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July 2019 ISSUE

Join Us Weekly at **Heathen Brewing Feral Public House** 1109 Washington St. Vancouver, WA 98660 **Check our meeting** schedule in the calendar!

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JULY SPEAKERS PROGRAM DIRECTOR **PHYLLIS**

> July 5 **NO Meeting**

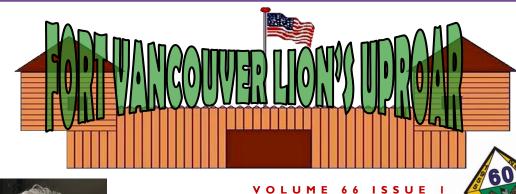
July 12 David Rich, LCIF

July 17

Sarah Desfarlarkis. Office Mom and Dads

> July 24 David Rich, Lions Jeopardy

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The Fort Vancouver Lions Club year of 2018-19 is over and a new year 2019-20 has started. It is a great honor to be your new president. We have completed another year of service to our community. I would like to express my thanks to King Lion David Rich and the Board of Directors for their excellent leadership, diligence and hard work. Their efforts were supported by our wonderful Lions members in so many ways. Lion Carol Cooper, our Secretary, has tirelessly preformed her duties with distinction and has agreed to again be our secretary for this year. The duties of typing the minutes of the meetings and taking attendance are important to maintaining accurate records. She also gets all of our club's achievements sent to Lions International office so we can receive recognition for our successful service projects. We are very grateful to Car-

Our Program Chairpersons always present the best speakers and entertainers for our weekly enjoyment. This is a key part of what makes our weekly noon meetings so worthwhile and informative. We are fortunate to have such a wide variety of community leaders as presenters. Our local public servants, nonprofits, sports personalities, musicians, etc., keep us up to date on happenings in our area. Many thanks to our Program Chairs.

Kudos to Fred Larson, John Caldwell and Nancy Brown for preparing our meeting room each Friday. Then, following each meeting, they return all the supplies to the storage area. These are our behind the scenes hard workers, our unsung heroes. Fred also sells our split-the-pot tickets and chooses the Secret Greeter for each meeting. On the very rare occasion that Fred & John cannot be at our meetings, we really understand how important their contribution is to our club. Special thanks to John Caldwell for the music he provides before and during each meeting. He is a faithful Lion and we all appreciate him.



Our new Fort Vancouver Lions Club Officers for 2018-19

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President: Eva Halter

1st VP - Fundraising: Gay Enyeart

2nd VP Service: Lance Ebarb Secretary: Carol Cooper Treasurer: Rick Giles

Membership Chair: Tim Ragland Past President: David Rich

Directors: 1-year Steve Seymour

1-year Phyllis Robertson

Ceremonial Officers: Tail Twister: Jen Leger, Lion Tamer: Fred Larson, Social

Media: Dotty Scott.

Fort Vancouver Lions stepping forward to help: Allen Rhyasen has done another superb job of heading up the Strawberry Sales. It looks like we will have another successful year. His team works together like a well-oiled machine!! I'm quite sure frozen berry sales will be just as successful. Roy Pulliam coordinates Cherry Sales and it looks like the cherry crop will be the best ever! The Community Service Projects we have participated in are outstanding. I will list a few of them: support of the Clark County functions, Washington Elementary School functions, LERC, White Cane Days, support Walk and Knock, support Habitat for Humanity, and more. I look forward to working with the new board to continue the good work being done by Lions in Clark County Washington.

Our next Meeting will be July 12 at **11:30** at the Heathen Brewing, 1109 Washington St, down town Vancouver. Free parking at Broadway and Evergreen. The earlier time should make on the street parking easier.

King (or is it Queen?) **Lion Eva Halter**

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Strawberry Sales Pick-up Day





Kivett Bidnar

June was a month of music at our club meetings.





Laura May

Ben Rice

Fort Vancouver Lions Celebrate Year-End Banquet

On June 27th 59 members of the Fort Vancouver Lions Club and their guests came together at Club Green Meadows for their annual year end banquet. Several special guests joined the celebration including District Governor Mark Mansell and his wife Zone Chair Elect, Debbie Mansell; three guests of President David Rich attended from Peru; and Chris and Lee Denny from Salem, Oregon.

The celebrations included the presentation of two Melvin Jones Fellowships by District Governor- Elect Stephen Staudinger. The surprised and delighted recipients were Evaluated and Joney Logor

Halter and Jenny Leger.

In appreciation for their service President David Rich presented each board member with a gift. Further, he announced that Roy Pulliam was Lion of the Year. Roy received a standing ovation for this well deserved award.

District Governor Mark Mansell inducted two new members into the club, Kevin Cook and Carly Stiltner. Next, DG Mansell installed our new club officers for the 2019-2020 year. They are: Eva Halter, President, Gay Enyeart, First VP; Lance Ebarb, Second VP; Carol Cooper, Secretary; Rick Giles, Treasurer; Tim Ragland, Membership; joining the board are Helen Sutfin and Doug Wilson.

President Eva Halter bid farewell to everyone to end the evening.



















Fort Vancouver Lions Board Meeting Friday May 17, 2019 @ 10:30 am

The meeting was called to order by President Dave Rich at 10:30 am

Board Members Present: Dave Rich, Bill Shalaby, Martha Johnson, Gay Enyeart, Ken Milligan, Carol Cooper, Terry Robertson, and Phyllis Robertson. Club members attending were Jen and Len Leger.

Secretary's Report:

Minutes: The minutes of the April 19,2019 board meeting were unanimously approved as distributed.

Correspondence: There was no new correspondence to discuss. **Treasurer's Report:** Administration Fund: \$ 783.39 Foundation Fund: \$ 1,608.20

Investments: \$12,779.89 (at last report)

Proposals for Board Consideration:

- 1. 18-19-22 Revisit of meeting schedule decision: Board Members as well as Len and Jen Leger reported that most people wanted to maintain weekly meetings instead od the bimonthly meetings that had been proposed to start in July. A variety of reasons were presented including the thought that decreasing our meeting schedule would be confusing to clubs that wanted to visit. A motion was made and seconded that we maintain our regular weekly meeting schedule. The vote was unanimous.
- **2. 18-19-22** Charity of the month: Len Leger proposed we donate \$100.00 to Gales Creek Camp. Gay moved we select Gales Creek Camp as the charity of the month and donate the \$100.00 to them. Motion was seconded by Carol Cooper. The motion passed unanimously.

Board Members Free Exchange of Ideas

- 1. **Nominating Committee:** We are still in need of a lion tamer and tail twister. Jen Leger volunteered to be the tail twister for the 2019-2020 year.
- 2. **MD 19 Spring Conference:** Stephen Staudinger should be voted in as the new District Governor. Therefore we will be hosting a hospitality suite on Saturday night. Stephen will bring the refreshments and see that the room is set up.
- 3. **Third Thursday social meeting discussion.** There has been poor attendance at these meetings. We will try one more meeting and then decide whether to continue them. A suggestion was made to have the meeting at Shanahans as there is plenty of parking, which has been a problem at other locations.
- 4. **Gales Creek Clean Up** This will be held June 1st. There will be car pools to transport Lions to the camp. Car pools will leave at 8:00am and arrive at Gales Creek camp about 9:00 am. Work should be completed by noon.
- 5. **Fresh Strawberry Sales:** Berries are to be delivered June 22nd The last day to order is June 19^{th.}
- 6. **End of the year party:** The date is June 27th and will be held at Club Green Meadows. The festivities will begin at 6:00pm. The cost is \$32.00 per person. Make sure you are signed up and give your payment to our treasurer Bill Shalaby.
- 7. **Flags for First Graders:** The presentation will be held at Washington Elementary School on May 24th. If you are interested in participating please see Helen Sutfin.
- 8. **Business Cards:** Len and Jen Leger suggested the need for club business cards we can hand out to those interested in Lions. They will look into this at Vista Print

(As time allows Board members may use this time to report on activities, ask questions, or propose new ideas to be referred to work groups and committees for development into proposals for subsequent Board consideration. Board members are welcome to reserve time for this segment with president in advance of the meeting if they deem it appropriate.)

There was no further business to discuss. The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 am

Respectfully Submitted

Carol Cooper Secretary Fort Vancouver Lions

LIONS SIGHT FOUNDATION OF CLARK COUNTY JUNE 4,2019 WSSB BOARD ROOM

ATTENDING: John Caldwell, Jeff Fish, Ralph Harding, Kay Hust, Bill Lundin, Susan Nellor. John Nellor, David Page, Steve Seymour, Mike McCamish, Kathy Morrison.

Called to Order: 6:30 by Steve Seymour

May Minutes: Motion to accept as written David Page. Seconded by Jeff Fish. Passed, a hard copy is available upon request.

Treasurer's Report: and the endowment report was presented by Ralph Harding. Motion to accept by David Page, seconded by Bill Lundin. A hard copy is available upon request.

Old Business: David Page announced that he nominated our Foundation to be considered in the next 100 Man Charitable drawing.

The results of the election of 2019-2020 new officers are as follows:

Jeff Fish: President

Marilan Anderson: Vice President

Susan Nellor: Secretary Ralph Harding: Treasurer

Unfilled: Patient Care Coordinator (David Page will fill in through July)

Plea was REPEATED for anyone to step up for this position.

New Business: Ralph Harding announced that he has renewed the Foundation's contract for use of the WSSB Board Room for the next business year.

Patient Care: 39 applications: 2 on hold from May for a total for review of 41. Of these 41: 1 withdrawn by applicant, 3 denied due to failing of residency requirement and 4 put aside until July meeting for insufficient information. 33 net applications: 2 denied due to too much income and 1 upon further review for insufficient information. 30 applications approved.

Next meeting: July 2, 2019. Jeff Fish will not be there, he will inform Vice President Marilan Anderson. Susan Nellor will not be in attendance due to LCI Convention.

Appreciation was expressed to outgoing president Steve Seymour for his lengthy service. Congratulations to the incoming officers and best wishes for a successful 2019-2020 year.

Adjourned: 7:45. Next meeting will be July 2, 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Nellor



Please email newsletter articles for the August newsletter to:
Shelly Brown at Lsbrown65@comcast.net by Thursday, July 25! Thanks!!!



July 2019

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2 Clark County Sight 6:30 PM	3	4 happy 4TH OF JULY	NO Lions Meeting	6
7	8	9 Happy Birthday Suzanne Day Linda Licata Steve Seymour	1 O Happy Birthday Wendy Bukowski	11	12 Lions Meeting 12 PM	13
14	15	16	17 Share House	18 Board Meeting	19 Lions Meeting 12 PM	20 Happy Birthday Adam Hegewald
21	22 Happy Birthday Len Leger	23	24	25 Happy Birthday Carol Cooper Newsletter items due!!	26 Lions Meeting 12 PM	27
28	29	30	31			







Dates in RED mark our regularly scheduled meeting:

Meeting location:
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