISTER</b>	<b>Ric Dieschbourg</b>
<b>TAIL TWISTER</b>	<b>Don Giesler</b>
<b>Charities Inc. Liaison</b>	<b>Tom Porte</b>

### DIRECTORS

<b>1 YR HOLDOVER</b>	<b>Pat LeBeau</b>
<b>1 YR HOLDOVER</b>	<b>Ed Murphy</b>
<b>2 YR DIRECTOR</b>	<b>Rock Bork</b>
<b>2 YR DIRECTOR</b>	<b>Fred Steinmiller</b>

### MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN

<b>MEMBERSHIP VICE-CHAIRMAN</b>	<b>John Korn</b>
<b>MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE</b>	<b>Mike Giblin</b>
	<b>Ron Tragasz</b>

### IMMED. PAST-PRESIDENT

**Ron Habel**

The election of these officers will take place at our scheduled business meeting on Thursday, April 8, 2010. It should be noted that other members' names can be placed in nomination for these offices from the floor at this meeting.

The Executive Board would like to thank the 2010 nominating committee for their outstanding selection of Lions for the Mount Prospect Lions Club 2010-2011 officers.

### SHORTS

Lion President Ron Habel selected Lion Don Giesler as Lion of the month for March, 2010. Congratulations Lion Don.

Senior Health Fair will be held at Arlington Race Track on Thursday, May 13<sup>th</sup>. The Club will need volunteers to help for 2 hour periods with the hearing screening bus registration. 8:00 AM set-up and runs through early afternoon. Pick a time or stay all day.

The Annual Farmer Market will open on Sunday, June 6<sup>th</sup> and close on Sunday, October 17<sup>th</sup>.

The Easter Egg Hunt for the visually impaired is set for Sunday, April 11<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM. The School finally got back to us with the OK. Lion's mark your calendars help will be needed. Remember the event will be at the Gillet School just West of Prospect High.

Meet our newest member Lion Dennis LaPorta his sponsor is Lion President Ron Habel. Lion Dennis is a financial advisor at Edward Jones in Mt. Prospect. He lives in Prospect Heights. Welcome to the Club Lion Dennis.

One of Mount Prospect's Lions did the Annual Hustle Up the Hancock (94 floors). His team consisted of 12 team members, who all completed the event, and raised \$3,261.40 for the Respiratory Health Association. The mission of Respiratory Health Association of Metropolitan Chicago is to promote healthy lungs and fight lung disease through research, advocacy and education. Lion Ken Hadden official time was 33 minutes and 18.3 seconds. He beat last year's time by 10 minutes. Congratulation Lion Ken.



On Thursday February 25<sup>th</sup> the Mount Prospect Lions Club held its Annual Past Presidents Night honoring 11 of our past leaders. The evening was very festive which started with a New York strip steak dinner with all the trimming; of course it's free to our honored guests. After dinner a comedienne Angela Riccio kept everybody present in stitches for 45 minutes. Only 8 Past Presidents and our president are pictured. The other 2 are in another room watching the Olympics???

If you plan on going to the District Convention, April 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> send in your Registration Form by March 31<sup>st</sup> to receive the discounted price. Registration Form is attached.

**BIRTHDAYS**

March

- Nick Acerenza
- Tony Baumstark
- Rick Bowman
- Tod Curtis
- Marie Dreessen
- Jeff Senger
- George Watanabe
- JC Collins
- Ron Tragasz

April

- Bob McKillop
- Jerry Pospisil
- Klaus Hindrich

**SMILE**

At a party the hostess served a guest a cup of punch and told him it was spiked. Next, she served some to a minister. "I would rather commit adultery than allow liquor to pass my lips!" he shouted. Hearing this, the first man poured his punch back and said, "I didn't know we had a choice!"

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"It's tax time. I know this because I'm staring at documents that make no sense to me, no matter how many beers I drink."

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"The wages of sin are death, but by the time taxes are taken out, it's just sort of a tired feeling."

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**OUR OTHER 2 PAST PRESIDENTS HAVE RETURNED AND LOOK WHAT ONE IS TRYING TO HIDE BEHIND HIS BACK AND IT IS NOT OLYMPIC GOLD**



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