

January 27, 2009

The regular monthly meeting of the Oxford Lions Club was brought to order by President Mike Mayhood at Fred's Inn.

Our guest speaker for the evening is Terri Bickford from the Literacy Volunteer Organization. Our other guests included Tim Bickford and Mary El Emerson.

Lion Howard Smith has a possibly fund raiser, The Doerfel Family from Florida is willing to perform July 21 here in Oxford before the Bluegrass festival in Norwich July 24th thru the 26. The gate of \$8.00 to \$10.00 will be split. The facility, printing cost and the advertising cost will be our responsibility. Lion Dave thought we could offer it as a community service for an organization like Dollars for Scholars.

A sign up sheet for the perch derby was sent around. The Big Cat Radio Station of Norwich will do a live broadcast on the ice from 7 am to 10 am the day of the derby and they will be getting local merchants to sponsor this remote.

An order sheet for the Daffodil sale of the Chenango County Habitat for Humanity. We usually purchase two dozen flowers and then distribute at the Bida Home. Lion Steve made the motion to purchase Lion Carol seconded the motion. All approved.

Lion Mike, Ava, Ron and Mike Mayhood went on a road trip to sell raffle tickets and promote the Perch Derby selling \$221.00 worth of tickets.

The gavel has been taken out of our storage box here at Fred's Inn by the Mt. Upton Lions Club and a trip to retrieve it is in order.

Lion Dave is hosting a holiday party at his residence Friday, January 30. Please bring your own drinks and o'dourees.

Lion Joe presented the treasurer's report with Lion Dave making the motion to accept and Lion Brian seconded the motion. All approved.

The minutes from the previous meeting was read by the secretary. Lion Brian made the motion to approve the minutes. Lion Steve seconded the motion. All approved.

Our next meeting will be February 10 at the Sidney American Legion to retrieve the president's mallet.

Lion Carol notes that the next dance will be March 13th.

50-50 – Lion Ron

Dinner – Lion Dave