



# POQUOSON LIONS CLUB

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Fellow Poquoson **Lions**,

My year as President has come to an end. I want to thank every one for your support in helping me make it through the year. When the year started I was not really sure who everyone in our Club was. But I have come to know each of you and as a result I am a better **Lion** than I was when I started.

This is normally where the President spends time reflecting on the year past. We had a great time in many respects; some fantastic family gatherings, great fundraising, the first **Lion Ray Baker** Night, first use of the Sight and Hearing van in many years, and some unique bell disguises (I hear the best has been saved for last). But I am more excited about our year ahead.

I have taken a sneak peak at incoming President **Lion BT's** calendar for next year and it looks to be a great one right from the start. First thing I see is a Membership Night in early August. This will be a meeting dedicated to fostering new members. It was the brain child of **Lion Jeremy** and a good one. The meeting

will also be the official visit of **District Governor Lion Gary Rapier**. So look to invite your special neighbor or friend to this doubly special meeting.

Flipping the calendar to September I see an even bigger and better Health Fair than the one in March. Farm Fresh is supporting us in this effort and we will combine Club exposure with eye and hearing checks and a bit of fundraising too. **Lion BT's** plan will definitely put the **Lions** out in the public view.

White Cane Days and Seafood Fest remain fall fundraising staples, and our Zone B Chairman, **Lion Ray**, is working on our Club hosting a Region meeting in November. We are really going to show our community and District 24D who has the "We Serve" spirit.

Thank you again for an absolutely wonderful **Lion** year. You all made me extremely proud to be your President and most of all, a **Poquoson Lion**.

*Lion Kathy*

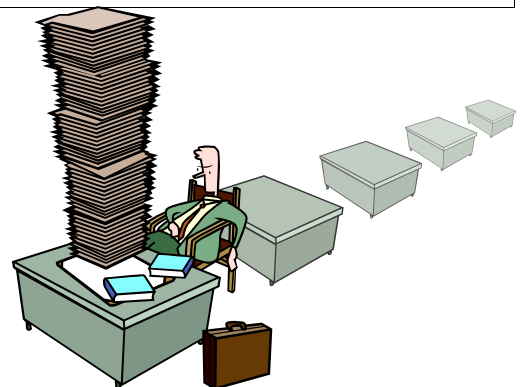
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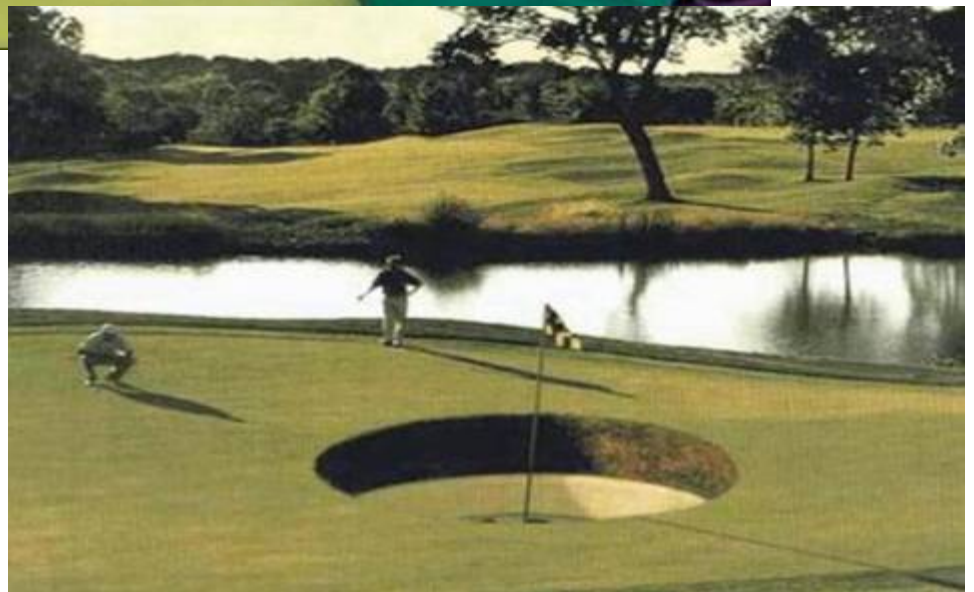
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Incoming Prez, outgoing Prez — guess which one is which!



# They didn't give me a Secretary's Report so this is what I came up with!



# Lion's Corner

## Club Notes:

### Poquoson Lion's Anniversaries

The following **Lions** observed their "Anniversary" as **Lions** this month. We are proud of their "**continuous service and dedication**" to club and community!

<u>LION</u>	<u>JOINED</u>	<u>YEARS</u>
FRED LOWACK	1984	25
FRED BROWN	1990	19
JUDY LANGE	1999	10
PAM CAMBLIN	1999	10
JUDY SULLIVAN	1999	10
BILL MOORE	2001	8
BOB WAGNER	2001	8
KIM SMITH	2001	8
BILL EHRLICH	2004	5
BILL EMERICK	2006	3
DEBBY CLOTFELTER	2007	2
JOHN CLOTFELTER	2007	2

Thank you, fellow **Lions** for being a "Beacon of Light" and quiet "Hero" for those less fortunate!

The **Poquoson Lions Club** warmly welcomes visiting **Lions** and guests. We meet at the Old Community Center on Odd Road in Poquoson at 6:30 PM, the first and third Thursday of each month. Come see us!

## Poquoson Lions Club Coming Events



- Jul 6-10     **International Convention**
- Jul 9        Board Mtg—**Lion BT** host
- Jul 16       Dinner Mtg—6:30 PM
- Aug 6        Dinner Mtg—6:30 PM  
**Membership Night**
- Aug 13       Board Mtg—**Lions Kathy & Keith** host
- Aug 20       Dinner Mtg—6:30 PM

### Don't Forget

You can read the *Knight's Vision* online at our web site—[www.poquosonlions.com](http://www.poquosonlions.com). You can also get all the latest news about the club and much more there. Give it a try.



## Happy Birthday to Lions:



**Ernie Crack  
Noel Talcott  
Jack White**  
**Congratulations  
June Lions!**

## Treasurer's Report Net for 2008-2009

<u>Charity Account</u>	<u>2008 - 2009</u>
<b>COLLECTIONS:</b>	
Broom Sale	\$6,904.50
Interest Income	\$22.74
Cell Phones	\$844.30
Oyster Roast Raffle	\$342.00
Seafood Festival	\$1,592.86
White Cane	\$4,490.00
<b>TOTAL COLLECTIONS</b>	<b>\$14,322.56</b>
<b>DISPERSALS:</b>	
Bland Contest	(\$1,039.70)
Christmas Charity	(\$1,242.42)
Diabetes	(\$630.00)
Diabetes Camp	(\$500.00)
Eye Bank	(\$500.00)
Eye Exam-Glasses	(\$595.00)
Hearing Bank	(\$500.00)
Leader Dogs	(\$500.00)
Local Assist	(\$2,362.00)
Melvin Jones	(\$1,000.00)
Moon Kosger Endow	(\$500.00)
Scholarships	(\$3,750.00)
Sight and Hearing Van	(\$500.00)
<b>TOTAL DISPERSALS</b>	<b>(\$13,619.12)</b>
<b>NET CHANGE</b>	<b>\$703.44</b>

## Life Thoughts

- Marriage changes passion. Suddenly you're in bed with a relative.
- I saw a woman wearing a sweat shirt with 'Guess' on it. So I said 'Implants?' She hit me.
- How come we choose from just two people to run for president and over fifty for Miss America
- Now that food has replaced sex in my life, I can't even get into my own pants.
- I signed up for an exercise class and was told to wear loose fitting clothing. If I HAD any loose fitting clothing, I wouldn't have signed up in the first place!
- When I was young we used to go 'skinny dipping,' now I just 'chunky dunk.'
- Don't argue with an idiot; people watching may not be able to tell the difference.
- Wouldn't it be nice if whenever we messed up our life we could simply press 'Ctrl Alt Delete' and start all over?
- Why is it that our children can't read a Bible in school, but they can in prison?
- Wouldn't you know it...Brain cells come and brain cells go, but FAT cells live forever.
- Why do I have to swear on the Bible in court when the Ten Commandments cannot be displayed outside?
- Bumper sticker of the year: 'If you can read this, thank a teacher - and, since it's in English, thank a soldier'

Always  
twirl once in front of the mirror



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Welcoming Committee





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# INVOLVEMENT

**MEMBERSHIP IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS  
SHARE LIONISM - BRING IN A NEW MEMBER**

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