

Lion Tale  
Chillicothe Evening Lions  
Chartered in 1924  
President: Lion Derek Routte  
Vice President: Lion Sheila Blevins  
Secretary: Lion Joy Cox  
Treasurer: Lion Dawn Sorensen  
Editor: Lion Melinda Stephens  
12/10/24

Lion President Derek Routte brought the meeting to order with 17 members and led us The Pledge of Allegiance.

**Song:** America led by Lion Debbie Kellough

**Prayer:** Lion Debbie Kellough

**Concerns:**

Lion Bill Brown's brother-in-law passed away  
Lion Ginny Brown had a 99% blockage. She is home and Bill says she looks a lot better  
Lion President Derek Routte's mother and cousin Billy  
Lion Richard Cox  
Lion Bill Derringer  
Lion Tom Gustin  
Lion Queen Lester  
Lion Cindy Powell's granddaughter Nora has pneumonia  
Ann Cox

**This weeks cooking crew and meal:** Lions Cindy Powell, AJ Hamburger, Joanne Tuttle, Norma Gartner and Dawn Sorensen. We had tuna noodle and chicken noodle casseroles, rolls, slaw, and cake by Joanne

**Next Weeks Meal:** **Christmas Party.** Social hour 5pm and dinner at 5:30pm. If you would like to participate in the gift exchange, women bring a \$20.00 gift for a woman and men bring a \$20.00 gift for a man.

**Calendar:**

December 17 – Christmas Party  
December 24 – **No meeting**  
December 31 – **No meeting**  
January 7, 2025 – Investment committee meets at 1:30 on Caldwell St to go over investment account  
January 17-19, 2025 – Winter Retreat at Maumee Bay State Park  
January 21, 2025 – **Board Meeting**  
March 5, 2025 – Zone 9 meeting at Piketon  
April 25-26, 2025 – District OH6 Convention at Embassy Suites in Blue Ash  
May 16-18, 2025 – Meeting at Sawmill Creek, Huron Oh. to celebrate Helen Keller's speech at Cedar Point, Oh. Watch for details.  
July 13-17, 2025 – International Convention in Orlando Fl.

**Treasurer Report:** Lion Dawn Sorensen has attempted to contact Rumpke to discuss the cost of our dumpster versus large trash cans. So far they have not returned her call.

**Drawings:**

Cash - \$5.00 Lion Frank Wyckoff was absent  
50/50 - \$9.00 Lion Melinda Stephens  
George's Kids - \$6.00 Lion Joanne Tuttle  
Joker - \$166.00 Lion Linn Davey drew a Jack of Clubs

- Candy money is due. There is still extra candy to sell. If you take more to sell, be sure to fill out a order form located on Joy's desk.
- We had a discussion on Bob Green's donation request for 20 flags for the Honor Guard to pass to extra family members such as children of the deceased veteran.. The VFW gives one flag to each military family at the funeral. Lion Dave Weber made a motion to donate 5 flags. Lion Linn Davey seconded. Motion passed.
- Hope Clinic asked if we can continue to make meals 4 times a year on a Monday evening at 5pm. The first meal will be delivered to them in March 2025.
- We will meet Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup> at 1pm to decorate the clubhouse for the Christmas Party.. We appreciate the needed help.