

L10News



November, 2018

Lions Roar from FVDG Wayne Tieman

"Where there is a need, there's a Lion"

The FVDG Journey is getting better all the time, as Lenay and I participate in more training experiences and we have more interaction with the 5M10 Leadership Team. We are "Shaking the Trees" in our effort to make needed changes in 5M10 now and beyond. We work with a dynamic 5M10 Leadership Team—DG Joanne, SVDG Shirley, and GMT Mel. We have regular communication, so that we can follow our plan to increase district membership/clubs and to set priorities for the future. Thank you, Joanne, Shirley, and Mel for your dedication to Lions.

The DG Training for Lion Lenay and me is the new and improved version from LCI. The past two months have been very busy. We participated in FVDG Training in Mahnomen, MN, October 18-19th; Guiding Lion Training in Orr, MN, October 26th; and the Northern Pride Leadership Forum November 2-3rd. I was very happy to be a presenter at the Forum on Time Management—"It's About Time!!"

The "push" is on to finish 2018 with a flourish of Lion activities, which include preparing for the Lions Q Center Training in February; finishing the Masters degree courses from Lions U; attending some Lions Christmas parties; getting the Northome Lions Club up and running; and working with the committee to make the 5M10 midwinter convention in Fortune Bay fun and exciting!

I ask for your vote for District Governor. I've been an enthusiastic Bemidji Lion since 2005. During my time as a Bemidji Lions member, I've served as President, 1st Vice President, Membership Chair, Board Member, Zone Chair, and Co-Chair of the 2017 MD5M Convention.

I'm retired after 45 years in the work world. The main jobs I had were in insurance/investment sales and school administration/ teaching. Now I'm fully engaged in my "encore career", which is, of course, LIONS.

Lenay and Wayne have been happily married for 46 years. We have 2 wonderful adult children: Andria (Ryan) and Brett (Ashley).

I have many hobbies and interests, which include: enjoying breakfast with family and friends at my favorite restaurants in Bemidji—Raphael's and Perkins, reading, traveling, volunteering for church and community events, and spending time with family and friends. I grew up on the family farm west of Thief River Falls, MN. Thanksgiving is my favorite holiday.

We are grateful for the LIONS opportunity and we welcome your support and encouragement. We have AN ATTITUDE OF GRATITUDE. Thank you, Lions of 5M10.



Lions Wayne and Lenay in Branson.



Lion Lenay at the Kidsight booth at the State Fair.

LIONS LAKE JOSEPH TRANSPORTATION PROJECT 2018

The Lions Lake Joseph Transportation Project was again very successful in assisting three individuals who are blind or partially sighted and two families with a family member who is blind or partially sighted to attend CNIB Lake Joseph during the summer of 2018. CNIB Lake Joseph is a recreational facility specially designed, equipped and operated for people who are blind or partially sighted. The camp is located on Lake Joseph in the Muskoka region and it has proven difficult for individuals from the 5M10 region to get to camp without the support of this Lions' project. Individuals who attend have nothing but praise for this worthwhile experience. Comments from 2018 include:

- "Our daughter looks forward to attending camp and connecting with her friends...and has been exposed to many experiences and opportunities as a result of her attendance". (Guardian of adult who attended)
- "Attending Lake Joseph was the hi-lite of the year for our grand daughter. The best part
 for her is the talent night....She is an inspiration to us all and through your generous
 donation she has an opportunity that may not otherwise be available to her."
 (Grandparent of child who attended)

Thank you to Lions clubs in 5M10 for your ongoing generous support of this project and making a difference in the lives of individuals in our communities who are blind or partially sighted!







Minnesota Lions Vision Foundation

Minnesota Lions Vision Foundation November is eye donation month, if you would like to be an eye donor, please let your family know this as it will simplify the process when that time comes. We have Lions Gift of Sight Donor cards available that you can carry in your wallet or purse. They will be available at the midwinter convention or you can contact PDG Mark Osthus or Lion Brian Maki. The contribution of your eyes to the Lions Gift of Sight will benefit so many others. Corneal transplants and important eye research can only occur when someone makes the selfless act of donating their eyes.

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2019 N	D5M Regional Lions Leadership Institute
in Mah	nomen MN March 28-31, 2019
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Send to:

Submit this application to your District Governor Team by February 01, 2019 for consideration

DIETARY NEEDS (check all that apply)

\$150 Registration PAYMENT Due by March 01, 2019

Checks and money orders (US FUNDS)
Make payable to: MD5M RLLI

MD5M RLLI Lion Vicki Violet 709 River Lane Anoka MN 55303

Upon Successful completion of RLLI, each participant will receive a reimbursement of \$100 (US Funds).

WHY ATTEND THE MD5M REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE?

Gain Valuable Life Skills While Growing Personally and Professionally

Energize your life and have fun!

Network-Network-NETWORK!

You don't just meet other Lions and make friendships, you are guaranteed to take home long lasting "Lion-ships" with Lions from Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota-USA, Manitoba and NW Ontario Canada!



"We would highly recommend attending RLU. The

course content is great in that it is wide

ranging. While most definitely relevant to Lions, it could be applicable and beneficial to improving organizational leadership anywhere in a person's life.

Another great thing about RLLI would be the people you meet from all over Minnesota & Canada. The networking was amazing.

Finally, we would like to mention that the faculty really went out of their way to make the learning interesting and fun. This was truly a great experience for both of us."

Lion Gina M Detviler
Lion Marcos Gonzalez
Inver Grove Heights Lions-5M6

2019 MD5M REGIONAL LIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

March 28TH-31ST 2019 Mahnomen MN-USA



Gain Valuable Leadership Skills that you can bring to your Lions Club, District and Community!



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The Minnesota Lions Diabetes Foundation will donate the proceeds from this raffle towards FINDING A CURE of Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes. Join us...Catch the Dream...a World Without Diabetes.

Tickets

PRIZES:

Grand Prize: \$2000 Cash

2nd Prize: \$1000 Cash

3rd Prize: Two \$500 Cash Prizes

4th Prize: Ten \$100 Cash Prizes

*Drawing held on April 27, 2019 *

Contact your local Diabetes Trustee for tickets or information:

Or visit mnlionsdiabetes.org for additional information









Lions District 5M10 2019 Midwinter Convention January 25, 26, 27, 2019 **Fortune Bay Resort and Casino** 1430 Bois Forte Road Tower, Mn. 55790 **REGISTRATION FORM**

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Questions or comn	nents? Contact Lion M	lark Eyre, meps@accessmn.com 218-666-2758

CLUBS

Bemidji Lions

The Bemidji Lions Club was honored last month with a visit from District Governor Joanne Ogden. Lion Joanne gave a presentation to the membership during their weekly meeting and gave out pins to various Lions in attendance. The top award went to LeRoy Hill, for 65 years of Lions Club membership. Other activities during the past month included a donation of \$500 to the Lions Club International Foundation for help in assisting victims of the recent hurricane. The club also gave \$50 to the Can-Do-Canine organization in memory of Norton Berg. Lion Norton passed away late summer due to a farm accident and was a helpful and dedicated member of the club. Several members helped at the "Blue Ox Marathon" which was held in October. Lions worked at an "Aid Station" giving out water and energy drinks to the runners as they passed by. Another October activity was the Lions Vision Clinic for children. During this event, children were screened for vision problems and referred, if needed, to eye specialist for addition help. The largest event during October was the Fall Banquet and Cash Raffle. Over 240 community members bought tickets and hoped that their number would be drawn for a \$5,000 cash prize. Included in the purchase of a ticket was an evening meal and additional chances to win smaller cash drawings. The evening was a great success with everyone having a delightful time. The club also sponsored a BSU football game last month. This was part of the Lion's Vision Awareness Week and the week culminated with a donation to the BSU Foundation for \$2000. This is just another way in which the Bemidji Lions Club helps serve our community.



Cap Baker Lions

Cap Baker Lion members performed Vision Screening at Southwest Elementary School on October 2nd. Cap Baker Lion members screened 268 students (first through fourth grade). Twenty of these students were referred for additional eye exams. Two spot screeners were used. District Governor Joanne Ogden traveled to Grand Rapids to assist with one Spot Screener from 5M10, and Cap Baker Lion President Debbie Vergin met Bemidji Lion President Jim Molde to borrow their Spot Screener for the day.

Cap Baker Lions Club donated \$500 to the Open Door Coat Rack Program. Over a two-day period, the Coat Rack provides winter coats, jackets, snow pants, boots, hats, mittens to approximately 1000 men, women and children in need. Cap Baker Lions donation was used to purchase 28 new children's winter jackets!!!

Cook Lions









Orr lions Shannon Woodworth and Alice Antikainen at the cotton candy machine ready to make some for kids coming in.

DRYDEN TRILLIUM LIONS CLUB

OCTOBER ACTIVITY REPORT

Two Lions delivered Meals on Wheels on October 6th & 7th to 15 clients for 5 hours.

Our Club collected \$ 100.00 from our membership at out October General Meeting purchasing 30 lbs. of ground beef for the Dryden Food Bank at a cost of \$ 70.00, serving 120 clients.

Our Club issued one Travel Grant Advance for \$ 237.80.

We presented Perfect Attendance pins for 2017-2018, spanning 1-26 years, were presented to 10 members at our October General Meeting with 5 more to be presented at a later date.

Dryden Public Library Family Pizza Party was held on October 19th and our club was recognized for our donation of \$ 500.00. Three members attended serving 50 children and their parents. They also supervised stations with different fun activities for the children.

Six members attended the visit of DG Joanne Ogden on October 30th, 2018 hosted by Vermilion Bay Lions on behalf of the 3 area clubs: Vermilion Bay, Dryden and Dryden Trillium. DG Joanne presented Lions Susan Schultz and Sharon McGillivray with their 35-Year Charter Monarch Chevron Awards and our club donated \$ 50.00 to LCIF on behalf of our District Governor Joanne Ogden.





Duluth Lions Club Apple Sale Success!



Distribution of the fresh Cortland apples our club sold took place October 16 – 17. Thank you to Apple Sale Chair, Lion Pat Swenson, for your leadership this year and to all the Lions who sold and distributed the pecks of apples.



Total Apple Harvest profit (Caramel Apple and Cortland Apple sales) was \$3,617.02, a bit ahead of last year. Net profit from selling the pecks/bushels of Cortland apples alone was \$2,151.25.

Our Top Five Winners selling the most apples and receiving a prize were: Lions Barb Tanski (14), Eric Schlacks (15), Tom Sailstad (16), Rhonda Rutford (19). Lion Gail Tate topped us all, selling 101 pecks of apples. Congrats, Gail!





Duluth Lions volunteer at the apple distribution site.
Delivery right to your car!



Duluth Centennial Leos



The Duluth Centennial Leo Club used their proceeds, \$240.00, from volunteering at the Duluth Air Show to purchase hygiene items for Denfeld High School's Hunter Hut this month.



The Duluth Lions Club donated an additional \$100.00 to buy extra items. Around 400 items including deodorant, dental care, soap, toilet paper, laundry soap, and hair care were donated.



The Hunter Hut provides clothes, food staples, and hygiene items to students who need them. Mr

Lofald, who is a PARA at Denfeld and runs the Hut, told us that they go through hygiene items quickly. Poor hygiene can lead to bullying, which can lead to a student avoiding school. These donations can make very big differences in the lives of many students.



Duluth Lion President Sue stated, "As a Lions Club it is wonderful to have a Leo club to support...after all, it is everyone doing the little pieces put together that creates the solutions. Thank you to all the Lions who serve their community. Every little bit helps."



Emo and District Lions

Hunters Dinner was an amazing success this year! Proud as heck to live in a place that supports Lions and what they do with such enthusiasm!! Thanks to all of you who came with family and friends and to those who came from Wisconsin!

Great job Emo and District Lions club membersman you worked your tails off to make this an amazing success...no better team than what we have!! Our feet and backs are pretty tender this morning but it's so exciting to be able to help out the Devlin ballpark and be able to add some playground equipment there!!

Congrats to all the winners and Fred Paesel for winning that awesome gun...but... The best part of the whole evening was our auction! Great prizes but who would have known the item bringing in the most money was a Cheesecake made by Lion Chelsey Ogden!! The Cheesecake was bought and donated back then resold multiple times for a grand total of 595\$! Great job Wisconsin for starting the game!









Babbitt Lions

The Babbitt Lions have built many ramps, but they also remove them when they are no longer needed. In October, the Babbitt Club removed a ramp that had been built for a young man who had been in a motorcycle accident. They also collected the medical equipment that had been loaned to him. Our club also has a portable ramp that can be moved to where ever it is needed. This month the ramp was moved to a residence where it was needed. Ten Lions volunteered for these projects.

First City Lions Club of Bemidji

Greetings from First City Lions Club of Bemidji. Our club has been shaking things up around town helping out in several capacities.

As Secretary of my club I prepare the monthly activities and places of volunteerism for the month. In reporting the August activities, I realized just how many different activities our club volunteers for: In August we had our annual pie sale which is one of our fundraisers. This was in conjunction with the Bemidji Lions Annual Lions Fare; we also volunteered at the Beltrami County Fair working booths for MN Citizens Concerned for Life, working in the Arts Building receiving and arranging items for display, History Center, and KidSight. Outside of the fair we volunteered at the Food Shelf, Meals on Wheels, Neilson Place, Central Roadracin Association being a corner flag person and radio captain for 70 racers, Vacation Bible Study for 5th grade, KidSight at the Mn State Fair and worked with DG Joanne. We also assisted 1stVDG Wayne, 2ndVDG Shirley, PDG Mel, and Blackduck Lions Club President Curtis Wetzell and Lion Rollie on starting a new Lions Club in Northome. Seventeen Lions completed 156 hours in August.

The trip to the Minnesota State Fair to assist District 5M10 with KidSight was amazing. I understand we did more screening than most other districts, so pat your backs for that.

Now that Fall has arrived scheduling dates to clean the eye-glasses we have collected is in order. The Bemidji Lions Club and the First City Lions purchased a lensometer enabling us to see the prescriptions and get the glasses ready for shipping. Thank you, Lion Jim Molde, for doing all the research for the machine, and training us on how to read the prescriptions.

What do Lions do? We serve and have fun.

Lion Mary Lou Milender

Ignace Lions

District Governor Joanne Ogden assist with the initiation of 8 new members into the Ignace Lions Club. New members sponsored by Lion Dot Cooney are Harold Singbeil, Brian Warren and Sharleen Warren. New members sponsored by Lion Berry Wetelainen are Naomi Peters, Len Peters, Frank Charry, Grace Bjorklund, William (Bill) Laidlaw.

The club members enjoyed a pot luck supper and some inspirational words from District Governor Lion Joanne Ogden.

Ignace Lions and Ignace Pie Walk





Vermilion Bay Lions

Our yearly budget was passed. Winners of the High school and Lillian Berg school bursaries were announced in June.

We lost Lion Shirley Trembath in August. Gained a member in October and have two prospective members for November.

We are hosting our Charter night District Governor Joanne as guest of honour on October 30 with the Dryden and Dryden Trillium Lions in our hall. Dinner and social hour at the Vermilion Bay Lions Hall.

Tickets for the Winter Raffle are on sale at local businesses and members.

We have provided and served lunches at our hall for 2 funerals in September.

Our projects for the year include: Project Pride, Peace Poster Contest Lillian Berg School, School pizza lunch, Food Safety Course at our hall, Zone meetings at our hall, Christmas Cheer, Christmas Carol night, Winter Raffle sales, snow mobile derby, supporting a hockey tournament and skating club, sending members to the Mid Winter convention, CNIB, Diabetes, Cancer and LCIF project to be determined, Kids sight program for two schools, highway cleanup in the spring.

One member of our club attended the USA/Canada Forum in Grand Rapids.

We hope to send two members to the Northern Pride Forum in Mahnomen MN. And one member to the Leadership Institute in the spring. Lion Shirley and Al are going to Mahnomen for training for 1st VDG. Our club will be endorsing Lion Shirley at the Mid Winter convention in January.

Many members helped this past summer to replace the flooring and side walls of our hall. The bar is finished. We are having an "Adopt a chair project" each chair is \$60 donation. We have received donations for 55 chairs. This is our way of replacing the chairs in the hall next will be the tables. We have applied for a lighting grant and will know if we received it in January. The renovations to the hall are ongoing.

The Vermilion Bay Lions Club has their own website www.vermilionbaylions.org. Also like us on our Facebook page.

Our hall is rented out at reasonable rates. Hall rentals contact Al Koroniak 220-1107

Our club purchased a container for our medical equipment. Use of medical equipment at no charge (donations accepted)- stair climber, hospital beds, walkers, broda chair wheel chairs for information contact Gary Hutchison 227-2449

Vermilion Bay Lions hosted the Annual District Governor dinner. Dryden Lions and Trillium Lions also attended. A wonderful night of fellowship and we all enjoyed the DG message to our members. The following awards were handed out by DG Joanne: Shirley and Marcel Gautheir-10-year Chevron, Gary and Susan Hutchison 20-year Chevron, Forrest Mann 25-year Chevron, Len Suomu 35-year Chevron, Shirley Trembath 30-year Chevron, Susan Mann, Gord Dingman and Nancy Macklem Hope Medals, Don Trembath Lions Foundation of Canada Fellowship Award, Len Suomu Judge Brian Stevenson Fellowship Award, Carol Anderson Melvin Jones Award and Betty Ollerhead Melvin Jones Award.

We send two members to the Northern Pride Forum in Mahnomen MN.

15 members helped with a funeral lunch in November.

Our service Project for the year is helping prepare and serve lunches at Lillian Berg School on Mondays and Fridays.

The Zone meeting will be held at Vermilion Bay Lions Hall November 24th.

December 9 is our annual Christmas Party. We will be having a Christmas Carol Night on December 17. Our club participates in Helping Hands adopting a family and providing gifts and food for their Christmas dinner.

Our Winter draw of a snow machine and 4 -wheeler is underway. Tickets are available locally or from our members \$20.00 draw date February. Great stocking stuffer.

The Vermilion Bay Lions Club has their own website www.vermilionbaylions.org. Also like us on our Facebook page.

We wish you all a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



Winter Draw tickets on sale



School Lunch Program Lion Gary and Susan

Voyageur Lions

Members of the Voyageur Lions having a blast at the Riverside Health Care fundraiser. Helping the hospital to purchase much needed equipment, so that people in the Rainy River district can access care close to home.

Our District Governor Joanne on the Road

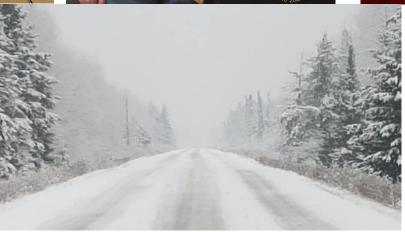














STEW PEEVER MEMORIAL AWARD - TERMS OF REFERENCE

BACKGROUND

Lion Stewart (Stew) Peever was a member of the East Kildonan Lions Club for nearly thirty years. An avid supporter of the Lions Eye Bank Program and ardent fundraiser right up to the time of his passing in 1986, Lion Stew was dedicated to his community by helping those less fortunate.

To honour the exceptional contribution Lion Stew Peever made in our community and, in particular, to the work of Lions Eye Bank Program and tissue donation, an award in his name was established in 1987.

The Stew Peever Memorial Award is presented annually by Lions Foundation of Manitoba & Northwestern Ontario to a Lion, Lioness, or member of the public who has demonstrated unselfish devotion and dedication in support of the Lions Eye Bank Program.

PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATION

Each year, application forms will be emailed to all Lions Clubs in Manitoba and Northwest Ontario.

A Lion or Lioness will submit an application for a member in their Club or a member of the public. Each application will be based on merit of the Lion, Lioness, or public person who has best demonstrated qualities of special effort in Sight Conservation and Eye Bank Program work at the local/district level. The application MUST be submitted in its entirety.

A committee of three judges (appointed by the Lions Foundation Board of Directors) will select the successful Stew Peever Memorial Award recipient. There will be three awards presented; one award for each district.

The Lions Foundation Stew Peever Memorial Award will consist of a plaque to be presented to the recipient at the Mid-Winter convention or at an event determined by the nominating Club. A related plaque bearing the recipient's name & year will also be in place at the Lions Foundation office.

PLEASE SEND APPLICATIONS TO:

Stew Peever Memorial Award Lions Foundation of Manitoba & Northwestern Ontario 320 Sherbrook Street Winnipeg, Manitoba R3B 2W6

GUIDELINES FOR NOMINATION



NOMINATION

FOR STEW PEEVER MEMORIAL AWARD 2018/2019

Send nominations to: Lions Foundation of Manitoba & Northwestern Ontario 320 Sherbrook St. Winnipeg, MB. R3B 2W6 Fax 204-943-6823 info@lionsfoundation.org

Deadline: 30 Days Prior to Convention

NAME OF NOMINEE:	<u> </u>
ADDRESS OF NOMINEE:	
NOMINATING LIONS CLUB:	
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PHONE # AND CONTACT NAME:	
THIS APPLICATION HAS BEEN APPROVED BY MY LIONS CLUB:	YES
Please describe the contribution of the nominee:	
President's Signature	Secretary's Signature



