

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

***March 8, 2017***

## **Craft Shows**

The spring show is scheduled for March 25. So far 110 spaces have been paid for and there are still some applications out. Students from NHS and the construction class will be helping with set up, bringing the crafters in, and tear down.

## **Service Projects, Fund Raisers, and Donations**

Our next work day at the Akron Canton Food Bank will be 4/1. We will carpool from Fisher's at 7:50 AM. Contact John Ferris if you plan to go. Meet at Fisher's at 7:50 AM. Our item to donate to Serving Area Military this month is Kleenex. We are raffling off a shopping spree at Acme. We will be selling tickets at Acme from 10 – 2 on the Saturdays in March and at the craft show. The drawing will be on 4/1 with the shopping spree to take place on 4/8. Contact Larry Gray if you can help. Plans are being made to have a rummage sale at the Dogwood shelter on 5/13.

## **District Convention**

John and Joan Ferris will be our delegates to the District Convention which is being held in Hudson on Mar 17 - 19.

## **March Meetings**

Mar. 14 – Regular meeting

Mar. 28 – Regular meeting with speaker from the Oatmeal Breakfast

## **Winter Party**

The Winter Party was held on March 25 at Embassy Suites with 19 people attending. Thanks to Linda Myers and her committee for planning the event and to Larry and Nancy Gray for planning the games. Someone needs to get Larry a watch with a good second hand.

## **Dues**

Please get your 2016-17 dues to Joan. They are \$70 again this year with a reduced rate for couples.

## **Membership**

Remember to ask someone to a future meeting. At a recent meeting we were told you need to add 7% of your membership each year to maintain your current number of members.

## **Website**

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

## **Sympathy/Prayers**

Our sympathies go out to Greg Sarbach and his family on the passing of his brother. Also, keep Linda Myers in your thoughts as she recovers from knee surgery and all other members that are in need of healing.

**Calendar of upcoming events**

March 14 – Regular meeting

March 17 – 19 – District Convention – Hudson, Oh.

March 24 - 25 – Craft Show

March 28 – Regular meeting

April 1 – Shopping spree drawing

April 8 – Shopping spree

April 29 – Spring Conference at Alliance Middle School

May 12 – 14 – State convention – Sandusky, Oh.

May 13 – Rummage Sale at Dogwood Park shelter

May 20 – District Social – Deerfield Town Hall

June 30 – July 4 – International Convention – Chicago, Ill.

Yours in Lionism,

Bill Humphrey