

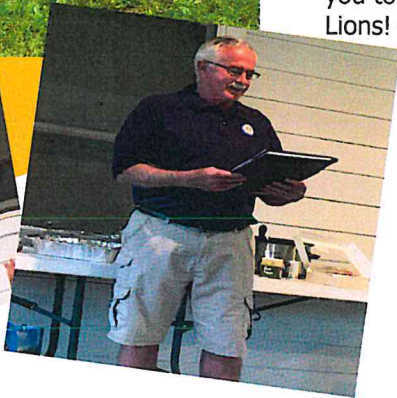
THE LIONS ROAR

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MEET YOUR 22.23 BOARD!

From left to right are 2nd VP Lion Kris Theodorakos, 1 year Director Lion Andie Simpson, 2 year Director Lion Nick Bruce, Past President Lion Jessica Sentyz, 2 year Director Lion Duane Pick, 1st VP Lion Veronica Seymour, 1 year Director Lion Amber King, Secretary Lion Robyn Cummings, President Lion Alfredo Torres, Dues Secretary Lion Scott Cummings, 3rd VP Lion Allyson Bridgham, Treasurer Lion Mike Keegan, Tail Twister Lion Mike Bridgham, Membership Chair Lion Rich Havens and not pictured is our Lion Tamer Lion Cassy Dygert. Thank you to Lion Jerry May for accepting the honor of installing these great Lions! Congrats to all and we look forward to another GREAT year!



The Judson/Merritt Memorial awards were given to 5 deserving young ladies this year. Each Leo received a \$500 scholarship. From left to right are Secretary Lion Robyn Cummings, Leo Advisor Mindy Davison, Seniors Paige Manley, Anneliese Getola (Class of 2022 3rd Honor), Grace Sherman, Molly Davison (Enrolled to join the military in service to our country) and Sydney Taylor (Class of 2022 Salutatorian and granddaughter of Lion Doug Phillips), Lions Andie Simpson and Mike Bridgham. Ladies, we wish you luck in all your future endeavors!



The Troy Area School District honored Lion Joey & Ellen Foust of Foust Buses for their years of service at the School Board meeting on June 7th. They have transported students for over 50 years and are both active members of the community. Happy retirement, Fousts!

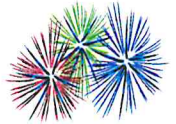


BINGO: Lion Tracy Birmingham reported that there are still spots to fill on the bingo schedule. Remember that this is a mandatory work bee for all Lions, unless you are exempt. We still have some Lions who haven't even signed up for one shift! Reach out to tbirmingham@marthalloyd.org

COMMUNITY DINNERS: Lion Kris Theodorakos reported that we are not getting many volunteers to serve dinner at the church. This is only a once a month work bee and we only need a few Lions. If you haven't volunteered, please reach out to k.zehren@hotmail.com



2022 Annual Golf Tournament



From Where I Sit

Our Founding Fathers understood what it took to earn freedom. Our veterans of many past and present wars learned the enormous cost of protecting that freedom.

Independence Day is a moment for us to reflect. While it can be painful, all of us benefit from remembering the past, and it helps us to grow, both individually and collectively. The Fourth of July has been the day we celebrate not only courage and sacrifice, but also the heroism and dedication of the countless patriots who have served our country to defend it from harm, to make it stronger, and to fulfill the founding premise that all people are created equal and entitled to "unalienable rights," among them "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." Please remember the lessons of history and never take for granted what so many others on this planet still do not have. Happy 4th of July, everyone!

Happy July Birthdays:

- 2nd: Lion Terri Kelley
- 7th: Lion Kate Walters
- 9th: Lion Scott Cummings
- 20th: Lion Lyle Haflett
- 21st: Lion Ed Sjoblom Jr
- 25th: Lion Robyn Cummings



Happy July Anniversaries:

- 3rd: Lion Kip & Jen Carlson
- 13th: Lions Lyle & Tanya Mattocks
- 22nd: Lion Cheryl & Brandon Page
- 25th: Lion Roy & Kim Cummings Jr

Communications:

The board approved a \$250 donation to Oscoluwa Engine & Hose for their general fund and \$1,000 for their golf tournament, a \$100 donation to Troy Trojans Athletic Memorial Fund golf tournament, and \$4250 for our Lions District & International donations that will be spread out to include PA Beacon Lodge, Lions Club International/Melvin Jones, PA Lions Hearing Research, PA Sight Conservation, PA Lions Diabetes Research, & NEPA Eye Bank.

We received a "thank you" from the Troy Area School District Foundation for the donation in memory of Peg Cummings.



July Schedule:

- 7th: Foundation meeting at 6pm followed by Directors meeting at 7pm, Troy Vets Club
- 11th: Community dinner, Bar-b-que style, music & ice cream on the lawn, 5:00p-6:30p
- 12th: Walkway Cleanup, 5pm, Meet at Dandy
- 14th: Vet's Club 14th Annual Cookout, 6:00pm, Get your tickets from First Citizens in Troy



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