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## NOVEMBER

CAROL EVENS

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LINDA HULTMAN

BUTCH LIEBAERT

SUE LINDQUIST

KATHY SUO

JOHN WEISS

## DECEMBER

LINDA BRUNNER

TREY DROUGAS

ROGER GUSTAFSON

SALLY GUSTAFSON

JON HAMILTON

JOHN JOSEPH

ROZIE MAKI

CAROL REASBECK

## COMING EVENTS:

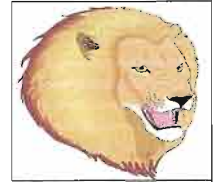


CHRISTMAS PARTY  
FRIDAY, DEC. 2ND

## NEXT MEETING

DEC. 7TH

## HAPPENINGS



Greetings Fellow Lions,

I'm back with more exciting news:



**WELCOME** new members: Leah Holsclaw sponsored by Carey Edwards and Diana Evenstad sponsored by Ray Kangas. Installation will be at Dec. meeting.



Andy Edwards is our 2011 LION OF THE YEAR. Andy has been VERY active and busy volunteering as the Publicity/ picture taking person, on the Activities Committee, Chairman of the Deer Hide collection (more on that), and spring clean-up on US Highway 2. A very welcome member to our club.

As you may have read in the state Lions Newsletter, one of the ways of raising money for the Lion's Camp is through the collection of Deer Hides. I'm not sure what happens after they are collected and how the money is earned for the camp, but I'm sure Andy would have those answers. Woods & Waters has agreed to be the collection point in this area. They will collect until Dec. 26th. Spread the word to the successful hunters you know.

## DIABETES REPORT

November is Diabetes awareness month. It is a growing epidemic in America. Faith had Tri-fold information to be handed out to the area businesses.

## ACTIVITIES

Chair Ray Kangas reported that plans are in the works for a possible pancake breakfast in May and working with the White Winter Winery's musical entertainment.



## EYE GLASS VOUCHERS

Carey Edwards has volunteered to help Ken Watters screen applicants for the eye glass voucher. Ken reports one request was filled and two more being reviewed for approval.

## OFFICERS: 2011

President: Darren Hanson  
1st Vice President: Nan Olson  
2nd Vice President: Ken Watters  
Secretary: Linda Hultman  
Treasurer: Carey Edwards

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## CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our Christmas party will be held Friday Dec. 2nd at Deep Lake Lodge. Cocktails at 6:00, Dinner at 7:00. Call or email Julie Peck if you plan to attend. gjpeck@cheqnet.net or 372-6005 by Nov. 25th. Food choices will be off the menu. This is a “non-wearing” your vest event, so you can dress Christmasy. *from Scheises*

## IRON RIVER SCHOLARSHIP

Our Iron River Scholarship will, in the year 2012, be funded and forever thereafter from the proceeds of the Marie Larson Iron River Lions Golf Scramble. Only those graduates from the Northwestern School district will be eligible for the \$1,000. Any money earned beyond \$1,000 at the golf scramble will go into a certificate of deposit/savings account.

## OTHER NEW BUSINESS

1. Karen Wicklund will be looking for volunteer Bell Ringers for the Salvation Army collection bucket. See her if you are interested.
2. Jim DeRosia will be looking for volunteers to help flood the ice rinks.
3. The Wayside Park on the east end of town will need upkeep and cleaning. Jim DeRosia will bring more information on this project.
4. The Directors have done some refining on the bookkeeping system in regards to Certificate of Deposits—they will be specified for what they are for. ie Golf Tournament, Melvin Jones, new ride, special projects.
5. The kids Christmas Party will be Dec. 21st. Bags will be filled the same day, probably at Our Saviors. Will need baggers.
6. A request was received from Project KIND, sponsored by ADK Epsolon (retired educators) for a donation to purchase hats, mittens, etc. for needy families. The stuff will be distributed to the area schools and the school nurses will hand them out to those kids without warm clothing. It was voted to donate \$100. The Lakes Community Health Center is also collecting winter clothing for children.

## BLUEBERRY STUFF

1. The new sound system is being worked on by John Joseph, John Munson & Jon Hamilton. We already have two speakers.
2. A Disc-Jockey will be hired for Sat. afternoon and Brian & the Boys will perform Sat. night and Sunday.
3. A picnic to replace the appreciation dinner was discussed.
4. Tom Boggess, Jim Anderson & Guy Suo have requested to be relieved of their charirmanships. Will need someone to take over crafts, porta potties, dumpsters & parking.

## SOMETHING ELSE

Sometime this past spring Carol saw or read about a lady who sews dresses for little girls in Africa. We have contacted the newspapers and TV stations, but no one seems to remember the story. Our mother had yards and yards of material, patterns (some already cut out). I don't sew (I had to rip out the seams of my PJ's 3 times in 8th grade—it kind of soured me on sewing). Carol sews but dosen't have time with 4 little boys to babysit every other week. Did anyone hear or read about her? Would like to get her name. Or for that matter does anyone know of such a project going on in the area? Well this sort of comes under the heading “WE SERVE”

## ON ANOTHER NOTE

Some of you may have wondered why I never take part in the visiting that goes on at our meetings and at our dinners. I assure you it's not because I don't have anything to say, or that I'm “stuck-up” it's simply I can not hear conversations, especially when there is other noise. I have been increasingly frustrated. I just could not get satisfaction from the present company. I happened to get an advertisement in the mail from AccuQuest in Ashland. I went to get a second opinion on my hearing loss. I was very surprised to learn that I have 75% loss of “low” sounds or conversational sounds/soft sounds he called it. (this has developed in the last 5 or 7 years). I will be getting new aids in January. Mr Larson assures me that I will be able to hear again—so take this as fair warning.