

***Lions Tracks***  
***In North Canton, Ohio***

***Apr 4, 2012***

**Craft Shows**

Thanks to all that helped with the craft show. I couldn't have done it without you. We were thankful to the high school students who helped setup Friday and unload the crafters Saturday. Appropriate donations will be made. Preliminary figures show we netted \$205 at the concession stand (down from \$319 compared to Spring of 2011), \$420 at the bake sale (down from \$467) and \$270 at the craft show (up from \$222). The Jackson Lions screened 10 adults at the show.

**Nominations**

The following people have been nominated for 2012-13:

President – Joan Ferris

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President – Bennett Kann

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President – Open

Secretary – Alane Tullius

Treasurer – Dave Greek

Lion Tamer – Bob Wolf

Tail Twister – Greg Sarbach

1 Year Director – Mike Lintner

1 Year Director – John Ferris

2 Year Director – Mary Puperi

2 Year Director – Dena James

Membership Chairman – Bill Humphrey

We still need a 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President. If you would like to run, let me know.

### **Service Projects**

We screened 7 preschool children at the preschool across from Fisher's on 3/21. We are hoping to do 1 more screening this year. We are looking to help at the Akron Canton Regional Foodbank from 10 - 12 on April 26. We will meet at Puperi's at 9:15. Contact Mary Puperi if you are interested. A pancake breakfast will be held on 4/21 at Northminster Presbyterian Church from 8:00 – 11:30. Proceeds will benefit the Akron Canton Foodbank. Contact Mary Puperi if you can help. \$50 was donated by club members to the Alliance girl that was collecting money for pilot dogs. We will bag and distribute dogwood trees on 4/19 at Puperi's starting at 9:00 AM. A light breakfast will be served. Candy Day will be 5/5. We have Acme, Kmart, and Fisher's as our locations. Please make every effort to help that day. We usually make \$25 an hour to donate to the charity of our choice. We will start to maintain our area at Price Park soon. A signup sheet will be passed around at upcoming meetings.

### **Smith Dairy Coupon Books**

We sold some books at the craft show and Jim and Mary Puperi, Joan and John Ferris, and I were able to sell 30 on 3/31 at Acme. We have 11 books left. If you need a book to sell, let me know,

### **Spring Conference**

The Spring Conference will be held on 4/28 at Alliance Middle School. So far Alane, Joan, and I have indicated a desire to go. If anyone else would like to go, let me know.

### **Scholarship**

We are currently in the process of obtaining names for our Milt Kieft scholarship to be presented in May.

## **Steak Fry**

The Vandegrifts have invited us to their home again this year. Put 6/26 on your calendar.

## **Website**

Our website is *northcantonlions.org*. Check it out and pass your comments on to Howard.

## **Membership**

Continue to look for new members.

## **Sympathy/Prayers**

Our sympathy goes out to Bob Davidson's family. Bob passed away on 3/24. Flowers were sent, a plaque has been ordered for the bench at Price Park, and a memorial donation will be made to the Alzheimer's Association. A plaque was also ordered for Marie and a donation will be made to Zion United Church of Christ. Our prayers go out to all members that are in need of healing.

## **Calendar of upcoming events**

Apr 10 – Regular meeting

Apr 19 – Dogwood tree distribution

Apr 21 – Pancake breakfast at Northminster Church in N Canton

Apr 24 – Regular meeting

Apr 26 – Volunteer at the Akron Canton Foodbank

Apr 28 – Spring Conference at Alliance Middle School

May 5 – Candy Day

May 18-20 – State Convention in Dublin, Ohio

May 28 – Memorial Day Parade

June 22-26 – International Convention in Busan, Korea

June 26 – Steak Fry at Vandegrifts

Yours in Lionism,  
Bill Humphrey