

**Lion Tale**  
**Chillicothe Evening Lions**  
**Chartered in 1924**  
**President: Lion Derek Routte**  
**Vice President: Lion Sheila Blevins**  
**Secretary: Lion Dawn Sorensen**  
**Treasurer: Lion Joy Cox**  
**Editor: Lion Melinda Stephens**  
**March 25, 2025**

**Lion President Derek Routte opened the meeting with 20 members and led us in The Pledge of Allegiance.**

**Song:** Lion Debbie Kellough led us in singing America

**Prayer:** Lion AJ Hamburger

**Concerns:**

Lion President Derek Routte's mother

Lion Dawn Sorensen's mother is in Mt. Carmel

Lions Bill & Ginny Brown

Lion Joanne Tuttle

Lion John Malone

Lion Queen Lester

Lion Tom Gustin

Ann Cox

Ann Davis is still in the hospital

**Calendar:**

April 25-26 – District OH6 Convention at the Embassy Suites in Blue Ash Ohio. They will vote on President for 2025-2026 IVOG Rachele Powers. Our club will have 5 votes.

May 16-18 – Meeting at Sawmill Creek in Huron Ohio to celebrate Helen Keller's speech at Cedar Point. American Idol's Taylor Hicks will perform

June 28 – Officer Training at the Lutheran Church in Lebanon Ohio. Anyone can attend.

**June 30 – Blood Drive**

July 13-17 – International Convention in Orlando Florida October 24-26 – RLLI leadership

**Sept 29 – Blood Drive**

October 24-26 – RLLI leadership training

November 24 – Blood Drive

**Cooks:** We had our monthly potluck. We have great cooks in our club!

**Next Weeks Cooks and Cleanup:** Lions Michelle O'Bryant, Lynda Jones, Chase and Sara Winegar

**Secretary Report:** The District Convention will be putting together 100 bags to distribute to those in need. See the list in the bullet points below

**Drawings:**

Cash - \$5.00 Lion Michelle O'Bryant

50/50 - \$7.50 Lion Herb Hoosier

George's Kids - \$6.50 Lion Nancy Cox

Joker - \$50.00 Lion Linn Davey drew the Ace of Spades



- Monday's blood drive had a great 80% turnout
- 50/50 Raffle tickets are being handed out. See Lion Sheila Blevins for yours. Lion Sheila has talked to Texas Roadhouse to see if we can set up a table to sell tickets and recruit new members. The tentative date is May 5<sup>th</sup>.
- The Lion Shelter in the park is being looked at as a possible site for the Schmidt's Food Truck, possibly sometime in June.
- The yard sale will probably be held in June or July. Start sorting your treasures for the sale.
- Travel size items to donate for the 100 bags being assembled at the District Convention to give to those in need are:

hand sanitizer  
 wipes  
 tissues  
 blankets  
 floss  
 mouth wash  
 lotion  
 conditioner  
 razors

**The deadline to volunteer to run for Vice President or the Board is at next weeks meeting 4/1/25  
 Lets step up and fill these positions.**

- [The Investment Committee](#) has been rescheduled for April 29 at 1:30 at Homeland CU on Caldwell. All are welcome to attend.
- [The Scholarship Committee](#) meets Thursday March 27 at 5:30 at the clubhouse