

October 21, 2008

The regular monthly meeting of the Oxford Lions Club was brought to order by President Mike Mayhood at 7:00 PM.

We have the 2008-2009 proposed budget to review.

OLD BUSINESS:

Lion Ava reports that the Halloween parade was a great success 59 kids in costumes with their family and friends. Lions Jim, Ron, Bill, Carol, Dave, Debbie, Ken, Loren, Siggy and Lion Joe were in attendance.

Lion Jim reports that Lions Mark, Tom Rice, Carol, Joe, Jim, Bob, and Marty met Sunday October 19 for our fall highway cleanup.

Our wine tour is set for Sunday, November 2 and we still have some available seats.

Lions Loren, Jim, Bob, Marty, Debbie and Dave have spent a couple Saturdays painting the sound trailer and working on the inside. This trailer will be ready for the perch derby.

NEW BUSINESS:

Lion Mike asked if there was any interest in having a chicken barbeque this coming year. Some members would like to, but think that the cost should be evaluated to see if we might want to have Brooks do the cooking for us. We will talk about it again this winter.

Lion Mike is looking for anyone who knows the criteria for our eye glass assistance program. Some felt that the recommendation needs to come from the school and must meet the school lunch program.

Family Size Monthly Income

1	\$ 866
2	\$1,166
3	\$1,466
4	\$1,766
5	\$2,066
6	\$2,366

- Be in financial need.
- Have no other resources available to them to pay for glasses, including federal or state programs or assistance from local charitable organizations.

Lion Sharon will check with the school to find the criteria for the school lunch program.

The \$1000.00 and \$500.00 sponsors are being pre-arranged for the perch derby, and we will need eight (8) \$100.00 (minimum) prizes for the raffle tickets.

BUDGET:

There was a question about the un-defined surplus. This balance is from last year and usually is moved into local programs. However this surplus has been carried over for the past two years. The question is, should it be carried over or spent. Lion Ron made a motion to move another \$1000.00 over to Christmas baskets for a total of \$1500.00. The remained will go into local programs. Also to move \$200.00 into the District Governor's project. Lion Dave seconded the motion. All approved.

Lion Joe explained it to the budget committee, but it should be written down correctly so the entire group can understand this error.