



Joppatowne Lions Club, Inc.



Joppa, Maryland 21085

- THE PRIDE -

1st Thursday- 6:59 PM (Sept-May)

Giovanni's Edgewood, MD

President Rich Bennett
1st Vice President Kenny Johnson
Tail Twister Bob Morgan
1 year Director Dion Guthrie

Secretary Dan Ziolkowski
Past President Harry Dahl
2 year Director Ron Der Motta
1 year Director Linda Dahl

Treasurer Keith Williams
Lion Tamer Sharon Lent
2 year Director Les Drabik
Membership Chairman Keith Williams

Member

BIRTHDAYS

Spouse

ANNIVERSARIES

Lion Andy Benoska
Lion Dick Byrne

Aug 5
Aug 7

Lion Dan Ziolkowski (Joan)
Lion Andy Benoska (Ruth)

Aug 17
Aug 29

Scheduled Programs and Events

August 07	Rich Bennett	Pizza available for General Meeting
August 21	Rich Bennett	Board Meeting

Presidents Message

Goals for the New Year
LION PRESIDENT RICH BENNETT
GREETINGS FELLOW LIONS:

A special meeting of the Joppatowne Lions Club was held July 10, 2008 to determine what fundraisers the club would host in the 2008 - 2009 year. The following fundraisers were discussed:

Pumpkins, Pancake Breakfast – Christmas & Easter, Spaghetti Dinner/Comedy Night, Magazine Subscription and a few others.

We also discussed goals which members would like to see achieved. Some of these goals were, better attendance at meetings, more interesting and fun meetings, more family involvement and many other goals. We need to do our best to accomplish these goals as a club.

We need to stay active finding ways to raise money for our club. At the same time, we need to find members. We will be installing a new member, Doug "Doogie" Knowles in either August or September.

We will be having a meeting at the park on August 7th. The club will be providing pizza and subs, so please attend and bring any interested guests.

If anyone has any ideas, please don't hesitate to contact me and let me know. There is no such thing as a dumb idea.

Yours in Lionism,

Lion Rich

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August 2008

Joppaowne lions Board Meeting: Copenhagen Park / July 17, 2008

Call to Order: Lion President Rich Bennett / 7:02pm.

Attendance: Rich Bennett, Ken Johnson, Keith Williams, Les Drabik, Dick Byrne, Harry Dahl,

Dion Guthrie and Dan Ziolkowski. Correction to June 9th attendance, K. Johnson was present.

Treasury Report: General Account: \$3760.15 / Administrative Account: \$4488.20.
Helmer Fund: \$2931.96 Total: 7140.31. Motion to accept Lion Les, Second Lion Ken, all approve.

Secretary Report: June 9th, motion to accept, Les, second Rich
July 10th, motion to accept, Keith, second Ken.

Fund Raisers: Suggestions, Pumpkin Sales, 2 event pancake breakfast, bus trip, 120 club,

Comedy show/ Spaghetti Dinner. Functions, dates and times will be decide later.
Family Picnic: Sunday Sept. 7th, at Copenhagen park. Lion Keith will chair and lion Ken will assist.

Membership: Lion Rich introduces a new member, Douglas Knowles. He is expected to be installed

At the next board meeting. Congratulations President Lion Rich.

Kiss A PIG Contest: Lion Dion will be contestant in the contest raising money for Harford County boys

And Girls Clubs. The club will donate \$50.00 so Dion can win to kiss the pig.

Old Business: A motion was made to donate money to the Leader Dog Program. Lion Ken made a

Motion to give \$150.00. Lion Keith amended the motion to give \$500.00. Motion carried to give

\$500.00, Lion Ken second motion, all approved.

Giovanni's Restaurant: The club has decided to have their dinner meetings at Giovanni's Restaurant

This year. Lion Dan will make the arrangements. The first Dinner Meeting will be on the second

Thursday Sept. 11th, instead of the first Thursday Sept. 4th.

Important Dates: There will be a Committee on Wednesday July 23rd 7:00pm to set up this

Years schedule. There will be a dinner meeting at the park on August 7th, Pizzas and Subs will be Served.

Meeting Adjourn: 8:32pm / Minutes, Lion Dan

YOU'VE GOT MAIL!

A man was in his front yard mowing grass, when his attractive blonde female neighbor, Judy, came out of her house and went straight to the mailbox. She opened it, then slammed it shut and stormed back into the house. A little later she came out of her house again, went to the mail box, and again opened it and slammed it shut again. Angrily, back into the house she went. As the man was getting ready to edge the lawn, she came out again, marched to the mail box, opened it and then slammed it closed harder than ever. Puzzled by her actions the man asked her, "Is something wrong?" To which she replied, "There certainly is! My stupid computer keeps saying, YOU'VE GOT MAIL."



ANOTHER REMINDER STILL NO 2ND AND 3RD VICE PRESIDENT

If you notice at the top of the newsletter we are missing two names!
We need a couple of good Lions to step forward and volunteer for the positions of
Second Vice President and Third Vice President.



PART OF THE OATH YOU TOOK

Since you have expressed your desire to affiliate with your Lions Club and with Lions International, I will ask you to repeat after me – Let all of us Lions join in so we can be reminded of the oath we took.

“I hereby accept membership in Joppatowne Lions Club - That such membership obligates me to participate in all the club functions to the best of my ability - I will abide by the Lions code of ethics - Attend meetings regularly - Accept such assignments as are given to me - And contribute my share to the programs of my club, my District and Lions International



HAVE YOU ASKED ANYONE TO JOIN OUR CLUB LATELY?

September Dinner Meeting

Our dinner meeting in September has been changed to September 11, 2008.

Our website has been changed to www.joppatownelionsclub.org

Please contact Lion Keith to let him know what you will be bringing to the Family Picnic. The club will provide hamburgers and hot dogs and we ask that each member brings some type of food for the members and their families.

SWEARING IN CEROMONY

Past District Governor Keith Williams will be swearing in our newest member, Douglas "Doogie" Knowles at our first Dinner Meeting in September.

Please invite prospective members as well.