

**Iron River Lions Club Regular Meeting Minutes  
December 3, 2014**

The meeting was called to order by 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President, Kim Hamilton and began with the Pledge of Allegiance to our country. Those in attendance were: Fred Baue, Dick Berge, Donna Callahan, Ted Callahan, Jim Duclon, Andy Edwards, Carey Edwards, Carol Evens, Kent Getty, Kim Hamilton, Dave Hultman, Linda Hultman, Lisa Hyde, Jeanne Joseph, John Joseph, Jan Lee, Merv Maki, Willard Ogren, Chris Olson, Shelly Olson, Nan Olson, Jerry Peck, Howard Prell, Carol Reasbeck, Bob Ruef, Madge Sloane, Jim Sloane, John Weiss and Shirley Welty. Excused were: Jim Weishoff, Robin Weishoff, Guy Suo, Kathy Suo, Bertie Ruef, Ernie Pittsley, Faith Pittsley, Julie Peck, Anne Madison, Marie Larson, Roger Gustafson, Sally Gustafson, and Ray Kangas. Helen Power, mother of Madge Sloane was also in attendance.

**Secretary's Report:** The minutes of November 5, 2014 were presented and approved. Motion for approval: Donna Callahan/Jeanne Joseph. Approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** Treasurer Nan Olson presented the Treasurer's Report-Draft as of November 30, 2014. The report was approved pending audit. Jim and Madge Sloane agreed to audit the books for the club.

**Correspondence:**

- Club Lion John Hancock, wrote a note to the club wishing the club the very best. He and his wife have recently moved to Iowa.
- The Lions Eye Bank of Wisconsin sent Holiday Greetings and a request for a monetary donation. We will be mindful of them in our Budget process.
- Restoring Hope Transplant House sent a letter of their updates.
- Iron River Elementary School PTO sent a thank you note for working the Fall Festival at the school.
- The Lion Zone meeting will be held December 13<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. at Lakewoods Resort. The Cable Lions will be presenting their Paralympics preparation.
- North Western High School sent a request for a donation towards purchasing an \$8,000 grand piano. Following discussion, it was recommended this be tabled for the Board to consider and present at the next meeting. Motion: Jim Sloane/Ted Callahan. Approved.

**OLD BUSINESS**

- Thank you to all who assisted at the Thanksgiving Day Community Dinner.
- Veterans Appreciation Day Committee met and all profit will go to the Veteran's Park as VSO Kevin Johnson has enough money for veterans transportation. Reviewed comments and suggestions for next year. \$553.68 of donations will go toward the Veteran's Park.
- Christmas Party to be held on Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> at Landgreen's Northern Pines Club House. Ray Levine and Jan Lee will provide entertainment. Hyde's is catering. All meals are to be pre-paid.
- Santa's visit at the Iron River Elementary School is scheduled for Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. The candy to be given out will be bagged at Our Savior's at 8:00 a.m.
- Bell Ringer schedule for the Salvation Army is being handled by Lisa Hyde.
- Keep collecting your shiny paper for the South Shore music dept. Kent will be back after April and will make sure it gets to the school.
- Deer Hide collection. Andy Edwards reported, 18 so far.
- Website: For the month of Nov. there were 4,947 visits and 25,596 hits.

**NEW BUSINESS**

- Football Boards: Super Bowl board tickets are available. Merv Maki is in charge of this.
- The January meeting may be a Board Meeting if we do not have a quorum. Please attend, if possible.

**Iron River Lions Club Blueberry Festival Meeting  
December 3, 2014**

The meeting was called to order by 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President, Kim Hamilton. If you have not done this, Working Committees are to complete a summary of your Committee and list what went right and should be considered for next year. Also, list things that need to be improved.

The Entertainment Committee is working on the schedule for next year's festival.

The 50/50 was won by Carol Evens!!

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Hultman, secretary