

ROCKFORD LIONS CLUB ROAR

Happy Valentine's Day

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Childhood Cancer Awareness Month

From the desk of

President Lion Steve Neveau

We should take great pride in being part of "Serving the world one community at a time," and great joy serving with such a wonderful group of people as the members of our Rockford Lions Club. As a member of the Rockford Lions, don't miss out on the satisfaction of doing your part, however big or however small. Start with selling one ham or one raffle ticket. Every little bit counts, and every little bit is appreciated. No one can do it all, but the possibilities are endless if everyone does a little. Our club is dreaming big, working hard, playing fair, having fun, and making a difference. Thank you for making it all happen. We Serve

Lion Members who have been ill and/or recovering from surgery. Please keep the following Lions in your thoughts and prayers. Give them a call or stop by with a bowl of soup to let them know how much they are loved and missed.

- **Herm Saettler** has fractured his left collar bone. It will be at least a month or more before he will be able to attend meetings.
- **Ralph Leistner** had a stroke in December that left his right side paralyzed. He continues to improve and slowly getting the use of his right hand back. Ralph would welcome a visit any time after 4pm at Story Point, room 28.
- **Polly VonEschen** recently had surgery and had a small rod inserted in her back. She is doing well and had the staples removed last week Tuesday.

Honey Hams: Lion Brian Kidder is making it easy to order hams this year. You can use the link below to our web page where an online order or donation can easily be placed with a credit card. You won't need to collect money or forms if people donate or purchase this way. Here's the link:

www.rockfordlionsclub.org/store/c1/Featured_Products.html

Upcoming Events

- Feb. 14th:** Spouse Night  Valentine's Dinner
5pm Board Meeting
- Feb 15th:** International Childhood Cancer Day
- Feb 17th:** Lions lunch meeting at the Pepper Mill
- Feb 23rd:** Michigan Lions Forum –Holiday Inn Flint
- Feb. 28th:** Chili Cook-Off/Rockford Sportsman Club
- March 14th:** Susan Jazwiec
- March 16th:** RHS Community Expo 9a-3p

Lunch Meeting: Lion Terry will welcome you Thursday, January 17th at 11:30am at the Pepper Mill. Please bring project ideas and/or comments regarding our bimonthly meetings. It's always the 3rd Thursday of each month.



Meals: We're in need of cooks for our (2) March meetings. In planning your menu, please keep in mind that we have several vegetarians and some have allergies and cannot have mushrooms.

Guest Speakers: Great work to those who helped scheduling our speakers. We are booked for this fiscal year. Thank you!

New Member: How about a big Rockford Lions welcome to Luke VanFleet, our newest Lion. Lion Zak Riebschleger was his sponsor. That's two more hands to serve those in need.

Leos Update: Lion Tracie Riebschleger, is doing good things as Leos advisor at East. Lion Jan Robinson is keeping up with the clothes closet as this is a busy time of year. We still could use some help at North.

If you could accomplish any one thing as a Lion this year, what would you like it to be?

Rockford Lions Club

Meetings at 220 N. Monroe
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Leos Stand for Something

- **L**eadership: Leo members acquire skills as project organizers and motivators of their peers.
- **E**xperience: They discover how teamwork and cooperation can bring about change in their community and the world.
- **O**pportunity: Leos develop positive traits and receive recognition for their contributions.

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Let us BE KIND to each other.

Lion Paul M. Krupp