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Bingo with the Vets

Monday August 13th, 2012

McGuire VA Hospital. Join us for our bimonthly service project. Setup at 6:30. Bingo starts a 7.

Regular Meeting

Tuesday August 14th, 2012

Holiday Inn, Kroger Center Blvd. Social hour begins at 6:00 p.m. & dinner meeting starts at 7:00 p.m.

Board Meeting

Tuesday August 21st, 2012

Board of directors meeting will be held at the home of, Lion Jean Bosch. Meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. All members welcome.



"I appeal to you Lions, you who have your sight, your hearing, you who are strong and brave and kind. Will you not constitute yourselves Knights of the Blind in this crusade against darkness?"

Helen Keller 1925

Bingo Roster

Through August 31th, 2012

POSITION	TEAM #1	TEAM #2	TEAM #3
CAPTAIN	Timberman	Werley	R.Stitzer Miller
CALLERS	C.Lancto Martin	D. LaRue DeBartolo	Poland Guin
AT LARGE	Copal	Copal	Copal
OTHER MEMBERS	Abed Bosch Janes H. Jones- Lancto Hobbs	Pflugger Shelton McNutt Woods Gaurino	Mathews Jezierski Moore J. Stitzer
DATES	03 Aug 12 24 Aug 12 14 Sept 12	10 Aug 12 31 Aug 12 21 Sept 12	17 Aug 12 07 Sept 12 28 Sept 12

Bishop Ireton Bingo Hotline
745-3262



Special Bingo Events
Next Bingo with the Veterans
Monday August 13th, 2012

CLUB NEWS

- Special thanks to those lions who participated in RAM this year. Another huge success. Just a rough estimate, about 1000 people came to see us for new eyeglasses.
- If any one has ideas for social events that the club could attend please forward all suggestion to Lion Prez. We are looking into more fun events like the baseball game for this year.
- If you have any news or items you would like to see in next months newsletter Please send them to the newsletter staff so they can publish them.

Up Coming Events - August

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 Bingo w/ vets	14 Dinner Meeting	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 Board Meeting	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

September

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

Officers 2012-13

Glenn E. Pfluger Jr.
President

Christian P. Lancto
1st Vice President

Rick Stitzer
2nd Vice President

James W. Miller
3rd Vice President

William C. Timberman
Secretary

Jean L. Bosch
Treasurer

Robert L. Poland
Tail Twister

James B. Stitzer
Lion Taimer

David LaRue
Membership & Attendance

Lisa Janes
Director

Steven D. Woods
Director

Louis G. DeBartolo
Director

William J. Werely
Director

Heather Jones Lancto
Past President

Committees '12-'13

Hearing: Dave Martin, Chair, Heather Jones-Lancto

Programs: Rick Stitzer, Chair Jim Miller, Vince Guarino Bruce Copal

Community & Youth Scholarship: Cliff Shelton, Chair, Steve Woods

Special Events: Steve Woods, John McNutt, Lisa James

White Cane: Harold Moore, Chair

Diabetes: Richard Matthews, Chair

Lions of Virginia: Lisa James, Phil Hobbs

Safety: Jim Miller, Chair

Constitution & By-Laws: Mike Jeziwski, Chair

Finance & Audit: Jack Werley, Chair, Dave LaRue, Lou DeBartolo

Telephone: Phil Hobbs, Chair

Lion of the Year: Lou DeBartolo, Jim Stitzer

Information & Greeting/PR/Web: John McNutt, Chair, Chris Lancto,
Bill Timberman

Membership & Retention: Dave LaRue, Chair, Phil Hobbs, Ray Guin

Nominations: Bill Timberman, Chair

Fund Raising: Lou DeBartolo, Bill Timberman, Rick Stitzer, Bruce
Copal
Jack Werley

Sight Conservation: Ray Guin, Chair

Melvin Jones Fellows: Bruce Copal, Chair, Mike Jeziwski

Veterans Hospital Bingo: Bill Timberman, Chair, Bruce Copal

Major Projects: Chris Lancto, Chair, Bob Poland, Bruce Copal,
Lou DeBartolo

DISTRICT 24B MONTHLY ACTIVITIES REPORT
RICHMOND JAMES RIVER LIONS CLUB
JULY 2012

PROGRAMS

JULY 10 - DINNER MEETING - Holiday Inn - Koger Center

Our guest speaker was Marcus Ragland, representing Boy Scouts of America. Marcus is Field Director, Heart of Virginia Council of BSA.

Marcus job includes community outreach letting folks know about Scouting, what Scouts are doing in the area, and training of volunteers & scout leaders. The goal of Scouting is to provide young men with ethical & moral choices in life.

Marcus outlined the levels of scouting: Cub Scouts (grades 1-5) 1st grade dens are Tigers, 2nd grade wolves, 3rd grade Bears, and 4th grades Webelos. The Webelos program gets scouts ready to participate & lead in the next level Boy Scouts. Boy Scouts are boys from grade 6 to their 18th birthday. Volunteers assist the scouts; however, they do their own planning & running of events. There are other BSA supported activities in addition to scouting that are co-ed: VENTURING - groups in our area do kayaking & one does a youth ministry program, EXPLORING - volunteers work with co-ed youth for career training for example: hospitals support nursing training, Dominion VA Power has an engineering program, and local Sheriff's & law offices offer training in law & law enforcement.

Marcus informed that the district level aids & coordinates: membership & retention, finance, activities, training for leaders & volunteers, and maintaining the integrity of the advancement program. After his presentation, Marcus answered our questions and added the need for volunteer & financial support.

JULY 24 - Board of Directors Meeting - at the home of Lion President Glenn Pfluger - actions of the board are noted in appropriate areas of this report. This meeting was used to finalize our 2012-13 budget.

PROJECTS & SERVICES

FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES

Our fundraising is through hosting bingo every Friday night at the Bishop Ireton Center (Knights of Columbus). This effort requires a total of 30+ work hours weekly.

DONATIONS

\$2,134 LAMP/RAM support

EYEGASSES FOR RECYCLING - 357 pair

NEW EYE GLASSES - 9 pair

EYE EXAMS - 9 exams

HEARING AIDS COLLECTED - none reported

STAMPS COLLECTED - none reported

MEMBERSHIP

Beginning Total - 25

End of month Total - 25