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The President's Message



As this will be my last message as a King Lion, I would like to thank each and every one of you for making the past year a success.

Thank you to our out-going officers and good luck to

those coming in. Thank you to our committee chairs and those who served on them. I am proud of all of you and all we have accomplished. Let's help Lion Chris Fletcher achieve her goals as King Lion.

KL John for now.

MAY EVENTS

ROAD CLEANUP – May 12

The Damascus Lions Club participated in another road cleanup of our adopted road, Valley Park Road. We collected 2 large county provided Orange AAR bags of trash. Nothing out of the ordinary was collected except a No Parking sign. If you have a need for a No Parking sign, let me know! I want to thank the following members for their participation in this event.

Lion Barbara Barry

Lion Del Mayhew

Lion Chris Fletcher

Lion Wayne Marr

Lion Tom Jackson

Lion Tony Barry



BLOOD DRIVE –May 17

We had a blood drive at DUMC on Thursday May 17th, 2018. We collected 40 units of blood with the American Red Cross. I would like to thank partner in service Cathy Heinbaugh for all of her time and effort for this blood drive. Along with all her terrific support staff. This is a great way to start off another year of blood donations. Thank you to any of our Lions who supported this drive and or gave blood :)

Our next blood drive is on August 23rd. See you there!!

Lion Charlie Hetel

**There was a correction for Blood Year 2017-2018 a 154 units collected not 157.

Upcoming Events:

GOLF TOURNAMENT- June 4

I would like to thank all who participated in the making the Damascus Lions Club 15th Annual Golf Tournament on Monday, June 4th, 2018 at Glade Valley another huge success.

The success of this event allows the Damascus Lions Club to give back 100% of the proceeds from the golf tournament to the community.

We provide free hospital equipment, scholarships, support Boy, Cub and Girl Scouts, collect eye glasses and hearing aids, support to the community Skate Park, Holiday Baskets and Sponsor the Damascus HS, Clarksburg HS and Rocky Hill MS Leos Clubs.

The Damascus Lions Club is in awe of the generous support from our Lions, participants, sponsors, tournament enthusiasts, friends and family of the golf tournament that return year after year. (You!)

Thank You for making it a big success and for your continued support of the Damascus Lions Club.

Lion Charlie Hertel

ICE CREAM DIPPING- August 14

Come out and support your Damascus Lions Club on Tuesday August 14, 2018.

Remember that this is in place of our Damascus Lions Club Dinner Meeting and everyone is welcome.

3 shifts are needed morning, afternoon and evening or stay all day. We need cashiers and ice cream dippers and eaters :)

Remember that we open at 10 am just for the seniors.

The Damascus Lions are also responsible for helping open the Dairy Barn before the start of the fair. Those clean up days are Saturday July 28th and August 4th beginning at 8 am to 12:00 pm with a free lunch at 12:30 pm.

You can pick up some additional SSL hours if you come in to help with the opening.

Call Lion Tammy to let her know that you can support us on her Cell (301)370-6414.

We are still needing some support for the opening day of the Montgomery County Fair at the Ice Cream Dairy Barn. The Parlor opens at 3:00 pm on Friday August 10th and the Damascus Lions are needed to help staff the opening day.

Please let me know if you can help for a few hours. This work day is a must!!!

Ask Lion Charlie or Lion Tammy for more info about this.

The fair has asked for all workers to be at least 16 years of age. This will gain you SSL hours for all students that contribute.

We will give out passes at the Lions Club Dinner on Tuesday August 7th at Montgomery UM Church if needed.

Lions Charlie & Tammy Hertel

COME HELP DAMASCUS LIONS CLUB DIP ICE CREAM



AT MONTGOMERY COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS

ICE CREAM BARN

TUESDAY AUGUST 14, 2018

3 SHIFTS- 11:00AM-3:00PM



3:00PM-7:00PM; 7:00PM -CLOSE

GET COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

FREE WORK PASSES INTO THE FAIR

WEAR A HAT



PASSES WILL BE AVAILABLE AT GATE DAY OF EVENT

CALL TAMMY HERTEL 301-370-6414 TO ARRANGE PICK-UP

LIONS CLUB HAS ICE CREAM BARN ALL WEEK. YOU CAN HELP ANY DAY DURING THE
FAIR WITH OTHER LIONS CLUBS



Newest Member Induction



Congratulations to our newest Member Vahe Aghamalian who was inducted by PDG Bill Thomas of Sandy Spring Lions Club on May15.

Time to Celebrate

June Birthdays:

Ann Davis	6/2
Charlie Hertel	6/16
Jenn Hyde	6/17
Vahe Aghamalian	6/26

Partners in Service

Bonnie Mayhew (Del)	6/19
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June Anniversaries:

None

Upcoming Events

June 4 – Golf Tournament Glade Valley Golf Course for more information contact Lion Charlie Hertel chtelco@aol.com

June 5 – Lions Picnic at Lion Wayne's house 10748 Middleboro Dr, Damascus or contact Wayne at waynemarr@aol.com

June 12 - Board Meeting / Gladhill Bros

June 19 – **Damascus Lions 73rd Installation Night** at Montgomery Country Club, Laytonsville MD for more information contact Lion Bob Snapp at 301-788-6701



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May Board Minutes

Tuesday May 08, 2018

Attendees: Lions John Washington, Patricia McKensie, Warren Schwab, Joy Schwab, Del Mayhew, Tess Gladhill, Sue Saddath, Julie Sain, Chris Fletcher, Tom Jackson, Joe Howerton, Jenny Redifer-Allen

Meeting called to order at 7:00PM

Prior meeting minutes approved with no revisions.

Treasurer's Report

Lion Del Mayhew presented the Treasurer's report and the foundation profit & loss statement prepared by Mary Frances Gosnell along with supporting bank statements. Both reports were approved as presented

Secretary's Report.

Joe Howerton read a letter received from Community Fair thanking the club for our support.

One member still has outstanding dues.

Committee: Sight Conservation 04/18 reported by Wayne Marr

- Five cases are in progress. If all five individuals see our vision providers, the cost to the club will be in the area of \$500-\$700

17/18 Budget - \$2,500

17/18 Expended to Date: \$793 (through Laura Mendoza; 7 cases)

Committee: White Cane 04/18

- We collected \$1,869.93 during our Spring White Cane fundraiser (April 25-28). Twenty-five Damascus Lions performed storefront collections over twenty-nine two-hour shifts. We averaged \$64.48 per shift; not a record, but on the high side. We will also collect at the Shredfest in May. This may add a few hundred dollars to our total.

17/18 Budget - \$4,000

17/18 Collected to Date: \$3,804.05 (October 2017 Collection plus April 2018 Collection)

New Business

Del Mayhew noted that new officer training is to be held at Leisure World. Marcia Holpuch will be sending names for officers registered for training.

It was suggested that the upcoming golf tournament be publicized in the Lion's Voice of 22c. Joe Howerton to share to local social media.

Peruvian Grill expressed interest in presenting at an upcoming dinner meeting to promote awareness of the restaurant. The owner has been supportive of the club by purchasing ad space for the pancake breakfast. Date not yet established.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:21PMt.