



**TEAM MATE  
December 2007**

**MOUNT  
PROSPECT  
LIONS CLUB  
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**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

**2007**

Dec. 25 Merry Christmas-No Meeting

**2008**

- Jan. 1 Happy New Year
- 2 Board Meeting
- 10 Business Meeting-Crazy Hat Night
- 17 Quad Club Meeting-Arlington Heights  
Lions Club Host
- 24 Program Meeting-Dream of Summer wear  
Your favorite summer shirt
- Feb 6 Board Meeting
- 14 Business Meeting-Wear a heart or  
something with a heart
- 26 Program Meeting/Past President's  
Night
- Mar. 5 Board Meeting
- 13 Business Meeting-Wear a Shamrock
- 27 Program Meeting-March Madness-Final  
Four Colors
- 30 Egg Hunt for the Visually Impaired

**DONATIONS**

- \$1000.00 USO Cares-Packages for Service  
Personnel overseas
- \$ 500.00 Upward Bound
- \$ 500.00 Leader Dog
- \$ 450.00 Eye Examinations and Glasses for 2  
Students and 1 adult
- \$ 450.00 Woodfield Area Children Org.
- \$ 400.00 Hadley School for the Blind
- \$ 400.00 LPCCI-K9 Companions
- \$ 400.00 Chicago Lighthouse & CHRIS Radio
- \$ 250.00 Shelter Inc.
- \$ 250.00 Salvation Army
- \$ 250.00 Prospect HS Post Prom Committee
- \$ 250.00 WGN Neediest Children's Fund
- \$ 200.00 Dyke Eye Center
- \$ 200.00 Blind Services
- \$ 100.00 Clearbrook Center
- \$ 100.00 Glenkirk Center

**THANK YOU**

Received thank you note from the following Organizations for our donations: Illinois Fire and Safety Alliance, Village of Mt. Prospect Human Services (Food Party) and the Mt. Prospect Historical Society.

**CHRISTMAS PARTY**

On Thursday, December 6<sup>th</sup> the Club held its annual Christmas Party at Manzo's banquets. All 84 Lions, partners and guests in attendance had a great time. Jolly old St. Nick even appeared with gifts and kisses for all the ladies. A big thank you goes out to the Christmas Party committee for putting together another great party.

**SENIOR CHRISTMAS PARTY**

The Club sponsored a Senior Christmas Party on Monday, December 10<sup>th</sup> at Huntington Commons Senior facility. 60 Senior attended the party. They sang Christmas Carols, were served cake, cookies, coffee and ice cream with toppings. Also, Santa and his elf passed out goodie bags to all seniors. For all the Lions that helped a big thank you, especially a big thanks for Lion Tom Laws and his committee for organizing this party. A special thanks goes out to Lion Jerry Laz for his outstanding center pieces again this year. Just like wine he gets better each year. Overall everybody had a great festive time.

**QUAD CLUB MEETING**

Date: January 17th 2008

Place: European Crystal  
519 W Algonquin Rd  
Arlington Heights Illinois  
847-437-5590

Time: 6:30 PM gathering and cash bar  
7:00 PM Dinner

Cost: \$20.00 per person to be made at the time of your reservations. Make checks payable to Arlington Height Lions Club and mail to Arlington Heights Lions at P.O. Box 513 Arlington Heights, Illinois 60006.

Checks and Entree choices no later than January 11th 2008.

Choice of Entrees: Chicken with Wild mushroom sauce and rice or Beef Kabobs over rice  
Bring your check to the January 10<sup>th</sup> Business Meeting or you will be responsible for your own reservations.

**SHORTS**

The Village Christmas Parade was cancelled due to inclement weather.

The Operation Roar collection for the California fire victims netted 4 large shipping containers of items. These containers were shipped to the Arrowhead Lions Club near San Diego for distribution.

Lion Bill Steiner is down in the dumps since his bovine buddies have been sent to the house of no return to become porterhouse steaks. The Club anxiously waits for the big Texas Bar-B-Q.

Welcome our newest member Lion Rick Bowman from Arlington Heights and Operation Manager of the new Ravenwood Bank in Mount Prospect. Lion Rick is married and her name is Monica.

You can now find information about the Mount Prospect Lions Club on the Wikipedia web site. Check out our club's information at: [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mount\\_Pospect\\_Lions\\_club](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mount_Pospect_Lions_club)

**BIRTHDAYS**

<u>December</u>	<u>January</u>
Wally Busse	Fred Adams
John Hengtgen	Rich Bennett
Pat LeBeau	Kevin Grouwinkel
Rick Luft	Tom Porte
Jo Miller	Paul Seils
Tim Murphy	JD Dahlberg
Joe Wanner	
Mike Zadel	

**Happy Birthday Lions**

**SMILE**

The bride came down the aisle and when she reached the altar, the groom was standing there with his golf bag and clubs at his side. She said: "What are your golf clubs doing here"? He looked her right in the eye and said, "This isn't going to take all day, is it?"

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A nursery school teacher was delivering a station wagon full of kids home one day when a fire truck zoomed past. Sitting in the front seat of the fire truck was a Dalmatian dog. The children started discussing the dog's duties. "They use him to keep crowds back," said one youngster. "No, said another, "he's just for good luck." A third child brought the argument to a close. "They use the dogs", she said firmly, "to find the fire hydrants."

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**THE SENIOR CHIEF COOK AND BOTTLE WASHER**



**OPERATION ROAR CHAIRMAN GIVING A HELPING HAND WITH A DROP OFF.**



**SANTA AND HIS ELF AND YES, THEY ARE INCOGNITO.**



**SANTA'S BAD BOY.**

**MERRY CHRISTMAS  
AND A  
HAPPY AND HEALTHY  
NEW YEARS**

**WATCH FOR THE NEXT ISSUE IN JANUARY**