

THE LIONS ROAR

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Tim Casey

Hello Again Lions,

It looks like I'll be your President a few more months until Lion Mike McKeon takes the helm in October. During that time our club will be fully engaged in service & fund raising activities. If you're not yet on a fund raising or service committee, I strongly urge you to become involved. We need more volunteers in almost every committee.

Bingo is starting on Monday, June 7th & our club finds itself responsible for food preparation &

distribution which was previously handled by the MW Lioness Club. The Bingo Committee desperately needs food preparation & food handling volunteers. Without this additional help, we will not be able to serve food to our Bingo participants. Additionally, with the sudden and untimely death of Lion Jerry Kort, there is one less Lion volunteer at Bingo. Please consider helping out here.

Don't forget the pork chop dinner on June 17th.

I'll just end here with a big "Thank You" to all our Lions whose volunteerism makes this club special and a valuable resource in our community. You are special!

Lion Tim

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JOHN HILBERT

John Hilbert was the Lions' choice for <u>The Melvin Jones</u> <u>Award</u>. John joined our Club in 1999. The Jones Award stands for <u>Fellowship and Humanitarian Actions</u>. John, for several years, has been Chair of our Pork Chop Dinners – truly a challenge especially this past Covid year.



DAN MEIER

Dan Meier was honored by our Lions with <u>The Birch-</u> <u>Sturm Award</u>. This is given to the Lion who exemplifies undying dedication and commitment to Lionism. Dan has worked tirelessly as Grill Master, Tail Twister and as a member of our Board. He joined the Lions in 1995.



DAVE HANSON

Dave Hanson was awarded our Lion of the Year for 2021. Dave is a Board Member and always ready to help in any way he can. Our Lion of the Year assists the Club in a quiet and hardworking way. The MW Lions are very proud of Lion Dave. He joined our Club in 2010.



GALE WOLF

Gale Wolf was awarded the prestigious **Bud Hyland** Award by Toby Hyland. Gale joined our Lions Club in 2002 and has been a source of empathy and guidance since then. As a Board of Directors member and Chair of our Sunshine Committee as well as past Scholarship Chairman, he has made our Club a better place to be. Bud Hyland was the epitome of Lion Service. Our award winner exemplifies and honors Bud's memory.



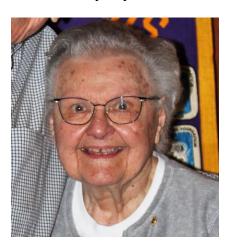
DAVID KREMBS

Dave Krembs has been awarded Manitowish Waters Lions' <u>Citizen of the Year.</u> Dave runs our Transfer Station and goes over and beyond in assisting our citizens. Dave always leaves people with a pleasant

Dave Krembs.

"Up Close and Personal"

Toby Hyland



Toby Hyland is a special person! The wife of our great Lion Bud Hyland, she worked tirelessly with our Lioness for many years. Now she is a Lion member of Manitowish Waters.

Toby was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin in 1930. She attended Washington High School and was an active participant in basketball and baseball. Once out of high school our Lion became a secretary and bookkeeper for a sand and gravel company. While working there she met her husband and they married in 1951. Bud had his own trucking company and Toby did the company books.

The couple started coming up north to Manitowish Waters in 1963 and joined our community in 1976.

Our Lion was a charter member of the Manitowish Waters Lioness and a two time Club President. She helped head up the bake sale, the Blood Bank and the Eyeglass reading and fittings.

Bud was honored internationally for his Lion work and headed up our Mission to Mexico, taking books, school supplies, clothes and glasses.

Toby stated her greatest joy still remains her two sons, Mike and Tom, six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Manitowish Waters is lucky to have this wonderful person as part of our town.

By Mike Hahn



Dick Farrell
Mike McKeon

PORK CHOP DINNER

On June 17th one of the most enjoyable events of the summer will be held at our Lions Pavilion - our first Pork Chop Dinner! Lions and non-Lions alike will gather to enjoy the evening. John Hilbert, our Chairman, has a great meal planned - grilled pork chops - potato - rolls - salad - all for the ridiculous price of \$14! This price includes two great chops and all the fixings. For those watching their waistlines, a one pork chop dinner is \$12. The small ones will have the option of hot dogs. The cash bar will be open. The option of pickup for the meal is also available. Come and enjoy the food

and the social atmosphere. The times are 5-7PM.

BINGO HAS BEGUN!

REMINDER: Every
Monday evening
throughout the summer
Bingo will be held at the
Town Hall.

The doors open at 6 and first call (by Tim Casey) is at 7.

This event has all profits put into our scholarship fund – a great Lion event. You might be a big winner, but even if you're not you'll have a wonderful time. See you there!



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The Thursdays in the summer mean treasures and fun for all who attend this event.

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The Market is 8-2 every
Thursday at our Town
Hall area.

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS



Scott Balas and Liam Hogan are pictured with Scholarship Chairman Bob Cook. Not present for the awards are recipients Autumn Psenicka and Jenna Duranso. Congratulations to these young people and best wishes in their future endeavors.

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WELCOME NEW LIONS!

Four new Lion
Members were
installed at the
Awards Night by
District Governor
Judy Hatz. A sincere
welcome to Terry
Mueller, Gene
Wilberg, Jerry
Yencich and Doug
Zeise.



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