



“We Serve”

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Secretaries Minutes – Secretaries minutes from the September meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer’s Report – Treasurer’s report was read and approved.

Note that the \$25 gas card expense for the District Governor should be from Administrative Fund and not the Project Fund. Treasurer Hendrickson will make that change.

Old Business

KM High School Football Parking – Lion Lance reported that there are two games coming up. The first game is Wednesday night October 13 vs. Winona Cotter and then the following Tuesday night October 20 vs. La Crescent (conference championship). He will need parking help those nights.

KM HS Winter Sports – Lion Lance Peterson will have the winter sports schedule at the October 26th meeting. Clark Jones, the athletic director at KM High School, asked how the billing worked for these events. Lion Lance said that one bill is sent at the end of the fall sports events and one bill is sent at the conclusion of the winter sports events. We get paid the following for each event; \$17.00 for sweeping (regardless of number of Lions who are there or number of hours worked), \$17.00 for security and \$17.00 for parking (football season).

Marigold Days – Lion Lynn Knutson presented the final report on Marigold Days.

Friday evening	\$ 50.00
Saturday	\$ 2,500.00
Sunday	\$ 1,618.00
Total	\$ 4,168.00

Expenses \$ 1,855.00

Net Income \$ 2,313.00

Recommendations for 2010:

- Add another grill person at noon for a total of 6
- Add another picnic table for total of 6
- Add another canopy
- Add another brat choice (beer/butter/onion)

Get coffee lids
Sugar packs from Erdman's
Creamer packets from Erdman's
Get more Culligan water vs. Aquifina
Do not open Friday night
Need more \$10.00 bills for change

Motion was made and passed to donate \$100.00 to the American Legion for the use of their ovens for the beef brisket. Also directed Secretary Ron Albright to send them a thank-you letter.

We want to thank Lion Lynn for his leadership and organization of this successful event!

Suggestions for future Lions projects – Lion Ron Albright suggested that we should investigate holding a “Punt, Pass and Kick” competition. Also a “Hoop Shoot”. Either of these events only takes one day of our time at little expense.

Mantorville Trails Project – Lion Lynn Knutson reported 11 Lions came to the event to show our support for legislative funding. On October 15th from 5 – 7 PM, State legislators will be having dinner at the Hubbell House.

Correspondence

- *Thank-You letter from Camp Winnebago for our \$ 600.00 donation
- *Letter from 5M1 Emergency Relief Fund requesting continued financial support
- *New Lion member Jeff Kujath transferring from Pine Island Lions Club (teacher)
- *Letter from Care and Share announcing the November 19 fundraiser. We will be donating either money or an item for the auction.
- *Letter from District Governor Barb Ernster asking for Melvin Jones and Helen Keller nominees.

New Business

Project Committee Report – Lion Bob Melin reported the committee had investigated the costs of the “flag project” where we would place American flags on the lawns of people who had signed up for the service. The committee has narrowed down the number of days we could place flags to 6 holidays:

Armed Forces Day (May)
Memorial Day (May)
Flag Day – June 14th
Independence Day (July 4th)
Labor Day (September)
Veteran's Day (November)

Question was raised as to the number of Lions needed to erect and remove the fags on the same day, since many families are gone, especially on the major holidays such as Memorial Day and July 4th. Lion Bob will bring this up for discussion at the October 26th regular all-member meeting.

The detailed report for the project will be emailed separately to all KM Lions.

501 3c Tax Exempt Status – Lion Bob Melin was directed to contact LCI to see how we should proceed. The benefit to this status is so that donors to the Lions can receive a receipt for their cash donations so that they can deduct the donation on their tax return.

Peace Poster Contest – Lion Larry Berghuis reported he met with the 6th grade art teacher about the contest. Due date of the posters is November 15th. First prizewinner gets \$ 60.00, second prize \$ 40.00 and third prize \$ 25.00. Motion passed to allocate \$ 125.00 in prize money to this event. The awards ceremony is in January.

Regional Lions Meeting – President Bill Kase reported the Region meeting would be held in Cannon Falls at “Grandpa’s Garage” (next to John Deere dealer) November 12th at 6 PM. Cost is \$12.00. Any KM Lions attending will have their meal paid for by our club. Contact President Bill Kase at culliganbill@yahoo.com, he needs a count of those who will attend by the next meeting Oct. 26th. As a result of the conflict with our Board Meeting scheduled for that same night, we will be moving the Board Meeting date to November 5th.

Care & Share – the board has formed at committee of Lion Ron Albright and Lion Lance Peterson to coordinate this event and our participation financially.

Speaker for October 26th Meeting – Lion Lynn Knutson reported that Chad Thomason would be speaking about cochlear implants.

Mantorville Bike Trail Project – Lion Lynn Knutson reported that 20 members of the State Legislature House of Representatives would be coming to Mantorville October 15th. Dinner will be at the Hubbell House and cost \$ 16.00.

Community Service Projects – Lion Jerry Boyd met with Ron Unger of the Kasson Park Department to refurbish the West Jaycee Park in the spring. The city will furnish the materials for the project. Lion Bob Melin noted we need to do more service projects in Mantorville too. Lion Lynn Knutson will talk to a representative of the Mantorville Restoration Society to get some ideas.

KM High School Dance Team – Lion Daryl Melquist stated that the dance team is looking for contributions toward a new sound system at the high school. No action was taken.

Upcoming Events

<i>October 26</i>	<i>All member meeting at Zumbro Valley CC 6:30 PM</i>
<i>November 5</i>	<i>Board Meeting at County Seat Café 6:30 PM</i>
<i>November 12</i>	<i>Region Meeting at Cannon Falls 6:00 PM</i>
<i>November 16</i>	<i>All Member Meeting at Zumbro Valley CC 6:30 PM</i>

Happy Halloween!