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The Newsletter of the Montgomery Central Derwood Lions

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State Delegate Roger Manno Addresses Derwood Lions

By Jeff Robertshaw

Although State Delegate Roger Manno was running late to our Lions meeting, he filled the last 40 minutes with interesting topics. Mr. Manno shared information and his insights on the Inter-County Connector (ICC) and his thoughts on the use of Solar panels to reduce heat loss. Roger said very few companies have been working to produce Solar panels because of the expense to the consumer.

Delegate Manno stated that the ICC would be a toll road and that motorists would be paying between \$.35 and \$.50 for every mile travelled. He said that many people were still angry at how the ICC project was handled. Many residents lost valuable acreage.

For more information about your state delegate click here:
<http://www.rogermanno.com/>



November 2009

Bikes for the World Partners with Derwood Lions

Program Director, Mike McMillion, heads up an organization called Bikes for the World. This organization's mission is to rescue unwanted bikes and send them to developing countries where they can transform lives. However, Mike made a special exception. After meeting with Lion Jim Pope, a thirty-two year member of the Derwood Lions Club and a volunteer at St. Martin's food pantry in Gaithersburg, MD, he had a change of heart. Mike donated an almost new 20inch boy's bike to 3rd grader Michael Reyes, who had lost his bicycle recently. Lion Jim shared his story with another one of his club members, Lion Jeff Robertshaw, who relayed the need to Bikes of the World director. This is just another way in which the Lions live out the motto "We Serve."



Lions Club International Website

Take a look at the new Lions Club International website. It has lots of information about the organization, membership, and club activities.

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MONTGOMERY CENTRAL DERWOOD LIONS
Board Meeting Minutes, Tuesday October 13, 2009

ATTENDEES: Lions Jeff Robertshaw, Jack Waters, Jim Pope, Joe Pursel, Ken Twentey, Bill Rowe and Bill Duce.

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting of the Board for the month of October was called to order by KL Jeff Robertshaw at 7:30PM.

MINUTES: The minutes of the September meeting were read and accepted with no changes.

FINANCIAL REPORT: Lion Joe Pursel presented the Administrative and Activity financial reports. These were accepted with no changes.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Oct 20 – Roger Manno, MD Delegate will be the speaker. Please attend. We need a good turnout for this guest.

Nov 3rd – Steve Sauro, the Bee Man, will be the guest speaker

OLD BUSINESS:

Multiple District 22 Lion's Training Retreat Oct 16-18 – No one has signed up

White Cane – Lion Bill Rowe selected Oct 24 & 25 as the White Cane dates.

Leo's Retreat – Leo's Retreat will be at Camp Merrick, Oct 30 – Nov 1

Sherwood Golf Team – Board voted to give a donation of \$100 to the Golf Team to offset expenses for water during their season

Entertainment Books – Lion Jack has Entertainment books. The cost is \$30.00 this year

Citrus Fruit Sale – Lion Jim announced the start of citrus fruit sale. He gave out pricing and brochures at last meeting. In fact he gave 2 copies to all who attended. If you do not need the 2nd copy, please bring it back to the next meeting and return it to Jim.

Visitations – Lion Ken announced that we are off to a very good start. Please sign up for a visit to your favorite club or experiment and try a new club.

NEW BUSINESS:

MERL Leadership training The Membership, Extension, Retention & Leadership Committee will give New Member recruitment training on Oct 24. Call KL Jeff for details or call Paul Bolton 301-774-5084 to register

Canned Food Drive – KL Jeff is leading the MCDL canned food drive at the Flower Hill Giant on Nov 21 & 22.

Please register to help with KL Jeff.

Community Holiday Outreach – Dec 19-20. Help KL Jeff in making Christmas a little nicer for some families who have fallen on hard times. Distribute food, toys and gifts

Lions Leadership Institute – The best Leadership training available. It will be in Emmitsburg, PA Feb 19-21. This is a can't miss opportunity for those who have leadership ambitions.

Committee Budgets – The board voted that any Committee Chairman who will be spending or receiving funds will need to present a proposed budget to the board for approval prior to the treasurer being authorized to reimburse the Chairman for any expenses. This should be done at least one board meeting prior to the fund raising event.

KL Jeff adjourned the meeting at 9:15 PM

NEXT MEETING: The next board meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Nov 10th, at 7:30 PM. At Lion Ken Twentey's home. All Lions are invited to attend.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Catherine Besteder Birthday	2 Bob Mueller Birthday All Souls' Day	3 Meeting OTWC 7pm	4 Cathy Mueller Birthday	5	6	7 Kim Rowse Birthday
8	9 Bill Hall Birthday	10 Board Meeting 7:30pm	11 Veterans Day	12	13	14
15	16	17 Meeting OTWC Bill Duce Birthday	18	19	20	21 Karen Buscemi Birthday
22	23	24	25	26 Turkey Day	27	28
29	30					

NOTES



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Monthly Meetings


1st & 3rd Tuesday
of each month

6:30 Social-
7pm Meeting

At

The Outta the Way Café

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