



## TEAM MATE

June 2009

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

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### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

2009

June 25 Business Meeting in Melas Park  
30 Fair Set-Up (Melas Park)

July 1-5 Lions 71<sup>st</sup> Village Fair  
6 Fair clean-up and tear down  
TBA TGIO Party

July - August NO MEETINGS

### DONATIONS

\$5000.00 Two \$2500.00 Scholarships from the  
George Gattas Memorial Scholarship

\$ 750.00 Block Party Ferris Wheel

\$ 500.00 St Paul Lutheran School Fund

\$ 433.00 LIF (Tootsie Pop Day Collection)

\$ 100.00 Mt. Prospect Library Foundation

### THANK YOU

The Club received a thank you letter from the  
American Cancer Society for our donation.

### INSTALLATION DINNER

73 Lions, partners and friend attended this  
year's Installation Dinner. The following  
awards were presented:

#### **Melvin Jones Award**

Lion Tom Porte

#### **Lions of Illinois Foundation Fellow**

Lion Ken Hadden

#### **Henry W. Friedrichs, Jr. Sapphire Award**

Lion Richard 'Jim' Calhoun

#### **Lion of the Year**

Lion Mike Giblin

#### **George Gattas Memorial Scholarship Awards**

Briana Bach from Prospect High school

Joseph Gambino from Prospect High School

**Mount Prospect Lions Club Appreciation Awards**  
Michele Ambroziak, Telephone Pioneer  
Eleonore McCarthy and the Teletype Life Member  
Pioneers  
Lion Martha Garlock and Walgreens

### RELAY FOR LIFE OF MOUNT PROSPECT

The Mount Prospect Lions Club Team wants to  
thank everyone, who caringly donated towards  
the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life  
in Mount Prospect. We are happy to announce  
that our team was able to raise over \$1,625  
through the purchase of luminaries, Mount  
Prospect Lions Club sponsorship, and  
online/offline donations. The Relay for Life  
in Mount Prospect event was held at Prospect  
High School on Friday, May 29 6pm through  
Saturday, May 30 6am. The event helped raise  
\$55,246.52 that benefited the American Cancer  
Society to fight back against cancer.

The team was comprised of 7 compassionate  
participants: Monica Bowman, Rick Bowman, Ken  
Hadden, Mark McGinnis, Chito Jose, Jeanette  
Allen, and Ana Popoca.

The group walked a total of 40.75 miles in  
honor of all their friends and family members  
that survived or passed away from cancer.

Thank you once again for your generosity.  
Remember: All donations are tax-deductible.

### SHORTS

Check out our new Village Fair Web Site  
[www.mplionsfest.com](http://www.mplionsfest.com).

**DO NOT** forget to return the Directory Update  
Sheet by June 30<sup>th</sup> to Lion Tony Baumstark. A  
very important item is your e-mail address  
since all of our communications with members  
are via e-mail.

Our Annual Farmers Market opened on Sunday,  
June 14<sup>th</sup> with a food pantry collection. The  
Market will be open every Sunday until October  
25<sup>th</sup> from 8:00am until 1:00pm. The Farmers  
Market Committee could use your help a couple  
hours on Sunday morning. Especially on the  
days listed below:

#### Farmers Market Calendar

July 12 - Food Pantry Collection

Aug. 2 - Historical Society Day  
9 - Food Pantry Collection  
23 - Great Place to Raise a Kid Day

Sept. 13 - French Market day and Food Pantry  
Collection  
20 - LIF Hearing Screening Bus  
27 - Appreciation Lunch for vendors

Oct. 11 - Food Pantry collection  
25 - Last Day the Market is Open

This editor has just found out that one of our  
high powered members is taking a beginning

course on "How to mail a letter via the USPO". Good luck on this very difficult class.

**BIRTHDAYS**

<u>June</u>	<u>July and August</u>
Cheryl Axley	Carl Gach (J)
Jim Calhoun	Rob Habel (A)
Don Dreessen	Ron Habel (A)
Chuck Grill	Sal Leone (J)
Steve Meersman	Jerry Laz (A)
Ed Murphy	Mike Lerman (A)
Dan Novak	Don Lehnert (A)
Mike Giblin	Jerry McIntosh (J)
	Mick Mundt (J)
	Nick Nowicki (J)
	John Katsinis (J)
	Bill Sanders (A)
	Ralph Stadler (A)
	Fred Steinmiller (A)
	Diana Valdivieso (A)

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY LIONS**

**SMILE**

**Gentle Thoughts for the Month--**

The older you get, the tougher it is to lose weight, because by then your body and your fat have gotten to be really good friends.

There's always a lot to be thankful for if you take time to look for it. For example I am sitting here thinking how nice it is that wrinkles don't hurt.

Long ago when men cursed and beat the ground with sticks, it was called witchcraft. Today, it's called golf.

When you are dissatisfied and would like to go back to youth, think of Algebra.

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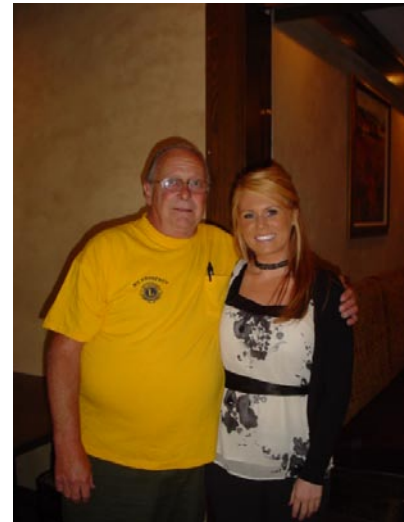
**THE HIGH POWERED CREW OF TODAY**



**JR. BIGFOOT TEACHING HIS BUDDY LITTLEFOOT**



**AN VERY OLD MEMBER BUT NOT FORGOTTEN**



**THIS LION NEVER MADE IT OUT OF DAY CARE. NOW WE SEE WHY?**



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**NO TEAM MATE DURING JULY AND AUGUST  
WATCH FOR THE NEXT TEAM MATE IN SEPTEMBER**