



Quincy Lions Club e-Update

DECEMBER 2011

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December Birthdays:

8th: Dr. Abe Abdul
15th: Paula Rowe
23rd: David Spillane
27th: Frank McCauley
31st: John Iredale

January Birthdays:

3rd: Brad Croall
18th: Maurice Horrigan

Did we miss YOU???
Please let us know!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan. 5—12:00pm Luncheon Meeting, Neighborhood Club

Jan. 19—11am BOD meeting, 12pm Luncheon, Neigh. Club.

3rd Annual Francis X. McCauley Award Dinner—TBD. We will be presenting the award later in the year...we look forward to getting your nominations...it's never too early to start thinking of a candidate to honor.

February 17-19th— Mid Winter Conference, Dedham Hilton. Reservations are available for \$84 a night. There will be a Melvin Jones recipient from Quincy again this year. Friday Night's event will have the theme "Mad Hatters Ball".

April 27—Arbor Day; Please stay tuned for details on a tree planting program we hope to implement during this Lionistic year.

President's Message

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all!!! Time is flying by as we wind up December and charge into 2012.

We have done many things this first 1/2 of the year...from Pancakes to Peace Posters being judged...to Trivia; our great Luncheon for the visually impaired...to the ringing of bells and the tasting of Wine with raffles, raffles, raffles!!! Christine did a great job on the Speech Contest...Michaela was our winner and we look forward to hearing her speech during one of our Luncheons...Great fellowship has been shared with our Lions Group and friends alike. Attending these events is a great way to support what we do in our Community and I appreciate the part all of you share in our motto...WE SERVE...

Wishing you and your families the Happiest of Holidays and hoping Santa will be good to all of you!!! I look forward to seeing you in January...our first meeting will be January 5th 2012. I'll save you a place....;-)!!!

Yours in Lionism and Friendship,

KL Donna Muller

November 2011 Month-in-Review

Service Projects/Fundraisers: Ongoing projects included Eyeglass Recycling (300 pairs collected for the month), and the "Talking Bulletin Board" on Quincy Access TV. Individual community service activities included volunteer efforts for Father Bills & Mainspring and Interfaith Social Services. All 5 of the city's middle schools participated in the annual peace poster contest. Raffles for the month netted \$471. The Trivia Night was held on Nov. 30. Total raised at trivia - \$462. A Honey Baked Ham fundraiser was held in Nov. as well, netting \$375. **Summary:** 16 Lions (duplicated) offered 41 hours of service across 5 activities.

District Events: Our club was represented at 4 various district events, meetings, and visitations during the month.

Donations: \$395 to the Lions All State Band.

Membership Status: 1 new member installed—Donna Mavromates, Vice President and Director of Tourism at the Quincy Chamber of Commerce. We closed the month with 74 members.

Meetings: Our speaker on Nov. 3 was Joe Pereira. Our speaker on Nov. 17 was our very own 2nd VP, Jeff Poirier, who talked about an energy program / fundraiser through Viridian.

New Billing Structure for 2012

Starting January 1, 2012, Lions will be billed lunches they attend as always, however, if for some reason you aren't attending, you will be charged one lunch out of four bi-monthly: Jan/Feb; Mar/Apr, May/June. If anyone has any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact King Lion Donna directly at: dmuller2009@comcast.net.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!!