



# THE LION'S TALE

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## Coldbrook & District LIONS CLUB



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# King Lion Kirk's Korney

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Well the spring I think has arrived early in Valley...at least I hope it has. This one has been a busy one with the launch of Valley Lions Radio Bingo. Hat off to Lion Reg (Mr. Salesman) and Lion George (logistical master) in doing what was need to get this project off the ground.

It hasn't been the huge launch we were hoping but have a great feeling that it will grow into a project that will help a lot of clubs for many year to come

Congratulations to our clubs VLRB committee as we have been the second highest card selling club in all of the valley, each week. They have done a tremendous job. This can also be attributed to the wonderful support we have developed in our community. Our Community supports our club!!

In other news the drive in is getting some spring maintenance done. It's exciting to think that we will soon ramp up our summer projects.

Thanks to Lion Roseanne for keeping us updated on Lion Danny Allen's progress. Lion Danny...get better soon!!! We have all been thinking about you, Lion Darlene and your family. Oh and I have a message from Lion George..... says hurry the f\*\*k up and get better. He has a lot of f\*\*ken work at VLRB that needs to be done and he is tired of that p\*\*ck KL Kirk hanging around and making a g\*d d\*nm mess of everything.

Well lions that's the update, keep up the great work and enjoy that great weather.

K.L. Kirk



## DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S NEWSLETTER

March 2010

**2009-10 Theme: "Flying High With Lionism"**

Dear Fellow Lions:

Again I want to thank each of you for your outstanding volunteerism in District N2. Also, I want to thank your family members and the public for their kindness and support. Without it, our volunteering would not be a success.

I want to remind all Lion Members that there is only 114 days remaining until July 1, 2010 and ask each Lions Club to focus on trying to increase our growth by one new member per club. This would give our District approximately 19 new members by July 1, 2010.

You may have heard the story of *The Tiny Frogs and the Tower*. The frogs were challenged to climb the tower, which everyone agreed was a challenging task. One by one they tried and failed. However, the last frog to climb the tower kept going higher and higher until he/she reached the top. Everyone was amazed and asked how was it possible that the last frog had succeeded when all that failed. **It was revealed that the frog was deaf and could not hear the comments of the crowd, that it was impossible to reach the top. If you believe you will fail, you certainly will. Achievement is largely the product of steadily raising one's level of aspiration and expectation.**

I started my duties as your District Governor July 1, 2009 with **aspiration** and **expectation** and set my goals for District N2 with a vision to focus on building growth and strengthening Lionism by remaining positive during 2009-2010. Our mission should be to use the Lions Code of Ethics, **to remember to be careful with my criticism and liberal with my praise, to build up and not destroy.**

Our LCI President, Eberhard J. Wirfs theme "**MOVE TO GROW**" has shown the Lions all over the world the reason why he chose the **GINKGO TREE** are because it is **united** in two parts – for millions of years living, stronger than mankind and it survived fires and fear. The **Ginkgo tree** is a symbol of hope; therefore, by taking the **Ginkgo tree** characteristics into consideration, it shows esteemed heritage, longevity, adaptability, utility, sustainability, and global abundance. I feel that District N2 Lion Volunteers need to stand proud for all the amazing things that have been accomplished over the past 65 years. Therefore, I believe that District N2 Lions will work hard to accomplish the membership growth that is needed to improve our membership status.



Yours in Lionism Lion Mark Durnford

District Governor, District N2 3

## VISITATION

A busy year ahead as we are attempting to follow our DG Mark Durnford and CST Wayne Little in as many visits as possible.

March 8	Cole Harbour
March 10	AFR
March 11	Louisdale
March 16	CB/NR/C
March 24	Digby & Annapolis Royal
March 25	New Waterford
April 6	Cabot Trail



### Birthdays

#### March

KL Kirk Longmire

### Anniversaries

#### March

Lion Jim Galllott and wife Karyn



**Official Minutes of  
The Board of Directors Meeting  
Coldbrook & District Lions Club**

**January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

The meeting was called to order by KL Kirk at 7:00pm.

Lions Members present: KL Kirk, Irene, Roseanne, Derek, Gerald, Ron, Ross, George, Tim Jones, Garnet, Bob, Laverne, Eric.

**MOTION BY LION BOB THAT WE APPROVE THE BOD MEETING MINUTES FOR DECEMBER 2ND AS CIRCULATED. SECONDED BY LION GARNET. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**MOTION BY LION ROSEANNE THAT WE APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL BOD MEETING OF DECEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup>. SECONDED BY LION BOB. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**Business Arising From The Minutes:**

Membership: Lion Laverne reported that inactive members had been contacted. Some have attended. Potential members need to attend at least 3 meetings to find out about the club before they can be inducted.

**Correspondence:**

Letter from Bethany Sampson Thanking the club for the money given so she could attend the Encounters with Canada trip.

Christmas Cards & Thank You's received from: CNIB, Ronald Beech & Cheryl Bennet, and Easter Seals

Request for funds for the International Directors Fund.

Bedford Lions about Easter bunny sales.

CBC called King Lion Kirk about the fund raiser for Patty Mintz.

**Actions Taken on Correspondence:**

**MOTION BY LION GEORGE TO DONATE \$1/ MEMBER TO THE INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR FUND. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**MOTION BY LION RON TO FORWARD THE EASTER BUNNY REQUEST TO THE LEOS CLUB FOR CONSIDERATION. SECONDED BY LION ROSS. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**MOTION BY LION BOB TO TABLE THE EASTER BUNNY REQUEST AS A FUND RAISER FOR THE CLUB. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**MOTION BY LION ROSEANNE THAT WE DONATE THE HALL TO THE PATTY MINTZ FUND RAISER. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**Treasures Report:**

Lion Bob gave a verbal report and passed in a written one. Leos have used \$475 so far.

**Committee Reports:**

**Christmas Trees:** Lion Garnet reported that we had 6 trees left out of 196. Lions Danny and Darlene Allen and their son Jacob did a very good job at handling the trees this year. Lion Garnet estimated a profit of between \$800 and \$900 profit.

**Christmas Hampers:** Lion Garnet reported that we gave out 24 hampers and had 4 extras that went to good homes. It is to be noted in the minutes that Jim Sherrard and his wife donated 25 pies and a 23 pound turkey for the Christmas hampers. The club would like a plaque to be given in appreciation for what they do. Lion Roseanne mentioned that Peterbuilt did Christmas for a family and also donated 3 men's coats and 3 women's coats for people. The bicycle was not given away so the club will sell tickets and draw for it at Easter. Lion Bob would like a certificate to be given to the Credit Union for their donation of \$2000.

**Grocery Draw:** Lion Irene reported that the Grocery draw was won by Vivian Bishop of Cambridge. The club sold \$975 worth of tickets and after expenses made a profit of \$653 which will be given to the Diabetes Association.

**Catering:** Lion Gerald reported on the Larsen's Dinner and the Teachers Union Dinner .

**Breakfast with Santa:** made a profit of \$1043.28. Lion Kirk reported that crafts went well and he thanked the Waterville Fire Department for their efforts and if this is District Governors last year as Santa, Lion Robert Chittick would like to do it nest year.

**Casino's:** Lion George reported that the December 5th Casino gave a \$198 cash out and the December 11<sup>th</sup> one at the Waterville Fire Department was a \$291.

**Dances:** Lion Roseanne reported that the December 19 dance made \$118 profit and December 31<sup>st</sup> dance made \$329 profit and everything went well.

**Radio Bingo:** Lin Kirk reported that he was meeting with AVR January 12<sup>th</sup> to finalize their end of Radio Bingo. On January 12<sup>th</sup> he will meet with Robert Trainer to see how things work on their end .of the operation.

**Rink:** King Lion Kirk reported that he would like to thank Lion Zane for all his work. Lion Kirk to send emails possibly this weekend if help is needed.

**Hall Maintenance:** Lion Garnet mentioned that the walkway was a god send and they need to keep the sidewalks clean somehow,

**MOTION BY LION BOB THAT THE CLUB PURCHASE A SNOWBLOWER TO KEEP THE SIDEWALKS CLEAR AND THE RINK MAINTAINED UP THE \$2000. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**This committee will consist of :Lion Garnet, Lion Laverne , and Lion Eric.**

**New Business:**

Question was asked as to the placement of the canteen trailer for the Apple Blossom Festival. Lion Garnet to look after this matter.

Lion Garnet was looking to organize a Sleigh Ride for the end of the month.

Lion Kirk mentioned a Community Day at the Rink for the end of the month.

**MOTION BY LION GARNET TO ADJOURN THE MEETING. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION CARRIED.**

Meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:35pm.

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**Official Minutes of the**

**Dinner Meeting**

**of the Coldbrook and District Lions Club**

**January 13th, 2010**

Lions present: KL Kirk, Irene, Linda, Sheila, Pauline, Roseanne, Danny A, Darlene, Laverne, Eric, John, Lew Flanders, Gerry P, Gus, Bob, Reg, Rick, Ross, Tim Jones, Danny C, Mark, Derek, Garnet, George, Gerald L.

King Lion Kirk called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

50/50 draw was worth \$17.50 and was won by guest Coralee Smith.

Guest were introduced:

- Catherine Gibson (potential Lion)
- Coralee Smith and her husband Major Smith
- Brad Knuit (president of Safe Grad)
- Matt Glavin and his parents (Speak Out Candidate)
- Debbie Reimer (Kids Action Program)

**MOTION BY KING LION KIRK TO FINE THE ENTIRE FRIST TABLE FOR NOT FOLLOWING PROPER DRESS PROTICAL. SECONDED BY THE CLUB. MOTION CARRIED.**

Time was turned over to the Speak Out candidate, Matt Glavin who gave a presentation on Homophobia.

Questions were taken from the floor and evaluations were given.

Mat will represent us in the Zone Speak Out April 14<sup>th</sup>.

Time was then turned over to Debbie Reimer for a presentation on child poverty in Kings County.

No minutes were approved because the secretary forgot them not the secretary's husband.

#### **Correspondence:**

Thank You Letter from Rhonda Sewell from Central Kings for the donation for the Food Bank program.

#### **Actions taken from correspondence:** None

#### **Treasurer's Report:**

King Lion Kirk gave a verbal report for Lion Bob and passed in a written one.

#### **Committee Reports:**

**Rink:** King Lion Kirk reported that the rules have been posted for operation of the rink and its now open for the public. Flood time is 9 pm. Will promote the rink on the signs and the radio station. There will be no rentals and no tournaments.

**Hall:** Concerns were expressed about snow build up around the emergency exits. Snow is falling off the roof and adding to this problem. Front end loader to remove snow? Lion Mark is set to clear the snow around doors.

**Visitations:** Lion Ross reported that the

- Zone Speak Out will be held April 14<sup>th</sup> at the Aylesford Lions Club and this is also a joint meeting.
- Visitation to Kingston January 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Lawrencetown will be February 2<sup>nd</sup> and this meeting will be worth 6 visits.

Winter Cabinet meeting in Lake Echo February 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Radio Bingo:** King Lion Kirk reported that Bob Trainer gave him all the info on Radio Bingo for the South shore area, Will be finalizing the contract with AVR on January 14<sup>th</sup>, and will proceed as stated.

**Breakfast:** Lion Gerald stated that there will be one on Saturday morning.

**Dance:** Lion Roseanne reported that there will be a dance on Saturday January 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Food Bank Fund Raiser:** Lion Roseanne reported that the fund raiser was scheduled for February 14<sup>th</sup> depending on the strike. Sound system is in place and there will be a bake sale, 50/50 draw and the fund raiser will go from 1-4pm.

**Drive In:** Lion Tim Jones reported that there will be a meeting on January 20<sup>th</sup>.

**Leo's Charter:** Lion Reg has reported that he has the charter; they will be officially formed on the business meeting February 24<sup>th</sup>. We are the first Lions club to actually form a Leo's club in a school.

**Health & Welfare:** Lion Laverne spoke about a request from a lady for assistance for an oxygen machine full time and the committee is looking after the payment for the rental of the machine which is rented from Family first Medical.

**MOTION BY LION LAVERNE THAT WE COVER THE \$67 COST FOR HE REMAINDER OF THIS LIONS YEAR. SECONDED BY LION RICK. MOTION WAS CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

King Lion Kirk suggested that we put this request in next years budget for this lady.

King Lion Kirk mentioned that the **NOMINATING COMMITTEE** needs to be activated. The committee will consist of the last three remaining past king lions: Lion Ross, Lion Garnet & Lion Tim Jones.

**Christmas Trees:** Lion Danny A reported a profit of \$904.55.

#### **New Business**

Lion Reg asked if we would like to twin with the Lions Club he visited in Florida.

**MOTION BY LION DEREK TO ADJOURN THE MEETING. SECONDED BY LION JOHN. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

Meeting was adjourned at approx 9:15pm..

**Official Minutes of the Regular Business Meeting**

**of the Coldbrook and District Lions Club**

**January 27, 2010**

**Lions in attendance:** Acting King Lion Roseanne, Irene, Randy, Jim Laverne, CST Wayne, Sheila, Pauline, Ross, John, Lou Dejaeger, Ron, Gus, Rick, Garnet, Bob, Eric, Danny Allen, Mark Kalkman,

Guest Were: Bruce, Buntain, ZC Robert Dunn, Catherine Gibson, Judy Swift. (Diabetes Association)

Acting King Lion Roseanne called the meeting to Order at 7:00p.m.

Minutes for December 16<sup>th</sup> Regular Business Meeting & January 12<sup>th</sup> Dinner Meeting were distributed.

**MOTION BY LION RICK THAT WE APPROVE THE MINUTES AS CIRCULATED. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

CST Wayne presented Lion Ross with a Presidents pin for the increase in membership during his term as King Lion..

CST Wayne also announced he would be running for 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice District Governor.

**MOTION BY LION LAVERNE TO SUPPORT CST WAYNE FOR THE CANADICY FOR VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR. SECONDED BY LION JOHN. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

*Lion Irene presented Judy Swift with a cheque for \$653 for the Diabetes Association.*

**Business arising from the minutes:** None

**Correspondence:**

Letter from Camp Odonota requesting funds.

Letter from Drewicilla Atwell requesting funds to attend Band trip.

Letter from Hearts On Ice requesting funding.

Letter from CNIB requesting funds.

**Actions taken from correspondence**

**MOTION BY LION RICK THAT ALL MONEY REQUESTS GO TO THE CHAIRMANS FOR THEIR RECOMMENDATION FOR THE BOARD. SECONDED BY LION LAVERNE. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

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**Treasurer's Report:** Lion Bob gave a verbal report and handed in a written report.

**Committee Reports**

**Bar:** Lion Jim reported that he had a balance of \$2839 in his account,

**Skate For Haiti:** Lion Irene reported for King Lion Kirk that Skate for Haiti raised \$480. Greg Spinney Band held a dance and donated their proceeds \$692 to us for a total of \$1172. Monetary request for funds from the club was tabled to the Board.

**Rink:** Lion Irene reported for King Lion Kirk. King Kirk would like to thank all for their help with the rink. All is going well. many compliments about the rink.

**Radio Bingo:** Lion Irene reported for King lion Kirk "Lion George and Lion Reg have been working very hard to get other clubs involved. Still waiting for OK from Gaming authority". King Lion Kirk requested a Special meeting after the next BOD meeting regarding Radio Bingo.

**CK Fund Raiser:** Lion Roseanne reported that the fund raiser is taking shape with King Lion Kirk, Lion Tim, Lion Zane, Counsellor Bazil hall, Jerry Nevelle, acting as models for the fashion show. Go Girls.

**Visitations:** Lion Ross reported that Lawrencetown Zone and 6 other meeting on February 2<sup>nd</sup>. DG meeting January 28 in Kentville, Winter Cabinet meeting in Lake Echo February 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Drive In:** Lion Tim Jones reported that they had a committee meeting on January 24<sup>th</sup> and the opening weekend is May 7, 8, 9<sup>th</sup>.

**Nominating Committee:** Lion Ross reported they would meet before the next BOD Meeting.

**Dance:** Lion Roseanne reported that there were 121 people and she made a profit of \$2058.

**Bicycle Draw:** Lion Roseanne reported that tickers were going to be \$1 each of 3/\$2. Lottery License has arrived.

**Health & Welfare:** Lion Laverne reported that money for Oxygen system is OK. We were reminded the club also owns two other systems in which one is unaccounted for. Lion Laverne requested specific guidance from the board before he proceeds with Family Firls Medical.

**MOTION BY LION BOB THAT LAVERNE FIND OUT FROM FAMILY FIRST MEDICAL WHO HAS THE OTHER MACHINE. UPON RETURN NOTIFY THE CLUB. SECONDED BY LION RICK. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

Lion Laverne also reported about the cost of purchasing an oxygen concentrator as opposed to renting one on a monthly basis.

**New Business:**

Acting King Lion Roseanne asked about the plaque for Jim and Elsie Sherrarde.

There is also a plaque for Donald Redman for use of the backhoe. Question was asked if these could be given out at the DG Meeting.

Sleigh Ride: Lion Garnet asked if the club would like to attend a sleigh ride/wagon ride depending upon the weather. No lions were interested so it was cancelled.

CST Wayne asked about voting delegates for the Cabinet meeting and it was determined that only Lion Reg would be going.

He also requested a financial report for the Fall Cabinet meeting be given at Lake Echo.

Hall Maintenance: Lion Garnet requested more money for the hall maintenance account. Request was tabled to the board.

**MOTION TO ADJOURN THE MEETING BY LION JOHN. SECONDED BY CST WAYNE. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

Meeting adjourned approximately 8:00 p.m.

*Acting King Lion Roseanne*

*Irene Nickerson*

*Secretary Lion*



**Official Minutes of  
The Board of Directors Meeting  
Coldbrook & District Lions Club  
February 3rd, 2010**

The meeting was called to order by KL Kirk at 7:00pm.

Lions Members present: KL Kirk, Irene, Laverne, Roseanne, Jim, Tim Jones, Ross, Bob, CST Wayne, Garnet, Ron, George, Gus, Eric.

January BOD Minutes were circulated.

**MOTION BY LION RON THAT WE APPROVE THE BOD MEETING MINUTES AS CIRCULATED. SECONDED BY LION BOB. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**Business Arising From The Minutes:**

**Correspondence:**

Letter from Alicia Smith regarding funding for the school band trip.

Letter from the Flower Cart regarding the \$30,000 fund raising project for a new kitchen.

Letter from the VON looking for a hall donation for April 22<sup>nd</sup> for their volunteer appreciation luncheon as well we will serve soup and sandwiches.

Letter from CNIB regarding a curling tournament March 20<sup>th</sup> in Berwick

Letter from Landmark East regarding their open house.

Letter from LCIF regarding information about LCIF and their products list.

Letter from Crystal Taylor regarding a donation.

**Actions Taken on Correspondence:**

Letter from Alicia Smith was tabled until the next meeting where Lion Reg can make a recommendation.

**LION JIM MOTIONED TO DONATE \$500 TO THE FLOWER CART TO BUY THE NEW STOVE FOR THEIR KITCHEN. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**MOTION BY LION ROSEANNE TO DONATE THE HALL APRIL 22 FOR THE VOLUNTEER LUNCHEON AND SERVE SOUP AND SANDWICHES. SECONDED BY LION BOB. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

Letter about CNIB Curling was turned over to Lion Garnet.  
Letter from Crystal was turned over to Lion Laverne for Health & Welfare consideration.

**Treasures Report:** Lion Bob gave a verbal report and passed in a written one. Discussion followed about the payment of non everyday bills.

**Committee Reports:**

**Hall Maintenance:** King Lion Kirk reported on the snow-blower. The timeline was set but not met, an executive decision was made to purchase the blower before the storm.

Lion Bob was authorized to pay the bill for the blower. The blower was bought at BlueLine New Holland in Clodbrook-  
**Skate For Haiti:** King Lion Kirk reported that Skate For Haiti raised \$480 plus the donation from the Greg Spinney's B and. Almost \$1100 was raised in total. We are going to send the money to LCIF.

**Boys & Girls:** Lion Reg reported that the Easter bunnies were not selling at the school because you can't and no time to sell door to door. Leo's sold 25 CNIB calendars. Lion Reg recommended \$250 for each school for their Band Trips.

**MOTION BY LION BOB TO SUPPORT CAMP ODONOTA WITH A MINIMUM OF \$200. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**MOTION BY LION ROSEANNE TO MAKE THE FIN-GER PRINTING KITS AT THE COST OF \$325 AN ONGOING YEARLY PROJECT. SECONDED BY LION BOB. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**Sign:** Lion Reg requested \$200 for repairs and more letters.

**MOTION BY LION GEORGE TO GIVE SIGN CHAIRMAN \$200 FOR LETTERS AND REPAIRS. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION CARRIED.**

**Rink:** King Lion Kirk thanked everyone who helped with the rink.

**Dance:** Lion Roseanne reported that there was a dance on February 20<sup>th</sup>.

**CK Fundraiser:** Lion Roseanne reported that everything was in order for February 14<sup>th</sup>.

**Bicycle Draw:** Lion Roseanne reported that tickets and license were ready to go.

**Health & Welfare:** Lion Laverne reported that we paid \$67 for the oxygen concentrator.

**MOTION BY LION GEORGE TO PAY OUTRIGHT FOR THE OXYGEN CONCENTRATOR THE REMAINING OF THIS LIONS YEAR. SECONDED BY LION BOB. MOTION CARRIED.**

Lion Laverne is still in contact with Family First trying to locate the other item in which the club owns.

Annapolis Royal has a chair lift for disposal.

**Membership:** King Lion Kirk reported that Lion Gerald has taken 6 month leave of absence. Lion Laverne will meet with Lion Gerald.

**Breakfast:** Lion Bob will now chair the Monthly Breakfast. Lion Bob reported for Lion Gerald that January Breakfast made \$360.04. Breakfast total \$4184.95 to date.

**Catering & Suppers:** Lion Gus will be BIG X in the kitchen. Lion Gus reported that he had the District Governors meeting and the VLRB session luncheon for George to cater to.

Lion Laverne reported that Danny Vaughn from David Browns Trucking donated to us 2 butcher blocks of beef and some salami.

**Hall Rentals:** Lion Bob reported that everyone that wants the hall would like to get it for free. Hall Rental for lions for personal use is \$25. Lions running a project for another organization is a hall rental.

**Hall Maintenance:** Lion Bob asked for \$1000 to be added to the maintenance budget.

**MOTION BY LION GEORGE THAT \$1000 BE ADDED TO THE MAINTENANCE BUDGET. SECONDED BY LION ROSS. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**



**Club 400:** Lion Ross reported that January 27<sup>th</sup> winner was Elizabeth Norman. February 3<sup>rd</sup> winner was Katrina Aalders.

**Visitation:** Lion Ross reported that he would like to know who was going to Lake Echo. MD Convention in May, and a visitation to Milford on February 15<sup>th</sup>, Zone meeting in Aylesford April 14<sup>th</sup> and mentioned DG visit to our hall.

**Drive- In Bingo:** Lion Ron reported that he transferred money from the bingo account.

**New Business:**

**MOTION BY THE COLDBROOK & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB FOR CST LION WAYNE TO RUN FOR SECOND VICE DISTRICT GOVERNOR. SECONDED BY LION ROSS. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**Radio Bingo:** King Lion Kirk thanked Lion George and Lion Reg for their hard work. As of tonight 16/17 clubs are on board. They are looking for budget money, A Valley Lions Radio Committee is needed with participation from other clubs. A committee is needed at our own club level.

February 13<sup>th</sup> -17 clubs representatives will be at the hall to fill out paperwork and to do training . Help will be needed waxing and bagging the books.

**MOTION BY LION ROSS THAT WE ACCEPT THE BOARDS RECOMMENDATION FOR THE COMMITMENT FOR VALLEY LIONS RADIO BINGO PROJECT. SECONDED BY LION TIM JONES. MOTION CARRIED.**

**MOTION BY LION ROSS FOR A \$7000 BUDGET FOR START UP MONEY FOR BINGO., SECONDED BY LION ERIC. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

**PROJECT WILL PAY THE MONEY BACK**

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:35pm.

**Official Minutes of the  
District Governor & Dinner Meeting  
of the Coldbrook and District Lions Club**

**February 10th, 2010**

Lions present: Acting King Lion Roseanne, Irene, Pauline, Sheila, Ron, Darlene, Reg, George, John, Lou DeJaeger, Lew Flanders, Rick, Ross, Gus, Laverne, Linda, Bob, CST Wayne, DG Mark, Eric, Danny Charlton, King Lion Kirk

Acting King Lion Roseanne called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.  
Oh Canada  
Lions Roar  
Lions Toast  
Lions Invocation

Acting King Lion Roseanne introduced the head table.

All other guests introduced themselves. Our guests were from the following clubs:

Kingston Lions  
Eastern Passage/Cow Bay Lions  
Windsor Lions  
Lawrencetown Lions  
PDG Peter Wallis , New Minus  
Jim & Elsie Sherrard  
Katherine Gibson

50/50 draw went to a needy person, Lion Laverne Lonergan.

**MOTION BY LION BOB TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES AS DISTRIBUTED. SECONDED BY LION JOHN. MOTION CARRIED.**

**Actions Taken from the Minutes:**

**MOTION BY LION REG THAT WE DONATE \$250 TO CK BAND AND \$250 TO THE COLDBROOK BAND TO SUPPORT NEEDY STUDENTS. SECONDED BY LION RON. MOTION CARRIED**

**MOTION BY LION REG TO ACCEPT THE MOTION OF THE BOARD FOR A \$200 DONATION TO CAMP ODONOTA. SECONDED BY LION RON MOTION CARRIED**

**MOTION BY LION GARNET TO ACCEPT THE BOARDS RECOMMENDATION TO PURCHASE FINGERPRINTING KITS FOR CAMBRIDGE AND COLDBROOK EMELENTARY SCHOOLS. SECONDED BY LION ROSEANNE. MOTION CARRIED.**

**MOTION BY LION ROSS TO ACCEPT THE BOARDS RECOMMENDATIONS FOR NEW LETTERS FOR THE SIGN. SECONDED BY LION GEORGE. MOTION CARRIED.**

**MOTION BY LION GEORGE THAT WE PLACE \$1000 IN THE HALL MAINTENANCE BUDGET. SECONDED BY LION JOHN. MOTION CARRIED**

**MOTION BY LION ROSS THAT WE ACCEPT THE BOARDS RECOMMENDATION TO LOAN VALLEY LIONS RADIO BINGO \$7000 FOR STARTUP. SECONDED BY LION BOB. MOTION CARRIED.**

**Correspondence: NONE**

**Actions taken from correspondence: NONE**

**Treasurer's Report: NONE GIVEN.**

**Committee Reports:**

**VLRB:** Lion George also mentioned a Training Session to be held at the Hall on February 13<sup>th</sup> for the 17 clubs involved in this project.

**Health and Welfare:** The Missing oxygen unit has been found. It is being used by a gentleman in the Greenwood area.

**Visitations:** Lion Ross reported in a visitation at the Hubbards Lions Club. Dinner is \$8.00 per plate, with the choice of Salmon or Roast Pork. This is also a DG Meeting.

A plague was then presented to Jim and Elsie Sherrard for their donations to our Christmas Hampers.

Eastern Passage/Cow Bay Lions claimed their gong and ours.

**New Business: None**

**MOTION BY LION RICK TO ADJOURN THE MEETING. SECONDED BY LION LAVERNE. MOTION WAS CARRIED.**

Meeting was adjourned at approx 8:00pm.

MEETING WAS THEN TURNED OVER TO OUR DISTRICT GOVERNOR LION MARK DURNFORD FOR A SHORT SPEECH AND PRESENTATION OF GIFTS TO DG MARK AND HIS WIFE MARIE.



Valley Lions Radio Bingo has finally become a reality for our Lions Clubs. What started as a project back in 2009 has finally become a reality.

Due to the quick progression of a mere four to six weeks and a lot of long nights and untold miles, a very understanding printer and a bingo supplier who happened to have a start up inventory, although not completely to our requirement we got the system moving ahead.

Through the support of four Lions, and non-Lions supporters they managed to attach over 6,000 cover sheets to the first set of books to make a three day issue deadline. Then a training session followed with members from seventeen clubs in attendance to kick the program off. Again, more Lion support in providing a lunch for approximately seventy five people on a moments notice, as well as, moral and experienced support from our mentor in Liverpool Lion Bob Trainor.

Once the show got on the road to a slow start in uncharted territory sales began with week one selling 827 books, week two 937 and hopefully with increasing amounts to follow.

Due to some unexpected circumstances delivery problems were initially identified but thanks to Wolfville Lions Bonnie and Len we've managed to address most of those problems for the short term. When Lion Reg arrives back on the scene hopefully we can schedule a more long term solution here and like the fairy tale says all ended up very happily in the end.

Lion George

P.S.

We have found a way to solve most of our day to day problems. We perform our regular tasks to the best of our ability as circumstances arrive, then we wait for a constructive impact on how to fix with no answers in sight, then get e-mails from Florida as to what the problems are then we do nothing as we hear nothing from our end so we carry on.

The key to the whole success of the mission is to keep the complaints department in Florida that way we don't have to face any of the problems on a local level. We all remain friends and life still goes on.

What a fairy tale. Oh! Ha Ha Enjoy



## PROJECT REPORTS

**Valley Lions Radio Bingo – Great job guys....2<sup>nd</sup> highest sales so far.**

**Valley Drive-in – Opening on May 8, 2010.**

**Valley Drive-in Bingo – Begins May 11<sup>th</sup>. Keep your Tuesday evenings open.**

**Breakfast – March 20<sup>th</sup> .....Needs lots of help.**

**Dance – March 20<sup>th</sup> – Music by *Stable Country***

**Boys & Girls – Drug Awareness Poster competition in full swing.**

**Leos – Initiating new spring projects to finish school year.**

**NOTE: Project Chairperson – please submit info a.s.a.p.**



# March 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>EYE DONOR AWARENESS MONTH</b>	Valley Lions Radio Bingo  7:00p.m. on AVR		Board of Directors Meeting 7:00p.m. at Lions Hall		DG meeting Glace Bay	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	DG Meeting Cole Harbour Valley Lions Radio Bingo  7:00p.m. on AVR		Regular Dinner Meeting at Lions Hall at 7:00p.m. DG meeting Armdale			
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	Valley Lions Radio Bingo  7:00p.m. on AVR		St. Patrick's Day			Monthly Breakfast Monthly Dance
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	Valley Lions Radio Bingo  7:00p.m. on AVR		Business Mtg 7:00p.m at Lions Hall DG meeting Digby	DG meeting New Waterford 	LIONS DAY WITH THE UNITED NATIONS VIENNA, AUSTRIA	
28	29	30	31			
	Valley Lions Radio Bingo  7:00p.m. on AVR					

**COLDBROOK & DISTRICT LION'S CLUB**

**MEMBERSHIPLIST**

Daniel Allen	Robert Corbin
Linda Hawkins	Zane Kaizer
Kirk Longmire	Gus O'Guinn
Darlene Allen	George Crozier
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Derek Mills	Gerry Palmer
John Barrett	Louis De Jaeger
Reginald House	Ronald LeBlanc
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Irene Nickerson	Randy Strong
Danny Charlton	Lewis Flanders
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Richard Nickerson	Sheila Van Oers
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## **JUST FOR FUN**



Getting married is very much like going to a restaurant with friends. You order what you want, then when you see what the other fellow has, you wish you had ordered that.

At the cocktail party, one woman said to another, "Aren't you wearing your wedding ring on the wrong finger?" The other replied, "yes I am, I married the wrong man."

Man is incomplete until he is married. Then, he's finished. Marriage is an institution in which a man loses his bachelor's degree and the woman gets her master's.

A little boy asked his father, "Daddy, how much does it cost to get married?" The father replied, "I don't know, son, I'm still paying."

Young Son: Is it true, Dad, I heard that in some parts of Africa, a man doesn't know his wife until he marries her? Dad: That happens in every country, son.

Then there was a man who said, "I never knew what real happiness was until I got married; and then it was too late."

Married life is frustrating. The first year of marriage, the man speaks and the woman listens. In the second year, the woman speaks and the man listens. In the third year, they both speak and the neighbors listen.

After a quarrel, a wife said to her husband, "you know, I was a fool when I married you." The husband replied, "yes dear, but I was in love and didn't notice."

It doesn't matter how often a married man changes his job, he still ends up with the same boss.

A man inserted an 'ad' in the classifieds: "Wife wanted." Next day he received a hundred letters. They all said the same thing: "you can have mine."

## **COLDBROOK & DIST. LION'S CLUB**

### ***Meeting Schedule***

**Huntington Hayes Community Centre**

**1416 South Bishop Rd., Coldbrook**

**Mar 3 Board Of Directors**

**Mar 10 Dinner meeting**

**Mar 24 Business Meeting**

