

Lion Tale
The Chillicothe Evening Lions
Chartered 1924
President: Lion Derek Routte
Vice President: Lion Sheila Blevins
Secretary: Lion Joy Cox
Treasurer: Lion Dawn Sorensen
Editor: Lion Melinda Stephens

Lion President Derek Routte brought the meeting to order with 22 members and 1 guest.

Prayer: Debbie Kellough

Guest: Karen Hamburger

Tonight was our Halloween Party and covered dish so we did not have a regular meeting.

Party Committee: Lions Melinda Stephens, Michelle O'Bryant, Nancy Cox, Norma Gartner, Sheila McGarvey and Lynda Jones.

We played bingo and gave away gift cards to the winners: Lion Debbie Kellough, Gene Donahue, George Hatfield and our guest Karen Hamburger. Lion Nancy Cox won the door prize of a beautiful mum.

Cooking Crew for November12 is Melinda Stephens, Bill Derringer, Velvet O'Day, Gene Donahue and Richard Cox

Calendar:

November 5 – **No meeting – election day**

November 6 – Zone 9 meeting is in Beaver at Eastern District School at 6:30pm. Go to door 19. The meal is pizza and salad for \$8.00

November 12 – Lion Bill Derringer will be leading a discussion on possible new money making projects. Be sure to attend and bring your ideas.

November 19 - Membership Drive – Speaker Mike Thompson from Good Sam Food Pantry and **Board Meeting**. We will be discussing the Flag program and okay the letter.

December 17 – Christmas Party – sign up sheet in the works

January 17 – 19, 2025 – Winter Retreat at Maumee Bay State Park

March 5, 2025 – Zone 9 meeting at Piketon

April 25-26, 2025 – District OH6 Convention at Embassy Suites in Blue Ash

May 16-28, 2025 - Sawmill Creek, Huron Ohio to Celebrate Helen Keller's speech at Cedar Point, Oh. Watch for details.

July 13—17, 2025 – International Convention in Orlando Fl.

- [We are collecting food for Thanksgiving food baskets. The sign-up sheet is on Joy's desk](#)
- Candy Sale is in progress. More order forms are on Joy's desk. Orders are due back November 19th. Make checks payable to Chillicothe Evening Lions, and on the memo line "candy order".
- The flag letter was distributed to members for them to read and suggest changes at the November 19th meeting.
- We need volunteers to mow, possibly 1 or 2 more times
- Thanks to Lion Herb Hoosier for taking pop cans to recycle
- There are still some red jackets on the coat rack if anyone needs one.

