

Lions Tracks
In North Canton, Ohio
January 8, 2018

Did you know? Worldwide Week of Service to Fight Hunger is Jan 8 – 14

Craft Shows

Our date for the spring show is 3/17/18. So far we have 27 spaces paid for and another 21 spaces spoken for. I contacted the Jackson Lions about a possible eye screening. We are also going to try and get someone to do a diabetes screening too.

Service Projects, Fund Raisers, and Donations

The SAM collection for January will continue to be canned tuna in water, chicken, and Vienna sausages. On Jan. 6, Linda and Jack Myers, Joan and John Ferris, and Nancy Dively volunteered at the Akron Canton Food Bank. Joan said that 55,000 meals were prepared that day. The next Food Bank Day will be 2/3.

January Meetings

Our speaker on 1/9 will be Judy Demarco from North Canton City Schools who will speak on our Christmas Family Project. We will also start talking about the Ohio Plan. Currently there is no speaker scheduled for our 1/23 meeting.

Winter Party

Our Winter Party will be held on February 10 at 6:00 p.m. at Arrowhead. Our guests will be young adults who have developmental disabilities from The Farm in Malvern. The evening will include our meal, our guests sharing at an open mic, and some interactive games. Cost for the meal is around \$10, our usual meal price at meetings. Those from The Farm will be our guests.

In order to get acquainted with our guests and prepare for the winter party, a few of us are going to visit The Farm on Thursday, January 18. We plan to leave around 11:00 am, join them for lunch, and return by mid-afternoon. Anyone interested in going on this outing should inform Scott Hayward by our next meeting, January 9.

Membership

We will be working the Ohio plan starting in January. Our New Member Night is scheduled for 3/13. Remember to ask someone to a future meeting.

Fun Calendars

All of our Fun Calendars were sold. Thank you.

Dues

Please get you 2017-18 dues to Joan Ferris.

Website

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

Sympathy/Prayers

Keep all members that are in need of healing in your prayers especially Gordon Lebeau, Scott Hayward, Howard Dansizen, Dena James, and Alane Tullius.

Calendar of upcoming events

Jan. 9 – Regular meeting – speaker Judy Demarco from North Canton City Schools

Jan. 12, 13, 14 – Lions Winter Retreat at Salt Fork

Jan. 23 – Regular Meeting

Feb. 10 – Winter Party at Arrowhead

Mar. 13 – New Member Night

Mar. 16, 17, 18 – District Convention at the McKinley Grand in Canton

Mar. 16, 17 – Spring Craft Show at Hoover High School

Yours in Lionism,
Bill Humphrey