

# THE LIONS GATE



**Albion Area Lions Club**  
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## AUGUST 2009

### **OFD CAR SHOW - AUGUST 8 ALBION BORO PARK**

Chairman Dick Bennett announced that workers are needed for set-up no later than 9:00 AM. More workers will be needed at the park by 11 AM for the afternoon event. Call Lion Dick if you are able to work at either shift, and also to find out what time 50-50 tickets and money should be turned in that day. He is also asking members for more contributions for door prizes and suggests soliciting local merchants for donations.

Lion Wendy Graff is filling a 23 gallon multi-use tub with goodies and summertime items which will be raffled off that afternoon. Each member is asked to donate \$5.00 to the treasurer to be used to purchase materials to fill it.

A new fund raiser that day will be a Corn Toss game. Lion Mike Thompson will form a committee to organize the tournament-type activity.

### **FAMILY PICNIC - AUGUST 10 - ALBION BORO PARK**

The annual Lions/Lioness Family Picnic will be held on August 10 with dinner served at 6:30 PM. Lions Mike Thompson and Bev Kennedy are in charge of the picnic. Everyone is asked to bring their own table service as well as one or two dishes to share. The club will provide the meat, beverages and dessert.

A short business meeting will follow the meal for any pertinent business. The Lioness Club will be holding a Chinese Auction that evening.

### **100 CLUB RAFFLE**

Chairman Bev Kennedy reported that approximately 20 tickets have been sold at this point. She feels that sales are on track and will pick up more as football season approaches. Advertising will be coming out in the Albion News and also in the Wildcats football program booklet. King Lion Bill asks everyone to keep pushing the tickets so this project is successful.

### **'MEMBERS ONLY' RAFFLE**

So far twelve Lions have participated in the 1st quarter raffle for the \$35.00 Shurfine gift certificate. There is plenty of time to turn in your tickets and money to Wendy Graff or at any meeting before the September 28 drawing. Additional tickets will be sold at the meetings for 3 for \$1.00 after the original pack of tickets has been purchased.

Beginning with the 2nd quarter raffle, the tickets will be sent out online at the end of the newsletter. Please print and clip them to turn in with your money. The tickets will be distributed in the usual manner to those not having email.

### **MARK YOUR 2010 CALENDAR**

Chairman Mike Thompson reported that the 8th annual Norman Rabell Golf Tournament will be held at Riverside Golf Course on July 24, 2010. It is hoped that moving it back one month will bring more favorable weather and playing conditions.

**CABINET MEETING - AUGUST 16**

The first cabinet meeting of the 2009-2010 year will be held on August 16 at Vernon Township Firehall, Rte 19, Meadville, PA with the morning seminars for officers beginning at 10 AM. The cabinet meeting will start at 1:30 PM. District directories will be available for distribution to the officers.

**AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

Happy Birthday to:

Jeff Klemm - August 2  
Dick Parker - August 14  
Daniel Davis - August 21

**CLUB ANNIVERSARIES**

Greg Petrus - 3 years - August 14

