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Lion Mike McKeon

Another year is coming to a close and looking back on things, as we all tend to do this year, I couldn't help but be proud of all the things we accomplished, the people and organizations we helped and the friends we made along the way.

We have a great group and I know we have made an impact in our community and within the International and Local Lion's Organization. Our motto is "We Serve" and boy did we put in the hours doing just that. Everyone should feel good about all the work we put in throughout the year...give yourselves a big hand!

Just after my last letter, we hosted the Seeing for Lelyn event and I'm proud to say that with the awesome help of Dana Hilbert, Jessie Knipp and all of those that made pies, ran auctions, solicited raffle baskets and helped support the event we were able to make a great donation to the Seeing for Leyln cause in the amount of near \$14,000. Wow!! It was a fun night at Little Bohemia, and I know Lelyn and his family really appreciate our support. Thanks again to all involved in this event!



At the Board level, we've been busy dropping off year end donations and discussing next year's budget and donation plans for 2023. It's a fun process and certainly any input from membership is always welcome. Here are a couple recent photos of donations from November and December, made possible by our hard work.....









I'd be remiss if I did not recognize the contributions of those that have moved on or passed. Their friendship and legacy as Lion's will live on. Cheers and blessings to them!

We as a club continue to grow...We have 2 new potential members looking to join us later this month and have already inducted 13 new members in 2022! Really awesome...

Please welcome... Dennis Collins, Paul Culler, Tom Giesen, Dave Hamilton, Jill Nerby, Mike Osborne, Mark Schroeder, Anne Atherton, Tom Atherton, Patti Gauthier, Stas Moszynski, Gary Luckow and Eugene Meier. Welcome aboard!!!

Our next member dinner is a Little Bohemia on December 15^{th.} Come on out to little Bohemia and spread a little holiday cheer with your fellow club members.

Here's wishing you a very Merry Christmas, a blessed New Year and a Happy Holiday Season.

Cheers,

Mike



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